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Winner of the July 2010 Photo Competition

*My First King 3.22 kg
Anthony Heiser*

About the Club

The Canberra Fisherman's Club Inc. is a sport fishing club that endeavours to promote a social awareness among its members, single or family. General meetings are held on the second Tuesday of every month at the **Eastlakes Football Club No 3 Oxley St Griffith ACT** beginning at 7:30pm. All members and visitors are most welcome.

Members of the Canberra Fisherman's Club are eligible to set Club Records and, upon payment of an Australian National Sport fishing Association (ANSA) affiliation fee, also able to set Australian records, and World records (through ANSA affiliation with the International Game Fishing Association (IGFA)).

Aims of the Club

- To promote sport fishing
- To foster the art of angling
- To teach the art of angling to new members and particularly juniors
- To promote the study and conservation of fish species and the environment
- To co-operate with and support other bodies with similar aims and ideals.

The Club also supports the Recfish Australia National Code of Practice for Recreational and Sport Fishing, which endorses:

- Quickly and correctly returning unwanted or illegal catch to the water
- Quickly killing fish that are kept for consumption
- Using only appropriate, legal tackle, attending gear and valuing the catch
- Taking no more than our immediate needs
- Supporting and encouraging activities that preserve, restore and enhance fisheries and fish habitat
- Understanding and observing all fishing regulations and reporting illegal fishing activities
- Preventing pollution and protecting wildlife by removing rubbish
- Taking care when boating and anchoring to avoid damage to wildlife and habitat
- Using established roads and tracks
- Reporting environmental damage
- Avoiding unnecessary interactions with wildlife species and their habitats
- Practising courtesy towards all those who use inland and coastal waters
- Obtaining permission from landholders and traditional owners before entering their land
- Caring for our own safety and the safety of others when fishing.

Membership Fees

	CFC	ANSA
Junior	\$5	\$4
Student	-	\$7
Senior	\$20	\$19
Family	\$30	\$24

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2010-2011 Canberra Fisherman's Club Outing & Meeting Calendar

Outing Date	Outing	Monthly Meeting's
18th-19th September	Kalkite Outing (Jindabyne)	14th
16th-17th October	Talbingo Outing	12th
5th-7th November	Burrinjuck Convention 3 days of Fun	9th
4th-5th December	Burrinjuck Outing Christmas Party TBA	14th

President's Report

Hi all,

Welcome to the first edition of the Canberra Fisherman's Club Newsletter 2010/11.

The AGM has come and gone, and we have a new committee. There wasn't a great deal of deck chair shuffling; a lot of things have remained as they were. Brian Stacy decided that he wouldn't stand again as the Treasurer, so I'd like to thank him for his 3 years in the position. Chris De La Rue also decided not to return to the committee, so we have a couple of new people on the committee. Keith Smith nominated Chris Lemon who accepted the challenge, and Bruce Murray put his hand up as well. So the Committee for the this year is

President	Greg Davis
Vice President	Jamie Stanfield
Secretary	Chris Head
Assistant Secretary	Pat Luttrell
Treasurer	Anthony Heiser
Committee	Steve Borkowskis Keith Smith Glen Malam Chris Lemmon Bruce Murray

I'm looking forward to a great year for the CFC. With the additional time available due to the new committee meeting time, I'm sure this years committee can re-invigorate the Club. If there is anything you'd like the committee to address, speak to one of the committee members and we'll put it on the agenda for the next meeting.

Presentation Dinner

Somewhere in this issue there is a flyer for the Presentation Dinner, just in case you didn't get one at the AGM, or haven't received your personalised one in the mailbox. We've gone a bit upmarket this year, so even though last years dinner was very nice, this year will be even better. We've tried to keep the price as low as possible to make it affordable, so I'd love to see there. It's at the Eastlakes Football Club again, on Saturday the 11th September, with pre-dinner drinks at 7:00 PM, to be seated for Dinner at 7:30 PM.

