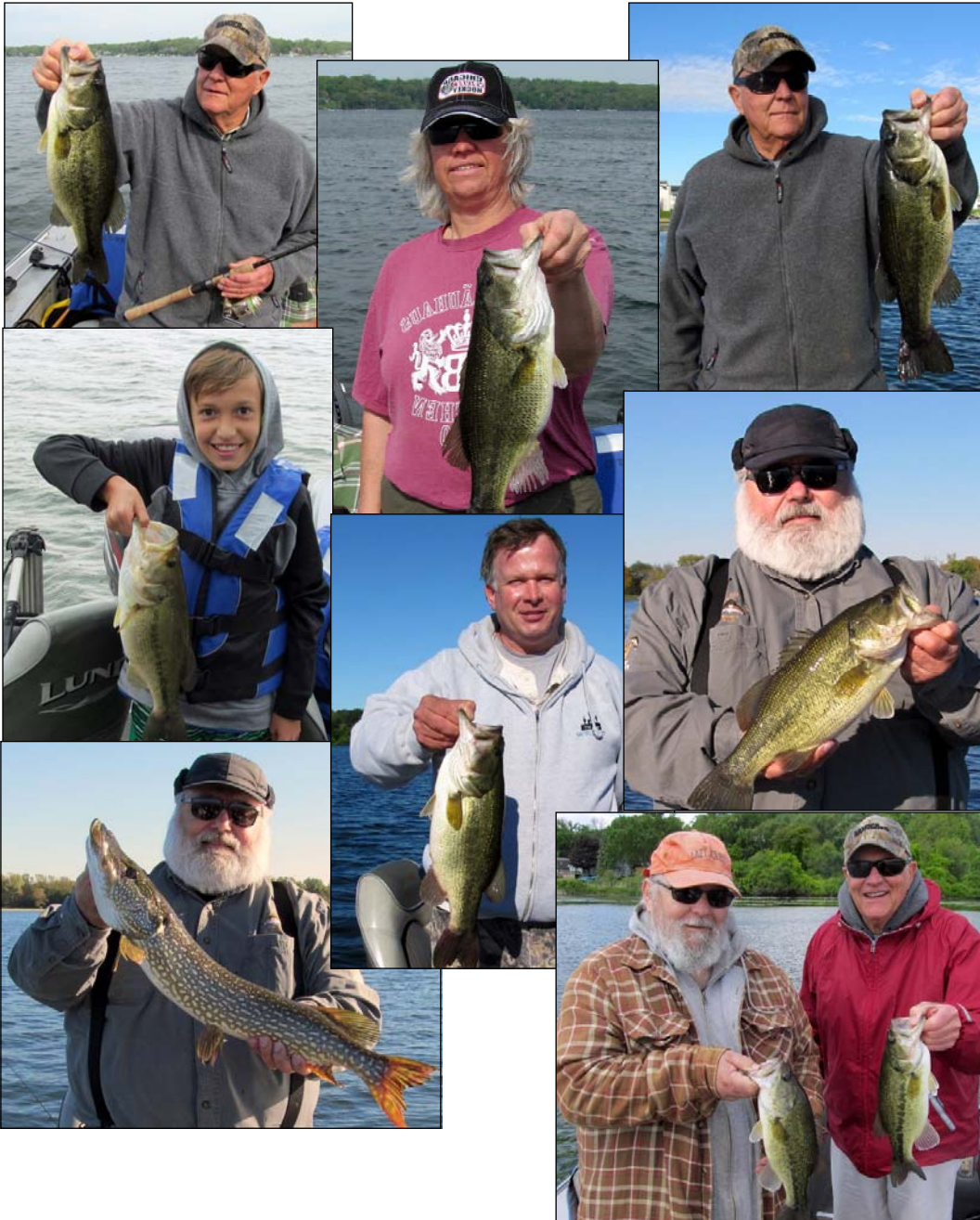


## Captain Walt's Log

### *Lake Delavan Update*



We fished beautiful Lake Delavan on a regular basis last season. One of the great patterns on this lake is that nice bass and pike can be caught during the summer months.

Our typical Lake Delavan season begins targeting bass on the flats during their spawning cycle. Shallow presentations work well then, especially an unweighted *Senko* style bait rigged Wacky or Texas style.

Later in the season the bass move out to deeper water so we follow them to the deeper rock and weeds. That requires different tactics and the drop shot rig works well in the deeper water.

As the warmer weather comes along, we begin to target northern pike with live bait rigs using large minnows. We catch a variety of pike, bass, and walleyes using the same live bait rigs.

The forage base on Lake Delavan is amazing. The lake is loaded with panfish, which provide an excellent food

source for these predators. Just one more reason why Lake Delavan has become such a good fishery.

Give me a call to schedule your trip to Lake Delavan. I highly recommend fishing during the week if you can.

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