

## General Meeting September 9<sup>th</sup>

Members and guests should try to make the TRAA General Meeting on Wednesday, September 9<sup>th</sup>. It's at Grosvenor Lodge, 1017 Western Road at 8:00pm sharp.

In addition to updates on the many activities occurring during the summer, highlights will include several guest speakers:

Manny Milforay – *My Life in Rubber Pants*  
Van Hanoi – *Zen & the Art of Reel Maintenance*  
Zack Flack – *Fishing with Explosive Devices*  
Misty Frond – *PETA is not Unleavened Bread*  
Zoltan – *Inflatables for Fishing & the Home*  
Okay, maybe we don't have a guest speaker for the meeting but there's a lot of cool stuff to get updated on and to discuss.

Here are a few of the highlights (seriously):

### Monitoring Program

We will be discussing a proposed salmonid monitoring program for fish returning to Komoka Creek in 2010.

### Beaver Dam Destruction

There is a beaver dam blocking the upper reaches of Komoka Creek, causing all sorts of issues. There will be a quick explanation of the situation and then dates will be set to remove the dam.

### Recap' of this Summer's Work Parties

There was a lot of work done over the summer by TRAA members and we will proudly go over these accomplishments.

### Proposed Dredging of Komoka Creek

Members will be given an update on why this draconian practice is once again threatening Komoka Creek and what the TRAA proposes to do about it.

### Adult Fish Transfer

This is still "out there" but there is a possibility to receive brown trout brood stock from the MNR for planting in area streams.

### Brook Trout Re-Introduction

We touched on the possibility of bringing brook trout eggs into the TRAA hatchery during the June General Meeting. This discussion will continue with newer information.

**See You at the Sep. 9<sup>th</sup> General Meeting!**

## Summer Activities

We were hoping to have more photographic submissions for this feature. Thanks to those who thought to send theirs along.

### TRAA Fishing Night



*Robert Clayton with a beauty Thames smallie.*



*Bryon Mott goes deep & scores a bronzeback.*

### The TRAA Shed



*It's done and it's awesome! Nice work guys.*