Tackle World Expo

Once again we're running the BBQ at the Tackleworld Expo to show our appreciation for their fantastic sponsorship throughout the year. Unfortunately it clashes with the September outing, so it may be difficult to get people to assist. If you have some spare time on 17th, 18th, or 19th September, let Chris Head or Pat Luttrell know. The benefit of attending is that there are some great Expo specials. Last year I walked away with a great 1-3 Kg LOX rod for a great price, definitely made it worth it in my opinion!

Recent and Future Outings

Well the outings have been fantastic lately; I have two to report on this month. Firstly, what a blast we had at the Ulladulla/Kioloa/Wairoa outing on the 24th and 25th July. I won't spoil it too much as Anthony Heiser has written a great article on the outing that's included elsewhere in the newsletter. What I will say is that the outing was great. I had a big bruise on my leg from the butt of the rod by the end of the Saturday. Gee those Ulladulla Kingfish pull hard!! And the beach fishing on the Sunday was very good as well.

Last weekend, 14th and 15th August, was the Buckenderra outing down at Lake Eucumbene. I won't spoil this one either, as I know there is an article being written for next month's newsletter. The

weather wasn't that flash, although it could have been worse. Friday afternoon was good, however the rest of the weekend was very windy, and coming straight across the lake. I didn't manage to get a fish, only managed to miss two good bites. There was some good fish caught, and it was a good introduction to the Club for our latest new member, Hendrik Maat, who did manage to catch a nice Rainbow. Steve Borkowskis proved once again that on some days or weekends some people have it, some don't, by catching a good number of trout over the weekend.

The next outing it's off to Kalkite on the 18th and 19th September. This is usually a well attended outing, and accommodation is filling fast so if you're interested and you're names not on the list, you'd best get in touch with Keith Smith or myself soon.

And in October it's off to the WWBCA Talbingo Convention. It's always a great event, with some challenging fishing. The fish are there, but you need to work for them. Ask Eric Borkowskis, who had to paddle Steve's boat around all day last year so Steve could get a 4 Kg Golden Perch! That event is on the 16th and 17th of October.

Well, that's it for me this month,

Cheers

Greg Davis

President

Work fills in time between fishing trips.



Secretary's Report

Hello all members & visitors,

The AGM has come and gone again which means another year has passed us by and a first for me in a secretary role. I would like to thanks all those people that assisted me over the year it was much appreciated

Well it seems I have a job for another year so I will try and improve on last year. Welcome to the new committee with some familiar faces and a couple of new faces, look forward to working with you all towards a great year for the club.

Presentation Night

Date for the Diary: Saturday 11th September from 7:00pm

The Presentation Night of the Canberra Fisherman's Club will be held at Eastlake Football Club, 3 Oxley Street, Griffith, on Saturday 11th September from 7:00pm. If you have not already picked up a flyer at the AGM then you should receive an invitation in the post shortly.

Members Survey

Well the member's survey has been deployed via email for those who don't have email and were not at the AGM, you should receive a copy in the post shortly. This is your opportunity to let us know what you want out of your club and how we can live up to your expectations.

Outings

Well I managed to co-ordinate some spare time to attend the August outing, pretty sad really as it feels like January since I attended an outing wait hang on it was, how time flies. A well deserved trip too took off the Friday and headed on up at a leisurely pace boat and the club recorder in tow. Called into Alpine Angler for a quick chat and couldn't help myself with a couple of purchases to send me on my way. Found the accommodation to be very comfortable and warm although the shower could do with some work as someone said "it's like running around and getting shot with a water pistol". Well needless to say the company was great, unfortunately due to the weather the boat did not make it into the water but we found a good spot to fish from the bank and I even managed to catch a fish or two. All in all a great outing and would recommend it to all members although I would suggest taking plenty of warm clothing which fortunately I did. See outing report in next month's newsletter for all the details.

Next outing is Kalkite 18 -19 September. Once again panning out to be a well attended outing if you are keen to go I suggest you contact Keith sooner rather than later.

