

Texas Chapter, American Fisheries Society  
Newsletter #17  
August, 1980

Our annual meeting is scheduled at the University of Texas at Arlington. Activities began on September 26th with registration in the lobby of the Life Science Building on Campus Drive. An evening social including a fish fry is planned on the 26th at Lake Arlington (picnic area at the west end of Arkansas Lane, see attached map).

TENTATIVE PROGRAM

1980 Annual Meeting  
Texas Chapter, American Fisheries Society  
University of Texas at Arlington  
September 26-27, 1980

Friday, September 26, 1980

7:30-9:00 p.m. Registration - Life Science Building

8:00 p.m. Evening social - Lake Arlington

Saturday, September 27, 1980

8:00 - 8:30 a.m. Registration - Life Science Building

8:30 - 8:45 Welcome

8:45 - 9:30 Business meeting

9:30 - 9:45 M. Millard  
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Fisheries Program  
in Texas

9:45 - 10:00 J. Davis  
Crayfish Culture in Texas

10:00 - 10:15 K. Johnson  
Fish Disease Control

10:15 - 10:30 Break

10:30 - 10:45 T.J. Cody, K.W. Rice and C.E. Bryan.  
Distribution & Gonadal Development of Adult Black  
Drum in the Gulf Waters of Central Texas

10:45 - 11:00 L.M. Green and H.E. Hegen  
Sharks in Texas Bays

11:00 - 11:15 G.L. Gibbard and R.L. Colura  
Retention and Movement of Magnetic Nose Tags in Juvenile  
Red Drum

11:15 - 11:30 G.C. Matlock and L.W. McEachron  
Migration of Spotted Seatrout Tagged in Bastrop Bayou  
Texas

11:30 - 11:45 C. Guest, J. Prentice, and D. Morris  
Blueback Herring Transportation Techniques

11:45 - 1:30 p.m. Lunch Break

1:30 - 1:45 B. Harvey, R.L. Noble, and I. Greenbaum  
Preliminary Results of an Electrophoretic Examination  
of Texas Largemouth Bass Stocks

1:45 - 2:00 D.H. Whitmore  
Multivariate Analysis of Hybridizing Bass (Micropterus)

2:00 - 2:15 C. Guest  
Comparison of Hatchery Water Temperatures & Overwinter  
Survival of Two Micropterus Basses

2:15 - 2:30	B. Bivings Variations in First Year Growth of Largemouth Bass in North Texas Farm Pond
2:30 - 2:45	C. Cichra and R.L. Noble Use of Summer Drawdown as a Fisheries Management Tool in Floodwater Retarding Structures
2:34 - 3:00	M.W. Pate Age and Growth of Flathead catfish in Rio Grande River, Texas
3:00 - 3:15	Break
3:15 -	Open Discussion Period

For those who wish to make overnight arrangements, reservations can be made at the following:

		<u>Single</u>	<u>Double</u>
Quality Inn Cibola	(817) 261-2300	\$32	\$38
Holiday Inn	261-3621	35	45
Day's Inn	649-8881	21	26
Ramada Inn	265-7711	37	51
Motel 6	649-1101	12	15

Membership dues for 1981 (\$5.00 for regular membership; \$3 for student) can be paid at the registration table. The Chapter would appreciate this early payment.

The following committee reports were received from committee chairmans.

Secretary-Treasurer - The Chapter has 120 members, this is similar to last year's membership. The current balance of the Texas Chapter bank account is \$175.40.

Awards Committee - Dr. Clark Hubbs indicates no nominations for Outstanding Fishery Workers for 1980 have been received. He encourages everyone to submit nominations as soon as possible. You still have until September 15th to nominate a deserving fishery worker for 1980. As stated in the last newsletter, nomination categories include Culture, Management, Research, Education, and Special Non-member or Member. Any member can recommend an individual for the award of "Outstanding Fishery Worker of Texas for 1980," but the recipient must be a member of the Texas Chapter, AFS except in the Special Award Category (Attached). Anyone desiring further information and nominating forms should contact: Clark Hubbs, Department of Zoology, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, Texas, 78712. Please take time now and nominate a deserving fishery worker.

Nominating Committee - Nick Carter reported the committee has selected nominees for President-Elect and Secretary-Treasurer. These positions will be voted on during the business meeting.

Farm Pond Management Committee - Gary Valentine reported the fish pond stocking and management policy committee has convened twice this year. We will go to the September meeting with a draft of stocking and management recommendations which will be given to meeting registrants. A formal presentation will be made during the meeting to explain the committee's work and the anticipated utility of the recommendations. As a matter of new business, the membership should be prepared to vote on acceptance of the recommendations and future activities of the committee.

Publicity Committee - Clell Guest reported the publicity committee is presently putting together a mailing list so flyers can be sent publicizing the upcoming annual meeting.

