



RIVERSIDE FISHING CLUB

Fishing Line News

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



MATT SCHULTZ - MWO MAGAZINE

Walleyes & Muskie Seminar

Matt Schultz is an avid multi-species angler who fishes Illinois waters primarily. He is an outdoor writer who has contributed to MidWest Outdoors Magazine. He sits on the board of the Midwest Musky Club and enjoys fishing close to home. He is well versed in Humminbird Electronics and considers Heidicke Lake to be his home lake. In May he will be giving his spin on your way to catch more walleyes, muskies at Heidicke. JOIN US at the American Legion Hall 900 S. La Grange, Road - La Grange, IL 60525 for our monthly fishing seminars, meals and the best fishing social club in the Chicago area.

Enter to win a trip to Canada's Temple Bay Lodge at our May Meeting!. Call 630.235.2162 for tickets!

We Meet Monthly & Talk Fishing!

The Riverside Fishing Club actually meets in Countryside, IL every month. Our meetings average around 65 fishermen and women and we have several families, kids that all gather to get regional fishing info, meet fishing buddies, have a meal and enjoy. The only club with a cash bar, meal, speaker and raffles!

There are a few annual trips we go on where you can spend time with fishing friends. We even go to Canada as a group to Temple Bay Lodge. If you are new to fishing and want to learn, this is the best way. Very affordable, this is the best deal around. Members get a free subscription to Midwest Outdoors Magazine, a meal at every meeting and a seminar speaker! That alone is an \$90 value and we offer raffle prizes, cash bar and many other benefits of getting together to talk fishing monthly. **Join Us, call 630.235.2162.**

Meetings held 2nd Thursday each month Doors Open at 6:15 p.m. Meeting runs 6:45 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. (Guests Welcome \$10.00 per meeting- Includes Meal & Admission) **Robert E. Coulter Jr. Post 1941** American Legion Hall 900 S. La Grange Road, La Grange, Illinois (708) 354-3300

May Fishing in the Global Warming (It's About Time)!

May, what a month for those of us that fish or just enjoy the outdoors. There is almost no fish in the Midwest that can't be caught this month. The water is steadily rising to spawning temperatures for White Bass, Crappie and Bass. After April showers the rivers should be very fishable, the cooling lakes still have moderate temperatures and the weed beds haven't taken over the natural lakes yet. If west winds prevail shore fishing for salmon and trout should still be available. The only fish off limits are Lake Michigan Perch, with a closed season from May 1 until June 15th.

If fishing for White Bass a zip style vibrating lure or white twister tail is hard to beat. For Crappie I like the old fashioned pinkie jig or a simple minnow under a float. I don't like targeting bedding bass in the Upper Midwest because they have a condensed nesting season and crawfish and bluegill are just waiting to eat the eggs and fry from an unguarded nest. If you do catch some bass release them quickly so they can get back to the nest. If there is a month that you just have to fish May is that month. The days are long and the water is warm, the excuses are gone!

May the lilacs bloom, the Crappie spawn and the White Bass run!

Take a kid or Veteran fishing!

Dan Carney

Lifetime Member Riverside Fishing Club

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Paid Members can attend our board meeting 6:45pm Wed., May 23rd - Papa Passero's 6326 South Cass Ave., Westmont.

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Meet, eat and listen is our motto!
Only \$10 for guest membership.

- * Speaker-Presenter Every Meeting
- * Meal-Snack Every Meeting
- * Convenient La Grange, IL meetings
- * Great way to meet new fishermen
- * Great night out to bring the kids
- * Cash Bar & Fishing Tackle Raffles
- * Fishing Trips - Club Outings
- * \$85 family membership -annual
- * \$60 single membership -annual

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