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Cast Away Anglers Meeting Minutes of July 5, 2016

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Welcome visitors and new members!

The financial report of July 1, 2016, was submitted by Fred Fiedler. A motion was made to accept said report; that motion was seconded and approved.

A motion was made to accept the minutes from the June 2016 meeting; that motion was seconded and approved.

There being no guest speaker on this date, Club President Bob Preston took the opportunity to review all past guest speakers and solicit suggestions from the floor. Some ideas included: fresh water fishing, identifying the most commonly caught species in our area, how to filet fish, navigation and piloting, trolling and chumming, shark fishing.

Freedom Boat Club representative, Raffa Russo, took the floor and offered information on membership in FBC: the locations, types of boats, membership costs, and more.

Fish Tales: Chuck Bates is just back from Alaska where he caught king salmon. Despite the heat here locally, some of our members got out and caught a few, including Jay Rosenblum, who caught a tarpon.

Freedom Boat Club Charter: Greg Franczyk reports that there will be a four-man charter in July. The date and time will be determined by the tides to ensure an optimum catch. Please call Greg at [630-258-0434](tel:630-258-0434) to sign up. \$80 covers all costs.

The next quarterly dinner will be held at Islamorada Restaurant next to Bass Pro Shop in Brandon on September 29 at 5:30.

The Skyway Pier Tournament will be held on Wed, November 16th, from 8:00 a.m. to about noon.

Raffles: A \$5 gift card from The Dog House was won by Jim Hawke. A \$10 gift card to Miller's Ale House was won by Harlon Kinney. A 10-gallon portable fuel tank, donated by Mike Schiro, was won by Jay Rosenblum, who has no boat, so the tank ended up with Chuck Bates, who does have a boat. The 50/50 of \$95 was won by Bill Gross

The next meeting will be held on August 2nd. The guest speaker will be Manley Fuller, President of the Florida Wildlife Federation.

Pam Tebbetts
Club Secretary