

## **Members Only Fishing Contest 2024 sponsored by LAX Reproductions 02/20/2024**

Please register your catches of legally caught muskies, 30" and above, in the "Lunge Log" online at muskiesinc.org as soon as you can so we can keep the MOFC current as possible.

If you don't have online access, "Entry forms" can be requested at the address below.

January 3, 2025 deadline for registering fish for 2024 MOFC and Lunker of the Month to get awards ready for Chapter's Banquet.

All muskies under 30" caught by Junior Division fisher people count for the chapters contest.

Email the chairman the size and date of the catch and release with in 30 days, or send an entry form to:

1st WI Chapter of Muskies Inc.

P.O. Box 122

Chippewa Falls, WI 54729

Certificates for Individual Fish are available from the MOFC chairman

Paul Gottwald MOFC chairman

[pjgecwi@gmail.com](mailto:pjgecwi@gmail.com)

715-271-6652call/text

Good Luck in the coming season!

Practice catch & release.

## **Rules for the Chapter MOFC and Lunker of the Month (LotM)**

**In conjunction with National rules that are used for the National MOFC and LotM and describe membership qualifications.**

[https://muskiesinc.org/indy\\_files/pandp/documentation/MOFC%20and%20Lunge%20Log%20Policy%202-12-2020.pdf](https://muskiesinc.org/indy_files/pandp/documentation/MOFC%20and%20Lunge%20Log%20Policy%202-12-2020.pdf)

1- The contest is "Honor" reporting. It is intended for a fun competition for "Bragging Rights" among our Chapter members. Please be truth full in your reporting.

Any claims of angler dishonesty should go thru the National Lunge Log chairman.

2- Released muskies are eligible. **Kept fish will go on the Lunge Log and your fish list but are NOT** eligible for the MOFC and LotM. Season is determined by location of catch.

Muskies under the location size limit **MUST** be released. Muskies 30” or longer are eligible.

Junior division chapter members are encouraged to report shorter muskie to chapter MOFC chairman to be eligible for the chapter contest. 4 points will be recorded for each muskie 30”or shorter. but, will not accumulate on Junior members All Fish List on the Lunge Log.

3- Muskies **CANNOT** be “guesstimated” for length measurements. Use of measuring device is mandatory. Points for individual fish are rounded up at ½”. National “Lunker of the Month” and replica mounts, Biggest Fish awards require a witnessed measurement. If you think your fish is in the running for a National award or prize, **PLEASE HAVE A WITNESS.** \*\*\*To enter a witnessed fish please download and print an entry form from the Muskie Inc. website on the Lunge Log Entry page. Have witness sign it and either mail to the mailing address in the upper left hand corner or scan and email to the email address in the upper left hand corner.\*\*\*

4- In order to be eligible in our chapter MOFC and Lunker of the Month, muskie must be **COMPLETELY** and officially registered on-line in the Lunge Log within 30 days of catch. Mailed-in **COMPLETE** paper entries must be post marked within 20 days of release and sent to Chapters PO Box or within 30 days to

**Lunge Log Administer**

**PO Box 1509**

**Waukesha, WI**

**53187-1509**

to be eligible for our chapter MOFC and Lunker of the Month award.

5- At the end of the year the winner of the Mens and Womens Division (min. of 15 registrations for the season)

will be put in the Mens Masters and Womens Masters Division subsequent years in our chapter MOFC. At 250 registered fish the angler is promoted to the Mens Masters and 100 registered fish for Womens Masters Divisions of the Lunge Log the following season.

6- Juniors Division will be split into 2 subdivisions being:  
Fry- 12 years old and under (age as of January 1 of year).  
Fingerling- 13-17 years old (age as of January 1 of year).

7- Total Points only will determine ranking.

The chapter will issue a certificate to the angler recognizing the total number of muskies registered that year. The angler may obtain a certificate recognizing an individual muskie registered by contacting the chapter MOFC chairman. The Chapter will give Patches for the milestones of the angler's first 50" Muskie and joining the Century Club. Patches to recognize individual released muskie, additional 50" Muskie and stars, 1 Century Club and bars can be purchased at the merchandise table.