



Newsletter

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John Vogel – personal best Golden Perch 44 cm

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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 **Canberra Deakin Football Club ACT** beginning at 6:30 pm. 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.
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President's Report

Hi everyone

The 2018-19 annual Club Competition has almost closed, with only a couple of weeks left to catch a prize-winning fish. As usual, the Recorder will not be providing an update in this newsletter to build the suspense in the lead-up to our annual Presentation Night in September. Remember: if you make any last-minute captures, you need to have all the paperwork in with the Recorder (John Bosch) by the 14th July.

The recent June outing was the traditional Queen's Birthday long weekend trip to Narooma. The seas were fairly flat, so I got to take my new game boat out for its first couple of trips. Chris Head volunteered to be deckie, which worked out really well because my regular enclosed waters deckie (Karen) had to return to shore a little earlier than expected! It turned out to be a great weekend in the boat: We managed to cube up a school of large striped tuna on Saturday, which provided plenty of bait for the next few trips as well as a good kingfish for Chris on Sunday morning. Chris hooked his kingfish on the first jig of the day, but unfortunately it was too crowded at the north end of Montague for us to stick around. Brian Stacy also fished the Island with Kevin and Mel for several nice kingfish and some nice flathead on the way back in.



For those not on a boat there was an epic "battle of the beaches", with some nice Australian salmon caught despite less-than-ideal tides and warmer than usual water. I think in the end, the battle of the beaches was won by Anthony Heiser on a one-day stealth-visit to Narooma that saw him put in some huge hours. For most of us, it was a relaxing social weekend, with plenty of fish to go around.

Next fishing year kicks off with the July outing to Ulladulla. We will be staying at the Wairo Beach Caravan Park, which provides us easy access to the beach and is only a short drive to Ulladulla - a great launching spot for offshore fishing. I plan to head out to the Ulladulla reef if the seas are kind (the kingfish are usually keen on jigs in July), and maybe out to the shelf if the seas are very kind! Send us an email if you haven't registered yet and would like to come down.

Following the July outing, we will be holding the AGM, where all positions on the Club Executive and Committee will be up for election. It's important for

the Club's future that we have a variety of views on the Committee to make sure we are able to represent the interests of all members. Regardless of the length of time you've spent in the Club, or your fishing knowledge, if you are willing to represent your fellow members then you are the sort of person we need on the Committee - I encourage you to put your name forward. The more nominations we get, the stronger your Committee will be! The AGM will be held on 13th August 2019 - written nominations must be received by the Secretary (Zane Zhao) by 16 July 2019. Nomination forms are provided at the end of this newsletter.

Keep safe on the water,

Glen

Recorder's Report

G'day all,

As we start winding down in to winter I will, as I do each year, start keeping the final tallies of the club competitions to myself. It builds a little suspense for the run in to the end of the year and for the presentation night. But don't stop sending in those capture forms. You never know, you just might overtake someone and earn yourself a trophy and the adulation of your fishing peers.

Outside of the Bateman's Bay outing there has been very little reported fishing activity. Brian Stacy submitted the capture of a very nice sized Flathead, while Anthony Heiser has been trying to make me have to find the Fly Fisherman's trophy.

The Bateman's Bay outing was held in conjunction with the South Coast Mighty Fishing Bonanza, an event organised as an ANSA event as well as a public one. As a club, we entered several captures, but the event was well and truly dominated by several local anglers. Karen Malam managed a 700+mm Flathead from Tuross, Anthony a nice sized Salmon and for me a few Trevally, Bream and an 815mm Long Tom.

Finally, please remember that the Bass and Estuary Perch closed season is in effect from 1 May through to the end of August, if fishing below a freshwater impoundment. You can still target these species, and still enter them as captures, but they are a catch and release only species for the duration of the closed season.

That's it from me for another month. Keep those capture forms rolling in!

John.



Club Championship

Let's build some suspense!!!

Soon to Expire Scales

When giving me scales to test please provide a new battery with them as well. Your scales have a better chance of passing if the battery is fresh, and it's worth replacing it once a year anyway!



