

# Tackle Box

**Redcliffe  
Peninsula  
Game & Sportfish  
Club Inc.**



January 2014



**Brad Clayton tagged this black marlin aboard 'Life's Great'.**



*Photocopying of newsletter compliments of*

**Frank De Raadt**  
**For all your Real Estate Needs**  
**Ph. - 1300 337 223**





## Chairman's Report

January 2014

Hi All

I hope everyone had a great Christmas and New Year break and I wish everyone the best for 2014.

Thanks to all members, their families, friends and guests that turned out for the December Club Day Weekend weigh-in and BBQ. It was a great afternoon and it was fantastic of Santa to drop in with a few presents for the kids. Thanks Santa, see ya next year!

The 30th Anniversary Redcliffe Australia Day Billfish Tournament is almost here, so get your boats and crews organised and get your registration forms in. We will have a NEW CAR and a NEW BOAT PACKAGE along with heaps of other stuff as prizes. Tell all of your boating and fishing friends. This is the best value-for-money gamefishing competition going. You receive great meals every night, a trendy fishing shirt, a chance to win massive prizes, all this while fishing for 3 days with your mates. You could win big money in the Calcutta, fantastic trophies, raffle prizes and hopefully make some life-long friends. If you need a ride or looking for crew, drop Noel an email.

Fishing reports are looking positive for the Tournament with plenty of back marlin around. **Skipper Noel fishing out of "Life's Great" tagged 3 in 3 hours recently off the Cape and there** are plenty of baby backs off Mooloolaba. There are also heaps of mahi mahi biting lures along with wahoo and Yellowfin tuna. Ben knows where the Yellowfin are.

Later in the year we will try to organise a weekend at the Cowan Huts on Moreton as we have down in the past, so if you are interested let us know so we can gauge the enthusiasm for the idea.

A reminder to members to have a look at the club website regularly for updates on points, new pictures and upcoming events. Also have a look at the club records. There are plenty of vacant records to chase and if you set yourself goals and actively targeting your species - it will make you a better fisho. Having a dangle and hoping something will hook up eventually will get you a feed on occasions but will not make you a better angler. Also have a look at QGFA and ANSA records for options.

Club Weekend nominated species are Yellowfin tuna for offshore and whiting inshore.

See you at the weigh-in.

Cheers! Tight lines.

Mick King, Chairman





2013-2014 Club Point Scores  
at the end of December 2013

January 2014

					
<u>Angler</u>	<u>Sports Points</u>	<u>Game Points</u>	<u>Club Day Points</u>	<u>Vessel Under 7mt</u>	<u>Points</u>
Noel Day	492	12468	9596	Life's Great	15847
David Trask		5280	5280	Poppy G	3090
Steve Sharaga		5280	5280	Northside	1500
Grahame Rose		3000	3000	Kingfisher	1170
Frank Downey		3000	3000	Cranky	928
Mark Rose	60	2640	2700	Old Hooker	590
Phillip Thompson		2640	2640	Hard Yakka	456
Michael Knowles		2400	2400	Seaya	103
Tony Clarke		2395	780		
Riki Ramsey		601	601	<u>Vessel Over 7mt</u>	<u>Points</u>
Brian Mangnall		590	590	Big Business	9366
Michael King	514		484	Liquid Assets	5767
Todd Jensen		390	390	Pommie 1	2400
Danny Tanic		308	308	Andiamo	284
Robert Ware		264	264	Assylum	251
Kristie Keen		251	251	On Duty	229
Peter Distel		223	223		
Janine Cole	220		220		
Dylan Clayton		158	158		
Diana Drysdale	137		137		
Robyn Drysdale	136		136		
Karl Franks	132		132		
Kristen Trask		126	126		
John Schultze	89		89		
Doug Hall			50		
Troy Barron			42		
Carl Ladner	39		39		
Greg Skinner	117		38		
Peter Davies			18		
Jason Comino		2820			
Ben Steer		195			
Lynnie Day	38				
Peter Hiller	5				

Mark Rose underwater shot of his blue marlin

<u>Angler</u>	<u>Tag Sports Points</u>	<u>Tag Game Points</u>
Noel Day	180	12000
David Trask		5280
Steve Sharaga		5280
Grahame Rose		3000
Frank Downey		3000
Jason Comino		2820
Mark Rose	60	2640
Phillip Thompson		2640
Michael Knowles		2400
Tony Clarke		2280
Todd Jensen		390
Riki Ramsey		390
Ben Steer		195
Michael King	90	





# Tackle Box

2013-2014 Club Point Scores  
at the end of December 2013

January 2014

 <u>Angler</u>	 <u>Juniata Valley Sports Points</u>	 <u>Game Points</u>	 <u>Club Day</u>
Samuel King	896	229	1125
Corey Ramsey		131	131
Owen Franks	46		46
Owen Skinner	26		



## Junior birthdays this month



Happy birthday  
Owen Skinner!