Tackle World Expo

Date for the Diary: Friday 17th - Sunday 19th

For those of you like me who cannot make the Kalkite outing we are looking for volunteers to assist with the Expo barbecue as we support our major sponsor by running the barby for them. So if you can spare some time over these dates please contact Greg or myself and put your name on the roster. Talking to Matt from Tackle World they have a great line up of speakers and presenters so you could learn a lot while flipping a few snags and helping out our sponsor.



May all your fishy dreams eventually come true!

Chris Head

The Kioloa Outing (24-25 July 2010)

Report by Anthony Heiser

The first outing for the 2010-11 fishing year took place at Kioloa and has set the standard for the remaining 11 outings. Over 60 fish were captured over the weekend including 11 kingfish, 26 bonito, 11 Australian salmon and 4 tailor. The highlight of the outing was definitely the kingfish – only three were undersized and none were lost to the seals.

The outing was attended by Greg, Brian, Keith, Glen, Mitchell and I. Glen and Mitchell just went to Ulladulla on Saturday for a day trip while the rest of us stayed in two cabins on Wairo Beach Tourist Park. The accommodation was within ten minutes walk to the beach and Keith and I decided to beach fish on Friday afternoon. The tide was up pretty high and there was a fairly strong sweep to the south that made it difficult to keep our baits on the bottom even with heavy sinkers. However, we spotted a channel that took the bait out to sea rather than getting dragged down the beach by the sweep. Keith and I caught three salmon between us and I marked the location with a branch and cuttlefish bone before heading back to the unit.



Brian is into a Salmon



Captain Brian

On Saturday morning, we launched Brian's boat at Ulladulla and proceeded out of the harbour to try jigging for livies. The day got off to a slow start for all. Jigging for livies was unsuccessful and Brian's

attempts to plot the GPS marks for the kingfish spot on his GPS kept marking the spot on dry land. In the meantime, Glen and Mitchell had difficulty getting their boat started due to battery problems. As Glen knew where the kingfish spot was, we decided to reef fish until Glen's boat left the harbour. As it turned out, the GPS marks were given in degrees with decimal places while Brian's GPS was set for degrees minutes and seconds.

Reef fishing saw Brian and Keith both get a snapper each and some sweep while I managed to reel in a small nannygai (which looked more like a deep sea goldfish) and some small blue-spotted flathead. Keith caught the first kingfish for the day, an undersized 60 cm fish. Brian also caught some large sleek toadfish which looked like undersized cobia.

Once Glen was on the water, we made our way to the kingfish spot. There were over 20 boats on the water but plenty of fish for everyone. Glen and Mitchell arrived a bit earlier than we did and were soon catching plenty of bonito on raider lures. Glen was fishing with a 6 kg breakaway and got smoked on his second drop. The fish peeled line off Glen's reel before reefing him on the bottom – it cut the 60lb trace he was using, so he just cut off the shredded end and tied on another snap. With high-speed retrieves, Glen and Mitchell were hooking up bonito on every drop like clockwork.

Greg, Brian, Keith and I used Williamson's knife jigs and started off catching bonito. Greg, Brian, and Keith did not have to wait long to get their first kingfish. Greg got smoked by a large one which eventually reefed Greg's line on the bottom. I probably should have been filming the captures on my video camera but it was all too exciting and I was anxious to catch my first kingfish.

I had to be a little more persistent as I kept catching bonito. But it paid off when I finally hooked up on my first kingfish - a 3.22 kg fish which gave me a thrilling run for my money. I hooked up again while I was eating a sandwich in one hand and just jigging the rod up and down with the other hand. Greg then got hit by a bigger kingfish and, at some point; our fish crossed lines and enabled my fish to throw the hook. Greg's fish was a 4.05 kg 80 cm kingfish, the biggest capture for the weekend. Greg also got another two kingfish at 2.4 kg and 3.1 kg each and ten bonito while Brian got four kingfish ranging from 2.7 kg to 3.28 kg and Keith got two kingfish at 3.15 kg and 2.85 kg and a couple of bonito. Most of the kingfish were caught near the bottom while the bonito were being caught at various depths.

