



NEWSLETTER

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Winner of the August 2011 Photo Competition



Chris Head – Tom Stanfield 1.5kg Brown Trout

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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:

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

President's Report

The CFC 2010/11 Presentation Dinner held at Mint@Forrest was a fantastic night. My thanks go to Chris Head and Greg Davis for all their organisational efforts and thanks to the owners for providing excellent catering and a great venue. Also thanks to Steve Borkowskis for organising all the fabulous trophies. Congratulations to all the lucky winners on the night.

It was fabulous to have Mark Green the CEO of the ACT Eden Monaro Cancer Support Group on-hand at the Presentation Night to receive a cheque for \$4,000.00. This donation is the result of the 2011 Canberra Carp-Out held in March (50% of the final profit) along with some additional funds donated by the CFC.

It was also great to see Matt and Kooka from Tackle World attend the event. Tackle World Fyshwick is a great Club Sponsor and deserves a great big thankyou from all the members for all they do in support of the CFC. Matt also showed what a great guy he is by "allocating" his raffle prize winning ticket to a lucky Kyle Walton.

The 2010/11 Annual report was available for members at the general meeting on 6 September. If you weren't there or forgot to get a copy then come along to the next meeting as they will again be available for collection. My thanks to Pat Luttrell and Greg Davis for producing such a quality publication yet again.

It was my privilege to announce to those members that were at the last general meeting that the CFC has agreed to contribute \$10K this year for fish stocking (also from funds raised through the 2009 and 2010 Canberra Carpout and other fish stocking raffles and fundraising). The funds will primarily be used to stock Murray Cod into Lake Burley Griffin in the coming months. The funds are also going to be matched \$ for \$ by the Government so this is great news for the angling community.

The Committee has decided to hold a "New Members Night" in November to coincide with that month's general meeting. We are hoping to promote this endeavour widely and ask all members to support this initiative. If you can put a brochure on a noticeboard or web page at work or actively promote it with friends, colleagues, etc that would be great. More detail is in the body of the newsletter.

The first "Lucky Membership Draw" took place at the September general meeting. The membership drawn out was **Karren Harper** but unfortunately she was not present so the cash jackpots to the next meeting. To be in the running for \$50.00 come along to the meeting on 11 October. Membership cards are available through Zane at the meeting if you do not have yours or do not know your number.

Club Merchandise is for sale at each general meeting or by contacting me direct on phone, email, etc. If you want a new CFC Hat or T-Shirt then let me know. We have a limited supply of CFC Lures for sale as well.

With both the Jindabyne/Kalkite outing and the Tackle World Expo having occurred on the weekend of the 24th and 25th September it is a busy time. Full reports on both these events will follow in the next newsletter issue.

Up-coming events are:

- **14-16 October** it's off to the Talbingo Convention. We have a house booked, so if you are interested then please add your name to the list. This is a great outing with a well organised Convention hosted by the Wagga Wagga Boat Anglers Club.

- **4-6 November** is our own ANSA Convention at Burrinjuck. Once again I am asking for members to nominate to either be a part of an organising committee for the event or at a minimum to nominate for some of the shifts over the weekend.
- **8 November** - General meeting incorporating the "New Members Night". There will be extra in the raffles that night and the CFC will be putting on some finger food as well. Come along and bring some potential new members.
- **3-4 December** is back to Burrinjuck but without the workload of the Convention. The Committee is looking at setting up a bit of a "Challenge" against the Morven Fishing Club for that weekend as well. It would be good to see a large contingent of members for the outing.
- **13 December** - The general meeting will feature a presentation by Matthew Perdrau from Tackle World. Matthew is going to give us all an in-sight into catching Snapper on soft plastics. **This meeting will be held at Tackle World, 130 Gladstone Street, Fyshwick** with the possibility of some Member Only specials for those hard to buy for Christmas Presents.

I hope you all get a chance to wet a line in the coming weeks and then come and tell us all about it at the next general meeting.

Wishin' I was Fishin'

Jamie



Secretary's Report

G'day All

The Presentation Night was a great night at Mint @Forrest Cafe who looked after us really well, and for those who didn't make it, I can say you really missed out. Special congratulations to Tom Stanfield who had a great year and blitzed the field in both the juniors and the seniors, well done!

Tackle World Expo I would like to thank all those members that gave up their time to assist at the Tackle World Expo on the barbecue it was much appreciated especially because it clashed with our Kalkite weekend and some of you had to shorten your trip to help out.

Membership Just a reminder if you have not renewed your membership you will not be eligible for fish captures points for the 2011/2012 year.

New Members For the past month, the committee has been brainstorming new ideas to help increase our club membership and quite a few good ideas came up such as a creating a Facebook page and a New Members Night. As some of you may know one of the key focus for the committee this year is to increase our membership, it will not only put our club in a much stronger position when we run events such as the Carp-Out and Burrinjuck Convention, but it will make our monthly outings even more fun.

If any members have new ideas on how we can further promote our club, please don't hesitate to drop me or any of the committee members a line.

See you all next time.

Thanks

Zane



Recorders Report

First thing I'd like to do in my first Recorder's Report is to thank Steve Borkowskis for all his efforts in the Recorder's role over the last 5 years – he's left some mighty big boots to fill.

The 2010-11 fishing year started poorly with no fish caught at the July outing to Kioloa. The weather was nasty, the seas were huge and even the estuaries were hard to fish. I suppose it's the luck of the draw – last year's Kioloa outing saw a group of us catching Kings and Bonito from the Ulladulla reef on just about every drop. We had to keep the lures in the boat if we wanted a coffee break.

I couldn't give up on Ulladulla, so two weeks after the Kioloa I went back down with my son Mitch for another go at jigging the reef. It turned out to be a pretty good day – we snagged a couple of nice rat-size Kings and a Bonito. We hooked plenty more, but most of them pulled the hooks half-way to the surface.

