

Tackle Box

Redcliffe
Peninsula
Game & Sportfish
Club Inc.



December 2014

Liquid Asset winners of Mooloolaba Billfish Bash



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Chairman's Report - December



Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

Congratulations to "LIQUID ASSET", for winning the recent 'Mooloolaba Billfish Bash'. Peter Distel and crew did an outstanding job tagging four Black Marlin and a Mahi Mahi over the two day tournament. I'm sure Peter will share his winning formula with us at the next meeting. "Liquid Asset" and other RPG&SC teams have been taking Mooloolaba's trophies. You would think Mooloolaba Gamefish Club would send an armada of ships to compete in our Australia Day Billfish tournament to win back some pride.

We had a great turn out to the last general meeting. We had Ron Lane from the ANSA attend to present Noel Day the prestigious 'Eric Moller Award'. It was a proud moment for Noel and an honour for our club. Lucky for us we will be able to hang onto that trophy for the next 12 months. We also had an interesting presentation from Steve Hoseck, senior ranger from Marine operation for the state government. Lots of positive feedback from the members regarding that presentation. Thank you to Jeff Ahchay for organising Steve for us. We will endeavour to organise more of that interesting and informative stuff.

Please come along to the December club weighing, we will be sparking up the BBQ and putting on some beers and enjoy our last weigh in for the year.

The photo competition is running again this year so send those pics in for the Tackle Box. We will again have some nice prizes for the best pictures at the presentation.

We are in the process of ordering new club shirts. I have not received too many orders just yet. If you don't send me sizes soon you will have to pick from what is in stock.

Reminder for ANSA members, don't forget to measure your captures for the Length Based Competition. I know it's easy to forget in the heat of the battle but we just need to get in the habit of weighing, measuring, photographing and documenting our captures.

I would like to wish all the members and their families a safe Christmas and I hope you get lots of presents.

Cheers

Mick King

Chairman



November Weigh Masters Report

We had a very quiet weigh in last month with NO fish being weighed as the weather didn't allow for any fishing. Although there was no fish we still had the BBQ on the green at the club and a few social drinks.

Fish weighed in for November

There was only 5 fish weighed for the whole month, all Snapper

There were NO winners last month which means fish of the Month jackpots

Wahoo below left \$150 & Mangrove Jack below right \$150

Weigh in is from 3.30pm till 4.30pm Sunday the 14th December

I have a good stock of tags, so if you need any just see me. Looking forward to having a big weigh in this month. I hope the weather is nice to us, have fun and good fishing Thanks Lynnie Day 0411548128



To win the money for the monthly nominated fish inshore or offshore species, simply weigh in the heaviest fish (labelled with your name and line class). To receive double club points, the fish must be tagged or caught on the Club Weekend only and the cards correctly completed and handed in or fish weighed in at M.B.B.C. from 3.30pm to 4.30pm on the Sunday. Prizes will be awarded at the following club night.

Remember, club fishing weekend starts on midnight on Friday 14th at Midnight and weigh in is 3.30-4.30pm on Sunday 16th





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December Fish of the Month

Wahoo tips

There's nothing like the scream of a the reel going off when a Wahoo grabs the lures and heads off at blinding speed in the other direction.

Method & Tackle

To catch Wahoo it is preferable to use a wire trace in front of your lure or if you have plenty of lures be prepared to loose a few. Trolling is the preferred method and trolling at high speed works well with heavy headed skirted lures, such as hex heads. Bibbed lures also work well for Wahoo as does a rigged gar.

Where

Wahoo like to hang around the shallow reefs such as Hutchinson Shoal North East of Cape Moreton and also around the Sevens off Stradbroke Island. They can also be found around bait schools just as the Marlin & Sailfish so find the bait and you should find the fish.

There is a bag limit of 2 per person and a minimum size of 75cm



December Fish of the Month

Mangrove Jack tips

Method & Tackle

Mangrove Jacks many be targeted with hard body lures, soft plastics and live baits. If you have trouble catching suitable size live baits, Stripes of fresh mullet work well. Best spots are deep water with heaps of snags and other cover such as bridge pylons and jetties. Dusk and dawn are the best times to fish for Jacks depending on tides. A tip when using hard bodies is to use long lures around 100 to 120mm.

Where

The best Mangrove Jack I have seen was caught by my brother under the Newport Bridge on a fresh mullet fillet cast out with little weight towards the pontoons. Jacks can show up anywhere but some places to start looking are creeks running into the Bribie passage, snags in Pine River and deep snags in Caboolture River. Pontoons in Pacific harbour, up the Sunshine coast and in Newport hold Jacks. If you are prepared to travel the Coomera River down the coast seem to have a health population of fish.