We only spotted one seal that day, when we were reef fishing earlier and the seal did not show much interest in our fish. However, Glen bumped into ex-CFC President Neville Ling who was fighting to get a kingfish he'd hooked back off a seal. Most of the crowd out there gave him plenty of space (and took the opportunity to haul in a few while the seal was distracted!!!). 'Nifty' bagged out on Kings pretty quickly (though not including the one the seal eventually swam away with).



Glen Malam 2.79kg kingfish



Mitchell Malam Bonito

Glen got a 2.79kg kingfish and ten bonito and Mitchell caught a couple of bonito including one on 4 kg line. They also released a score of bonito. Glen and Mitchell did not do too well with the kingfish and it may be that their raider lures were not heavy enough to get to the bottom, as we got most of our Kings on the bottom with painted Williamson knife jigs. In any event, we all had an excellent time and we decided to head back to Ulladulla as our eskies could not hold any more fish.

(<http://www.williamsonlures.com/products/jigs.php>).



Greg hooked up to a 1.55Kg Salmon

On Sunday morning, Keith and I went back to the spot I marked on Wairo Beach and fished there from 6.00 am. Unlike Friday, we did not have any problems with the sweep and the fishing was pretty good. Keith got two salmon and I got three salmon followed by a tailor. Keith then reeled in a double header of tailor! The fishing slowed down after 7.00 am but the fish got a bit bigger. I caught another tailor and two more salmon. Greg and Brian joined us and fished 2 kg line in the surf. Greg was spinning for salmon and reeled in three salmon at 1.55 kg, 1.00 kg and 1.14 kg while Brian got the second double header for the morning – two salmon at 1.01 kg and 0.81 kg. The morning's fishing ended for me when I got bitten off above the sinker. Five minutes later, Brian also got bitten off above the sinker. My theory is that there are a couple of tailor swimming around with sinkers in their stomachs.



Brian's Double Header

Brian, however, suspects we got hit by a school shark.

The July outing has traditionally been one of the poorer attended outings. However, this may change next year as the six of us who went have already decided to go back again. I hope to put together a short DVD of the outing, though this depends on the quality of the footage – it was very hard to keep the camera steady while we were in the boat!

The next outings are at Buckenderra, Lake Eucumbene, on 14-15 August 2010 and at Kalkite, Lake Jindabyne, on 18-19 September 2010. Both outings have been very popular in the past. Last year, eleven members attended the Buckenderra Outing and weighed in 25 Rainbow Trout and 3 Brown Trout while sixteen Members attended the Kalkite Outing and weighed in a total of 23 Rainbow Trout and 17 Brown Trout. If you are interested in going to those outings or want to learn more about the Club's outings, you can contact our Outing Officer, Keith Smith.

The Kioloa outing at a glance

When:	24-25 July 2010
Where:	Wairo Beach Tourist Park, Princes Highway, Lake Tabourie
Distance:	188 km (about a two hour drive)
Who went:	Greg Davis, Brian Stacey, Keith Smith, Glen Malam, Mitchell Malam, and Anthony Heiser
How much:	\$106 per person (\$100 for accommodation, \$6 towards fuel for Brian's boat)
What we did:	Blue water off Ulladulla and beach fishing at Wairo Beach
Total catch:	63 fish
Species caught:	Kingfish (11), bonito (26), snapper (2), sweep (5), pigfish (1), nannygai (2), sergeant baker (1), Australian salmon (11), and tailor (4)