Since then, most of the captures have been up in the mountains (except for an early nomination for the albino shark award – ask Brian for an explanation). First up, the Buckenderra Outing saw members catching heaps of little Rainbow Trout along with a couple of nice Browns, but since then Andrew McGovern, Mitchell McGovern and Ben Lemon have caught about 80 fish over several weekend trips up to Jindabyne. Andrew caught a thumper 650mm Brown a fortnight ago and Mitchell has weighed in a nice Rainbow of 1.21kg. What was really pleasing to see from the captures is the number of small Atlantic Salmon and Brook Trout. With young fish like this coming along, the future's looking bright for Jindabyne.

Good luck at the Kalkite Outing this weekend – keep the capture forms rolling in.

Glen



All-Tackle Championships

Open All-Tackle

22-Sep-11

Angler Name:

All Tackle Points:

Glen MALAM	5
Tom STANFIELD	4
Keith SMITH	4
Karen MALAM	4
Anthony HEISER	4

Sub-Junior All-Tackle

Angler Name:

All Tackle Points:

Tom STANFIELD	4
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CFC Board Fish 2011/12

22-Sep-11

AUSTRALIAN BONITO	1.71 kg	GLEN MALAM
AUSTRALIAN SALMON	1.29 kg	ATHONY HEISER
BARRACOUTA	1.08 kg	ANTHONY HEISER
BROWN TROUT	1.91 kg	GLEN MALAM
EUROPEAN CARP	9.12 kg	STEVE BORKOWSKIS
RAINBOW TROUT	1.21 kg	MITCHELL MCGOVERN
SNAPPER	1.01 kg	BRIAN STACY
YELLOWTAIL KINGFISH	3.96 kg	GLEN MALAM

CFC - Best Fish - 2011/12

22-Sep-11

BEACH

AUSTRALIAN SALMON	1.29kg on 1 kg	ANTHONY HEISER	155 Points
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BLUEWATER

YELLOWTAIL KINGFISH	2.76kg on 4 kg	MITCHELL MALAM	103 Points
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FRESHWATER

BROWN TROUT	1.91kg on 1 kg	GLEN MALAM	191 Points
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GLEN MALAM	376 Points
MITCHELL MCGOVERN **	308 Points
ANTHONY HEISER	278 Points
TOM STANFIELD *	189 Points
STEVE BORKOWSKIS *	157 Points

Ladies

KAREN MALAM	35 Points
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Junior

MITCHELL MCGOVERN **	308 Points
TOM STANFIELD *	189 Points

Land Based Club Champion

MITCHELL MCGOVERN **	308 Points
ANTHONY HEISER	242 Points
TOM STANFIELD *	189 Points
STEVE BORKOWSKIS *	157 Points
JAMIE STANFIELD *	42 Points

Freshwater Club Champion

MITCHELL MCGOVERN **	308 Points
GLEN MALAM	234 Points
TOM STANFIELD *	189 Points
STEVE BORKOWSKIS *	157 Points
ANTHONY HEISER	87 Points

Saltwater Club Champion

ANTHONY HEISER	191 Points
GLEN MALAM	142 Points
MITCHELL MALAM *	103 Points
BRIAN STACY *	25 Points

MVA

MITCHELL MCGOVERN	4 Points
STEVE BORKOWSKIS	4 Points
ANTHONY HEISER	3 Points
GLEN MALAM	3 Points
TOM STANFIELD	2 Points

Salmonoid Total Length

ANDREW MCGOVERN	21,695mm
BEN LEMMON	9,540mm
MITCHELL MCGOVERN	5,295mm
CHRIS HEAD	4,405mm
STEVE BORKOWSKIS	4,380mm

Australian Salmon Total Length

ANTHONY HEISER	490mm
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News & Stories

Presentation Night 3rd September 2011

The 2011 Canberra Fisherman's Club Annual Presentation Night was held at the mint@forrest Cafe from 7pm on the 3rd of September 2011.

A good roll up this year with approx 40 people in attendance. This included special guests Mark Green from the ACT Eden Monaro Cancer Support Group and Matthew Perdrau and James Morgan from our Major Sponsor Tackle World Canberra.

This year as part of the night we presented Mark Green from the ACT Eden Monaro Cancer Support Group a \$4000.00 cheque. The donation was made up of 50% of the profits from the 2011 Canberra Carp-Out and a small donation from the Canberra Fisherman's Club to round up the donation to this amount.

Mark gratefully accepted the cheque on behalf of the ACT Eden Monaro Cancer Support Group and said that this money would help those in our local community as they deal with the day to day financial & physical burdens of cancer.



Mark Green on the left accepting the \$4000 cheque
from Greg Davis current Vice President of the
Canberra Fisherman's Club

Mark Green has since sent though a very nice thank you letter to the club for the donation. I have attached a copy of the letter to the end of this newsletter and recommend you all have a read.

If you wish to find out more about the ACT Eden Monaro Cancer Support Group I have attached a link to their website www.actemcsg.org.au

The presentation night is all about rewarding our members who were lucky enough to be able to put in the fishing time and be rewarded with some terrific catches as well as those who were not as fortunate and had some mishaps throughout the year that could not be left unmentioned or unrewarded.

The 2010-2011 Trophy winners were all congratulated for their efforts throughout the year. One thing that stood out this year is that if family members can stick together and find the time in their busy schedules to go fishing, this can pay big dividends not only as good family bonding time but can lead to some winning captures.

This was certainly the case this year for Tom Jnr Stanfield our Club Champion and his father Jamie Snr Stanfield Club Champion (Runner Up). Tom also managed a near clean sweep of both the Junior and Senior trophies. Full details can be found in the Annual Report 2010/2011 which is available at the monthly General Meetings and all members should grab a copy.

Club Champion – Tom Stanfield



Tom Stanfield (Jr) right accepting the Club Champion Trophy from Greg Davis Vice President

Winning Open Club Champion with 2786 points.