Underwater mahi mahi - shot courtesy of Brad Clayton.



# Tackle Box

December Club Weekend  
and Christmas Party

January 2014





# Tackle Box

December Club Weekend  
and Christmas Party

January 2014







Club Weekend

January 2014

**GKR**  
**BRAKES & SUSPENSION**

- All Mechanical Repairs
- Wheel Alignments
- Safety Certificates (RWC)
- Log Book Servicing
- Brake Machining
- Diagnostic Scans
- Trailer servicing

**Ph: 3889 3113**  
**10 GRICE ST CLONTARF 4019**

**10% discount to all members**  
**or**  
**Free wheel alignment with any service**

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 17th January finishing on Sunday 19th December at 3.30-4.30pm and the species are Yellowfin Tuna and Whiting.





Fish of the Month

January 2014

<b>JANUARY:</b>	<b>Yellowfin Tuna</b>	<b>Whiting</b>
-----------------	-----------------------	----------------

MONTH	OFFSHORE SPECIES	PREVIOUS WINNER	INSHORE SPECIES	PREVIOUS WINNER
<b>February</b>	Mackerel	No winner	Cod	No winner
<b>March</b>	Mackerel Tuna	Ross Drysdale	Bream	Paul Higgins
<b>April</b>	Pearl Perch	No winner	Flathead	Mick King
<b>May</b>	Sweetlip	No winner	Bass	No winner
<b>June</b>	Longtail Tuna	No winner	Bream	Paul Higgins
<b>July</b>	Amberjack	No winner	Tailor	Karl Franks
<b>August</b>	Pearl Perch	Robbie Drysdale	Cod	No winner
<b>September</b>	Snapper	Noel Day	Bream	Janine Cole
<b>October</b>	Cobia	No winner	Flathead	Diana Drysdale
<b>November</b>	Mahi Mahi	Rob Ware	Bass	Sam King
<b>December</b>	Wahoo	Noel Day	Mangrove Jack	No winner





## Upcoming Events

January 2014

### 2014 Redcliffe Australia Day Billfish Tournament



Hosted By: Redcliffe Peninsula Game & Sportfish Club Inc.

Website: <http://www.rpgsc.com.au>

Contact Person: Michael King

Contact Phone: 0409 750 677

Status: Dates Approved | QGFA Sanctioned



[Flyer](#)

25/01/2014



[Rules](#)

27/01/2014



[Entry form](#)



### Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club Classic

Hosted By: Sunshine Coast Game Fishing Club

Website: <http://www.scgfc.com.au>

Contact Person: Brett Barton

Contact Phone: 0414 775 133

Status: Dates Approved | QGFA Sanctioned



[Flyer](#)

30/01/2014



[Rules](#)

02/02/2014



[Entry form](#)



### Haines Group Classic & Garmin Interclub Shield

Hosted By: The Little Ship Game Fish Club

Website: <http://www.littleshipclub.com.au/>

Contact Person: Steve Carroll

Contact Phone: 0412 843 777

Status: Dates Approved | Sanctioning Pending

21/02/2014

23/02/2014

### SURFERS PARADISE GAME AND SPORT FISHING CLUB - ALL TACKLE ALL SPECIES TOURNAMENT



Hosted By: Surfers Paradise Game & Sport Fish Club Inc.

Website: <http://www.spgsfc.com/>

Contact Person: Andrew Dunbar

Contact Phone: 0428 460 113

Status: Dates Approved | Sanctioning Pending

07/03/2014

09/03/2014



Australia Day Tournament

January 2014

Enter before Friday 16th January!

Hot  
marlin  
bite!

MUGF  
Guzzler

8kg

A tournament poster with a dark background and a large white star. The text is in various fonts and colors, including red, white, and blue. It includes details about the tournament venue, prizes, and dates.

**2014 THE REDCLIFFE AUSTRALIA DAY BILLFISH TOURNAMENT**

**8KG LIGHT TACKLE**

**30 YEAR ANNIVERSARY**

Redcliffe Peninsula Game & Sportfish Club Inc.