Next outing's: Buckenderra, Lake Eucumbene, 14-15 August 2010

Kalkite, Lake Jindabyne, 18-19 September 2010



Greg Davis, Brian Stacy, Keith Smith, and Anthony Heiser

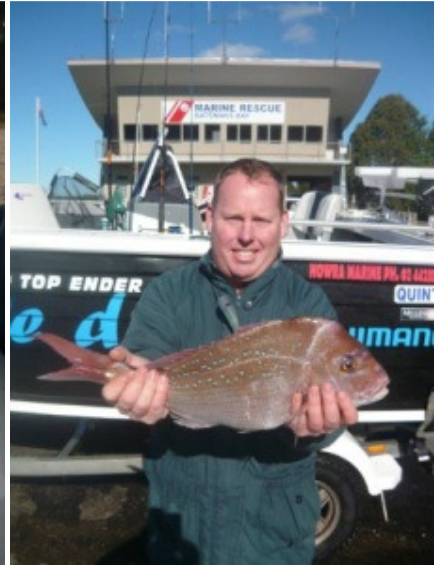
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Big Bit Redfin
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Brian Stacy



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Ashley Barber



Fishing Haven



Golden Perch
Jamie Stanfield



Kioloa Show and Tell
Brian Stacy



Pacific Gull Anthony Heiser

Note from the Editor

Buckenderra Dress Code

14TH -15TH August

Fri

Nearly Tee Shirt weather

Sat & Sun

Beanie then second peak cap with wrap around sides to stop the wind on face Singlet, light long sleeve top, fishing shirt, woollen jumper Long johns, fishing trousers

2 pairs of socks

Chest waders

CFC jacket

Fingerless gloves that have a cover for the fingers Flask of hot coffee

"It's a wonder that I could cast or bend down to rebait".

Chris Head

Savings on car brake repairs

I had brake problems early this month and was quoted over \$400.00 for a full brake pad replacement and adjustment from three different repairers the neighbour next door had his brakes serviced on his 4x4 at home a week earlier and gave me the phone No for Jason Kelly Brakes 0419 618 661.

I rang Jason and he came to my home and replaced all the disc pads and serviced the hydraulics in under 1 hour including parts for \$250.00, Jason said he can come to your home or work place and service your brakes and you will save a minimum 40% car or 4x4.

Pat L



Recorder's Report

Hi All

Well 2010/11 is well underway and we're starting to see some great captures coming in already, particularly from the salt.

July Outing - Kioloa

The July Outing to Kioloa turned out to be one of the more successful Outings in recent times. Six Club members accounted for 56 captures which included 19 Australian Bonito, 12 Australian Salmon, 11 Yellowtail Kingfish, 5 Sweep, 4 Tailor, 2 Snapper, 2 Nannygai, and 1 Blackspot Pigfish (Wrasse).

The talk of the Outing was the Bluewater fishing on the Saturday where members primarily used knife jigs to land the Kingfish and countless Bonito. The best Kingfish went to Greg Davis at 4.05kg, followed by a 3.28kg fish caught by Brian Stacy.

Glen Malam caught the highest pointscoring Kingfish at 2.79kg on 6kg for 70 points. Glen also caught the best Bonito at 1.87kg.

Sunday morning all the action was on the beach with Salmon and Tailor on the bite. Greg Davis caught the best Salmon at 1.55kg on 2kg, while Keith Smith caught the best Tailor at 0.81kg.

It was a great start to the year for Anthony Heiser in the All Tackle Championship scoring 11 points for the Outing, closely followed by Keith Smith with 10 points, and Brian Stacy with 9 points. It will be hard to peg back with several freshwater Outings coming up that don't really offer than many AT Points.

Upcoming Outings

August 14th to 15th: Buckenderra (Eucumbene)

We're off to Buckenderra this weekend to brave the cold and catch a few Trout. Apparently the shoreline is quite muddy and with the recent rain it can only be worse so launching boats could prove difficult. On positive note fishing reports have been encouraging with landbased baitfishing being one of the more successful methods. Hopefully we can land a few fish and not get too muddy.

September 18th to 19th: Kalkite (Jindabyne)

The ever popular Kalkite Outing should hopefully see plenty of big post spawn Brown Trout cruising the shoreline gorging themselves to put on condition. This would have to be the best time of the year to catch them as they are really hungry and a lot less cautious than usual. There is also a chance to get an elusive Brook Trout or Atlantic Salmon which have been caught fairly regularly on this particular Outing in the past. So there are plenty of good reasons to get up there and have a fish.