Also lucky enough to win the following Champion trophies;

Junior
Land Based
Freshwater
Saltwater
All Tackle
Sub-Junior All Tackle
Most Versatile
Most Meritorious Capture

Club Champion (Runner Up) – Jamie Stanfield



Jamie Stanfield left accepting the Club Champion Runner Up Trophy from Greg Davis Vice President

Winning Club Champion Runner Up with 1845 points

Ladies Campion – Karen Malam



Winning Ladies Champion with 219 points

Karen Malam right accepting the Ladies Champion Trophy from Greg Davis Vice President

Tagging Campion – Steve Bailey



Most Improved Angler – Brian Stacy



Most Improved Junior – Kyle Walton



Total Length Golden Perch – Steve Borkowskis



Club Member of the Year – Chris Head



Club Member of the Year – Greg Davis (R)



Gold Badge – Steve Borkowskis



Fan Belt & Prop Award – Keith Smith



The Albino Shark Award – Kirstie Head



The Net – Anthony Heiser



The Mario Manoeuvre – Zane Zhao



Best Fish Beach – Chris Lemmon



Best Fish Blue Water – Shane Jasprizza



Masters Trophy – Shane Jasprizza



ANSA Awards
Presented by Shane Jasprizza
Member & ANSA NSW Treasurer/Membership Registrar

**Equal first ladies division
ANSA Convention Circuit
Rose Davis**



**2nd place Carp Only Juniors & 3rd place
Sportsfishing freshwater (ex Carp)
ANSA 12 month Comp. – Tom Stanfield**



**3rd place length only Trout (all species)
ANSA 12 month Comp
Chris Lemmon**



The following Trophy's were not able to be awarded on the night as winners were unable to attend;

Total Length Flathead -Mitchell McGovern
Stirrers Spoon – Albert Magassy



Glenbawn Dam ANSA Convention

By Steve Borkowskis

Earlier this year Shane suggested that he was interested in attending the Newcastle Sportfishing Club's Glenbawn Convention. I said 'I've never caught a Bass before I'd be up for that!' Soon enough the time had come and we were up at 4am to make the 7 hour/560km drive to Glenbawn.

The Convention was C&R only and was length based, so there was no need to fish light line. The Champion Club was based on a 5-4-3-2-1 point score for the longest of the following species; Bass, Goldens, Silvers, Eeltailed Catfish, and Carp. Circle hooks only for bait fishing.

Our strategy was simple, fishing for Bass with lures was going to be the most popular technique among the other competitors and given we both had very little experience fishing for Bass, we decided our strength was to fish for the other 4 species with worms. Once we had a few fish on board we would try for a Bass. We couldn't go all that way and not get a Bass!

Shane had organised for us to share a cabin booked by the South Sydney Club and we were rooming with Mike Spitzer, and Chris Grant. When we arrived Chris and Mike were back at the Cabin and had been out all morning and skunked. We dumped all our gear in the cabin and rigged up, we registered our attendance, collected our capture sheets, and were on the water looking for our first spot at around 1:30pm.

We picked a spot off a point with a nice drop off and Shane was the first to get a bait in the water, and his bardi grub was hit immediately. My rods were in soon after and I also had a hit on a scrub worm. Things were looking promising! A few minutes later my rod bent right over and line was coming off the spool, I picked up the rod and the hook pulled, I was cursing the Circle hook rule! Baits back in and not too long after I was on again, it was a nice Catfish of 545mm. Soon after I had another take, which turned out to be my first Bass at 375mm, the other rod went off straight after and I had two Bass, both 375mm.

Things were quiet for an hour or two but just before we left I had another Bass, and another fish pulled the hook at the bank before we got a look at it. Shane missed out for the afternoon but had 4 solid takes on Bardi Grubs but no hook-ups.

When we arrived back at the Cabin Mike and Chris had skunked in their afternoon session and reported that the best Bass in the comp so far was 420mm. I was so tired from a long day and fell asleep on the lounge, Shane woke me up with dinner soon after and we watched the Warriors end the Tigers season in the last minute of the game! I went to bed early and the other boys stay up having a few drinks.

Next morning we were up at 5am and quickly down to the boat ramp. Our first spot was a rocky snaggy point with a lot of weed offshore. After a long wait had the first take and it ran hard and busted me off on the structure. I caught another Bass soon after (so much for using worms to catch the 'other species' all we were getting was Bass!). At this point Shane still hadn't caught a fish for the weekend, and we headed right up the back of the lake for a look.

The end of the lake was a bit shallower, and the banks were clearer. We selected a spot that was near some trees and there were several Bass Boats working the area so there must have been Bass around. We waited an hour or so and I was on again, another Bass! Shane was about to start his comeback, and went on to land 5 Bass to 385mm in quick time. He also picked up a nice Catfish. The spot was marked on the GPS as 'Spot 29'. We tried a few other unsuccessful spots, and at the end of Saturday we were square with 5 Bass and a Catfish each. Mike and Chris caught a few fish, a Silver of 430mm and 4 Bass. At the boat ramp we

spoke to a guy from the Barrenjoey Sportfishing Club who had run out of room on his capture form, over 30 fish, all Bass!

Saturday night was my turn to cook dinner, I cooked some humungous steaks and gave Shane the biggest one. He managed to eat it all plus veges which was impressive, I'll have to find bigger steaks next time! Mike had smuggled a Bass in his esky and was referred to as the 'Bass Murderer' for the rest of the night. He left the Bass sitting on top of the Cheese he was going to use to make his dinner and Chris wasn't keen on eating 'Bass Cheese' for dinner! Mike had no problems eating the Bass Cheese after half a bottle of JD. Mike was also devastated when his Dragons were defeated in extra time. Shane was off to bed early and I stayed up to watch the Wallabies get dominated by Ireland... Mike (a South African) was loving it. I couldn't watch anymore when Ireland went 9 points up and left the guys to it.

We were up at 5am on Sunday and on the water racing straight to 'Spot 29'. I landed 2 Bass to start with, then Shane landed a Catfish, then I landed a Catfish straight after. Then I had an elusive Glenbawn Carp at 350mm, the most excited I've been in a while to land a small Carp! We caught another two Catfish each, and a few more Bass. It was a successful morning. We pulled our lines up at 11am to leave plenty of time to get back for the 12:15pm cut off.

