Greers Ferry Walleye Club May 2025 Newsletter





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Walleye Club
First Edition Newsletter

If you know someone who would like to receive our *GFWC* Monthly

Welcome to our Brand New Monthly Newsletter!

Each month we will be emailing our *GFWC* Monthly Newsletter with information on past and future events along with a Walleye Fishing Tip. Let us know what you think.

Newsletter, share this link with them. (They do not need to be a paid member to receive the Monthly Newsletter.)

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Offers, go to Our Preference Center.



In the month of April 2025 we had our GFWC Monthly Meeting on April 21 and our Catch for Cause II White/Hybrid Bass Tournament.

April 21, 2025 GFWC Monthly Meeting



Brad Skelton with <u>Cow Shoals Guide Service</u> shared his Walleye Fishing Techniques, especially in regard to using electronics. (Brad puts thousands of Walleyes in his boat each year.)

Paid members can access the April 21, 2025 Meeting Video.

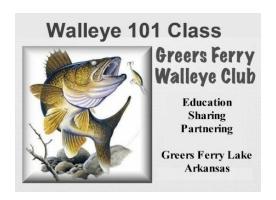
Results of April 26, 2025 White/Hybrid Bass Tournament



Our Catch For a Cause II White/Hybrid Tournament was a huge success thanks to Paul Francis who exceeded everyone's expectations; Four hundred Thirty (430) White Bass were harvested at 675 pounds, or on average 1.57lbs/fish; Three Hybrids were also harvested at about 7lbs apiece. The *Other Side* recovery ministry cleaned and prepared the fish which will be donated to local food banks; a total of 54 boats participated; folks with your help we are helping to balance our fishery.



We have some great Topics and Speakers in the next few months. Monthly Meetings are held at Fairfield Bay Conference Center, 110 Lost Creek Parkway, Fairfield Bay, AR.



May 17, 12pm-2pm

Walleye 101 Class at Lions Club in Fairfield Bay

GFWC Club Presidents Marty Sierocki and Jim Chitko, along with Vice-President John Savu will be sharing walleye rigging techniques that catch Walleye in Greers Ferry Lake. The class is full, with 18 folks signed up, but if there is more interest we may do it again.



GFWC Monthly Meeting, May 19, 6:30PM

Anthony Gangone Garmin West Coast Marine Area Manager

Besides Tony being the Garmin West Coast Marine Area Manager-Tony is one of only a few Garmin Elite Trainers.

Many of our members have the Garmin Live Sonar Live Scope and Tony will be able to answer your questions so write them down--he will also address Garmin's Fish Finders and Trolling motors.

Tony is really hard to get we requested him to come and talk to us almost 2-years ago. Come early for this seminar!



May 30-31

Greers Ferry Lake Fest

The club will have a tent at *Greers Lake Fest 2025* and we are inviting you to participate by signing up to take a slot of time to advertise what our club does; the dates are May 30. 12pm to 5pm and May 31 all day--we will have a signup sheet at the back tables at our May 19 *GFWC* members meeting.



GFWC Monthly Meeting, June 16, 6:30PM

Wayne Stewart-Catchin Crappie Guide Service

In June we will have Wayne Stewart wth <u>Catchin Crappie Guide Service</u> come and talk Crappie. Wayne is one of the best Trollers for Crappie in the USA--he can put out 25 rods and never tangle up and he catches some big slabs--you will want to come to this one for sure.



GFWC Monthly Meeting, July 28, 6:30PM

GFWC Members Share Their Walleye Skills

Take Note. This is a one-time change from the Third Monday in the month to the Fourth Monday of July. This will be an extremely helpful meeting as some of the *GFWC* Walleye Fishermen share what works for them to catch Walleyes.



GFWC Monthly Meeting, August 18, 6:30PM

Joe Chilton-AGFC Greers Ferry Lake Biologist

Joe will be sharing on Greers Ferry Lake Fish Survey Results and other information.



Well, it is Fishing, not Catching, but...This will help get a Walleye in the boat.

Fishing for Walleye in Greers Ferry Lake often requires slow presentations; use a 3oz bottom bouncer and attach a two-hook worm harness with a small spinner. Slow your troll to .5mph to .7mph and wait for the walleye to gently

bite many times. They do not strike but hang up. Use their weight to gently sweep your rod up to set the hook and reel in slowly.

Volunteers Needed

We have several openings for volunteers to help GFWC to continue being a successful fishing club

Event Director-Help plan upcoming GFWC events.

Marketing & Advertising Director-Help promote GFWC.

Membership Director-Listens to members needs and reports to the Board of Directors those needs and requirements.

Name Badge Volunteer-Manage membership name badges.

If interested contact Club President Marty Sierocki: 937-776-9528.



Boat Rescue Plan

One of the *Paid Membership Benefits* is paid members are able to take advantage of the *GFWC* Boat Rescue Plan. If they are on the lake and run out of fuel or need a jump they can contact specific Club Members who have volunteered (if they are available) to help out a stranded Club Member. (We could use more volunteers.)

Become a GFWC Paid Member

If you are not a *Greers Ferry Walleye Club* paid member you will be amazed at all the benefits that are available to *Greers Ferry Walleye* Club Paid Members at only \$20 a year (Calendar Year) per household.

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