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May 11TH Lunch Program: Becca Butcher with Falcon Force

PANGUITCH LAKE LVWW “SIZE MATTERS II” WEEKEND

Honcho: Rod Maly 702-496-4017 rod@artencounter.com

Panguitch Lake is located in south central Utah and sits at an elevation of 8,400 feet. The word “Panguitch” comes from the local Native American Indians and means “Big Fish”.

Size Matters II Angler of the Year Event - Saturday May 21st 8:00 AM - 1PM Check in is by email to Rod no later than Thursday, 3PM, May 19th. (Rules, Big Fish entry forms, and directions to Steak Dinner will be provided)

1 st place - Biggest trout by weight	10pts
2 nd place -	9
3 rd place-	8
4 th place	7
5 th place	6
last place – (all others)	5



(fish caught 2 weeks ago at Panguitch)

ACCOMODATIONS:

PANGUITCH LAKE ADVENTURE RESORT

CABINS FOR RENT (\$100-125 per night) and RV hookups

Contact: Guy Hargreaves 928-412-4114 ghargreaves@rvfish.com

BOAT RENTALS - After May 13th call: 435-676-2864 ½ day rental 7am-12:30pm \$45

STEAK DINNER, Awards, Poker Game - 5PM Mark Gallear’s Cabin, Duck Creek, UT
702-873-1930 Special assistance from Larry Cusimano (Directions will be provided at Check In.)

Next meeting Wednesday June 8th, 12 noon at Charlie’s Lakeside located at 8603 W. Sahara (Sahara and Durango) price \$20



Presidents Message:

April was a great time for LVWWC members as they were treated to the culinary skills of Kyle Otto at the Annual Spring Feast. His famous "Louisiana Crawfish Boil" was off the hook as usual. The Sporting Clays shoot was a real challenge with 50mph gusts wreaking havoc on the clay flight paths. Mike Reese bested all comers again, I don't know how he does it, there were plenty of REALLY good shooters, including George Marnell, "NFA" Dave, and Alan Stone just to name a few. From here on Mike should be allowed to shoot only a .410ga. to make it fair.

The Otter Creek fishing expedition honcho-ed by Magdi was a real expedition all right, complete with snow flurries and gale force winds. 17 anglers caught 5 fish and reigning Angler of the Year Larry Cusimano proved once again he is the "King of Otter Creek". Thanks Mags for a great time in Southern Utah! More great stories at Lunch this month on the 11th. Our speaker this month is a woman who is a Falconer, Wow!

This month, the merry month of May features the best fishing trip of the year-Panguitch, Honcho-ed by our Game Warden, Rod Maly. Panguitch means 'Big Fish' in the local Indian dialect, and it is certainly accurate. Special incentives for our club members participating are a souvenir LVWWC monogrammed Electronic fish scale with tape measure and a steak BBQ put on by Mark Gallear and Larry Cusimano.

We look forward to sharing the outdoors with you all, plan to attend an event, meet new friends , dine, drink, and tell tall tales.

Steve Linder
President 2016



From the Cook....Kyle Otto

I hope everyone enjoyed the chow at this year's crawfish boil. I want to take the time to thank my daughter Kallie for the help all these years. I couldn't do it without her. It is our pleasure to put this on for the membership. A special shout out to all the members and our club president for the help with the cleanup. You know who you are. Your help is greatly appreciated. I would also like to thank member Chris Klineburger and his lovely wife Grace for the wonderful gift, a signed copy of Chris' book. A true treasure that will be enjoyed. And let us not forget Mike Reese for running the shoot. Our club is blessed with some great folks. Already thinking about next year. Hope to see you outlaws again.
Kyle

We had another great turn out. The weather this year was a bit breezey, just ask those that shot in the sporting clays. Mike Reese was honcho for the shooting event again this year and he again did a great job. 42 shooters came out to test the wind before lunch. Mike had them set up with plenty of easy targets but the wind gusts changed all that so it was quite the free for all when it came time to step up to the line. Several guys won money in the Lewis Class standings but the points for Marksman of the Year went as follows: Mike Reese 10, Alan Stone 9, Bruce Young 8, George Marnell and Jerry Parr each with 7, Mike Taylor and Clayton Philipps with 6 and all other shooters in attendance received 5 points each.