Our Combined Tally for the weekend was 16 Bass, 8 Catfish, and 1 Carp. We didn't hang around for the Presentation because it was being done at 2:30pm and we had a 7 hour drive ahead of us. We had a sneaky look at the results and the CFC finished 4th out of 9 Clubs. We scored our points by getting the 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and 5th longest Catfish.

We cleaned up the cabin, said goodbye to our roomies Mike and Chris and hit the road. The trip home wasn't without incident with Shane's boat trailer completely blowing a tyre, and shredding the rim, we had to replace it on the side of the highway. Mike and Chris stopped to give us a hand and we were soon on our way again.

Overall a very enjoyable weekend, it was a long way to travel but well worth the trip, I'd go back again for sure and would recommend it to anyone considering it in the future. It's good to have a CFC presence at as many Conventions as possible. Plus I can now say I've caught some Bass. Thanks to Shane for a great weekend!

Cheers

Steve.



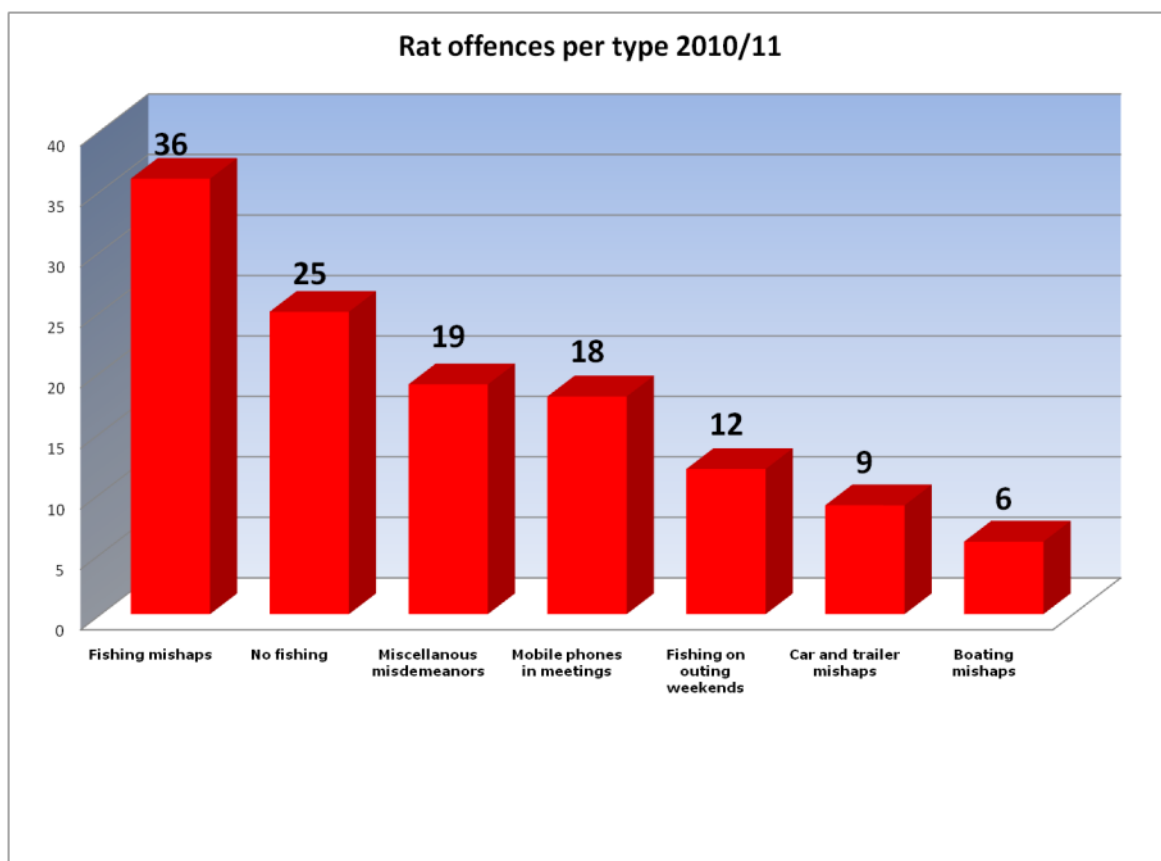
Glenbawn Dam ANSA Convention Photos



The Rat's report 2010 - 2011

Well, we have reached the end of another fishing year and, thus ends my tenure as the Rat. Although I don't think I was ever going to live up to the high standard that Mario Imbriano brought to the role when I joined the Club in 2007, I have certainly enjoyed myself. This report was did not make it into the Annual Report due to some IT problems experienced by last year's editor – having lost four years of photographs when my external hard drive crashed, I can understand the injustice of losing all your hard work when technology fails us. Fortunately, I had saved this report on a memory stick which I found in time for the September newsletter.

During my time as Rat, I recorded 125 rat offences on my iPhone. By far, the biggest category of offences was fishing related mishaps (36), followed by 'no fishing' (25), miscellaneous misdemeanours (19), mobile phone related offences (18), 'fishing on outing weekends' (12), car or trailer mishaps (9), and boating mishaps (6).