Recent Captures

As I mentioned in the previous newsletter the Clark Brothers (Colin and Chris) along with Jamie and Tom Stanfield and Chris De La Rue visited the Hawkesbury to chase Hair tail. They ended up catching 3 Hair tail for their weeklong trip. The biggest Hair tail was 3.60kg which was caught by Chris Clark, this fish equals the Club's All Time Boardfish! Tom Stanfield caught a Hair tail which weighed in at 1.54kg on 1kg line, and Jamie Stanfield caught one at 1.55kg on 1kg line. Other captures from the trip included a Mulloway of 2.12kg on 2kg line to Colin Clark, and a Dusky Flathead of 1.61kg on 1kg line to Jamie Stanfield. Chris De La Rue was the unlucky member accounting for only a solitary yakka.

Ashley Barber got his Golden Perch tally off to an early start catching a 470mm fish in the Murrumbidgee on a lipless crankbait on the 3rd of July.

On a personal note I recently travelled to Sydney and caught up with Tony Steiner from the South Sydney Club, Tony manages the volunteer Carp Fishing Program in Centennial Park. I fished the whole day with Tony and the other Volunteers and we tagged about 18 Carp for their research Program. Centennial Park would have to be home to some of the largest Carp in Australia with the biggest one coming out at 24kg. I wasn't fortunate enough to catch one anywhere near that size but I did catch 8 Carp for the day with some nice ones among them at 9.60kg, 7.07kg, and several around 5kg. I was also smoked by a really big one; it took out well over 100m of 4lb Nitlon braid on a nearly locked drag. It was a fantastic day out with great company and I would recommend it to anyone. Even if you aren't excited about fishing for Carp I guarantee you would enjoy it. We've been planning a joint Club day sometime that suits both Club calendars hopefully around late September/early October. If you think you would be interested get in touch with me.

I've also been doing a bit of Carp fishing locally with fish of 5.98kg, 7.62kg, and 8.34kg. I'm also really looking forward to chasing a few Trout at the Buckenderra Outing as well as I haven't been up to the Mountains for a few months now.

Well that's about all for this month. Hope you get to wet a line sometime soon.

Cheers



Steve.

2010-2011 Club Championships

Last updated 10th August 2010			
Championship Update		CFC Best Fish	
<i>Proudly Sponsored by: Tackle World Canberra – Fyshwick</i>			
JAMIE STANFIELD**	285	*** BEACH ***	
STEVE BORKOWSKIS**	239	Australian Salmon	
CHRIS CLARK**	144	1.55kg on 2kg	
TOM STANFIELD**	123	Greg Davis	
GLEN MALAM*	117	93 Points	
Ladies Club Champion Update		*** BLUEWATER ***	
<i>Proudly Sponsored by: May Sum Chinese Restaurant</i>		Yellowtail Kingfish	
		2.79kg on 6kg	
		Glen Malam	
		70 Points	

