



# God's Country Muskie's Inc.



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## XMAS PARTY AT THE LEGION THIS TUESDAY THE 14TH

It's Christmas time! Make plans to come out and spread some Holiday cheer at our Xmas party Tuesday, December 14th, at the Legion starting at 6:00 pm.

We'll have a social, a short meeting, dinner and a fun gift swap.

Members, spouses, and kids are welcome, but we need to have a reasonable headcount so our chapter chef, Dean, can plan how much food to make. Please contact him at 608-498-1011 and let him know how many,

including kids, will attend.

Ham will be the main course for dinner, with Dean preparing other sides to go with it. Beverages will be provided also. He does a great job. Again please call him if you plan to attend.

Afterward, we'll be doing a different gift swap game this year. Plan to bring a wrapped gift with a \$10-15 value. We played this game at the Mazzone's for Halloween and had a blast!

With this being the last meeting of the year, we also need to

elect our officers for 2011. If you would like to hold an officer position, plan to attend or contact me with your intentions if you can't.

It was a good year for God's Country. We again helped our local area with community service, donations, and fisheries improvement, as well as adding some local businesses as partners of our club.

2011 is looking to be an exciting year. It would be great to have you be a part of it. Happy Holidays and see you on the 14th!

## MORE E MAIL ADDRESSES NEEDED

As we continue to bring new members into our chapter, it's important that if you have web access, that you send me your Email address.

We currently have about 80% of our

club receiving the newsletter via the net. I will continue to send hard-copy issues to those that don't, but it's a great money saver to keep these to a minimum.

Also, if you

know of people who might be interested in our club, feel free to tell them we can send them our newsletter too.

Thanks for your help on this communication issue!

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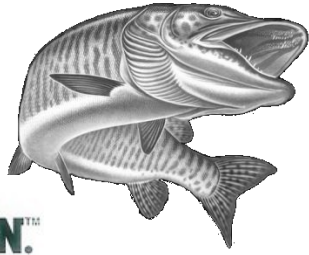
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## GOD'S COUNTRY ADDS NEW PARTNERS!

God's Country welcomes in 2 new business partners. Welcome to Bob's Bait and Tackle, and Ace Sportland. These 2 generous businesses have been long time donors and have graciously offered all members a 10% discount to their businesses. Their websites will be added to our Lacrosse muskies web link. Discount cards to those businesses will be distributed soon.

We've also extended invitations to Bob's Lock and safe, and the Skeeter Boat Center of Chippewa Falls to be chapter partners. These businesses have also been very generous to us in the past and this is a way to show our appreciation. Please consider patronizing these businesses when making your purchases!

## CHAPTER NEWSBITS

If you're interested in a God's Country chapter jacket, or any other logo embroidered clothes, please contact an officer and we'll get you the details on how to get one.

We are looking into sponsoring a local serviceperson for next years Operation Muskie event at Baystore camp on LOW. Check out their website at; [operationmuskie.com](http://operationmuskie.com) to get the details on this great program.

The donor letters should be available at the Xmas party. If you plan on getting donations this year, I'll get you the letters. We'll have a banquet prep meeting shortly after the start of the New Year.

Dean Tremble is looking for someone to share a week on the Chippewa Flowage. He has 3 weeks planned, July 2-9, August 6-13, and September 10-17 at Indian Trails Resort. You can fish out of his boat, or bring your own. Contact him at [deantre@hotmail.com](mailto:deantre@hotmail.com) or 608-269-4855 if interested.

Mark your calendars for the weekend of June 24th-26th, 2011. Central Wisconsin will be hosting the Kleeba challenge that weekend on the Holcombe Flowage. We'll plan to have our 1st outing coincide with that event. We need to defend the trophy!

Have a happy and safe Holiday season!

## TONY GRANT TO HELP EASE CABIN FEVER

God's Country will welcome Cave Run guide Tony Grant to LaCrosse on Friday, January 28th. The seminar will start around 7:00 pm with location and subject to be determined.

Tony is a long time guide on Cave Run in Kentucky, and now spends part of his year also guiding various Minnesota, and

Wisconsin waters. He and Gregg Thomas also travel the US teaching fishing technique through their Musky Road Rules schools and clinics.

More details will follow as the event nears, but we'll be planning to have a chapter social after the seminar.

Mark your calendars!





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**XMAS PARTY AND OFFICER ELECTIONS....DEC. 14th**