

Great Lakes Sport Fishermen Foundation Milwaukee Chapter P.O. Box 510332 New Berlin, WI 53151-0332

The Milwaukee Great Lakes Sport Fishermen will be having our 41st Annual Al Kretschmer / GLSF Charity Sportsman's Auction & Raffle, on March 23rd 2019. Our 2018 auction was again a tremendous success in great part due to the support of our sponsors. The funds that are raised are used to promote and maintain the Great Lakes Salmon and Trout fishery and we need your support to continue our projects and support the other organizations also working to improve the fishery. We partnered up with Make-A-Wish®Wisconsin, and wrote them a check for \$1800 from the 2017 Auction & \$2000 from the 2018 Auction. For 2019 we will be working to sponsor a child with "Hunt of a Lifetime" Wisconsin chapter. A non-profit 501 (c)(3)organization granting Hunting & Fishing dreams for children age 21 and under, who have been diagnosed with life threatening illnesses. With your support we can help make a difference in their life, a Dream Come True.

Our past donations include:

- \$2,000 donation to the WI DNR Fish Hatchery at Kettle Moraine Springs to help purchase a needed dissolved gas meter for the hatchery
- Two kids fishing clinics in 2015 that included equipment, food and services
- Purchasing net pens used by the Wisconsin DNR for planting Chinook Salmon
- A donation of 2 pair of night vision binoculars to the WI DNR to apprehend violators
- A donation to the UWM Research Center to support their Lake Michigan perch study
- A \$5,000 donation to the DNR Kettle Moraine Fish Hatchery for a back-up generator
- A \$1,400 Donation to the DNR Kettle Moraine Fish Hatchery for a steam pressure washer
- A \$5,000 donation to help replace the fish grinder at Milwaukee's McKinley Marina
- A \$2,000 donation to Fishing Has No Boundaries

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The GLSF Foundation is a non-profit 501(c)(3) status (EIN-- 46-1246984). Corporate donations of merchandise, gift certificates, cash and discontinued merchandise are vital to our auction! It's a great opportunity to market new products and we make sure our donors are well mentioned throughout the auction. We again expect attendance to approach 500 people.

As our auction has grown, so has the variety of items available. In addition to equipment for the Great Lakes, we offer inland fishing equipment, boating accessories, hunting equipment, home accessories, gift certificates and more.

We would very much appreciate your support in helping maintain and promote the Milwaukee Great Lake Fishery. You may send your donations to, Ron Mickinak at 704 Glendon Way, Waukesha, WI 53188. Should you require any additional information or need to arrange pick up, please call Ron at 262-337-2225. Please have donations in by March 8, 2019

Thank you for your support.

Ron Mickinak - Auction Chairman