

A Tradition of Fishin!!

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GWA – 2022

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GWA Lands Additional Sponsor

Three Lakes, WI Giggling like a schoolgirl who just got a valentine from her secret crush, GWA Organizer Buck Tailspinner pounded the bar at Clayton's 1881 in downtown Three Lakes on Friday exclaiming, "This is great news!"

Tailspinner's outburst prompted the crowd of three to hoist their drinks and whoop in unison at the impending bombshell.

"For the last 22 years, Leinenkugel's has been the greatest sponsor ever," began Tailspinner, pausing to take a sip of his Leinie's Toasted Bock. "And they will continue to be going forward. But, after all these years, finally a second sponsor has stepped up to the plate!"

With that, Tailspinner revealed that Cameron's Coffee would be the official coffee sponsor for GWA-2022. Explained Tailspinner, "It seems that Puck's daughter Hannah just landed a job with Cameron's, and GWA now has access to unlimited java!"

"We're all getting older and having a little extra coffee to get our butts and our

bowels moving in the morning will be a good thing," assessed Leinie's Guy Dale "Puck" Johnson.

"I've always liked Cameron's coffee and I'll like it even better if it's free," chipped in Leinie's Guy Keet Moericke.

"I'll bring the Bailey's," added Leinie's Guy and recently converted coffee drinker JJ Henry.

"God bless America, it's about time," added Leinie's Guy Jackson Alters. "I don't really drink coffee, but if it's free I'll start."



Leinie's Guys enjoying morning coffee while Geno plays pocket pool.

"Yep, yep, yep that's good coffee," added Leinie's Guy Deano Radke.

Ask a Leinie's Guy...

Once again, the Leinie's Guy scratches the bottom of his mail sack to answer queries from one of his many admirers.

Q. Hey Leinie's Guy, after all these years, how can GWA possibly get any better?

-Wondering in Wausau

LG Well there, Wonderbread, before we get massively overserved in our superlatives, let's crack open an ice-cold Leinie's Northwoods Amber. Ahhh, there, that's better.

Now then, how can GWA get any better? Well, if you read the front page, you know that we've now got an official coffee sponsor for starters. How cool is that!

And Lard claims to be in the market for a new/newer boat...hell, he's gone all the way to California looking for one.

As Mikey Bishop likes to say, GWA is the greatest fish camp ever, but with the Leinie's Guys constantly on the prowl for new and better gear, gizmos, grub, and gazongas it just somehow keeps setting the bar higher every year. It's a force of nature, I guess.

Now, somebody bring me another Northwoods. I'm parched.



Puck and Jackson staying cool and noodling on future GWA enhancements.

Campfire Chat Series Revealed

Wausau, WI Campfire Chat Series Chairman, Joe 'JJ' Henry on Thursday revealed the line-up for the GWA-2022 campfire chat series. "I think that this is the earliest we've ever had the Campfire Chats booked," stated Henry, speaking during an extended happy hour from his residence in Wausau. "You can tell that all of the guys were really passionate about their topics so it was easy for them to commit right away."

"It's gonna special...38 Special!" slurred Henry.

Thursday, May 12th Opening ceremonies. Review of GWA-2021, fireworks, camp orientation, and cocktails. Tick check.

Friday, May 13th

JJ Henry kicks things off with a presentation titled "Jen,Jen,Jen" in which he does an in depth analysis of a day in the life of Jennifer Aniston.

Explained Henry, "Based on all of the media coverage of her, I know that the guys are hungry for details of what makes Jen tick...like, what's she wearing, how many dogs does she have, how does she decide on her hair style, what makes her nipples erect, does she handle leeches or not...you know, just everything."

Saturday, May 14th and Sunday May 15th

GWA 2021 Co-Anglers of the Year Jackson Alters and Lard Krueger team up for a special two-part presentation on the Royal Family.

Lard stated, "Everybody knows how much Jackson and I get into all things Royal, so this will just bring everyone up

Campfire Chat Series (Cont...)

to speed.” Krueger has been researching his portion of the presentation by visiting Prince Harry and Megan Markel in California.



Lard on Royal watch assignment in Los Angeles.

For his part, Jackson will be focusing on Royal Family fashion, particularly the queen’s hats and Camilla’s shoes.

Should be an absolutely ripping weekend at the campfire.

Monday, May 16th

Puck Johnson offers up a reenactment of the recent Superbowl halftime show complete with his impersonations of Snoop-dog, Dr. Dre and Mary J. Blige. Prepare to be entertained.

Tuesday, May 17th

GWA charter member Dan “Keet” Moericke explains how crypto currency works and its applications for bait acquisition and breast augmentation. Subtitled ‘Crypto for Crawlers’ and ‘Bitcoin for Boobies’, the presentation will include cocktails.

Wednesday, May 18th

Leinie’s Guy Deano Radke presents “Life After Ellen”, a two hour power

point on how he plans to fill his weekday afternoons now that the Ellen DeGeneres show is going off the air. Radke’s presentation will include clips of his favorite Ellen moments over the past 20 years.

Radke notes that since he has the last 10 years of Ellen shows taped, he should be in pretty good shape.

Thursday, May 19th

Leinie’s Guy Mikey Bishop wraps up the Chat series with a Mexican travelogue and tips on dealing with police extortion while in Mexico. Cocktails will be served.

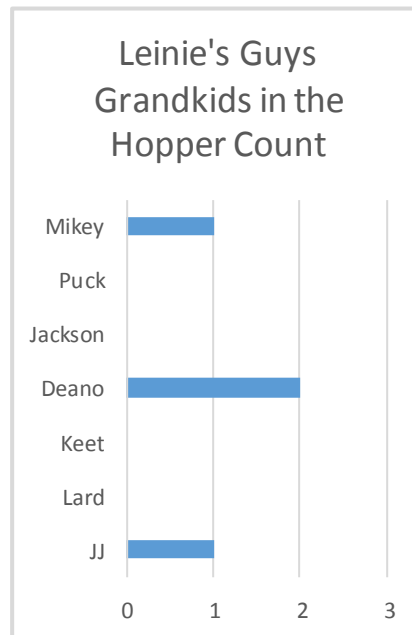
Friday, May 20th

Big-Ass Fish Fry

Saturday, May 21st

Closing ceremonies and awards presentations.

Leinie’s Guys at a Glance



Buck Shots...

Nothing like the warm thoughts of GWA on the horizon to keep you toasty on a frigid February night. Just 85 days away men!

Start thinking about what lakes need to see an assault from the Leinie's Guys.

Think about setting the hook on a bunch of big old crappies in 5' of water.

Think about one of Deano's pies fresh out of the oven.

Think about a cold cocktail beside a hot campfire.

Think about the 'tap' of a walleye on the end of the rod.

That's a lot of thinkin'! I'm spent!

- Buck

Buck Tailspinner
Editor

GWA-2022
May 12-22 at the Big Lake Campground
BE THERE!!!

