

CLUB APPLICATION



1. Name of School:

Lakeland High School

2. Grade band:

9-12 - potentially 6-12

3. Name of your club:

Bass Fishing Club

4. Name of the person submitting this application:

Dwain Scruggs - Retired Community Member

5. Name of student leader for the club:

N/A

6. Name of staff supervisor/advisor:

Community volunteer - Dwain Scruggs with Dustin Frank and potentially Harrison Bertsch a

7. What is the purpose of the club?

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Mission

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Vision

Our vision is to inspire students to grow as responsible leaders and environmental stewards on and off the water, connecting our school with the great outdoors.

9. To which class is this club aligned?

Science -

a. Which State Standards would be met through participation in this club?

Goals

Recruit all interested and eligible Lakeland High School students of all grade levels with various academic performances to participate in the club.

Meet once a week during the school year.

Graduate 100% of active club members.

Teach angling basics; equipment (rods, reels, line, lures, maps, etc.), fishing line, line selection, line spooling, knot tying, etc.

Conduct labs (classroom and outdoors) involving angling basics.

Introduce Bass boats; types, operation, maintenance, boating safety.

Introduce competitive Bass fishing.

Provide opportunities for students to connect to the fishing community.

Develop connections and relationships in the local community to increase awareness of the

club and its mission.

Provide opportunities for students to demonstrate mastery of fishing knowledge/skills.

- o Trivia games

- o Casting contests

- o Club fishing competitions

10. How often will you meet?

Meet once a week during the school year.

11. Where will the meetings take place?

Lakeland High School - Room #6

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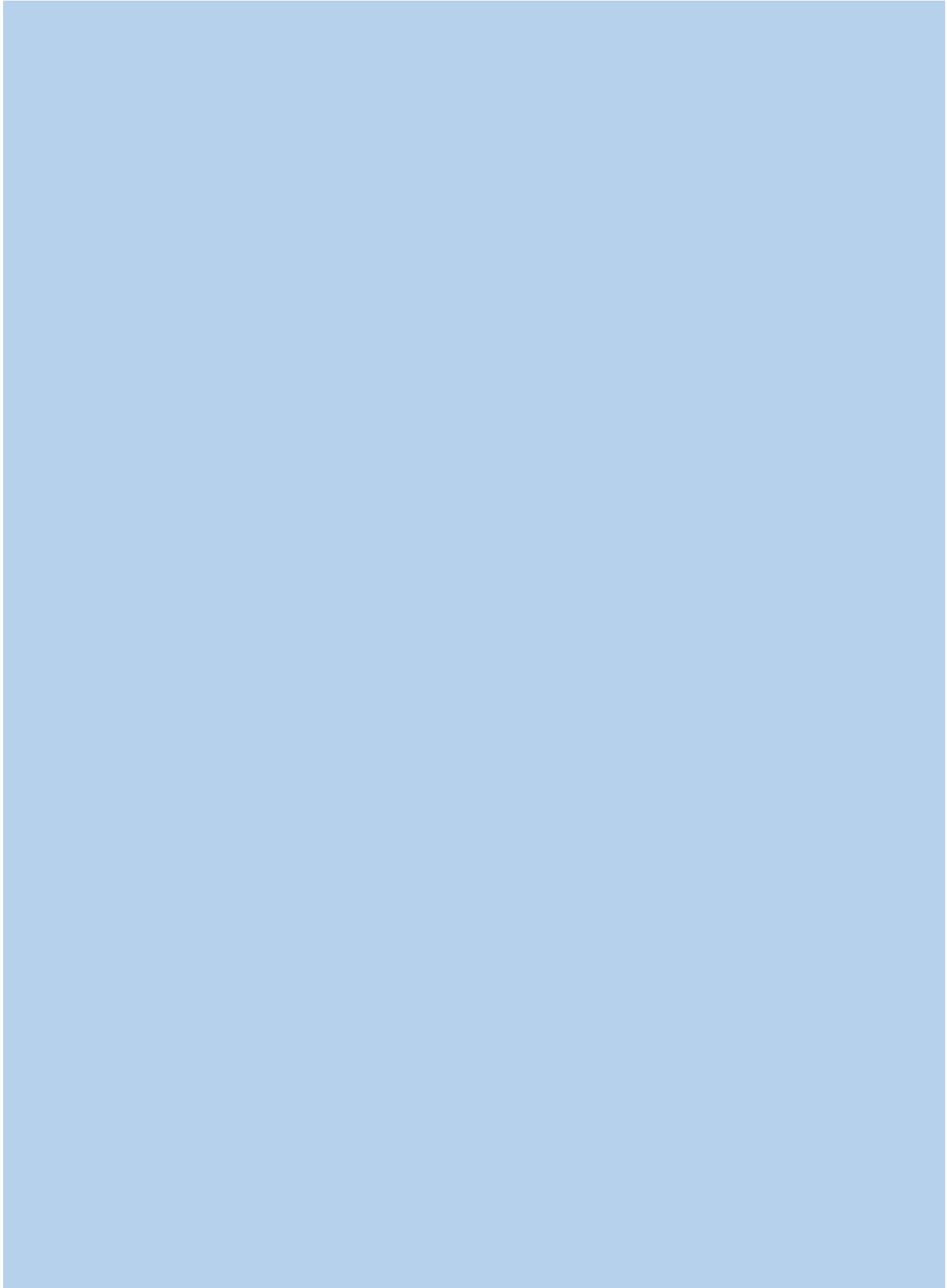
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14. What benefit will your club bring to your school?**Purpose/Objective**

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