		*** ESTUARY ***	
		Dusky Flathead	
Junior Club Champion Update		1.61kg on 1kg	
<i>Proudly Sponsored by: May Sum Chinese Restaurant</i>		Jamie Stanfield	
TOM STANFIELD**	123	161 Points	
		*** FRESHWATER ***	
		European Carp	
		5.98kg on 2kg	
		Steve Borkowskis	
		239 Points	
Land Based Club Champion Update			
<i>Proudly Sponsored by: Jax Transtate</i>			
STEVE BORKOWSKIS**	239	*** ROCKS ***	
GREG DAVIS*	93		
BRIAN STACY*	61	Vacant	
Freshwater Club Champion Update		*** BEST SHARK or RAY ***	
<i>Proudly Sponsored by: BTS</i>			
STEVE BORKOWSKIS**	239	Vacant	
		All Tackle Champion Update	
Saltwater Club Champion Update		<i>Proudly Sponsored by: JB's Outboard Service Centre</i>	
<i>Proudly Sponsored by: Canberra Diamond Blade Suppliers</i>		ANTHONY HEISER	11
JAMIE STANFIELD**	285	KEITH SMITH	10
CHRIS CLARK**	144	BRIAN STACY	9
TOM STANFIELD**	123	GREG DAVIS	7
GLEN MALAM*	117	GLEN MALAM	4
COLIN CLARK**	106		
Most Versatile Angler Update		Sub Junior All Tackle Champion Update	
		<i>Proudly Sponsored by: May Sum Chinese Restaurant</i>	
STEVE BORKOWSKIS	6		
JAMIE STANFIELD	4		
GREG DAVIS	3		
COLIN CLARK	2		
TOM STANFIELD	2		
Flathead 'Total Length' Trophy		Golden Perch 'Total Length' Trophy	
<i>Proudly Sponsored by: Tackle World Canberra – Fyshwick</i>		<i>Proudly Sponsored by: Pack & Send Canberra</i>	
JAMIE STANFIELD	1040mm	ASHLEY BARBER	470mm

Species	Weight (kg)	Angler
AUSTRALIAN BONITO	1.87	GLEN MALAM
AUSTRALIAN SALMON	1.55	GREG DAVIS
BLUE MORWONG	0.97	BRIAN STACY
DUSKY FLATHEAD	1.61	JAMIE STANFIELD
EUROPEAN CARP	9.60	STEVE BORKOWSKIS
HAIRTAIL	3.60	CHRIS CLARK
MULLOWAY	2.12	COLIN CLARK
SNAPPER	0.55	BRIAN STACY
SNAPPER	0.55	KEITH SMITH
TAILOR	0.81	KEITH SMITH
YELLOWTAIL KINGFISH	4.05	GREG DAVIS

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2010 PRESENTATION DINNER

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3 Oxley Street, Griffith

Saturday 11th September

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Pre Dinner Drinks 7:00pm

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2 Course Buffet Dinner
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MEDIA RELEASE

Monday, August 16, 2010

Schools Get Hooked on Fishing

NSW Primary Industries Minister Steve Whan has launched an educational DVD encouraging students to get involved in Industry & Investment NSW's (I&I NSW) free fishing program.

"'Get Hooked...It's Fun to Fish' teaches children sustainable fishing practices and how to look after aquatic habitats," Minister Whan said.

"The DVD, takes students through a series of codes and features two new crab cartoon characters, who along with students from registered schools, who take the viewer on an interactive fishing experience.

"Currently, 77 schools across NSW are registered for 'Get Hooked...It's Fun to Fish', and this interactive DVD will hopefully encourage more schools to get involved.

"'Get Hooked...It's Fun to Fish' aims to introduce primary school students to the concept of sustaining quality aquatic habitats by practicing safe and responsible fishing, the significance of aquatic life and life cycles and taking an active role in the management of waterways and fish stocks.

"This program plays an important role in ensuring the State's aquatic resources are enjoyed now and in the future.

"This discovery based hands on program aims to equip students with the basic skills necessary for recreational fishing with the view that it will become a life long interest."

During the course of the year, the students study the program's six codes: take only what you need, fish with friends, you're the solution to water pollution, throw the little ones back, don't leave your tackle behind and quality catchments equal quality fish.

The six codes in the Get Hooked program are adapted from the National Fishing Code of Practice.

When the students have finished the in-class component and gained their fishing passport, they'll get the opportunity to wet their lines during a number of hands-on fishing workshops teaching them the practical aspects of fishing including rod and reel basics, knots and rigs, bait selection and identification, casting skills, fish identification, fishing regulations and catch and release techniques.

"The Get Hooked program is assisted by 62 accredited Schools Fishcare volunteers, who assist teachers with the delivery of the program in schools, and have been instrumental in the success of the program, teaching the next generation of kids about one of Australia's favourite pastimes," Minister Whan said.