CANBERRA FISHERMAN'S CLUB - CAPTURE FORM



DIVISION: 1 = Sportfishing, 2 = Lurecasting, 3 = Flycasting, 4 = Gamefishing, 5 = Handline, 6 = Landbased Gamefishing, 7 = All Tackle

SECTION: BW = Bluewater, FW = Freshwater, BCH = Beach, RCKS = Rocks, EST = Estuary

SPECIES	WEIGHT KG	LENGTH MM	LINE CLASS	PRE TEST Y/N	LOCATION	DATE	LAND BASED	DIVISION	SECTION	POINTS

CERTIFICATION OF WEIGHING: I Declare that I witnessed the weighing of these captures on certified scales# DATE: / / SIGNED:
CERTIFICATION BY ANGLER: I Declare that I Captured these fish in accordance with the rules of ANSA. DATE: / / SIGNED:



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ANSA N.S.W 12 MONTH COMPETITION ENTRY FORM

Date Received by State Recorder: ____/____/____



Angler: Club:

ANSA No: DOB (jnr & sub-jnr): Phone:

Weight Captures:

Was Pre-Test or Factory Pre-Test line used in these captures (circle) **Yes / No**

If Pre-Test or Factory Pre-Test line **was not used** in the captures, a 5 metre line sample must be provided with this entry form.

Species	Capture Date	Capture Location	Weight	Line Class	Division 1-15

Tag & Release:

Species	Capture Date	Capture Location	Tag Number

Length Captures:

Species	Capture Date	Capture Location	Division 17-25	Length (mm)

ANGLERS DECLARATION

I _____, declare that this capture was made by me, and weighed or measured on an appropriate device, in accordance with ANSA rules.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

WITNESS TO WEIGHT / MEASUREMENT

I _____, certify that I witnessed the weighing or measuring of the capture.

CLUB RECORDER

I _____, declare that the captures listed above have been authenticated in accordance with ANSA rules.

Notes for LENGTH captures:

1. Fish to be measured length overall i.e.: end of tail to the leading edge of the jaw, fish laying flat and tail in a natural position.
2. If no witness to length only measurement, a photo of capture on an appropriate measuring device must be submitted.
3. Preferably all claims should be accompanied by a photo of the fish on the appropriate measuring device. Video is acceptable.
4. One entry, per division, per angler, per year across divisions, upgrading of fish is acceptable.

Eligible Divisions for 12-Month Comp:

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|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1. Land Based Game Species (Sport / Gamefishing capture method) | 9. Flyfishing Freshwater | 17. Length Only Carp (All) |
| 2. Land Based Non - Game Species (Sport / Gamefishing capture method) | 10. Gamefishing | 18. Length Only Trout (All) |
| 3. Sportfishing in Saltwater Estuaries & Saltwater Lakes | 11. Handline | 19. Length Only Bass (Australian) |
| 4. Sportfishing from a Boat (outside) | 12. Capture by a Lady | 20. Length Only Bream (All) |
| 5. Sportfishing Freshwater | 13. Capture by a Junior Boy | 21. Length Only Flathead (All) |
| 6. Lurefishing Saltwater | 14. Capture by a Junior Girl | 22. Length Only Salmon (Australian) |
| 7. Lurefishing Freshwater | 15. Capture by a Sub-Junior | 23. Length Only Kingfish (Yellowtail) |
| 8. Flyfishing Saltwater | 16. Tag & Release | 24. Length Only Snapper |
| | | 25. Length Only Mulloway |

General Notes:

1. Each fish submitted may only be entered in **one** of the eligible divisions 1-25 above.
2. Fish submitted for Weight Captures, cannot be submitted for Length Captures and vice versa
3. To be eligible all 12 month competition entry forms must be with the state recorder within 35 days from date of capture

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ANSA NSW 12-Month Competition - Current Standings as at 14/06/2019

ANGLERS NAME	CLUB	SPECIES	MASS	LINE	POINTS
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DIVISION 1: Landbased - Game Species

