

MAWAGA NEWS

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MEETING FEBRUARY 13 2018
MEAL AT 6:00 P.M. MEETING AT 7:30 P.M

KITCHEN COMMITTEE

For February, Chef Gary will be preparing Baked Chicken along Baked Potato and Vegetable. Starting the meal will be homemade Chicken Soup and a fresh garden salad. It's still only seven dollars. Bring a friend and eat well. Then enjoy the ruckus and fun which is our monthly raffle.

Let's not forget our current fund raiser. We have a nice Mossberg Blaze 22 LR rifle being raffled. This rifle is equipped with a Blaze Green Dot Scope. It will be a lot of fun target shooting and it won't cost much doing it. Get some tickets at the meeting to buy for yourself or to sell to your friends. Or call Ernie at 265-0851 and he'll get them to you. The drawing will take place at the end of the Lunker Derby.

HOUSE COMMITTEE

I was in the club house a few days ago and saw that the committee is in the process of giving the Ladies Restroom a total makeover complete with new toilets, new floor and freshly painted walls. A big thanks to Chairman Frank Hulse and his crew.

FISH COMMITTEE

And now it is time to turn our attention to one of the most important happenings in the Mawaga year. And that is the **2018 Lunker Derby**. Tickets and flyers should be available at the February meeting. Think of some good places to put a flyer and take one or more (please don't waste them however). And, do that net-working thing you do (like you know... Facebook?). But, ticket sales are the most important. So, please support our club and buy one or more tickets for yourself, family and friends. Or, another option is to check some tickets out to sell. Then just turn in any unsold tickets and/or the money from sold tickets by the start of the derby April 22nd. Make your wishes known if you would like to work the day of. Also, derby and grounds cleanup will be in full force the weekends and day before the event. So please, bring a rake or any kind of leaf blower and pitch in! Let's get this place beautiful for our guests and for us.

Be very careful going out on the ice until you know how thick it is.

There are still a lot of trout in the pond. Bring your children and have some fun. And, be safe!

FINANCIAL SECRETARY

2018 Dues are now due. Mail your check of \$125 for a family Membership, \$100 for a regular membership, \$15 for a life membership with newsletter, or \$25 for club officers to Mawaga Sporting Club PO Box 57 Agawam, Ma 01001. If anyone has changed their address or phone number please let Matt Jodoin (789-1637) know so he can update the membership list. REMEMBER: Dues not paid by the February 2017 meeting will incur a reinstating fee. I believe that dues postmarked no later than February 13 escape the fee.

To get your newsletter electronically email me at troutbassy@yahoo.com. Thanks.

WINTER GATE POLICY

WHEN ENTERING THE MAWAGA CLUB GROUNDS OPEN THE GATE, DRIVE IN AND CLOSE THE GATE. UPON LEAVING THE CLUB, OPEN THE GATE DRIVE OUT AND CLOSE THE GATE. THE GATE IS TO BE CLOSED AT ALL TIMES (EXCEPT DURING CLUB FUNCTIONS).