

Spokane Walleye Club General Meeting Minutes

Date: March 29, 2023

Attendance:

Officers: President Chuck Dunning

Vice President Ken Shatzer

Treasurer Allan Walker

Secretary Lloyd Spooner

Board Members: George Allen

Rick Bernard

Larry Quaintance

Gary Sweigert

The meeting was called to order at 7:00pm by President Dunning. Vice President Ken Shatzer presented the Big Horn Raffle prize winners their prizes:

1st prize was won by Chip Rounsville. He received a fishing tackle bundle with the winner's choice of three different rod/reel combos

2nd prize was won by Bruce Brewer (not present). He received a smaller tackle assortment with the winner's choice of the remaining two rod/reel combos

3rd prize was won by Matt Gerdes (a youth ticket). He received the last remaining rod/reel combo

The night was full of information with three excellent seminars:

- 1. Jigging for Walleye by John Carruth
- 2. Bottom Bouncer Trolling for Walleye by Greg Koch
- 3. Blade Baits for Walleye by Travis Scholton



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Information for these three different by very effective fishing techniques was shared in detail. Thanks to these local experts for sharing their knowledge and helping us all become better Walleye fishermen.

Between the seminars, attendees were treated to tackle building demonstrations on powder coating techniques for jigs and Walleye spinner construction. Attendees had a chance to check out demonstrations and even try the process firsthand. Many attendees walked away with a custom powder coated jig and handmade spinner. They will hopefully feel the satisfaction of catching a Walleye on tackle they crafted with their own hands and will seek to further their skills.

The monthly 50/50 drawing was held with an amazing prize of \$250. VP Ken Shatzer was the big winner.

Door prizes were drawn for this special meeting with three winners of a rod/reel combo, spinning reel, and assortment of Walleye spinners.

Check out Travis Scholton's online store at https://www.facebook.com/fishermansfoundry/ - support a local business and get some great blade baits.

Meeting adjourned at....well not really sure. It was still going at 9:00PM and there was a lot of excitement and chatter.