- Tournament venue is: Moreton Bay Boat Club at Scarborough
- Thousands of dollars worth of prizes and trophies will be won including a **NEW CAR** and a **NEW BOAT!**

**Briefing Night**  
24 January at 7pm

**Fishing**  
25-27 January

**Presentation**  
27 January at 6pm

For further details visit [www.rpgsc.com.au](http://www.rpgsc.com.au) or contact David Trask 0412 886 077

Several anglers are looking for places in a team, so if you have a spare spot on your boat, please let Noel Day know at [noelday@optusnet.com.au](mailto:noelday@optusnet.com.au) or call him on 0430 888-945.

Car & Boat to be won!





Membership Form

January 2014

**REDCLIFFE PENINSULA GAME & SPORTFISH CLUB INC.**  
**MEMBERSHIP 2013-2014**

Please Note: It is a condition of membership to the MBBC Game & Sportfish Section that you are either a full member or social member of the MBBC before completing this form.

\*The MBBC G & S C membership runs for the period July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2014.

Print 'clearly', all applicable details to avoid delays in your membership being processed.

M.B.B.C. MEMBERSHIP NO: ..... (or MBBC Receipt No): .....

NAME: .....

ADDRESS: ..... P/C: .....

E-MAIL ADDRESS: .....

PH: ..... Mobile No: .....

**IF FAMILY MEMBERSHIP IS APPLICABLE, PLEASE LIST**

NAME ..... RELATIONSHIP ..... DOB / /

NAME ..... RELATIONSHIP ..... DOB / /

NAME ..... RELATIONSHIP ..... DOB / /

NAME ..... RELATIONSHIP ..... DOB / /

NAME ..... RELATIONSHIP ..... DOB / /

**BOAT DETAILS** REGO NO. .... CALL SIGN .....

TYPE ..... LENGTH ..... COLOUR .....

**FISHING SECTION MEMBERSHIP FEES**

Single	\$25.00	\$ .....
Family	\$40.00	\$ .....

**A.N.S.A. MEMBERSHIP FEES**

Senior Male/Female	\$50.00	\$ .....
Family	\$75.00	\$ .....
Junior Male/Female (age 10-15 yrs)	\$20.00	\$ .....
Student (age 16-20 yrs)	\$20.00	\$ .....

**Q.G.F.A. MEMBERSHIP FEES**

Senior Male/Female	\$33.00	\$ .....
		\$ .....
Junior Male/Female	\$22.00	\$ .....

**TOTAL** \$ .....

I wish to pay my membership/s fees with the following credit card:

MASTERCARD \_\_\_\_\_ VISA \_\_\_\_\_

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Cardholder Name: (Please print) .....

Cardholder Signature: .....

Applicant Signature: ..... Date: .....

Approved by: ..... Receipt No: .....  
(Chairman/Sec/Treasurer)

QGFA Delegate: ..... ANSA Delegate: .....



Australia Day Tournament

January 2014

# 30th REDCLIFFE AUSTRALIA DAY BILLFISH TOURNAMENT 2014

Hosted by RPG&SC inc. Venue will be the MBBC - Bird O'Passage Parade, Scarborough.

This Q.G.F.A. sanctioned Tournament aims to promote the sport of Gamefishing and encourage healthy competition between anglers, crews and clubs in a sportsman like manner while enjoying the social aspects of this event.

## TOURNAMENT TIMES

FRIDAY 24<sup>th</sup> January –Registration 6pm & Briefing 7.30pm  
SATURDAY 25<sup>th</sup> January – Day 1 Fishing 7am to 4 pm  
SUNDAY 26<sup>th</sup> January – Day 2 Fishing 7am to 4pm  
MONDAY 27<sup>th</sup> January – Day 3 Fishing 7am to 2pm .Dinner & Presentation 6pm

## TOURNAMENT FEES

Tournament entry fee include 3 meals, polo shirt, boat berth, RED Levy and Last Man Standing  
Senior Anglers - \$220 per person  
Junior Anglers - \$165 per person  
Late Fee \$50.00 per boat

## TOURNAMENT DETAILS

### Memberships:

All anglers must be current financial members of a club affiliated with G.F.A.A. or Q.G.F.A and proof of membership may be required. The organisers reserve the right to refuse entry to any person. Temporary membership may be organised prior to registration night.

### Tournament Entry:

Entry forms must be received by the tournament committee before Friday 16th January. A late fee of \$50 per boat will be incurred for entries after this date. The organisers reserve the right to refuse entry to any person.

### Briefing:

It is compulsory for at least one member of each team to attend the briefing.  
Boats may depart from other ports to proceed to the fishing grounds to commence fishing at 7.00am on Day 1.  
All competing boats must return to the MBBC after cease fishing each day, and depart from there or Newport.  
Trailer boats may be towed back to MBBC.

