



GOLD COAST SPORTFISHING CLUB



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JUNE 2010 NEWSLETTER

AUCTION AUCTION AUCTION

MEETING THURSDAY 10TH JUNE WILL BE AN AUCTION NIGHT, BRING ALONG ANYTHING YOU WISH TO SELL, BITS FOR BOATS, FISHING TACKLE, MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS, ANYTHING GOES.

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CLUB DATES

COMMITTEE MEETING	GENERAL MEETING
<u>THURSDAY 3RD JUNE</u>	THURSDAY 10 TH JUNE 7. 30PM
<u>Committee Meeting</u> SOUTHPORT CLUB HOUSE	<u>Auction Night</u> SOUTHPORT CLUB HOUSE
	<u>BBQ 6.30PM</u>

GOLD COAST SPORTFISHING CLUB MEMBERSHIP CARDS ARE NOW READY AND
WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE MEETING

CHECK OUT NEW COMPETITION RULES BELOW

Gaday members.

As we don't have a games master at the moment looks like I have the job back till someone steps up to the plate.

I've talks with a few people about recording captures and we need to stand firm on the fact you need to register your own captures, the reason we had this in place was to boost attendances and for the presentation of the prizes to the winners.

I know some people have things to do but we only meet once a month and if you get a horse of a fish and you think it's a winner turn up to possibly win the prize.

At present that prize is \$150 for a win.

If that's not a good reason to attend I don't know what is.

Species badges are still able to be achieved just photo the legal size fish and email it to me

cloudnine9@optusnet.com.au.

Please remember to photograph all your fish on a measuring stick as you can put your top 5 fish in the book for the annual comp. If you think you have the winning fish, get a photo of yourself with the fish for the front cover of the news letter.

CLUB RULES

No boundaries and you choose bait, lure, your mums casserole, whatever catches the fish.

The winner cannot win both inside and outside prizes. It gives more people a chance at winning. Maybe even the little juniors could nab a prize.

Please remember that no fish is worth getting hurt or damaging your boat. So please bear in mind that if it is rough outside then we have the option of the inside comp.

Outside Prize:\$100 voucher at Doug Burt's Tackle World

Inside Prize:\$100 voucher at Doug Burt's Tackle World

If no outside fish caught and only the inside fish are at the weigh in then we have decided to extend the winning prize money .

1st \$100 voucher

2nd \$50 voucher (no handicap penalty)

3rd \$50 voucher (no handicap penalty)

So guys get out there for this comp it gives a lot of anglers a chance to pick up some good vouchers to replace all the tackle we loose throughout the year.

Just another reminder to take some happy snaps of you holding up some of your better fish as it may be the winning fish and we would love to use the photo in the newsletter.

-----Explaining the rules, points & handicap system-----

All fish must be legal length to count for comp and end of year point system.
There are 2 ways of working the points system
The first is worked on length.

ALL TARGET SPECIES ARE MEASURED

The points for this is tabled below.

1 point per cm plus 5 points for the fish (target species get bonus points)

IE: a 40 cm fish is 45 points.

non target species can be weighed (this is only good for big fish)

this system is based on 10 points per kilo.

A 10 Kilo fish is 100 points.

Generally fish 10 Kilo and over are best weighed

All Marlin are winners when they are the Target species prize pool divided between winners.

Marlin receive 100 points at other times

You can weigh in 5 fish and only 3 of the same species for the monthly comp to count towards your end of year score. They do not have to be target species.

The monthly comp is for 1 days fishing unless stated differently

Winner is handicapped 10% of the overall length or weight of their biggest fish for his/her next comp. This is to hopefully even the playing field for the not so great fisherman.

Handicap is reduced by 2.5% after every non-successful comp. You must fish the fishing comps to reduce your handicap.

You must attend the BBQ/Weigh in to register your catch for the comp or for the end of year score.

The end of the club year champion is determined by the total score of all entered fish caught during the monthly comps.

Could you please bring photos to the BBQ/Weighin. The photos of your fish must be clearly on a ruler with token colour of the month. **If you do not personally present the photo or the fish no prize will be awarded.**

No points for vermin such as sharks and stingrays. Unless it is a specified vermin competition.

FISH OF THE MONTH INFO:

Fish of the month is awarded by Vote of your fellow members and having a great picture is an advantage.

You need to decide when you present your photo's: is this a fish of the month or is it a fish to go into the end of year points tally.

It can't be both.

Winning fish of month gets a \$50 voucher from Doug Burts Tackle World. And photo in the news letter.

Here is a list of websites and phone numbers that might come in useful to you.

Bureau of meteorology. : <http://www.bom.gov.au>

Coastwatch surf cams : www.coastwatch.com

Buoyweather : <http://www.buoyweather.com>

Fish watch Hotline : 1800 017 116
SE Old Boating Weather : 1300 360 428
Crab Pot Theft Hotline : 1800 017 116

JAMIE'S FISHING REPORT

Gaday all.

Sorry for the lack of input in the news letters of late.

But a few distracting things have been happening in my home life at the moment.

While there not over yet I'll endeavor to keep things finding their way into the news letter and at the monthly meetings.

I'd like to thank Rob for chairing the April's meeting as I was unable to attend.

May's meeting Cancelled due to no one being able to chair the meeting with Rob and Fay honeymooning in a exotic location and myself fishing the Barra Nationals with Tony and Peter.

Next month June's meeting is on, I'll be there.

