

Region Seven Officers  
Director: Craig Owens  
Interim Tourn. Dir: Kevin Massie  
Secretary/Treasurer: Susan Owens  
Youth Directors: ~~Victor Spence~~



Minutes of the January 17, 2024, President's meeting  
7:00pm at The Glass Baron

Call meeting to Order – Craig called the meeting to order at 7:05pm  
Roll Call – All clubs represented.

Craig thanked Janet and Ivan Morris for allowing us to use the Glass Baron building for our meetings.

Presentation of Top 2023 Awards:

Plaques were presented to Chris Napier and Mike Hildenbrandt for Top Anglers of the Year, and a plaque and check for Lunker of the Year to Chris Pike (Dennis Cook accepting)

Last Meeting Minutes – Motioned, seconded and approved.  
Treasurer's Report – Motioned, seconded and approved.

BASS Nation of Virginia Business:

The tournament format proposals voted on. Region 7 will vote for:  
3 tournaments with a "fish off"  
Pounds and ounces  
Fixed teams all the way including nationals and/or regional qualifiers  
Must fish 2 of 3 tournaments with only 1 tournament allowed alone  
Anyone fishing all 3 qualifies for fish off, or

4 tournaments with a drop, point system  
Fixed teams all the way including nationals and/or regional qualifiers  
Can fish 2 tournaments alone

Team Trail contract(which has not yet been received), if agreed to and executed upon Board approval, will track finishes by point system. Top team earns a berth in the Team Trail Championship held every year in December.

Tournament #1 on Smith Mountain – March 16/17  
Tournament #2 on Kerr – April 20/21  
Tournament #3 on Chick – Sept 28/29  
Tournament #4 on Gaston – Oct 26/27

Old Business: 2024 Region Schedule

March 2, Gaston out of Holly Grove  
April 27, Chickahominy out of Rt 5 Riverfront  
May 18, Pasquotank River out of Waterfront  
June 15, Munden Point or Bob's Fishing Hole

New Business:

Election of Officers

There being no nominations, Craig and Susan agreed to remain as Director and Secretary/Treasurer.

Tournament Report:

None

Next meeting:

Next meeting for preregistration for the Gaston Saturday, March 2<sup>nd</sup> out of Holly Grove Marina

Round the Room Comments:

Back Bay – Good

Bassholes – Good

Great Bridge – Good

Little Creek – Good

SEVA – Good.

Virginia – Good

Motion to adjourn by Little Creek, seconded by Back Bay. Meeting adjourned at 8:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Susan Owens, Secretary/Treasurer