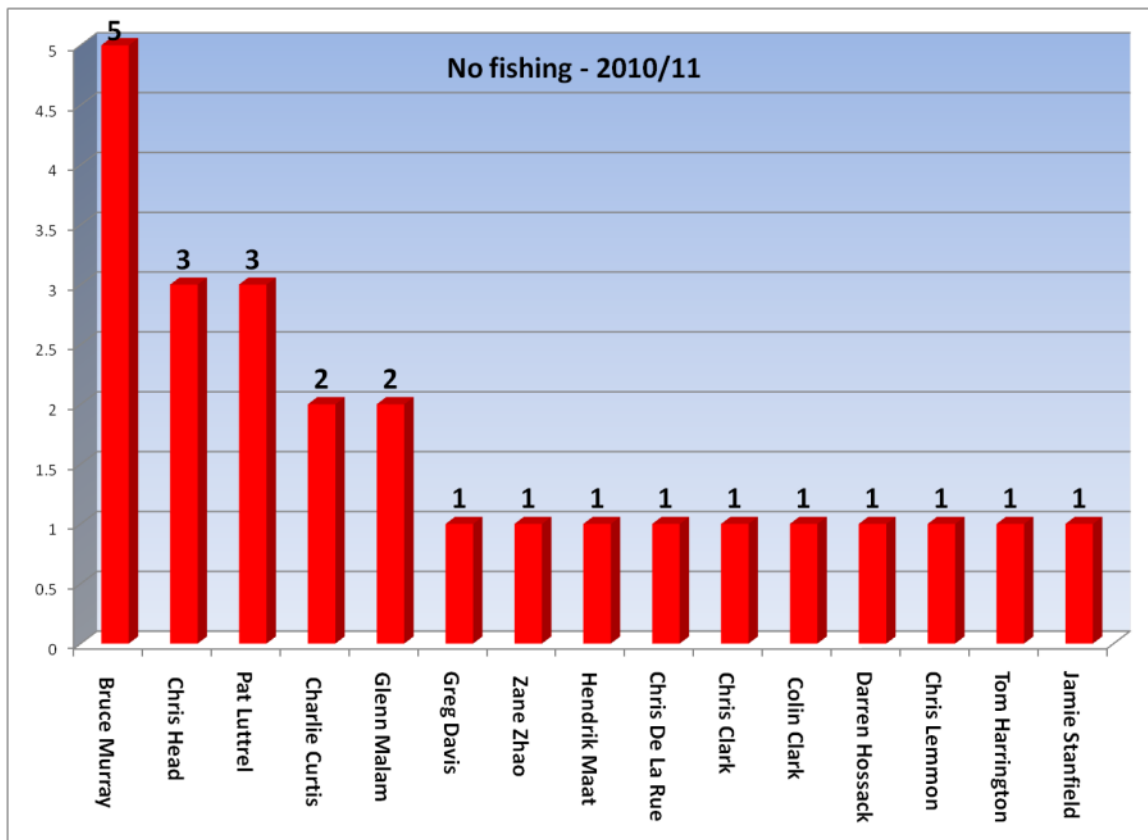


Unfortunately, I accounted for almost a third of the fishing related mishaps. These included dodgy knots (the self-untying improved Albright knot is my specialty), breaking Okuma Avenger reels with 1 kg pre-test, mistaking sea snakes and luderick for eels, and transporting carp on the roof rack at the Burrinjuck Convention (I thought that was clever until I discovered carp slime damages paintwork).

Other notable offenders included Keith Smith (casting a bait jig into another boat to hook the jumper of another angler and casting blades onto the cars on the bridge at Nelligen); Steve Borkowskis (wrapping braid around Chris Head's propeller); Brian Stacy (being chased by a shark while spinning for flathead in his Hobie kayak off Durras, and chasing makos with 6 kg mono); Hendrik Maat (driving to Mystery Bay at the Narooma Convention and forgetting to bring the bait); and Chris Clark (losing half his rod while casting lures at the Hawksbury –an