**Weather and Breakdowns:** Allowances will not be made for fishing time lost during bad weather or breakdown. The Tournament Committee reserves the right to cancel or postpone fishing due to bad weather at any time.

### Fishing Grounds:

Fishing grounds will be between lines directly east of Noosa Heads to a line directly East of Point Lookout and all oceanic waters in between.





## Australia Day Tournament

January 2014

### **Presentation and Last Man Standing:**

Each angler must be present at the Presentation and the Last Man Standing if he or she is to receive a prize or trophy. The Last Man Standing is a reverse lucky prize draw giveaway for the competing anglers randomly chosen. The order and number of prizes will be determined by the tournament committee and the tournament committee's decision is final.

### **Trophy Categories:**

CHAMPION ANGLER OVERALL  
CHAMPION ANGLER MALE/FEMALE  
CHAMPION JUNIOR  
CHAMPION BOAT AND TEAM 7M AND UNDER  
CHAMPION BOAT AND TEAM OVER 7M  
CHAMPION ANGLER BILLFISH DAY 1, DAY 2 and DAY 3  
CHAMPION ANGLER OTHER SPECIES

### **Radio Skeds:**

Competing boats must have VHF radio. All skippers must keep radio sked sheets. Skeds will be on VHF21 at 10.03am, 1.03pm and 3.03pm for Day 1 and Day 2 and at 10.30am 1.03pm for Day 3. All hook ups after the last sked on each day must be reported to Game Fish Base. Boats are to report name, grid position, strikes, hook ups, tags or captures, anglers name and species to the Game Fish Base. All boats must report each sked or relay via another vessel or mobile phone. A penalty may apply for failure to respond to skeds. 1st Billfish tagged MUST be called in immediately.

### **Boat Length:**

For the purpose of the tournament, boat length overall to be determined from the measurement taken from the bow (excluding bowsprit) to the stern (excluding outboard pods). This measurement will be used to determine 7 metres and under, or over 7 metres.

### **Weigh-ins:**

The weigh-in will be conducted at Moreton Bay Boat Club, Scarborough.  
For Day 1 and Day 2 weigh-in will be between 4.30pm and 6.30pm. For Day 3 the weigh-in will be between 2.30pm and 4.00pm. Weigh-in outside these hours by arrangement only (only boats having fished overtime). All edible fish may be gilled and gutted and will attract 10% weight allowance. All record claims must be presented whole. Points will not be recorded unless capture forms are filled in correctly for both tagged and captured fish. To receive points, each Angler must present their capture forms, tag cards and captures to the weighmaster in person and must remain with the weighmaster during weighing and recording. There will be a limit of three fish of any one species per Angler per day that may be weighed. Fish must not be left at the weigh station. All captured unwanted fish must be disposed of in the correct manner. Points will be deducted for any infringements.

### **Boat Insurance:**

All boats nominating to fish the Redcliffe Australia Day Billfish Tournament are required to have current boat insurance. Details of such insurance must be completed on the entry form. Should a boat not have insurance, nor be able to supply evidence of insurance prior to the commencement of the tournament, that boat shall be excluded from participating in the tournament. All onboard safety remains the responsibility of the owner/ skipper.

### **Fuel and Berths:**

Fuel and ice will be available for purchase (details on briefing night). The MBBC Marina berths will be available to competitors on request.

### **Amenities:**

There are amenities available at the club including showers. Ice is available from the club bar.

### **Misconduct:**

The Tournament Committee reserves the right at any stage of the tournament to disqualify or deduct points from individuals or teams who are deemed to have conducted themselves in a disrespectful manner or are deemed to have brought the sport of Gamefishing into disrepute.