There is a bag limit of 5 per person and a minimum size of 35cm





Fish of the Month

December 2014

December:		WAHOO		MANGROVE JACK
MONTH	OFFSHORE SPECIES	PREVIOUS WINNER	INSHORE SPECIES	PREVIOUS WINNER
January	Yellowfin Tuna	Corey Ramsey	Whiting	Paul Higgins
February	Mackerel	No winner	Cod	No winner
March	Mackerel Tuna	Jason Comino	Bream	Noel Day
April	Pearl Perch	Trevor Singleton	Flathead	Trevor Singleton
May	Sweetlip	Brad Clayton	Bass	Sam King
June	Longtail Tuna	No winner	Bream	Riki Ramsey
July	Amberjack	No winner	Tailor	No winner
August	Pearl Perch	No winner	Cod	No winner
September	Snapper	Riki Ramsey	Bream	Corey Ramsey
October	Cobia	No Winner	Flathead	No Winner
November	Mahi Mahi	No Winner	Bass	No Winner



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Biggest Fish and Most Billfish Tags

Bream: *Corey Ramsey - .88kg*

Flathead: *Riki Ramsey - 62cm*

Whiting: *Noel Day - .22kg*

Bass:

Tailor: *Riki Ramsey - 66cm*

Mulloway: *Riki Ramsey - 5.65KG*

Mahi Mahi:

Snapper: *David Trask - 7.5 kg*

Pearl Perch: *Robyn Drysdale - 1.18kg*

Cobia:

Wahoo:

Cod: *Corey Ramsey - 1.1kg*

Tuna: *Tony Clarke - 29.4kg*

Trevally:

Amberjack:

Mackerel:

Kingfish:

Shark:

First Billfish Tagged: *Tony Clarke Sailfish 5th July 2014*

Most Billfish Tagged: *Tony Clarke 1 - Noel Day 1*

For fun and fishing interest we have been tracking the biggest of the species caught and most Billfish tagged in the 2014/15 fishing year. Not worried about line class or what tackle used.

Just email me at noelday@optusnet.com.au and I will keep up dating the list and we'll see who catches the biggest. So stop mowing the grass or fixing the fence and get fishing still plenty of time to



Points Score at the end of November 2014

Redcliffe Peninsula Game & Sportfish Club Inc.

Points scores end of November 2014

<u>Angler Male</u>	<u>Sports Points</u>	<u>Tag Sports Points</u>	<u>Club Day</u>
Riki Ramsey	2122	1860	2285
Noel Day	324	204	231
Andrew Doherty	257		214
Greg Skinner	140	140	80
Michael King	27		

<u>Angler Female</u>	<u>Sports Points</u>	<u>Tag Sports Points</u>	<u>Club Day</u>
Karen Skinner	160	140	80
Madeline Doherty	159		159
Joanne Doherty	79		37
Robin Drysdale	40		40
Lynnie Day	40	30	

<u>Angler Male</u>	<u>Game Points</u>	<u>Tag Game Points</u>
Riki Ramsey	2038	1755
Tony Clarke	1991	1695
Noel Day	1663	1500
Frank Downey	157	

<u>Juniors</u>	<u>Sports Points</u>	<u>Game Points</u>	<u>Club Day</u>
Corey Ramsey	442	1560	1582
Matilda Skinner	80		80
Claudia Skinner	80		80

<u>Juniors</u>	<u>Tag Game Points</u>	<u>Tag Sports Points</u>
Corey Ramsey	1560	210
Matilda Skinner		80
Claudia Skinner		80

<u>Sub Juniors</u>	<u>Sports Points</u>	<u>Tag Sports Points</u>	<u>Club Day</u>
Beau Rose	188	160	160

<u>Vessel Under 7mt</u>	<u>Points</u>
Life's Great	4199
Cranky	3315
Cranky Jnr	2847
Fish Repellant	495
Little Wing	490

<u>Vessel Over 7mt</u>	<u>Points</u>
Liquid Assets	40

Fishing Trips

Congratulations to Peter Distel and his Team on Liquid Asset for their win in the Mooloolaba Billfish Bash held last weekend.

The team ended up with 4 Black marlin tagged and a line class Mahi Mahi to Ralph Bowler which won him champion other species.



Fishing Trips

Jason Comino and his partner Di had to return to work after a three week fishing trip in Darwin aboard the MV Revolution. They visited some awesome places and caught more fish than imaginable in the brilliant NT waterways. Highlights of the trip were the remote McClure Island and the King River!! Awesome places and Jason can't wait to go back up and do it all again.



