

Camp Store Report 2017

Here is the annual report of activities for the Concessions Stand/Camp Store. This past year was an experiment. Several new ideas were entertained and the Caretaker had free reign to implement changes as he saw fit. Here are the outcomes for this experiment.

Krickler Vending provided all vending machines. We had two soda and one snack machine. They also provided the coffee and machines in the store. At the end of the season we received a check for less than \$300.00 for our commissions for the year. Plus we did not have adequate cooler space for our bbq and other food events.

Buying bait in bulk and packaging our own containers did show a modest improvement in the bait cash flow. But keeping bait in the shop too long gets stinky! The addition of fishing equipment was a big hit with the kids too.

The facelift of the store and use of the backroom were welcome changes. However, staff complained we could not see our customers and we may have lost products, including one of the expensive jackets. The loss of the ATM may have led to our reduced cash flow too.

The bottom line is the store cleared \$806.73 at the end of the year That is down \$2,662.62 from last year. I'm confident that personnel costs will exceed this profit. Please remember the store is there as services for the members and as an office to conduct pond business. With the loss of the Caretaker, this became even more important to finish the season. Thanks to everyone for your support during 2017!

After operating the store for six seasons and serving as the Chairman for the past three years, I would like to give the store to another disserving director . This is my second request!

Respectfully submitted:


Charles Mike Hammon –Store Chairman