Australia Day Tournament

January 2014

#### **FISHING RULES**

1. Each team will consist of no more than six (6) and no less than two (2) anglers.
2. One line class of 8 kg will be fished and points will be scored accordingly.
3. A maximum of two rods per angler only, except when live baiting
4. Live baiting - one rod per angler to be used and cannot be handled by others.
5. The capture of live bait is not permitted prior to commencement of fishing on day one.
6. Each angler to receive equal fishing opportunity.
7. Boat crew is not permitted to assist in any way other than to tag and release or capture the fish as per G.F.A.A rules. Points apply when tag is inserted.
8. Hook ups that go into overtime are permitted on Day 1 and Day 2 only but must be reported to game base prior to cease fishing. No overtime will be permitted on Day 3.
9. Tag points will apply to Billfish only. To be eligible for tag points, all Billfish must be tagged with NSW fisheries "Billfish only" tags. Tagging with any other tag will result in disqualification of the fish. Each Billfish tagged will score 750 points.
10. The only "other species" eligible for weighing are Yellowfin Tuna, Longtail Tuna, Mahi Mahi, Wahoo, Spanish Mackerel and Cobia and must be equal to or greater than line class. A weigh limit of 3 of any species per angler per day will apply.
11. Capture points are calculated as fish weight x 100 divided by line class (8 kg).
12. In the event of a tie, the first to attain the total score will be deemed as the winner.
13. The tournament committee will decide all trophy winners. The Club reserves the right to review the awarding of any trophy.
14. An angler must submit any protests relating to the tournament in writing no later than the close of weigh-in on the day of the alleged infringement. Decision of the tournament committee is final.
15. Fishing area limits will be as per grid sheet supplied at the briefing. All vessels must log on and off with game fish base. In the event of a vessel returning early, they must notify game fish base.
16. The waiver on the registration form must be signed on behalf of all entrants of that team by the team captain.
17. Boats logging off for the day are deemed to have ceased fishing for that day.
18. Q.G.F.A Rules and Regulations and Queensland Fisheries restrictions apply.
19. Skippers may manoeuvre the boat to assist the angler.

#### **Contacts:**

**Tournament Director- David Trask – 0412 886 077 - david@traskdevcorp.com.au**

**Club Chairman - Michael King – 0409 750 677 – kingsfour@bigpond.com.au**

**Club Secretary - Greg Evans – 0407 010 957 - greg.evans1@bigpond.com**

**Club Captain - Mark Rose – 0433 183 186 - marose1@optusnet.com.au**

**MBBC – 3203 5188 - manager@mbbc.org.au**





Australia Day Tournament

January 2014

## 30th REDCLIFFE AUSTRALIA DAY BILLFISH TOURNAMENT 2014



**Tournament Registration Form**

**Briefing Fri 24<sup>th</sup> - Fishing 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> January.**

Vessel Name: _____	Length: _____	Berth Required: Yes / No
Boat Insurance Company (MANDATORY): _____		Policy No: _____
Expiry: ____/____/____		
Skipper/Owner: _____		
Mobile: _____		Email: _____

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

Total number of senior angler: \_\_\_\_\_ X \$220.00 = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total number of junior anglers: \_\_\_\_\_ X \$165.00 = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Non Fishing Skipper/Crew: \_\_\_\_\_ X \$220.00 = \_\_\_\_\_ Shirt size: S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL, 4XL  
 Additional Dinners: \_\_\_\_\_ X \$30.00 = \_\_\_\_\_  
 3 Meal package: \_\_\_\_\_ X \$85.00 = \_\_\_\_\_  
 Extra shirts: \_\_\_\_\_ X \$40.00 = \_\_\_\_\_ Shirt size: S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL, 4XL  
 Total cost payable = \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete Registration Form and return to John Schultze @ 393 Scarborough Rd, Scarborough, Qld, 4020. Or you can email to [jschultze393@gmail.com](mailto:jschultze393@gmail.com) or hand in at Club events or meetings. Cheques made payable to: RPG& C Inc.

I wish to pay my entry fee with the following credit card:    MasterCard    Visa

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_    Expiry date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Card Holder: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_    Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*All onboard safety remains the responsibility of the owner/skipper. Waiver - We agree to the rules as published. In consideration of your accepting me/us as a competitor or guest (as the case maybe), I/we absolve the Redcliffe peninsula Game & Sportfish Club Inc., and its 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 may be claimed or awarded against you, or that you may suffer resulting from injury or loss to me/us or any of my/our invited invitees or licensees or guests or to any property of my/our invitees, licensees or guests. In consideration of your accepting me /us as a competitor or guest, I/we accept that the decision of the committee in awarding Last Man Standing prizes and other prizes is at the discretion of the tournament committee and their decision is final.*

Team captain on behalf of all anglers - Sign: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

# Tackle Box

Fish Tales

January 2014



First marlin tagged for Grahame Rose aboard his 4.6 metre tinny Poppy G (left).

Mark Rose' blue marlin being revived before release aboard Liquid Asset (below).



Ethan Kroll landed some excellent pearl perch on a recent trip out, including two that measured 53cm on plastics in 80m with his dad Matthew. Well done Ethan!

Please send any contributions and photos for Tackle Box to:

[aerosea@live.com](mailto:aerosea@live.com)

Thanks!  
Robbie Drysdale,  
Editor