



MID-ATLANTIC CHAPTER

# American Fisheries Society

October 15, 1985

Dear Colleague:

The third annual meeting of the Mid-Atlantic Chapter, Northeast Division, American Fisheries Society, will be held on December 5, 1985. The meeting will again be held at the Treadway Inn located on the southbound lane of US Route 1 about 1 1/2 miles north of Interstate Route 295. Attached is a map for your convenience.

The program will begin at 9:00 am with registration between 8:00-9:00. A buffet luncheon, similar to last year, will be served at noon with coffee at the break. The total cost for the meeting will be \$15.00 for non-students and \$11.00 for students, which includes dues for 1986 (\$5.00 regular membership and \$1.00 for students).

The program will be interesting and varied and should appeal to both marine, as well as freshwater biologists.

Roy Miller, Delaware Division of Fish and Wildlife will present a summary of Delaware's experiences in controlling the northern monocious form of hydrilla (Hydrilla verticillata).

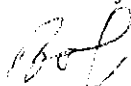
He will be followed by James P. Kurtenbach, US Environmental Protection Agency, who will present a synopsis of his master's thesis entitled: "The Inability of Largemouth Bass to Recognize Prey too Large to Swallow".

The marine environment will be represented by Timothy E. Targett, University of Delaware who will present an overview of their research program on weakfish, particularly the early life history stages.

Dr. Kenneth L. Heck, Jr., Director, Patrick Center for Environmental Research, will round out the program with a presentation entitled, "Recent Studies on the Nursery Value of Submerged Vegetation for Fish and Shellfish".

If you plan on attending, please contact either Harvey Katz, Drew University, (201) 377-3000 ext. 355, or myself at (201) 236-2118, as the Inn requires the number of attendees a week in advance. I look forward to seeing you at this meeting and remember a chapter business meeting will be held in the afternoon, the highlight of which will be the election of offices, President-Elect and Secretary-Treasurer, for 1986.

Sincerely,

  
Robert W. Stewart  
President

