

January 2018

# President's Report

Dear Members,

Happy 2018 and welcome to our icy cold, but beautiful Winter Wonderland!

It's time to come in from the cold and attend our kick-off event, "The Leap Into 2018 Fiesta" on Thursday, February 22nd at 4:30 pm. We will have a taco bar, chili and desserts., also some fun with a piñata and sangria (nonalcoholic - but we'll supply white and red wine to add some spice). We need member help with condiments and desserts. Can you please call or email me (715-542-3658, cell: 847-567-0388, email: fglocher@gmail.com) to let me know if you'll be attending and what you'll bring - or you can reply to this email.

We're also kicking off our Club Community Projects on March 15th with the Birdhouse project with the Science Club of St. Germain Elementary School. Anne Small is coordinating this project and needs member help beforehand with sawing and pre-drilling parts, as well as on the 15th. You can contact her at: 715-614-3711 or email her at: smallanne76@gmail.com with questions and details.

The second project will be the Junior Angler Program on May 17th. Once again, contact Anne as to how you can help out. We really need members to encourage our local youth in their burgeoning interest in nature, the environment, wildlife and community activism. What a magnificent way to share all that you've learned over the years up here in the Northwoods!

Our thoughts should go out to those who have suffered through hurricanes, fires, "The Bomb Cyclone", super snowfalls and now the devastating California mudslides.

Stay Wild and Warm, but be sure share some of your time with your Club,

*Laura Locher*



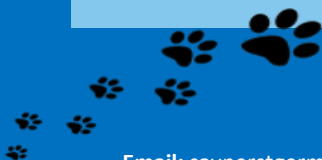
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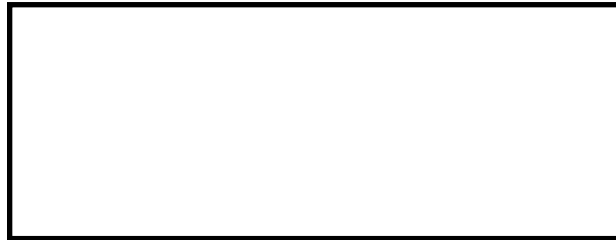
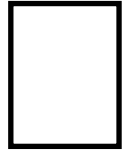
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# Paw Prints



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# Frank's Fishing Report



-Jan 6, 2018

When I woke up this morning, it was -18 degrees. It is now -11. This is the coldest part of the year. Being cold blooded, the fish are going to be inactive. Slowing your presentation and down sizing will help you catch fish.

Not many people have been out, so the reports are slow coming. Most people are out riding around looking at the lakes and are not getting out of the car. As the weather warms up later this month, fish activity will pick up. Remember speed, size and finally, color, will increase your catches.

*Frank Klamik*

## CLUB PLEDGE

- ✓ I pledge to protect and conserve the natural resources of the state of Wisconsin—especially of the Sayner-St. Germain area.
- ✓ I promise to obey all rules and regulations governing the harvest of wildlife and plants.
- ✓ I promise to educate future generations so they may become caretakers of our water, air, land and wildlife.