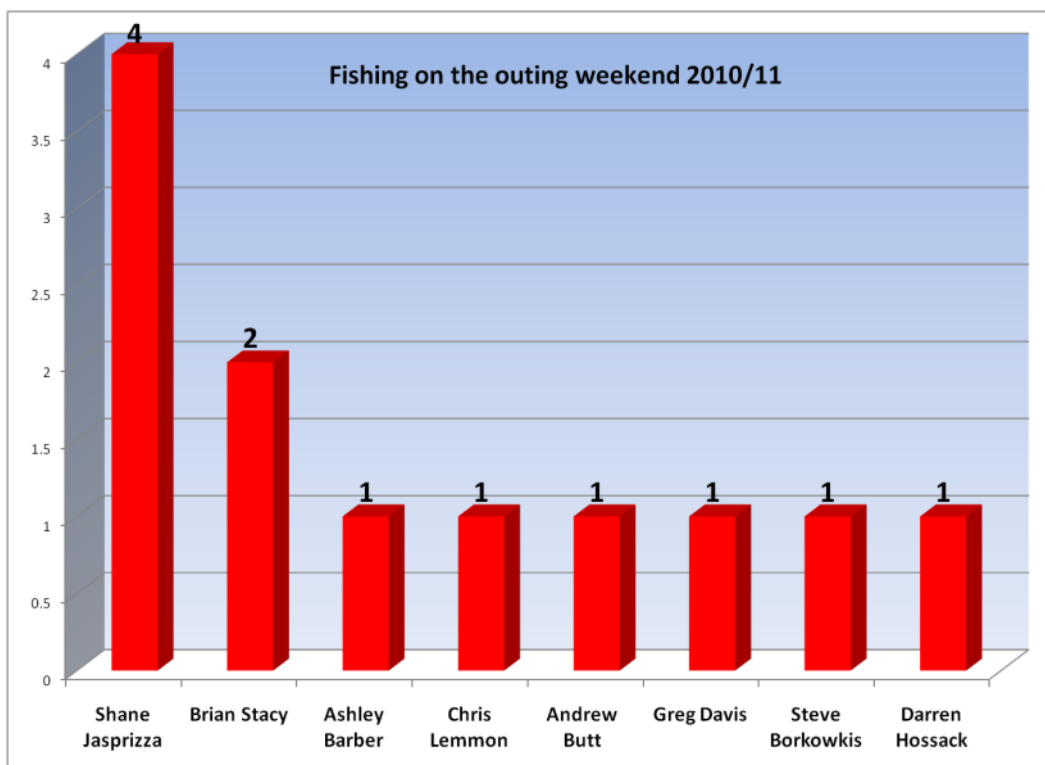
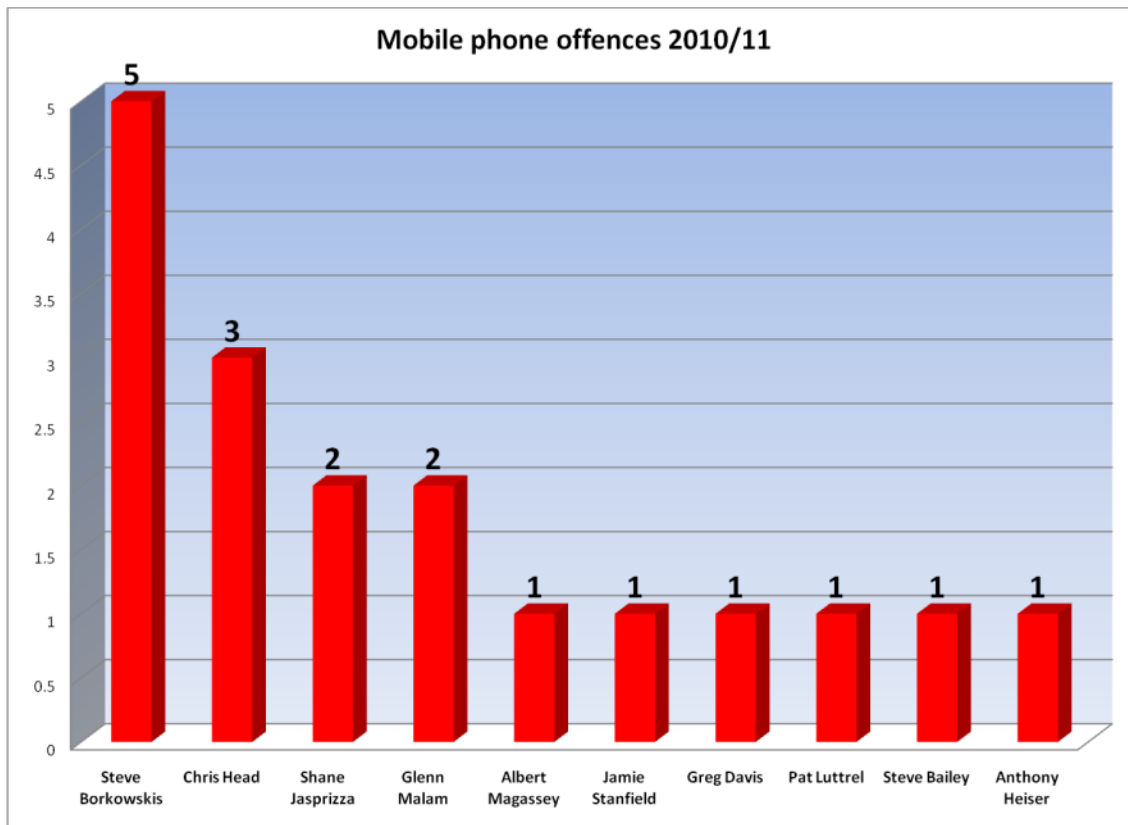
early contender for the Mario Manoeuvre next year maybe?) However, the best fishing related offence would have to go to Shane Jasprizza for failing to enter his salmon in the length division in the Sydney Tournament. However, Shane went on to redeem himself with an 87.7 cm carp at the Pirtek Challenge this year, thus winning the Carp section in the Murray Darling area.

The next highest category of rat offences makes me wonder if we should rename the Club the 'Canberra talking about fishing' Club. If you were fined for 'no fishing' this year, you were in very good company. This included the Committee Members (excluding Steve Borkowskis, Keith Smith and myself) and two ex presidents. And Glenn Malam and family lowered the bar this year by attending the recent Kioloa Outing and not going fishing!



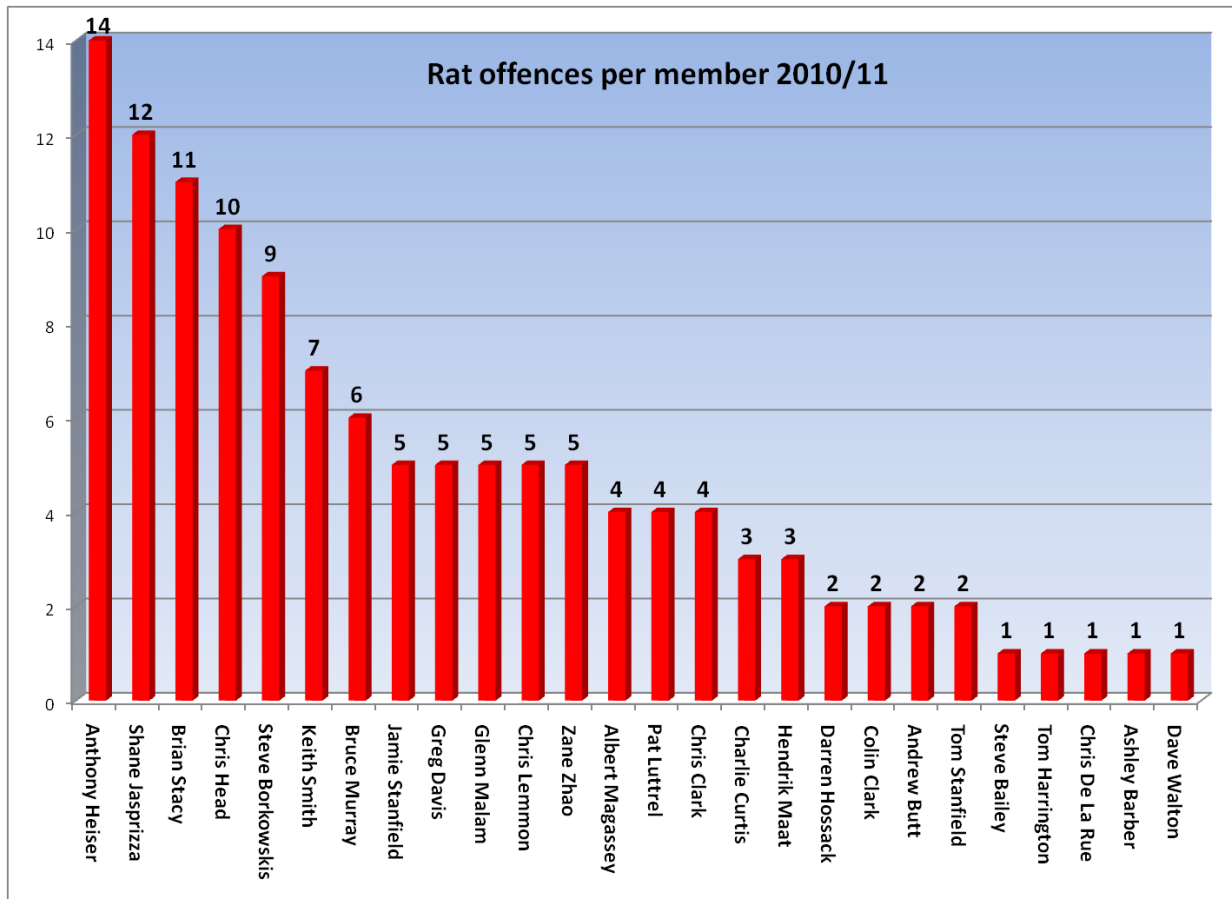
Miscellaneous misdemeanours covers all the offences which do not fit neatly into other categories. This include your Treasurer dropping iPhones into buckets of sea water and dropping several hundred dollars of fish stocking raffle proceeds in the Jerrabomberra Shopping Centre car park; Chris Lemmon spilling beer all over his esky at the Kalkite Outing last September; Keith Smith offering a can of 4L grade oil for sale at the April meeting; Tom Stanfield mistaking foxes on the road to Windermere for Chihuahuas; and Dave Walton not being able to operate a microwave oven at the Narooma weekend in June. While dropping my iPhone in a bucket of sea water probably was the worst miscellaneous misdemeanour for 2010/11, Chris Lemmon gets a dishonourable mention for paying his Club and ANSA membership fees in two bags of twenty cent coins last July.