At present I'm trying to piece together a article for the news letter and a show and tell at an up coming meeting about our trip.

I have about a thousand pictures to go through .

To all those people who entered fish in the April comp could you please bring a list of your captures for that month and pictures of May's captures plus any fish of the month for May.

Please check the species for the month it should be in the last news letter, I have very limited Email access at the moment so I'm a bit behind with lots of emails that I still can't access properly.

Our yearly auction is approaching fast I rene has the details on that one I'm not sure if its this month or next , please read news letter fully just in case it in here somewhere about when it is.

The AGM is coming up in July so anyone who has time to take on one of the positions available please nominate yourself when the time is here.

Flathead Classic helpers are required also, Rob will be needing to delegate some jobs to ease some of his work load , a little help from a few extra people will go a long way to helping take some of the pressure off .

Regards Jamie.

Games Masters species list for the coming year.

2009 -2010.

Start date: 1st July 2009

Finish date: 30th June 2010.

<u>July/August</u>	Bream inside	Snapper off shore
<u>August/Septembr</u>	Biggest species inside and offshore, excluding vermin and marlin.	
<u>September/October</u>	Flathead inside	Cobia offshore
	3 Biggest Flathead (captures from Flathead Classic are eligible	
<u>October/November</u>	Flathead best 2 fish	Tuna offshore
<u>November/December</u>	Flathead inside 2 longest combined. Outside largest measured Pelagic	
<u>December/January</u>	Whiting 2 biggest	Marlin offshore all marlin are winners The prize pool will be split between all marlin caught.
<u>January/February</u> outside	Mangrove Jack first Bass if no jacks caught inside. Biggest Measured Pelagic	
<u>February/March</u>	Jew 1st choice	Flathead 2 nd choice inside. Mackeral offshore
<u>March/April</u>	Bream inside	Mackeral offshore Mackeral type will be decided before comp
<u>April/May</u>	Bream inside no offshore. Bream Easter Classic 2 nd April	
<u>May</u>	Bream inside	Snapper offshore
<u>June</u>	Tailor inside	Snapper offshore

All species are to be entered for yearly club champion.

Best 5 fish with a maximum of 3 of a kind.

Target species get bonus points

Members that support the club run competitions will get additional bonus Points

Club competition target species are not restricted to lures only with the exception of those who are fishing the club run competitions that state lures only.



24 May 2010

Bulletin 164



Tag details	Recapture details
Tag P49329	
Species Dusky Flathead (<i>Platycephalus fuscus</i>)	
Date 29/8/2007	22/3/2010
Length 500mm	690mm
Location Bremer River	Mud Island
Fisher Nigel Schipplock	Commercial
Days Out 1058	
Growth 190mm (88mm/year)	
Movement 90km from river to bay	
Released No	
The Bremer River has a poor water quality rating and not too many fish have been tagged there. This one is likely to have moved down river for spawning.	



Tag details	Recapture details
Tag R48198	
Species Barramundi (<i>Lates calcarifer</i>)	
Date 1/6/2007	25/3/2010
Length 545mm	780mm
Location Calvert River	McArthur River
Fisher Colton Perna	Recfisher
Days Out 1028	
Growth 215mm (78mm/year)	
Movement 210km down river west along coast	
Released No	

Tag details	Recapture details
Tag R48257	
Species Barramundi (<i>Lates calcarifer</i>)	
Date 4/6/2007	4/5/2010
Length 448mm	870mm
Location Calvert River	Wearyan River
Fisher Colton Perna	Rob Sharwood
Days Out 1065	
Growth 424mm (145mm/year)	
Movement 200km down river west along coast	
Released No	
These fish were tagged as part of a monitoring project by the Australian Centre for Tropical Freshwater Research based at James Cook University. Both fish had similar movements and were recaptured in the area where the King Ash Bay Fishing Club has a Barramundi monitoring project.	

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**Feb/March Flathead inside
Biggest Measured Mackerel Outside.**

Outside Winner Jeff Robinson

Inside winner Tom Ryan

**GAME
MASTERS
MONTHLY
POINTS
UPDATE**

LISTED BELOW ARE THE YEARLY COMP POINTS TOTALS

NAME	MONPTS		TOTAL	HANDICAPS
Guy McConnell	Feb	0	1109	Danny S 7.5%
				Guy Mc 15%
Rob See	Feb	210	807	Tom R 15%
Peter Denaro	Feb	554	1532	Irene R 5%
Steve Wilson	Feb	0	95	Jeff Robinson 10%
Tony Lemasurier	Feb	0		
Fay Rhoweder	Feb	256	1240	
Sarah Lemasurier	Feb	0		
Irene Robertson	Feb	296	1228	
Jamie Farraher	Feb	0	1565	
Danny Sands	Feb	0	86	
Darren Nagorcka	Feb	0	577	
	Feb	0		
Matt	Feb	0	33	
Chris Nelson	Feb	0	82	
Christine Hunt	Feb	0		
Tracey Memmen	Feb	0		
Paul Neilsen	Feb	0	400	
Jake Neilsen (J)	Feb	0		
Luke LeMasurier	Feb	0		
	Feb	0		
Terry Ryan	Feb	203	896	
Jeff Robinson	Feb	672	672	
Tom Ryan	Feb	787	2237	
Christian Pulvirenti	Jan	157	1717	
Simon Marshall	Jan	257	947	

OUR JUNE COMP IS TAILOR INSIDE AND SNAPPER OFFSHORE

TIGHT LINES

IRENE