The Spring Feast and the Fall Feast are both club events that provide FREE food to the members, their families and any friends they want to bring out. These two events alone take care of your annual dues, only \$25 this year. I encourage all of you to come out to these big gatherings and spend some time getting to know the members and their families.....this is a great opportunity to enjoy the "talking about it" part of our club motto. Only the shooting event at each of these feasts has a cost, needed to pay for the facility and clay targets. Remember we try to hold one or two events (either shooting or fishing) each month. Anyone interested in putting together an event or a hunting trip, get in contact with our Warden; Rod Maly 702-496-4017 rod@artencounter.com Rod will help with getting your event on the calendar and help in making sure everyone has a fun time, after all that's what this group is all about.....having fun.

FRATERNITY OF THE DESERT BIGHORN

**Annual Banquet
Saturday May 21st, 2016**

South Point Hotel & Casino

Doors Open at 5:00 p.m. - Dinner at 7:00 p.m.
*** Hosted Bar 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. ***



**DOOR PRIZE: Vortex Viper HD 10 x 50 Binocular AND
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Packages Available	Quantity	Amount	Total
Individual Dinner Ticket		\$80.00	
Dinner Package - Includes Two Dinner Tickets and \$40.00 in General Raffle Tickets - 2 Strips (10 Individual Tickets)		\$190.00	
Sponsor Package - Includes Two Dinner Tickets, and \$100.00 in General Raffle Tickets - 6 Strips (30 Individual Tickets)		\$240.00	
Table Package - 10 Seats - <i>Includes Sponsor Gun Drawing</i>		\$750.00	
*Please indicate number of children under 16 in your party			
General Raffle Tickets - \$20.00 Each	Strip of 5 Tickets	\$20.00	
	Strip of 30 Tickets	\$100.00	
<i>MUST BE PURCHASED by April 22nd - \$80.00 Strip of 30 Tickets</i>		\$80.00	
Banquet Gun Sponsor		\$400.00	
Joint FDB Family and Wild Sheep Foundation Membership		\$60.00	
FDB Annual membership (Includes Family)		\$25.00	
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OTTER CREEK RESERVOIR ICE OUT ... APRIL 29 RESULTS AND RECAP

Magdi Ghali was the honcho for this annual event and he sure did his part. He got all the details worked out for lodging at the Rockin R Ranch and set up the dinner for Saturday night, he handled the rules and the final weigh-in, he did everything a good honcho is tasked to do. He couldn't control the weather or the "catching" of the fish however. We had very windy, stormy conditions. Wind gusts of 30 mph plus so the boats were kept on shore, rain, sleet, fog and even some snow mixed in. I think we had 15 or 16 fishermen on the water and after 5 hours of fishing or the equivalent of 75 man hours.....only 5 fish were caught by 5 different fishermen. It was a tough day for the anglers but I still think everyone had a good time. Larry Cusimano banked 10 points for Angler of the Year, Ken Johnson was second and got 9 points, Magdi got 8 for 3rd place, Mark Gallear got 4th good for 7 points, Steve Carpenter was 5th for 6 points and all others got 5 points for trying.

A few stayed up to play poker on Saturday night. Ken Johnson was good for 2nd place in the poker game behind Brian Patterson and he would have had a good weekend placing 2nd in both events however his trip had a black cloud incident. He lost his college class ring sometime over the weekend, probably when he was handling that second place fish, his hands got in the cold water and the ring must have slipped off when he was cleaning the fish as you can see he has the ring at the weigh-in. A life long precious item was lost.



Top: Larry Cusimano with his 1st place fish, Ken Johnson with 2nd place.

Bottom: Steve Linder in snow flurries trying his best, Steve Carpenter bundled up but still trying.

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New Members: Jerry Gnade and Guy Martin

Welcome to the club make sure president Steve Linder gets you a new hat at lunch, invite a friend to join the club. If you see a new face at lunch say hi, introduce yourself and welcome the guys to the club. Invite them to one of our next shoots or outings.

Boy Scout Troop 130 and LVWW Club Join Forces

Boy Scouts and LVWW seems like such a natural fit. I, as so many I've spoken to on the topic, am surprised it hasn't happened sooner. The mutual goals of outdoor adventure and wildlife conservation show just how compatible each organization is with the other.

