



Newsletter February 2014

February Meeting on the 20th

The February meeting will be held on Thursday, February 20th at 7:30. The meeting will include the annual elections followed by a presentation by Warren Winders of the Southeastern Massachusetts Chapter of Trout

Unlimited. Warren will tell us about the Red Brook stream restoration project that the Chapter has led for many years.

Fly Tying March 4th

The monthly fly tying class will be on Tuesday, March 4th. The fun starts around 6:30 PM. Those who want to can kick in a

few dollars to share some pizza. This is a very fun evening - and everybody learns something too.

Dues for 2014

The annual dues will remain unchanged for 2014. Renewal rates are \$150/year for returning adult members and \$50/year for returning juniors. Junior Membership is for an individual between the ages of 14 and 17 who will not attain age 18 by October 1st of the billing year or until he or she ceases to be a full-time undergraduate student, whichever is later.

box or handed in at a monthly membership meeting.

You can mail your dues to

Needham Sportsman's Club
PO Box 920191
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Invoices were mailed at the end of December. Payment can be made by check or PayPal. Checks can be mailed to the club post office

You must pay your dues before you can fish in the club pond in 2014.

Elections 2014

It's time for the annual club election. The election will be at the February meeting. As usual all the officers are up for election. This year an unusually large number of seats on the board of directors will be elected. This is due to a departure, the way the terms are staggered, and because the Treasurer (Doug Donaldson) and Secretary (Bob Lynch) are giving up their seats on the board to allow more members to participate on the board.

Three board members will be elected for a two year term and 2 board members for a one year term.

This year's nominating committee was composed of Floyd Alwon, Phil Trotter, & Brad Voight. Thanks for handling this task.

The committee presented the following slate for all offices:

President: Mike Herman

Vice President: Bob Timmerman

Treasurer: Douglas Donaldson

Secretary: Bob Lynch

Board of Directors: Roland Johnson, Roy Swartz, Richard Marashlian, Phil Brown, Barry Levine.

Note: Paul McKechnie automatically takes a one-year seat as past president and Eric Rockwood has one-year left on his term as a director.

No other nominations were received from the membership.

New Lock

The new combination lock for the clubhouse will be installed on February 21st. All existing keys will no longer work after the lock is

installed. The combination will be distributed to renewing members. The plan is to change the combination every year.

Coming Events

Spring is around the corner! (we hope!). The board of directors has scheduled the spring events: Clean up day March 29th; Opening day April 5th.

Fishing Report

The water is kind of hard right now, but sooner or later it will thaw. When it does,

there will be some hungry trout waiting for you!

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