

2015 LINCOLN ZOETIS CLINIC

Lincoln had their kids fishing clinic June 3rd at the Zoetis Lake with 77 kids in attendance. It was a nice evening and everyone had a good time. The kids signed in, enjoyed hot dogs, chips and beverages provided by the Cooper YMCA before beginning the clinic. Thanks to Farmland Industries for donating the hot dogs.

Before the clinic started, LeaAnn Moore of UNICO/Midlands presented Nebraska Walleye Association Kids Fishing Clinics Charity, Inc a check for \$1,000. This was for a grant from the Million Dollar Roundtable that LeaAnn had submitted. Steve Andersen of UNICO/Midlands was also present. LeaAnn and Steve are both members of the Million Dollar Roundtable. Thanks LeaAnn and Steve for all your support of the Fishing is Fun! program.

We had stations including casting, knot tying, bait, tackle, fish ID and water safety. After completing all the stations, each child received a certificate, rod/reel combo and bag of goodies. The rod/reel were compliments of Nebraska Walleye Association Kids Fishing Clinics Charity, Inc. The bag of goodies was from the Nebraska Game and Parks. Thanks to everyone.

A raffle for a Lifetime Youth Hunt/Fish Permit was held and 5 year old, Nate Kalt was the lucky winner.

The kids were given bait and off to fish and there were a lot of bluegill and bass caught.

We have a lot of volunteers to thank –

Jerry Edmunds– Knot Tying
Rick Lehn - Bait
Carroll Crist & Bob Rauner – Tackle and Fish ID
Tim White, Scott Clayton, Gary Heidtbrink, Jay Bahr - Casting
Jeanette Milius and KC MCBurney – Water Safety
Ray Clayton – Time Keeper
Kim Pair and Cooper YMCA – Registration and Food
Ben Pair – For doing the cooking.

Thanks to Stephanie White and Zoetis for allowing us to use their private lake to hold our Fishing is Fun! clinic.
Thanks to Ben and Kim Pair for cooking and serving the food to the kids.

Also need to thank our many Donors:

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CJ's at the Lake
Bob's Tavern
And many, many more.

I want to thank our many Donors and Volunteers that make these clinics possible. Without them we wouldn't be able to do this. I apologize if I missed anyone.

Hope everyone has a great summer and BE SAFE!!