

The LBCC News

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

Next Meeting; October 19 at 7:00 PM

The program will be presented by one of our members, Rusty Brandon, owner of Hi-Line Lake Resort. Rusty is one of two Lake Buchanan appointees to a special LCRA advisory committee. The 16 member committee will help update the Water management plan for Lakes Buchanan and Travis. Rusty will be seeking ideas and input from LBCC members. Please plan to attend and give Rusty your ideas.

Frank Brossett resigns from the Board

The demands of Frank's job have prevented him from attending many LBCC meetings during the past year. Therefore, he has resigned his position on the LBCC Board of Directors. The golf Tournament we initiated last year was Frank's idea and he has been in charge of both tournaments we have held. These tournaments have and will in the future be important fund raisers for our organization. We thank Frank for his contributions and wish him well in the future. The board, at a special meeting, will appoint someone to fill out the remainder of Frank's term.

Warriors in Transition Event a Success

The weekend event held at Thunderbird Lodge hosted 18 of the warriors. They had a good time fishing, relaxing and enjoying several great meals provided by the folks at Thunderbird. These soldiers are part of the Warriors in Transition Brigade out of Fort Hood. The LBCC, among others, contributed money toward the cost of the food. The Warriors in Transition program exists to help local returning soldiers heal at home while under the direct supervision of Army unit leaders.

Another outing is planned for February. The board will be discussing how we can help with this event.

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Programs

One of the most important things we do is to provide our members with interesting programs at our meetings. Our Vice President, Ron Abshier, has for the past two years been in charge of arranging these programs. He has done a superb job and has produced programs such as these:

- Domestic use of lake water
- LCRA Dam Operations
- Quiz the Guides
- Local Reptiles and Amphibians
- TPWD lake fish Surveys
- LCRA Encroachment Issues
- Hunting & Fishing Regulations

We have a program of interest to our members at each meeting. If you have an idea for a program please contact me.

Meeting Prize

Last month, Lynn Hughes won a Bait Bucket with Fishing Supplies from Red Top Bait Shop. Congratulations Lynn and thank you Red Top! It does pay to attend our meetings! Please patronize all of our business members.

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2010 Accomplishments

- Stocked the lake with 1 1/4 million Hybrid Striped Bass Fry and 58,000 Fingerlings
- Added four Brush Pile habitats
- Hosted our Second Annual Golf Tournament with 64 players
- Hosted our Fourth Annual Casino Night and Fifth Annual Fish Fry fund Raisers
- Installed a display Board with a large map of the lake at the Llano County Boat Ramp
- Continued to distribute Fish Identification Flyers with an improved version
- Started distributing detailed maps of the lake
- Kept the members informed with interesting programs at our meetings



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2010 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 closely with the Buchanan/Inks Chamber of Commerce on mutually beneficial projects
- Host our Second Annual Golf Tournament - May 15
- Host our Fourth Annual Casino Night - July 10 and Fifth Annual Fish Fry - Sept. 4
- Support the Boys and Girls Club's Fishing Tournament
- Any new projects that will further our mission to preserve and improve the lake area
- Continue to keep our members informed at monthly meetings

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