



A MULTI-SPECIES FISHING CLUB FOR
YOUTH, ADULT, INDIVIDUAL, OR FAMILY IN
CHICAGO & ITS MANY SUBURBS

JOIN RIVERSIDE FISHING CLUB

HEAR SPEAKERS, MEET FRIENDS, TAKE A FISHING TRIP WITH US

Monthly meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month. Our meetings consist of a brief business meeting with fishing reports, guest speaker, food, cash bar, fishing tackle raffle table and 50/50 cash raffles, plus good fishing fellowship. Our Christmas Party includes door prizes, 50/50 raffle, separate Ladies raffle, and a variety of delicious food. **WE INVITE YOU** as a guest or member to our monthly meetings at 6:45 P.M. on the second Thursday of each month. (Doors Open at 6:30 P.M.) Guests welcome for just \$10 (for meal & speaker).

We meet in La Grange:

American Legion Post 1941 located at 900 S. La Grange Road, La Grange, Illinois 60525 - 708-354-3300

WHO ARE WE?

Riverside Fishing Club:

We Promote and practice Catch, Photo, and Release (CPR)

- Improve fishing skills and knowledge for all involved.
- Encourage participation in an enjoyable, relaxing and fun way in this outdoor sport.
- Respect and protect nature- all aspects of conservation.
- Harvest and consume a reasonable and legal limit.
- Encourage members to compete with others in a sportsmanlike manner.
- Teach and support fishing knowledge and experience for youth.
- Organize and encourage small and large group outings.
- Support and encourage others and all wildlife and conservation efforts.
- Support our Veterans and fishing-related activities.

RIVERSIDE FISHING CLUB MEMBERSHIP FEES

\$60.00 per individual

\$85.00 per family

This includes a Subscription to Midwest Outdoors Magazine, Meals at Meetings and Fishing Speakers!

BECOME A MEMBER OF RIVERSIDE FISHING CLUB

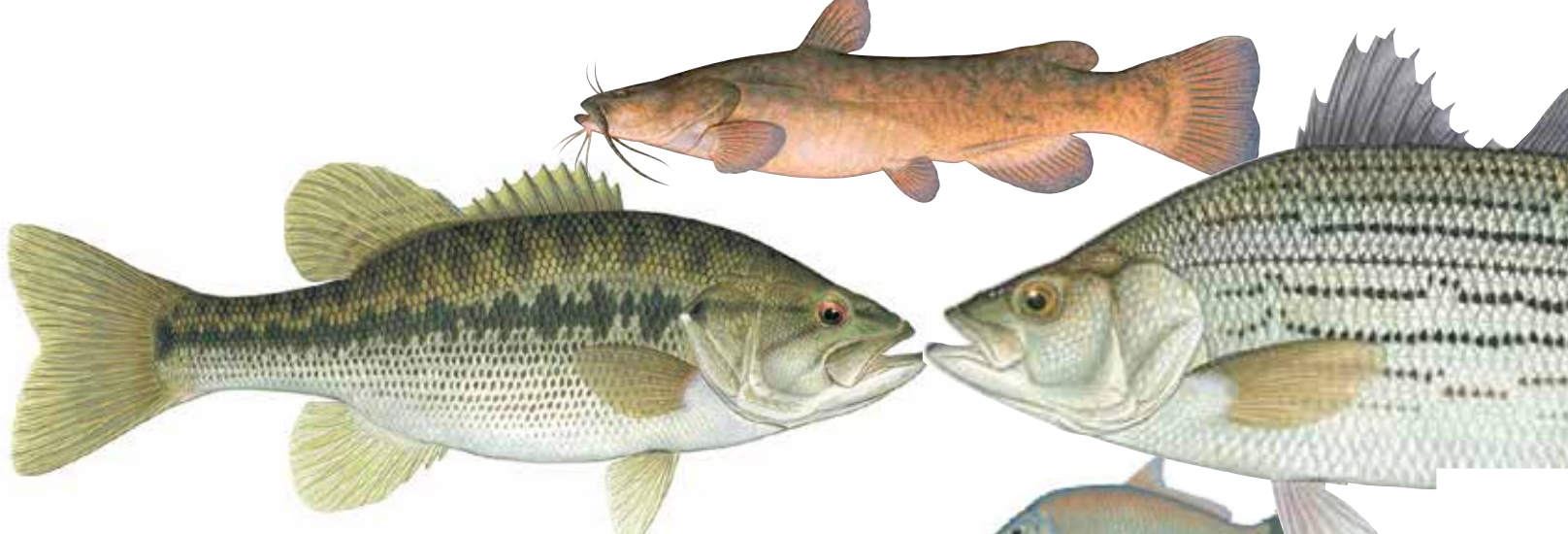
SPEAKERS Past speakers have included:

Jim Kopjo, Capt. Ron Miltzow, Bruce Mirabella, Don Grigas, Spence Petros, Dale Bowman, Denny & Aaron Sands, Tim Scot, Mike Norris, Larry Conn, Jerry Brown, Chauncey Niziol, Ralph Steiger, Jeff Moreau, Eric Haataja, Pat Harrison, Mark O'Neil, Capt. Chris Taurisano, Frank Hyla, Jay Garstecki, Tod Todd, Dan Vinovich, Guy Lopez, County and State DNR reps as well as Club members Bill Lozanski, Dan Carney, Tom Lauraitis and Johnny Wilkins

OUTINGS Activities include the Lake Sara trip, night fishing, Swap Meet, Wolf River-white bass trip, Delavan ice fishing, Lake Michigan charters, Canadian trip to Temple Bay Lodge, and other local fishing events.

