

# The LBCC News

The monthly newsletter of the Lake Buchanan Conservation Corp. a non-profit 501c3 corporation.

## Next Meeting: October 20th at 7:00 PM

Cristy Knapp, Llano County Director of EMS, will provide our program. Cristy's Knapp's energetic approach to her job always makes her an interesting guest speaker. She will give a brief overview of the history of the Llano County EMS and where the EMS stations are located to better serve the community. What it costs to operate the EMS and how it is funded will also be discussed. You will be surprised to learn of the improved response times for the covered area.

## Newsletter by Email?

The LBCC Newsletter is available on our web site and is emailed on the day it is snail mailed. If you would like to view it and print it from your computer, call me at 325-379-1553 and we will save some stamps!

40 members have agreed, saving us about \$22.00/month

## Meeting Prize

Those of you who regularly attend our meetings are aware of Butch Whitworth's meeting attendance incentives. Last month, Fred Scherer won a fishing hat full of fish hooks and many other fishing goodies, donated by Red Top Bait Shop in Burnet. Congratulations Fred and thank you Red Top!

## Hybrid Striper Survey

We would like to get a more accurate reading on the status of the Hybrids we put into the lake. To do this we are asking our members to help by cutting the head off of all legal Hybrids they catch and freezing them in a plastic bag. Bring them to our monthly meetings and we will give them to Steve Magnolia at the TPWD who will age them and determine the year of stocking. This way we can further understand the program's effectiveness and maybe get some idea of the survival rates of Fry and Fingerlings. Please help us if you can.

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## Board Nominations

At our November meeting we will be accepting nominations for our board of directors. Ron Abshier, George Bold, Todd Boyd and Ken Milam's two year terms are over at the end of the year. That means we need four members to be nominated. There are no term limits in our Bylaws, so any and all could serve another two year term, but it is always good to have some new ideas on the board. Some of you indicated on your application that you would serve on the board, so if you still feel that way, now is the time to speak up.

At a meeting in January, the board will elect officers for 2010. Regular board meetings are held at 6PM immediately before our monthly general meetings. Board members usually head up event committees and perform other duties as defined in the bylaws. Elections will be held at our December meeting.

## LBCC T-shirts, Caps & Visors

We still have LBCC T-shirts, Caps and Visors for sale. The T-shirts come in various sizes. Contact Todd Boyd at 512-793-9032 or buy at our meetings. Donation: \$10.00 ea

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## 2009 Accomplishments

- Stocked the lake with 2 1/2 million Hybrid Striped Bass Fry and 55,500 Fingerlings
- Added six Brush Pile habitats
- Hosted our First Annual Golf Tournament with 65 players
- Hosted our Third Annual Casino Night and Fourth Annual Fish Fry fundraisers
- Increased our membership from 117 to 133
- Continued to distribute Fish Identification Flyers with an improved version
- Kept the members informed with interesting programs at our meetings



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### 2009 Plans

- Stock the lake again with Hybrid Striped Bass
- Work with Texas Parks and Wildlife on improving fish habitat
- Continue distributing fish identification flyers around the lake
- Work more closely with the Buchanan/Inks Chamber of Commerce on mutually beneficial projects
- First Annual Golf Tournament - May 16th
- Host our Third Annual Casino Night - July 11th and Fourth Annual Fish Fry - Sept. 5th
- Continue to keep our members informed at our monthly meetings
- Support the Boys and Girls Club's Fishing Tournament
- Any new projects that will further our mission to preserve and improve the lake area

**We meet each third Tuesday, 7PM at the LCRA Building, on 1431 south of Hwy. 29 in Buchanan Dam**