

July 1, 2002

Bear Lake Fishermen Extraordinaire,

It's time to get down to the details of our trip. Our departure this year will be from Mike's home in Gaylord; however a few of the group will meet in Flint as usual. Dorothy does not have room for parking except for perhaps one vehicle. The Kline's have elected to go straight to Antlers. We would like to be at Mike's place around 12:30 PM; this should allow time to repack our gear and still beat the crowd to the Antlers.

ASSIGNMENTS:

Mike Goodrich	Breakfasts (two large camp breakfasts)
Bob Taylor	Soft drinks and one frozen gallon of milk
Jim Perrine	Fixin's for one dinner, one frozen gallon of milk
Dave Borchelt	Beer (one extra cooler), chicken, one frozen gallon of milk, charcoal, lighter fluid
Dave Morrison	Steaks, charcoal, lighter fluid, one frozen gallon of milk
Garland Hutto	Fixin's for two dinners, 1 full dinner of your choice (see below)
Tom Kline	Fixin's for one dinner (see below).
Scott Borchelt	Fixin's for one dinner w/Todd, two frozen gallons of milk
Todd Swenson	Fixin's for one dinner w/Scott, two frozen gallons of milk

Planner	Day	Main Course
GarlandH	Saturday	Grilled Chicken
ScottB & ToddS	Sunday	Fish
DaveB	Monday	Steaks
GarlandH	Tuesday	Fish
TomK	Wednesday	Fish
GarlandH	Thursday	Garland's Guess
JimP	Friday	Fish

As usual, everyone is responsible for their own lunches. However, this year we are asking everyone to bring their own cereal and breakfast juice. Please note we will have only two large camp breakfasts because most of the time we grab a bite and head for the boats. We can place an order for night crawlers; send Scott or myself a note if you want an order. A flat should be enough for two or three people. If you have any questions or comments leave them in the web site or give me a call 847-949-4545.

Wishing you tight lines and firm hook-ups,

David

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Fine fisherman of folklore and fable,

My father and I penned the first page of the Newsletter when I was visiting Chicago this past weekend. I wanted to add a few comments, reminders and You-Shall-Not-Forget.

- Due to last year's success of our \$10 limit at the Antlers, the kitty has asked that we ratify this rule for 2002. The Kitty buys \$10 worth of dinner. Anything over that amount requires you kick-in the balance.
- Make sure you have a valid driver's license for crossing the border into Canada and back to the US. This will be an interesting year for the border crossing.
- Let's not carry any extra beer or bottles packed in the gear. We always purchase enough beer for 1 case per person. We get screwed at the border when others pack more cases in coolers unaccounted for. We want to slip through the border like a B-17 through Iraqi air defenses. We will stop at that double-wide outside of the Soo to stock up on extras.
- Due to the success of ordering crawlers from Bear Lake Wilderness Camp, we will place another order for this year. They cost \$35 - \$37 per flat. I see it breaking out like this:

Klines	1 flat
ScottB & DaveB	1 flat
MikeG & JimP	1 flat
Morrisons	1 flat
JackH, ToddS & the Huttos	1 flat

Remember, we can always order more crawlers mid-week if we are getting low. Bill & Kim's crawlers have always been fat and lively. Sure beats dragging them up from Mighigan.

- I'll ask Jack to update us about this years Tonya Harding Cup rules and requirements... I want everyone fully informed of any new bylaw's, conditions and requiems, like vaccinations, papers and or fitness requirements for this years tourney.
- It looks doubtful that Jeff Munday and his crew will be joining us on Friday evening before we leave camp. The cabin is booked during the week we are at Bear Lake so they won't be coming in early. This will also make it interesting on some of the back lakes if Howard's guests are back lake fisherman.
- I haven't heard if Mad Dog is planning on being up on Bear Lake during our visit. He is currently out of the country. I'll try to find out more when he returns.
- Howard is no longer serving food at the Lang Lake Lodge. If we want breakfast on Saturday AM, we'll have to stop at Roger Rabbit or whatever the heck UpChuck called that place in Espanola.
- I'll be in touch with the "kids" to see where we want to head for our overnight...
- Is the Tanya Harding Cup engraved and accounted for?
- T-shirts cost \$20 bucks. I'll be collecting when I pass them out in Gaylord.

I want to pass along great thanks to the sponsors of Burntcabin.org for 2002. Thank you DaveB, NickK, LarryC and TomK for your contributions. It's greatly appreciated.

My phone number is 248-765-9550, my email address is sky@voyager.net.

Visit the Grapevine at <http://burntcabin.org/vbpro/htdocs/grapevine/entries.html> to leave your comments about this year's trip.

Scott the Fisherman