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February 2023

2023 MBBC RADBT - Champion Boat Overall - ARTEMIS



Next Club Meeting will be on the 8th February



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MBBC 2023 Redcliffe Australia Day Billfish Tournament Results

Champion Boat Overall - *Artemis*

Champion Boat Over 7.5m - *Spartacus*

Champion Boat 7.5m and under - *Artemis*

Champion Angler Overall - *George Bury*

Champion Angler Day 1 - *George Bury*

Champion Angler Day 2 - *Ben Kelly*

Champion Angler Male - *George Bury*

Champion Angler Female - *Leanne Kalpus*

Champion Angler Junior - *Riley Kroll*

Champion Angler Other Species - *Darren Essex*

First Billfish Tagged and Released - *Shelly Nolan*

Last Billfish Tagged and Released - *Rylee Lowe*

Champion Two Boat Team - *Filthy / Spartacus*



Chairman's Report

G'day all,

The MBBC Redcliffe Australia Day Billfish Tournament has been run and done with 2 days of great weather, not seen for this event in a while. 17 boats were entered from 5 clubs and plenty of fish caught.

Big thank you to all our sponsors for the wonderful support they give to our club. Thanks also to the tournament committee and the ground crew on the weekend especially Matt Kroll who chaired the committee and organised a great event, Maddy Eagle who put a huge amount of time and effort into the sponsorships of the event and Greg Evans who as secretary of the club does a huge amount of work in the background that no one sees.

The committee and the club also thanks Janine Downey for her time and efforts as the club treasurer, Janine has done a great job and is now standing down from the position. The club needs someone to step in and take over as soon as possible.

Vaughn Daly



Club Captain's Report

Complimented by a perfect weather forecast, it's pleasing to be able to report this month that the 2023 MBBC Australia Day Billfish Tournament was a huge success! We saw 17 boats from 5 clubs compete, consisting of 55 senior male, 11 senior female, and 6 junior anglers.

Winner for the comp was Artemis captained by Scott Phillips who was fishing under Sunshine Coast with fellow sunny coaster George Bury and our very own Diego. I'm going to cross out Sunny Coast and replace it with Redcliffe on your form next year Scott. 🙏

Everything on the day went off without a hitch. It was practically a sell out crowd at the presentation dinner and the catering on both the Saturday and Sunday night was top notch (nice work leading the BBQ Greg). Great work all round from the tournament committee, Janine, the ground crew and again thanks to all our sponsors who make the magic happen. Special mention to Maddy who is a marvel when it comes to securing our sponsors. The count down begins to next years!

In other comp news, the Krolls fished the Bribie tournament and managed to take line honours with 2 striped marlin and a blue on day 2 after losing a black boat side on day 1. It was horrendous weather and shout out to my daughter Alyssa who managed her first billfish during it. The Sunshine Coast comp has been and gone with Artemis again fishing well with 2 blacks on day 1, but not enough to beat out the heavy tackle boats with White Noise winning the under 7.5m class and Virtue winning overall.

Billfish Babes out of Mooloolaba is next on calendar from the 10th to the 12th February, with a short break until Back to Tangas on the 3rd, 4th and 5th of March, and then finally Newport on the 11th and 12th of March. A reminder to everyone to support other clubs wherever you can, just as they support ours.

Finally, we need to lock down a date for the freshwater trip. I will throw two date options in the ring to kick things off, being the weekend of the 18th of March, or the weekend of the 1st of April. These two dates sit between the Newport comp which some of us will fish and the Easter holidays which we should work to avoid. Borumba was a clear favourite with the vote count on location, so let's work on that based on availability and numbers.

Tight lines,
Matt.



Hi Fishos,

Champion Club status, we are still in 4th position with 39 species.

Next event on the ANSA calendar is the Statewide Species Challenge to be held on the May day Long weekend. There is no need to register for this event. The aim of this competition is to catch as many different species of fish over the weekend. It doesn't matter if you tag or bag your fish. The fish can be of any size, but you will need to take a picture and measure and submit. There is no obligation to compete for the full time. It is just meant to be some fun. I think Bundaberg won it last year.

After that, later in May, Sunshine Coast SFC will be hosting the STH QLD Interclub Challenge May 19th to 21st. This event will be run out of Carlo Point. Venue will be BIG4 Breeze Holiday Park. Some of our members have been here before and can provide an insight into accommodation and fishing options. Challenge is a club-based event, and our club is the defending champions. There are inshore, offshore and land-based fishing on offer. Full details should be on the ANSA events page very soon.

Fishing report - My son Sam has been fishing Kurwongbah Dam, near Petrie recently out of his kayak. This is a paddle only waterway and a SIPS is required. He has been catching good numbers of Saratoga up to 500. No big ones yet. Also, some Bass, all on frog surface lures casting to the lily pads.