For those unfamiliar with Boy Scouts of America, here is a brief overview: The "Aims of Scouting." character development, citizenship training, and personal fitness. The following methods are utilized to achieve these aims: Ideals, Patrols, Outdoor Programs, Advancement, Association with Adults, Personal Growth, Leadership Development, and Uniform. BSA serves boys ages 6-21 (6-11 in Cub Scout Packs, ages 11-18 in Boy Scout Troops, and ages 14-21 in Venturing Crews which is co-ed). We currently have a Boy Scout Troop and Venturing Crew and are planning on developing a Cub Scout Pack very soon.

LVWW offers unbelievable opportunities for outdoor programs as the boys have already experienced in Ely and Sunnyside. The Woods and Waters Club members provide an amazing array of experience and personality for these young men to learn from. Watching the interaction at the most recent outings as well as at the Awards Banquet has shown that the opportunity to associate with families who share a love of all this country has to offer will be an asset in the development of a solid scouting program.

The club's event planning process will allow the patrol method of scouting to provide leadership development as the boys "honcho" events. Already, the troop is hoping to honcho a fishing derby and campout in July at the site of the ice fishing derby.

The vision for this union is to grow these young men into future members of the Las Vegas Woods and Waters Club – almost along the lines of how DeMolay transitions to Masons or how Columbian Squires transition to Knights of Columbus. Membership in the troop will require a fishing license. We hope to participate in at 4-6 LVWW events yearly. We plan to provide a LVWW membership to any Troop 130 Eagle Scout on his 18th birthday.

We truly hope that when LVWW members are looking for opportunities for their children to participate in a youth organization, they look to their own scouting program. We would also encourage the membership to jump in and provide any mentoring and leadership they feel they can provide. There are opportunities as involved as anyone wishes to be. A great way to start is as a Merit Badge Counselor. Merit Badges such as Rifle Shooting, Shotgun Shooting, Fishing, Camping, and Wilderness Survival are but a few (check www.meritbadge.org for a full list).

Thank you again, and I look forward to meeting all of you.

Yours in Scouting,
Bill "Papa Bear" Rochel'eau
Scoutmaster – Troop 130
Advisor – Crew 130

Want to be a scout? LVWW Boy Scout and Venturing Crew – Boys and Girls ages 11-21 welcome. Meet Thursdays from 6:30-8pm call Joe Luby at 702 290-9590 or scout master Bill Rochel'eau at 209 480-7835.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LVWW Marksman Angler Events

- May- Panguitch Lake UT Trout Fishing 21st
Honcho Rod Maly 227-0220
- June- Black Powder Shoot at CCSC 11th
Honcho Brian Patterson 705-2020
Silhouette Rifle Shoot at CCSC 18th
Honcho Don Turner 602 799-6466
- July- Ruby Mtn horse pack in fishing trip 25th
Honcho Danny Riddle
LVWW Texas Hold'em Poker event at CCSC
Honcho Mike Taylor



Contact Brian Patterson 702 715-2020

In the News/Coming Events

Clark County Advisory Board to Manage Wildlife
Next Meeting Tuesday May 10 5:30pm-9:00 pm at Government Center,
Pueblo rm 500 S Grand Central Pkwy.

NDOW's Tony Wasley will give LVWW a special open house meeting to discuss all things wildlife on May 9th at Charlie's Lakeside at 6:00pm. Please show up to provide your comments on wildlife issues. Contact Mike Reese with any questions prior to the event. Mike Reese 702 400-6501.

HellDorado Rodeo May 13-15 see special discount flyer for LVWW members.

May 21st Fraternity of the Desert Bighorn Banquet South Point Hotel & Casino 5:00pm

Marksman of the Year 2016 standings after 2 events

Mike Reese	17 pts
Richard Pabst	15 pts
Ralph Willits	14 pts
Alan Stone	14 pts
Joe Luby	13 pts

Angler of the Year 2016 standings after 3 events

Larry Cusimano	27 pts
Steve Linder	24 pts
Ralph Willits	21 pts
Brian Patterson	20 pts
Magdi Ghali	16 pts

**"I can be changed by what happens to me. But I refuse to be reduced by it."
Maya Angelou**

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“all we want to do is hunt, and fish and talk