Club News

Rules and Entry form are now
available on our web site

The Billfish are here



2015 REDCLIFFE AUSTRALIA DAY BILLFISH TOURNAMENT



Last Man Standing

**Trophies
Prizes
Meals**

8kg Light Tackle **Calcutta**

**Briefing Fri 23rd January
Fishing 24th-26th
Presentation 26th**

Venue - Moreton Bay Boat Club, Scarborough
For entry forms and more information visit www.rpgsc.com.au
Or call Tournament Director Mark Rose - 0433 183 186

Petition to ban Super Trawlers

Supertrawlers have nets the size of 13 747 Jumbo Jets.
A supertrawler operation often uses advanced technology like enhanced sonar and even airplanes and helicopters to locate a bait ball. This bait ball is food for an entire ecosystem of fish and oceanic life.

In Australia, the two-year super trawler ban ends (this month) in November! But there is an international fleet of freezer-factory trawlers on our doorstep and the industry is still trying to bring them into our waters. Sign the new petition and help convince Prime Minister Tony Abbott to permanently protect our marine life, fisheries and the future of our fishing, from all super trawlers!

<http://www.stopthetrawler.net/>

**Don't forget to get your forms in for the Christmas club
day BBQ with Santa 14th December**



2015 REDCLIFFE AUSTRALIA DAY BILLYFISH TOURNAMENT

Registration Form

Vessel name:	Vessel Make:	Length:
Skipper/Owner Name:	Postal address:	
Mobile:	Email:	Berth required: Yes / No
Boat insurance details (Mandatory) Company:		
Policy No:	Expiry date:	

Office use	Angler	Name	M/F/J	Club	Shirt size	Office use
	1					
	2					
	3					
	4					
	5					
	6					
	Extra Crew					

Total number of senior anglers:	x \$220.00 =
Total number of junior anglers:	x \$165.00 =
Non fishing skipper/crew:	x \$220.00 =
Additional meals:	x \$30.00 =
3 Meal package:	x \$80.00 =
Extra shirts:	x \$40.00 =
Late entry fee:	x \$50.00 =
Total cost payable =	

Cheques payable to: RPG&SC Inc. Post to: John Schultze 393 Scarborough Rd, Scarborough, Qld 4020.
 Email registration forms to: jschultze393@gmail.com Contact John for other arrangements.

I wish to pay my entry with the following credit card: MasterCard _____ Visa _____
 Card number: _____ Expiry date: ____/____/_____
 Card holders name: _____
 Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/_____

All on board safety remains the responsibility of the skipper/owner. Waiver – We agree to the rules as publish. In consideration of your accepting me/us as a competitor/guest (as the case maybe), I/we absolve the Redcliffe Game & Sportfish Club Inc., and it's committee, officers and members and sponsors as such from any liability whatsoever arising and occurring or resulting from the tournament, and I/we hereby indemnify you and agree to keep you indemnified against all claims, damages, costs and loss that be claimed or awarded against you, or that you may suffer resulting from injury or loss to me/us or any of my/four invited invitees or licenses or guests or to any property of my/four invitees, licensees or guests. I/we accept that the decision of the committee in awarding the Last Man Standing prizes and all other trophies and prizes is that the discretion of the tournament committee and their decision is final.

(Team Captain)Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Q.G.F.A. ALL PORTS INTERCLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS 2014 – 15

RULES

FISHING TIMES Commence: **Friday Midnight to**
Finish: **Sunday 6pm (1800hrs)**

Fishing can be carried out at any time between the hours of Midnight Friday to 6pm Sunday on the weekend/s chosen by the individual clubs

ROUNDS Clubs will be invited to fish TWO rounds for the All Ports Championship

The overall championship will be awarded to the club / male / female / junior angler with the highest aggregated result over both rounds.

Round 1 is to be held between 1 July and 31 December

Round 2 is to be held between 1 January and 15 June - (*due to time required for trophy compilation*)

Each Club will choose the weekend/s that they fish their All Ports competition

Clubs can choose to fish Round 1 only, Round 2 only or both rounds – separate nominations and payments must be submitted for each round. If your chosen dates are blown out you can now apply to QGFA for another date. Change of date may only occur once in each round.

There must be a MINIMUM period of TWO calendar months between rounds.

ELIGIBILITY Open to all Q.G.F.A. Member Clubs. Anglers will fish under G.F.A.A. rules.

Teams to be from two (2) to five (5) anglers

There are NO limitations on changing teams between rounds one and rounds two.

The All Ports tournament base must be within the club's own zone - for example a Gold Coast GFC (Z4) boat cannot fish the All Ports weekend for their club out of Cairns (Z1).

NOMINATION **Fees - \$22.00 per Senior Angler - \$5.50 per Junior Angler** (Incl GST)
Please send fees with the Nomination Forms.

Nominations – must be received on the form provided - to Q.G.F.A. Secretary by 10pm on the Friday.