Just back from Monduran Dam chasing Barra for a few days, 10 Barra caught and released, and they were all in the 560 to 580mm range. Even at that size they still try to put up a fight. Best on field was the old favourite, the 100mm white slick rig. We caught them on several types. On arrival to the dam, the fishing reports all said it was tuff fishing, so we were happy to get a few. No big fish but, I did see a 103 caught by another bloke trolling mid-morning in the main basin. Fishing should improve further over the next couple of months.

Tight Lines,

Mick King



Weighmasters Report



Congratulations, to all that fished our club weekend., held on the 14/15 January.

The forecast for the weekend was 15 – 20knts. Not surprising that not much was weighed.

Offshore species was mackerel - None weighed so jackpots to \$250.

Inshore species was Dart – none weighed so jackpots to \$100

Other heaviest species was won by Mick King with A flathead , again , weighing 1140 gm.

This month's club weekend fishing comp species are Kingfish / cobia @ \$250 and cod @ \$100.

Club weekend being Friday 10th - starting at 4pm and finishing at the weigh in on Sunday 12th at 430pm.

Reminder club record all tackle length cobia – 1113mm held by Neil Bailey

Reminder club record all tackle length for Cod – 430mm held by Diego Zambrana

Offshore report - There has been a great run of small blacks in the trench and on the sunny coast fads. There are closures for Spanish mackerel south of Mackay from 1 February 2023 to 21 February 2023 and 1 March 2023 to 21 March 2023.

Inshore report - There has been good numbers of snapper from the reefs in front of Redcliffe , still flathead to be found and the odd whiting. Spotty mackerel in the southern part of the bay
The billfish tournament held on the Australia day weekend was fantastic for all that entered, and a showpiece for the MBBC, I want to thank the tournament committee for organising an outstanding event and a special thanks to Gregg Evans and Vaughan Daly for taking on the extra duties of weighmaster so I could fish the tournament.

it was great to see the numbers of fish being caught and the number of boats entered. This is truly one of the premiere events for the QGFA and should be on everyone's bucket list!!

128 strikes, 85 hook-ups , 49 fish landed , 29 of these were black Marlin, 13 wahoo and 7 non-Qualifying fish.

WOW, so many great Fishing stories ,make sure you're at the weigh in on Sunday , 12th February.

Neil





Club Points Leaderboard



NB: Not all points have been recorded from the RADBT as we are still waiting on some capture sheets

RPGSC Club Points - as of 6th February 2023

Sport Fish - Senior Male		
Name	Release	Capture
Andrew Burke	0	250
Andrew Doherty	60	62
Carlos Zambrana	120	0
Diego Zambrana	3810	126
Frank Downey	30	43
John Vandenberg	0	29
Matthew Carpi	0	36
Mick King	705	699
Neil Bailey	80	789
Neville Watkins	0	12
Noel Day	685	177
Scott Phillips	0	452
Vaughn Daly	60	131

Sport Fish - Senior Female		
Name	Release	Capture
Joanne Doherty	0	34
Laura Fielding	30	33
Talitha Phillips	0	261

Sport Fish - Junior		
Name	Release	Capture

Sport Fish - Sub Junior		
Name	Release	Capture
Athea Auguston	0	56
Theia Auguston	120	39

Game Fish - Senior Male		
Name	Release	Capture
Andrew Burke	2400	0
Brad Clayton	7500	0
Carlos Zambrana	1500	0
Chris Thomson	0	234
David Barry	3000	0
Diego Zambrana	12630	102
Ethan Kroll	1500	0
John Eagle	4500	0
Matt Kroll	1320	0
Ralph Bowler	3000	0
Scott Phillips	4320	0
Trevor Singleton	1500	0

Game Fish - Junior		
Name	Release	Capture
Alyssa Kroll	1500	0

Club Day		
Name	Sport	Game
Athea Auguston	56	0
Andrew Burke	250	0
Andrew Doherty	122	0
Diego Zambrana	0	3000
Frank Downey	43	0
Joanne Doherty	34	0
John Eagle	0	3000
Laura Fielding	63	0
Matthew Carpi	36	0
Mick King	1007	0
Neil Bailey	699	0
Noel Day	185	0
Ralph Bowler	0	3000
Scott Phillips	57	0
Talitha Phillips	72	0
Theia Auguston	39	0
Vaughn Daly	131	0

Out of Area		
Name	Sport	Game
Brad Clayton	0	900
Carlos Zambrana	110	0
Diego Zambrana	0	300
Frank Downey	35	0
John Schultze	227	0
Mick King	255	0
Noel Day	299	0

Vessel - Small	
Name	Total
Dora	1470
KingFisher	1267
Lifes Good	582
Guinness	348
Jellyfish	156
Fisher	90
Dreamtime	45
Apolloman	35
Barney	15
Ralphy	12

Vessel - Medium	
Name	Total
Artemis	14886
Coca Krolla	4320
Galuega	779
Heat Wave	250
Chucky	210