The Club and individual members have supported many regional fishing events. Some fishing events we have worked with include the DuPage Kids Fishing Derby, Illinois Chapter of Fishing Has No Boundaries (NI: FHNBI) and Duke O'Mally's Memorial Kids Tournament in 2012. Other special events have individual and/or club involvement on a yearly basis such as Vets Fishing Day and Take A Vet Fishing.

For questions about membership - contact Johnny Wilkins, membership director johnny@chicagofishingschool.com or call 630.235.2162. You can also contact club president - Tony Novak - tnovak2416@aol.com



2018 MEETING SCHEDULE

Jan 11	Feb 8	Mar 8	*Apr 28
May 10	June 14	July 12	Aug 9
Sep 13	Oct 11	Nov 8	Dec 13

*April 28, 2018 **Swap Meet**, 8 A.M. to 12 Noon

JOIN US! RIVERSIDE FISHING CLUB

You get to hang out monthly, meet other fisher people and talk about fishing. Hear what fish are biting, learn from expert speakers and meet new fishing buddies or find a boat partner. Trips are available occasionally and our fishing club is a great bargain. For the low annual fee, members get a new speaker at meetings, get fed before our speaker seminar and you also get a subscription to Midwest Outdoors Magazine. At meetings we regularly hold raffles and socialize. Coffee is available, (sodas and beer available at the cash bar). Hook a great deal - join Riverside Fishing Club.

GUESTS ALWAYS WELCOME!

A monthly \$10.00 guest fee applies. If you become a member, RFC will credit your guest fee to your yearly dues. New members are prorated on a monthly basis after the March meeting.

Our RFC membership comes from the great fishing city of Chicago, as well as suburban communities: Aurora, Bedford, Berwyn, Bolingbrook, Bridgeview, Brookfield, Burbank, Clarendon Hills, Countryside, Darien, Elmhurst, Evergreen Park, Forest View, Glen Ellyn, Hammond,

IN, Hickory Hills, Hinsdale, Hometown, Indian Head Park, Justice, La Grange, La Grange Park, Lisle, Lyons, Midlothian, Mokena, Naperville, North Riverside, Oak Brook, Oak Lawn, Orland Park, Palos Heights, Park Ridge, Romeoville, Stickney, Bedford, VA., Villa Park, Westchester, Westmont, Willowbrook, and Woodridge.

ANNUAL FISHING AWARDS

Big Fish Awards for various species are presented to members at the annual Christmas Party. Submit entry forms to Victor Mejias (Buster), Thank you!

DONORS, SPONSORS & SUPPORTERS

Temple Bay Lodge, Eagle Lake, Ontario, Canada
Ice Auger Sharpening, Des Plaines; Ledo's Pizza, Countryside; Papa Passero's Pizzeria, Westmont; Rose's Catering, North Riverside, Uncle Bub's, Westmont.

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IMPORTANT 2018 RFC DATES

Our club supports various fishing-related charities and Veteran events in the region. Fishing Has No Boundaries, Local Stocking Efforts, Take-A-Vet Fishing are a few we volunteer for and financially support. Find out how you can get involved! For all of our events and details of our activities, visit our club website to volunteer - help or just get out and fish with **RiversideFishingClub.com**.

APRIL SWAP MEET

Visit our annual SWAP MEET always in APRIL in La Grange and pick up some deals on fishing poles, reels, lures or reserve a table to sell. Doors open at 8 a.m. (no early shopping!) and shopping for tackle goes until Noon. Refreshments will be available. 39 Tables available if you wish to sell your fishing tackle. No Guns or Ammo allowed at the SWAP MEET. View the website for more information at **RiversideFishingClub.com**.

MAY - TAKE A VET FISHING

Help out at Take A Vet Fishing event - Antioch, IL - Fox Lake. Great day where Vets get out on the water and gather to celebrate, fish and be recognized with a tribute lunch and patriotic ceremonies. Volunteer for a rewarding day with Vets and club members!

EARLY JUNE

Give back to those who gave for you - help out on a fun day at the Paralyzed Veterans Fishing Derby in Elk Grove Village. Gather around 9 a.m. for setup - help with fishing, join everyone for a lunch break and then fishing wraps up at 3 p.m.

DECEMBER CLUB PARTY

Don't miss the Christmas Party Festivities. Check Site for details.

The RFC Board meets once a month at Papa Passero's Pizzeria, 6326 South Cass Avenue, Westmont, Illinois, to discuss and plan RFC business and policy. All paid members are invited to attend the meetings at 7:00 P.M. and be involved- except for actual voting.

Visit our website at:

RIVERSIDEFISHINGCLUB.COM

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