"It is free to register for the 'Get Hooked...It's Fun to Fish' program for teachers in all NSW primary schools. When schools register, they now receive the DVD, a comprehensive teachers manual, fully equipped resource kit, assistance from accredited Schools Fishcare Volunteers and the opportunity to attend a free practical fishing workshop.

"I&I NSW is committed to ensuring quality education programs schools, and 'Get Hooked...It's Fun to Fish' has undergone an extensive development and trial period to ensure it excels as a program in the school education market.



Minister Steve Whan

Minister for Primary Industries

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“The program meets Board of Studies syllabus outcomes across Key Learning Areas, and our staff and volunteers are dedicated to ensuring these educational requirements are achieved in a fun and exciting way for both teachers and students.”

“This program is one of many initiatives funded by the NSW Government’s Recreational Fishing Trusts to improve fishing across the state.”

For more information on the program, visit www.dpi.nsw.gov.au/fisheries/recreational/your-fees/communication/get-hooked

Media opportunity: NSW Primary Industries Minister Steve Whan will launch the ‘Get Hooked...It’s Fun to Fish’ DVD at Adaminaby Public School at 11am, Monday August 16.

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Australian National Sportfishing Association N.S.W. Branch

ANSA NSW PRESS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
16TH AUGUST 2010

ANGLERS UNITED IN MARINE PARK REVIEWS FOR JERVIS BAY AND SOLITARY ISLANDS

With a new www.savejb.com website launched yesterday, recreational sportfishers joined gamefishers, spearfishers, local anglers, local clubs, local charter fishing operators, national spearfishing and fishing publications who have endorsed the new website. The www.savejb.com website allows interested members of the public to easily make a submission to the JBMP review with the aim of maintaining safe and sustainable recreational fishing access in Jervis Bay and surrounding waters.

The fully automated submissions, which take only a few minutes to complete, must include personal details and a brief personal statement.

The completed submissions will be automatically emailed to the JBMP offices, as well as to the NSW Environment Minister, the NSW Fisheries Minister and the NSW Shadow Fisheries Minister.

The www.savejb.com campaign has been established along similar lines to the successful www.savesol.com campaign, launched last month in response to a review into the Solitary Islands Marine Park on the NSW North Coast. Local anglers who have been involved with the formation of the www.savejb.com website, say the focus of the campaign is to maximise environmental and safety outcomes while minimising the marine park's impact on various fishing opportunities for local and visiting anglers and their families

From a fishing safety perspective ANSA NSW is pleased to see all groups supporting the issue surrounding land based angler's safety within the JBMP, that calls for a **Coastal Fishing Zone** along all coastal rock platforms in the JBMP.

"The safety of all land based anglers in Marine Parks has been overlooked by the Authority for too long, and even their token gestures will often put them in danger. Anglers confined to the rocks should not be restricted to fishing dangerous locations in prevailing conditions. Many spots will change daily based on swell and wind direction, dictating where land based anglers can fish safely, whilst most zoning plans to date generally ignore this critical point. Anglers fishing the rocks must have the ability to move and fish in safer locations dependant on wave and wind direction, not confined by lines on a map. There has been no consultation by the MPA with regards to land based angler's safety within Marine Parks" said Stan Konstantaras, ANSA NSW President and National Safety Officer.

"Even the newly proposed 'rockfishing only zone', that the JBMPA has suggested is severely flawed. This is a token gesture by the JBMPA and one in which we were never consulted. The zone cuts a platform in half and only allows us to fish on one side, being the shallow side. Ideally in prevailing conditions anglers MUST have the option of shifting to the other side of the platform or another spot, a fact that has been lost on the JBMP. Mr Konstantaras continued to say "having spent many hours attending and presenting evidence surrounding rockfishing safety issues to the current Recreational Fishing Inquiry underway in NSW, I am disappointed to see that land based anglers safety is held in such low regard by the MPA."

ANSA NSW urging all anglers and users of the JBMP and SIMP to go to the www.savesol.com and www.savejb.com website and complete a submission.

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