Steve Borkowskis was the worst offender for mobile phones going off during Committee or Club meetings 2010/11 while Shane scored the highest number of fines for fishing on an Outing Weekend.



There were only a handful of rat fines for boating and car related offences, although usually, these are the most amusing or expensive, depending on your point of view. Fortunately for Keith and I, we both walked away unharmed when Keith wrote off his boat and Prado at the Tathra Outing. Although, I did spend the following week removing bits of glass from my scalp. Other fines included having to get my Toyota Corolla rescued when it got bogged on the banks of Jounama Pondage at the Talbingo Convention last October, Greg Davis nipple crippling a tyre valve on Brian's trailer on the way to the Kioloa Outing and Brian Stacy

suffering a 'loss of situational awareness' while driving his boat on the Saturday and the Sunday of the December Burrinjack Outing.



The top five offenders for 2010/11 was the Rat himself with 14 fines, followed by Shane Jasprizza with 12 fines, Brian Stacy with 11 fines, Chris Head with 10 fines and Steve Borkowskis with nine fines. Altogether, the Rat issued \$144.50 in fines in 2010/11, doubling the fines issued in 2009/10. Like point to point cameras on the Hume Highway, rat fines only serve to raise revenue. But in this case, this revenue is sent by electronic funds transfer to the North Pole so Santa can deliver presents to the junior anglers at the annual Christmas Party in December.



Best wishes to the

RAT 2011/ 2012

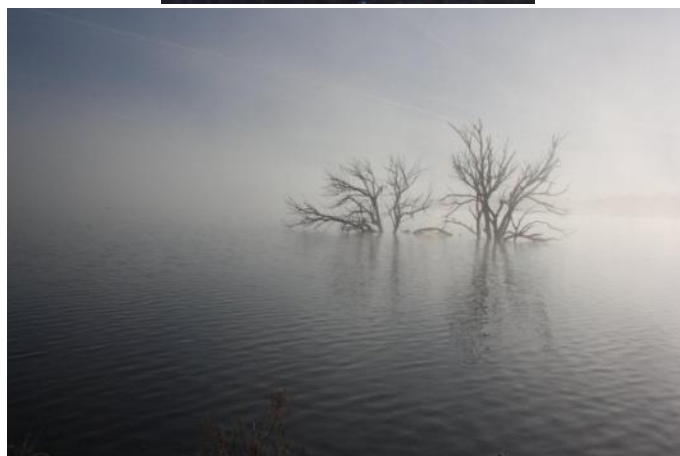
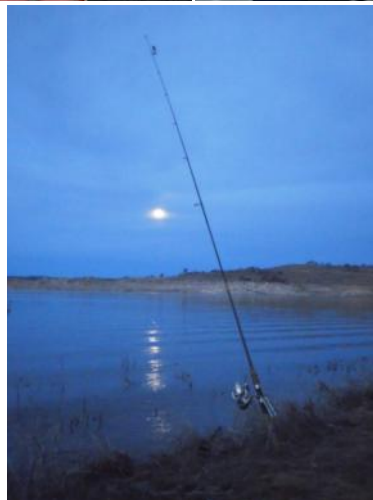
Chris Head

Regards

Anthony Heiser

RAT 2010/2011

August Photo Competition entries



2011-2012 Canberra Fisherman's Club Outing's & Meeting Calendar

<i>Outing Date</i>	<i>Outing</i>	<i>Monthly Meetings</i>
14th – 16th October	Talbingo Convention	11th
4th – 6th November	Burrinjuck Convention (3-day outing)	8th New Angler Night All Welcome Bring a Friend
3rd – 4th December	Burrinjuck Outing (Cod season opening) Social Fishing Challenge with Morven Fishing Club	13th Meeting @ Tackle World Canberra Store Presentation; Snapper Soft Plastics by Matthew Pedrau Members SHOP SPECIALS on the NIGHT
TBA December	Club Christmas Party	
28th – 29th January	Tuross Outing	10th
TBA January	Annual Carpathon	
17th – 19th February	Nowra Convention / St Georges Basin Outing	14th Andrew McGovern Presenting: Fishing the local lakes