Vessel - Large	
Name	Total
Salty Nuts	4500
Over It	3000

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Last Man Standing



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Club weekend Fish of the Month for 2022-2023 season

2022-20223	OFFSHORE SPECIES	WINNER	INSHORE SPECIES	WINNER	HEAVIEST OTHER SPECIES
July	Amberjack	No Winner	Tailor	No Winner	Neil Bailey / Cobia
August	Parrot/Tusk fish	No Winner	Flathead	Neil Bailey	No Winner
September	Snapper	Andrew Burke	Whiting	Mathew Carpi	Mick King / Tuna
October	Pearl Perch	No Winner	Javelin	Mick King	Mick King / Flathead
November	Mahi Mahi	No Winner	Salmon	No Winner	Andrew Burke / Wahoo
December	Wahoo	No Winner	Bream	Neville Watkins	Mick King / Flathead
January	Mackerel	No Winner	Dart	No Winner	Mick King / Flathead
February	Kingfish / Cobia	\$250	Cod	\$100	\$50
March	Tuna	-	Whiting	-	-
April	Pearl Perch	-	Flathead	-	-
May	Sweetlip / Emporer	-	Bass	-	-
June	Snapper	-	Bream	-	-

To win the money for the monthly nominated fish inshore or offshore species, simply weigh in the heaviest All fish weighed, regardless of whether they are in for the 'fish of the month' must be labelled with the angler's name and line class. To receive double club points, fish must be tagged or caught on the Club Weekend only and Capture sheets correctly completed and handed in or fish weighed in at M.B.B.C. from 3.30pm to 4.30pm on the Sunday. Prizes for the heaviest 'fish of the month' will be awarded so you must be there.

Reminder, club fishing weekend starts 4.00pm on

Friday and finishing on Sunday at 3.30pm.

OTHER SPECIES \$50 PER MONTH NO JACKPOTS



Dates to Remember

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>WHERE / WHO</u>	<u>CONTACT</u>
<u>FEBRUARY 2023</u>			
2nd	SCGFC Classic 2023	Sunshine Coast GFC	Jay Graham - 0409 694 154
8th	<u>General Meeting 7.00pm start</u>	M.B.B.C.	R.P.G.S.C. Committee
10th - 12th	<u>Club Weekend</u>	M.B.B.C.	
10th - 12th	Billfish Babes 2023	Mooloolaba GFC	Joshua Cox - 0403 431 480
17th	OUR FRIDAY RAFFLE NIGHT	M.B.B.C.	
17th - 19th	Garmin Gamefish Classic	Little Ship GFC	Scott - 0459 593 998
<u>MARCH 2023</u>			
3rd - 5th	Back to Tangas	Moreton Bay GFC	Barry Parker - 0413 740 344
8th	<u>General Meeting 7.00pm start</u>	M.B.B.C.	R.P.G.S.C. Committee
10th - 12th	<u>Club Weekend</u>	M.B.B.C.	
10th - 12th	Newport Marlin Extravaganza	Newport GFC	David Trask - 0412 886 077
17th	OUR FRIDAY RAFFLE NIGHT	M.B.B.C.	



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Membership Form 2022-2023



Please NOTE: it is a condition of membership to the RPG&SC that you are a member of the Moreton Bay Boat Club. Membership runs for the period 1st July 2022 – 30th June 2023. Payment of membership fees does not guarantee acceptance of membership until approved by the management committee. Return form to the RPG&SC Treasurer by email to: treasurer@rpgsc.com.au

M.B.B.C. MEMBERSHIP: Full / Associate / Social - :NO.....

NAME:

ADDRESS:

E-MAIL ADDRESS:

PH: MOBILE:

IF FAMILY MEMBERSHIP Please List all members + MBBC No for over 18's. DOB is for Juniors, must be 16 and under

NAME:RELATIONSHIP:DOB:...../...../.....MBBC No.....

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BOAT DETAILS

REGO: NAME /CALL SIGN:Insurance Policy #.....

TYPE:LENGTH: COLOUR:

FISHING CLUB MEMBERSHIP FEES

SENIOR \$50.00 \$.....

JUNIOR under 16 free \$.....0

FAMILY (2 adults) \$80.00 \$.....

A.N.S.A. MEMBERSHIP FEES.

SENIOR \$45.00 \$.....

JUNIOR \$10.00 \$.....

FAMILY (1 Couple & 2 Children) \$68.00 \$.....

O.G.F.A. MEMBERSHIP FEES

SENIOR \$35.00 \$.....

JUNIOR \$22.50 \$.....

TOTAL \$.....

I wish to pay my membership fees with a MASTERCARD: or VISA:

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Cardholders Name: (Please Print)

Cardholders Signature:

Applicants Signature: **Date:**/...../.....

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Approved by: **Receipt No:**