Nominations to clearly show Anglers Surname then Christian Name in the Male, Female, Junior Category

Nominations & Results may be emailed the Secretary of QGFA at QGFA@bigpond.com, **but payment and original forms must follow in the next available mail.**

WEIGH INS Each Club is to arrange their Weigh In on Sunday from 1600 hours.

SCORING: **ALL fish tagged or weighed will now be used in the calculation of points. Please submit ALL scores for every Angler/Boat and Club.**

There is no limit on the number of billfish that can be tagged, but a limit of 10 fish per other species, per boat, per day applies.

The Secretary, Q.G.F.A. Inc, P. O. Box 632, Buddina Q 4575

NOTE: Once an attempt has been made to gaff a fish, NO tag points will apply.

**GILLED AND
GUTTED FISH**

All edible fish may be gilled and gutted on capture but must be kept on ice.
additional 10% is to be added to the weight of the fish so treated before calculating points.

SPECIES:

Only fish eligible to be tagged and released to count for T & R points; otherwise weigh points only will count. Fish released without Tags do not qualify for Tag Points.

LINE CLASSES

Light Tackle 1kg to 10kg

Zones 1 & 2 – inside Reef

Zones 3 & 4 - Inside 100 meters

Heavy Tackle 15kg to 60 kg

Zones 1 & 2 – outside Reef

Zones 3 & 4 - outside 100 meters

TAG POINTS NOTE: No points will be awarded for fishing heavy tackle in a light tackle zone (see above)

SPECIES	1KG	2KG	3KG	4KG	5KG	6KG	8KG	10KG	15KG	24KG	37KG	60KG
Billfish												
Longtail Tuna, Yellowfin Tuna, Dogtooth Tuna												
All other Game Fish Species												

(Half Points only for Other Species & Tunas not going better than line class)

WEIGH POINTS:

GAME FISH Fish Weight x 100 divided by Line Class

SHARKS Sharks are no longer a capture species

WEATHER & RADIO No allowance is made for weather and it is the responsibility of each Skipper to decide if conditions are safe for their craft and crew.

Clubs are to arrange their own Schedules.

CATEGORIES

1. Champion Club Overall
2. Champion Angler Overall
3. Champion Club - Zone 1
4. Champion Club - Zone 2
5. Champion Club - Zone 3
6. Champion Club - Zone 4
7. Champion Boat Overall
8. Champion Male Angler
9. Champion Lady Angler
10. Champion Junior Angler – Round 1 and Round 2

New Club Shirts



Men's Short Sleeve Polo



Lady's Short Sleeve Polo



Kid's Short Sleeve Polo



Long Sleeve Polo

Shirt Orders

Sizing										
ADULTS	12	14	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL	5XL
CHEST	48.5	51	53.5	56	58.5	61	63.5	66.5	70	73.5
SP LENGTH	64	67	70	72.5	75	77.5	80	81	82	83

Sizing									
LADIES	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24
BUST	43.5	46	48.5	51	53.5	56	58.5	61	63.5
SP LENGTH	62	64	66	68	70	72	73	74	75

Sizing						
KIDS	4	6	8	10	12	14
CHEST	38.5	41	43.5	46	48.5	51
SP LENGTH	48	52	56	60	64	67

We are now taking orders for the new club shirts. Our club logo on the left breast and a stylised marlin on the back in white.



will appear

Please send your orders to: secretary@rpgsc.com.au or hand Greg Evans specifying:

this form to

Your Name: **Your Email:**

Type: Men's / Lady's / Kid's

Size: As above

Pocket: No pocket will be provided unless otherwise specified.

PRICES:		NUMBER & SIZE:	TOTAL COST:
MEN'S SHORT SLEEVE:	\$35	.....	.....
MEN'S SHORT SLEEVE WITH POCKET:	\$38	.....	.....
LADY'S SHORT SLEEVE:	\$35	.....	.....
LADY'S SHORT SLEEVE WITH POCKET:	\$38	.....	.....
LONG SLEEVE:	\$35	.....	.....
LONG SLEEVE WITH POCKET:	\$38	.....	.....
KID'S:	\$25	.....	.....

TOTAL TO PAY ON COLLECTION: \$.....

ANSA NEWS

There are still 43 species in the annual length competition without any winners, so remember to measure your fish on a brag matt or tape and submit a photo along with you holding the fish., there's a good chance you will leading.

Wouldn't you like to tag a few of these?? Noel Day 0430888945



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1xtyranos 20 shimano reel new in box \$200

1x Shimano stellar 18000 reel original box little use \$800 ono

Heaps of skirted lures by zac, southern cross and others some new some used prices on application / viewing

Hard bodies and jB tuna poppers

I live in Mariner crt Newport so come and have a look this is all top quality stuff and I will take a reasonable offer for the lot and willing to split .

Call me on 0411076275

Many thanks David Evans

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