Canberra Fisherman's Club Sponsors 2011 - 2012

SPONSOR	CONTACT PERSON'S	CONTACT
TACKLEWORLD CANBERRA	Gary Cairns / Matthew Perdrau	02 6280 4530
A to Z BATTERIES	Tom Dugec	0417 652 549
AC LURES	Anthony Curtis	02 6931 2796
ACTION BUSES	Albert Magassy	c/- Canberra Fisherman's Club
AUSTRALIAN FISHING NETWORK	Jim Harmon	www.afn.com.au
ALVEY SURF REELS AUSTRALIA	John McKonkey	www.alvey.com.au
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FISHING WORLD MAGAZINE	Jim Harnwell (Editor)	www.yaffa.com.au/fw
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From the Editor

Firstly I would like to thank Steve and Anthony for a couple of great articles in this month's newsletter, hope you all enjoy the read? Also you will see over the next few weeks we have updated our club brochure, poster and have created a handout and poster for the November New Anglers Night. Please assist with getting the word out for the November meeting.

I am looking to members to send me photos, stories, jokes and information that can be used in the newsletter and or website.

So if you have been away and have a few photos from the trip send them in with a paragraph or two, don't have to be many words but will be of interest to members I am sure.

Also if you have some gear to sell swap or barter then send me the details and we can put it into the newsletter.

Looking for photos for the monthly photo competition, send them in.

All of the above should be emailed to info@canberrafishos.com , hand delivered or drop me a line on my mobile 0408 225 794.

Also keep an eye out for Members only deals coming up, and more presentations on the way

Regards

Chris Head

Membership & Contact Information

Membership Fees

	CFC	ANSA
Junior	\$5	\$4
Student	-	\$7
Senior	\$20	\$20
Family	\$30	\$25

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For Sale / Swap or Barter

Shimano Triton 50/80 2 speed Beastmaster reel combined with a custom built 24kg roller tip game Rod (sabre blank and quality Fuji components) full spooled with 24kg Platypus pre-test mono.

\$500.00



6-8 Kilo custom built rod
\$80.00



Shimano TLD 15 reel (in box)
\$100.00



Contact Jamie on 0417 668 932.



2010-11 MEMBERSHIP FORM

CANBERRA FISHERMAN'S CLUB INC

Affiliated with the Australian National Sportfishing Association ([ANSA](#))



Surname:					
First Name:					
Partner's Name:					
Child 1:		DOB:		M/F	
Child 2:		DOB:		M/F	
Child 3:		DOB:		M/F	
Address:					
Suburb:		State:		Postcode:	
Email:					
Phone:		(h)		(w)	(mob)

Proposed By: _____ (N/a for renewal)

Seconded By: _____ (N/a for renewal)

Note: Optional ANSA affiliation entitles you to National/International Record Claims and NSW Sporting Injuries Insurance.

CFC Senior	\$20	<input type="checkbox"/>
CFC Family	\$30	<input type="checkbox"/>
CFC Junior <16	\$5	<input type="checkbox"/>

ANSA Senior	\$20	<input type="checkbox"/>
ANSA Family	\$25	<input type="checkbox"/>
ANSA Junior <16	\$4	<input type="checkbox"/>
ANSA Student	\$7	<input type="checkbox"/>

I / We agree to abide by the rules of the Canberra Fisherman's Club Inc Constitution, By-Laws and ANSA Code of Ethics...

Signed: _____ Date: ____/____/____

Annual Renewal is due by 30th June each year. Cheques to be made payable to - Canberra Fisherman's Club Inc.
Membership form and payment should be forwarded to - **The Secretary - PO Box 325 Civic Square, ACT 2608**

Boat Owner: Yes / No *If yes, please complete the following section...*

Manufacturer:		Boat Name:		Boat Rego Number:	
Length:	Beam:	Draught:	Hull Colour:	Deck Colour:	
Trailer Manufacturer:			Trailer Registration:		
Radio Fitted: Yes / No			Call Sign:		

Person to contact in case of emergency... Name: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Mobile Phone: _____

OFFICE USE ONLY

CFC Fee: \$_____.00 ANSA Fee: \$_____.00 Total amount due: \$_____.00

Treasurer's Receipt No: _____ Date: ____/____/____.

CFC Membership No: _____ Recorded & Included on Mailing Lists: Date: ____/____/____.

ANSA Membership: Registered or Renewed Date: ____/____/____.

5th September 2011

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Dear Friends

On behalf of the ACT Eden Monaro Cancer Support Group, we would like to take this opportunity to thank the Canberra Fisherman's Club for their generous donation of \$4000.00, and all monies raised will stay in our community.

The donation will go into our family assistance account, to help support those patients undergoing treatment for cancer, and find themselves unable to cope with costs associated through no fault of their own.

Raising funds to meet the demands of so many patients requiring our help while undergoing treatment for cancer has become a difficult task and without the wonderful support from businesses, schools organizations and the general public, that we receive, this group could not survive. That in itself, would be a great disaster for the number of people referred to us on a daily basis, who find themselves in difficulties through no fault of their own.

Chris on a personal note thank you for the invitation to attend the night, I was very impressed on how much it is a great family club.

Enclosed please find your tax receipt for \$4000.00 and once again our sincere thanks for this wonderful support from you all.

Yours in friendship and charity

Mark Green
Manager
ACT Eden Monaro Cancer Support Group



New Anglers Night

- **Meet like-minded anglers**
- **Share fishing tales**
- **Learn new tips**
- **Keep up-to-date with boating and fishing regulations**
- **Discover what the Canberra Fisherman's Club can offer you**



We cater for social and competitive anglers alike.

The Canberra Fisherman's Club holds a mix of social and competitive outings throughout the year and organises guest speakers including professional guides and 'local experts' to help members improve their fishing skills.

When: 7.30 pm, Tuesday night, 8 November 2011
Where: Eastlakes Football Club, 3 Oxley St, Griffith
RSVP: info@canberrafishos.com (to assist with catering)
Free finger food

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