

## **About Our Club**

Hello and welcome to the Muskellunge Club of Wisconsin (MCW). We are very excited to share a little bit about our club with you. The information below is intended to give you a quick overview of who we are and how we run our club. More detailed information about our club is available at [www.muskiewi.org](http://www.muskiewi.org). If you do not have access to a computer, our MCW membership coordinator can provide you with additional info so be sure to ask if you have any questions. We look forward to your involvement in the Muskellunge Club of Wisconsin!



## **Who are we?**

Officers and Board of Directors – Our club is run by officers consisting of the Club President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary and a Board of Directors consisting of 3-5 members.

MCW also has a Membership Director, Outing Director, League Director, Musky Clubs Alliance Representative, Wisconsin DNR Liaison, Raffle Director, Muskie Contest Director, Executive Officio, and Webmaster. The MCW website contains members-only information including contact information for each position.

Club Members – MCW is made up of people like you. Member involvement in the MCW helps to make it successful. Camaraderie of our members creates bonds of friendship among people who share a passion for muskie fishing.

Annual Membership Dues – MCW membership covers the calendar year (Jan 1 – Dec 31). Single and family memberships are available.

Member of the Musky Clubs Alliance of Wisconsin – This organization works together with other Wisconsin Muskie clubs to improve the muskie fishery in Wisconsin.

## **What do we do?**

Board Meetings – The MCW Officers and Board of Directors meets approximately monthly to discuss the business of running our club.

Club Member Meetings – General membership meetings are held at 7:30pm at Thunder Bay Grille in Pewaukee, Wisconsin on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of January, February, April, May, October, and November. These meetings are preceded by a social hour beginning at 6:30pm where members can enjoy a meal and share muskie stories with each other. These meetings cover club business updates and include a noteworthy speaker to help improve muskie fishing knowledge. Meetings conclude with a raffle consisting of several quality fishing-related and other prizes.

Club Newsletter – MCW delivers newsletters after each meeting to keep members up to date.

Member Outings – Our club organizes 1-day outings to local lakes plus 2-3 day outings to destinations in Northern Wisconsin. An organized MCW Canadian adventure occurred in 2010.

Member League Night – MCW organizes a no-cost membership league night in May and June where participants fish for muskies on an area lake. These outings help members get to know others in the club. Each week participants are paired with different club members. A traveling trophy is awarded to the points leader at the end of the league.

MCW Muskie Contest – Members who catch muskies throughout the year are encouraged to enter each muskie into the MCW member muskie contest. Each entry requires an affidavit form (due by the 10<sup>th</sup> of the month following your catch) and an accompanying photo. Top honors are recognized in several categories.

Annual Awards Banquet – In March our club hosts a membership awards banquet where participants receive our MCW Annual Report. MCW Muskie Contest awards are presented and fishing success stories are shared as is a fun presentation of member photos. Also, many raffle prizes are available.

Stocking – Our club works with the Wisconsin DNR and funds muskie stocking efforts in Wisconsin. We did the 1st ever direct stocking of muskies into Lac La Belle in 2014. In 2015 we stocked there again plus in Pewaukee. In 2012 we stocked extended growth muskies into Okauchee Lake and Lake Delevan. We intend to stock muskie annually with funds from our Bob Baumann Memorial Stocking Fund.

## **Do you have a question, comment, or new idea?**

Please be sure to email us with your MCW-related questions, comments or ideas (see address below).

## **Additional Information**

Email: [info@muskellungeclubwi.org](mailto:info@muskellungeclubwi.org)

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## Calendar of Events



### January

- 8-10 Chicago Muskie Expo
- 13 **Club Meeting**  
6:30pm Social Hour/Dinner  
7:30pm Annual Business Meeting
- 14-17 All-Canada Show Chicago
- 21-24 All-Canada Show Green Bay

### February

- 10 **Club Meeting**  
6:30pm Social Hour/Dinner  
7:30pm Mike Mordas (Muskie Train)
- 12-14 **Milwaukee Muskie Expo**  
Washington County Fairgrounds – Need Volunteers

### March

- 2-6 Milwaukee Journal Sentinel Sports Show
- 6 **MCW Annual Awards Banquet**  
Country Springs Hotel - Pewaukee

### April

- 2 **Musky Clubs Alliance of Wisconsin**  
Spring meeting in Stevens Point
- 11 Wisconsin DNR Spring Hearings
- 12 **Okauchee Lake muskie stocking**
- 13 **Club Meeting**  
6:30pm Social Hour/Dinner  
7:30pm Chad Larson (Spanky Baits)
- 27 **Okauchee Lake 2<sup>nd</sup> muskie stocking!**

### May

- 1 **Brat Fundraiser Gander Mountain**
- 7 Wisconsin Inland Waters Fishing Opener
- 11 **Club Meeting**  
6:30pm Social Hour/Dinner  
7:30pm Chris Terry – Okauchee/LaBelle
- 12 **May/June MCW Muskie League**  
Details coming soon
- 21 **Lighthouse Muskie Tournament** (Pewaukee)
- 28 Muskie Opener – Northern Wisconsin

### June

- 9-12 **MCW Spring Outing** (North/South Twin)  
Signups and down payment due Feb 10
- 11-12 **Alliance Raffle Sales**  
MCW Musky Clubs Alliance boat/raffle sales  
Mukwonago Maxwell Street Days

### June/Jul/Aug/Sep

No MCW meetings  
(MCW members busy catching muskies!)

### August

- 10 **MCW BOD meeting – location TBD**
- 19-21 Musky Clubs Alliance of Wisconsin  
National Championship Musky Open Tournament

### September

- TBD **Okauchee Lake Muskie Stocking**  
Details coming as date approaches
- 17 **1-day Outing on Random Lake**

### October

- 1 **1-day Outing on Lake Waubesa**
- 12 **Club Meeting**  
6:30pm Social Hour/Dinner  
7:30pm Brian Mirek – Time on the Water – How To Get It & How To Make It Efficient
- 5 **Musky Clubs Alliance of Wisconsin**  
Fall meeting in Stevens Point

### November

- 9 **Club Meeting**  
6:30pm Social Hour/Dinner  
7:30pm Dr. Janice Kearns (UWSP)  
Juvenile telemetry study report

### December

- 14 **2<sup>nd</sup> Annual MCW Swap Meet**  
5:30pm BOD meeting  
6:30pm SWAP MEET (get your stuff ready)

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