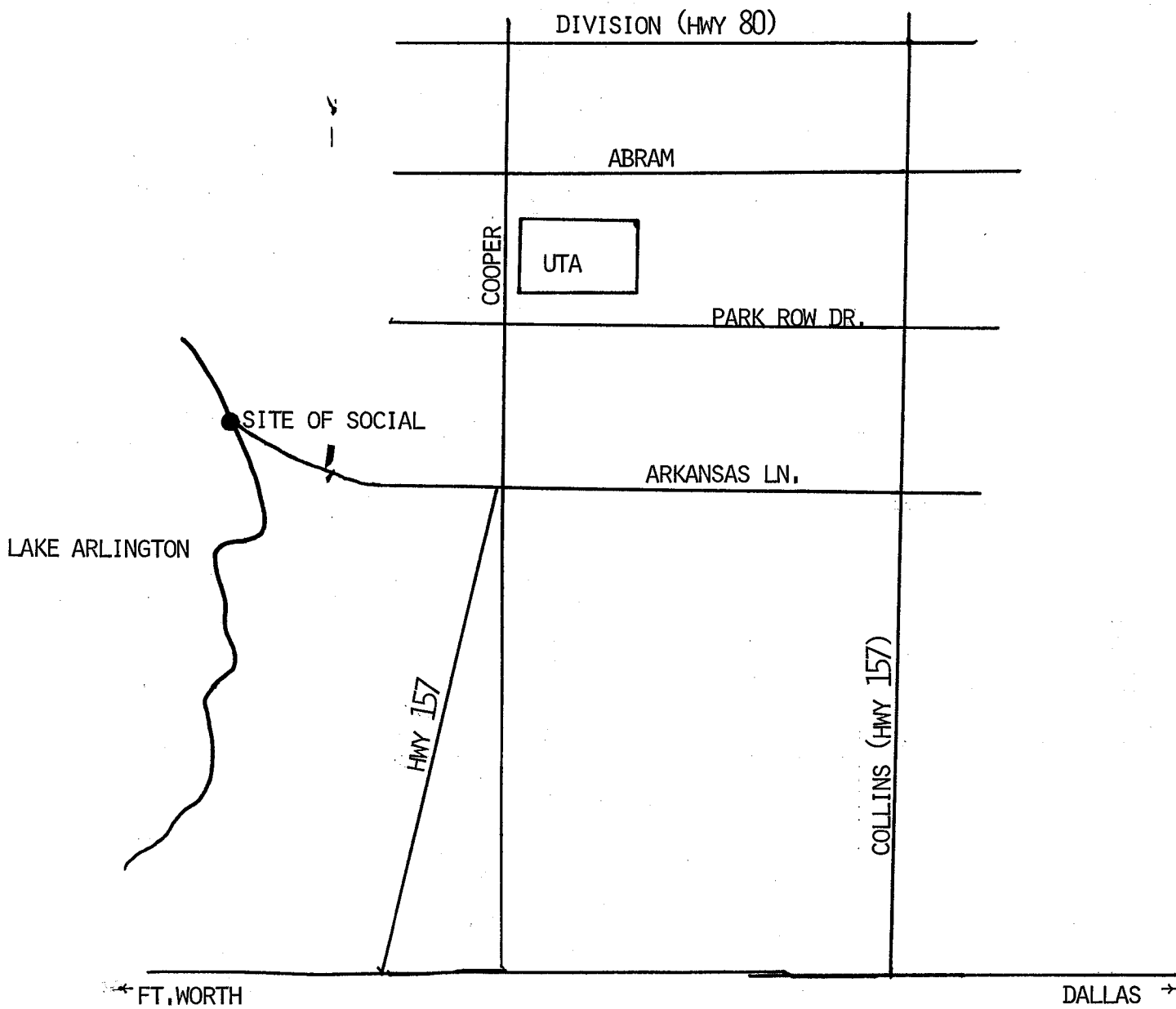
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APPLICATION AND RENEWAL FOR MEMBERSHIP TEXAS CHAPTER-AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY

I hereby apply for membership in the Texas Chapter of the American Fisheries Society and am enclosing a check (payable to Texas Chapter-AFS) for annual dues.

check one:  Regular Membership (\$5 dues)  Student Membership (\$3 dues)  
School: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

PRINT OR TYPE NAME \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Send with your check to Allen Forshage.  
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HONOR AWARDS NOMINATION - OUTSTANDING FISHERIES WORKER - 1980

NOMINEE (MR., DR., MRS., OR MISS AS IT SHOULD APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE OR PLAQUE.)

NOMINATED BY:

CURRENT POSITION OF NOMINEE

OFFICIAL HEADQUARTERS (CITY AND STATE)

NOMINATION CATEGORY: CULTURE ( ) MANAGEMENT ( ) RESEARCH ( )  
 EDUCATION ( ) SPECIAL NON-MEMBER OR MEMBER ( )

BASIS FOR NOMINATIONS (WHY THIS PERSON DESERVES THE AWARD).

SYNOPSIS OF EMPLOYMENT IN FISHERIES, RELATED AREAS, EDUCATION, AWARDS OR HONORS RECEIVED, PUBLICATIONS, OR ANY OTHER INFORMATION RELATED TO NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENTS. (NOT REQUIRED FOR NOMINATION, BUT THIS INFORMATION COULD BE HELPFUL).

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