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Captain Walt's Log

2010 Sport Show Schedule

Winter always means that outdoor activities reduce due to the weather and indoor activities increase. One of my favorite winter indoor activities is attending outdoor shows. They are a great place to meet other outdoor enthusiasts, compare notes, get new ideas and make plans for the upcoming season. Here are some of my favorite shows in the local area.

January 15 th -24 th	Milwaukee Boat Show	State Fair Park, West Allis, WI	showspan.com/MBS/Home.aspx
January 27 th -31 st	America's Outdoor Show	Rosemont Convention Center; Rosemont, IL	americasoutdoorshow.com
February 26 th -28 th	Madison Fishing Expo	Alliant Center, Madison, WI	madisonexpo.com
March 10 th -14 th	Milwaukee Journal Sentinel Show	State Fair Park, West Allis, WI	jonline.com/sportshow
March 27 th -28 th	McHenry Great Outdoor Expo	Woodstock North HS, Woodstock, IL	greatoutdoorsexpo.net

Fox Chain O' Lakes Walleye Update

Many clients wanted to fish for walleyes on the Fox Chain last year. As you can see from the pictures below, they caught walleyes from April through October. We used a variety of techniques including trolling crank baits and rigging and jigging with live bait. My favorite technique is the famous Fox Chain Double Rig, which caught a lot of walleyes last year.

Walleyes are plentiful on the Fox Chain and they are protected with a slot limit. The minimum keeper size is 14" long. You may keep three fish in the 14-18 inch range. The protected slot is 18-24". All fish of that size must be immediately released. Most of those fish are the prime female spawners, and are the future of walleye fishing on the Fox Chain O' Lakes. You may also keep one walleye over 24" long. Most of our customers release their fish, and all the slot fish shown below were released right after we took the photo.

Chain O' Lakes Walleyes - 2009



April 9th | 21.5" 3 lbs. 3 oz.



April 17th | 15-17"



April 24th | 15"-17"



July 3rd | 15"



July 17th | 21.5" 3 lbs.



July 29th | 17"



August 7th | 15"



October 13th | 18.5"

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Thanks for the feedback!