1 Anthony Heiser	Canberra Fisherman's Club	SALMON - AUSTRALIA	1.750	2	105.000
2 Mark Holland	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing	BONITO - AUSTRALIA	1.180	2	88.500
3 Mark Holland	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing	BONITO - AUSTRALIA	0.950	2	71.250

DIVISION 2: Landbased - Non-Game Species

1 Chris Stolk	Wollongong Sportfishing Clu	ROCK BLACKFISH	1.700	2	127.500
2 Matthew Manson	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing	ROCK BLACKFISH	1.600	2	120.000
3 Matthew Manson	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing	ROCK BLACKFISH	1.540	2	115.500

DIVISION 3: Sportfishing - Saltwater Lakes and Estuaries

1 Mark Wilson	Wollongong Sportfishing Clu	KINGFISH - YELLOWT	2.400	2	180.000
2 Gordon Jobson	Wollongong Sportfishing Clu	FLATHEAD - DUSKY	3.350	2	167.500
3 Steve Siarakas	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing	KINGFISH - YELLOWT	2.150	2	161.250

DIVISION 4: Sportfishing - From a Boat (Outside)

1 Terry Tatton	Wollongong Sportfishing Clu	TUNA - NORTHERN BL	19.000	6	475.000
2 Ben James	Narooma Sport & Game Fishi	MARLIN - BLACK	82.000	24	410.000
3 Terry Tatton	Wollongong Sportfishing Clu	MACKEREL - NARROW	24.000	6	400.000

DIVISION 5: Sportfishing - Freshwater

1 Mark Wilson	Wollongong Sportfishing Clu	PERCH - GOLDEN	3.370	2	168.500
2 Adam Camilleri	Botany Bay Sport Fishing Cl	PERCH - GOLDEN	2.180	2	109.000
3 Stuart Bell	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing	TROUT - BROWN	1.800	2	90.000

DIVISION 6: Lure Fishing - Saltwater

1 Terry Tatton	Wollongong Sportfishing Clu	TUNA - NORTHERN BL	9.600	6	240.000
2 Terry Tatton	Wollongong Sportfishing Clu	TUNA - MACKEREL	4.600	4	172.500
3 Terry Tatton	Wollongong Sportfishing Clu	TUNA - STRIPED	3.600	4	135.000

DIVISION 7: Lurecasting - Freshwater

1 Terry Tatton	Wollongong Sportfishing Clu	BASS - AUSTRALIAN	1.550	2	116.250
2 Adam Camilleri	Botany Bay Sport Fishing Cl	PERCH - GOLDEN	1.400	2	70.000
3 Kevin Calleja	Wollongong Sportfishing Clu	PERCH - REDFIN	1.300	2	65.000

ANSA NSW 12-Month Competition - Current Standings as at 14/06/2019

ANGLERS NAME	CLUB	SPECIES	MASS	LINE	POINTS
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DIVISION 8: Flyfishing - Saltwater

1 Anthony Heiser	Canberra Fisherman's Club	FLATHEAD - DUSKY	0.710	2	35.500
2 VACANT	NO CLUB		0.000	0	0.000

DIVISION 9: Flyfishing - Freshwater

1 VACANT	NO CLUB		0.000	0	0.000
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DIVISION 10: Gamefishing

1 Ryan Nemec	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing	MARLIN - BLUE	188.000	37	609.730
2 Michael Sciberras	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing	TUNA - SOUTHERN BL	86.000	24	537.500
3 Marcus Sterianos	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing	TUNA - SOUTHERN BL	65.000	24	406.250

DIVISION 11: Handline

1 Mary Worsley	St George Sportfishing Club	MULLOWAY	10.100	8	126.250
2 Chris Stolk	Wollongong Sportfishing Clu	DOLPHIN FISH	1.650	3	82.500
3 Terry Tatton	Wollongong Sportfishing Clu	DOLPHIN FISH	1.400	3	70.000

DIVISION 12: Capture by a Lady

1 Chelsea Rutstein	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing	TUNA - SOUTHERN BL	71.000	24	443.750
2 Belinda Rayment	St George Sportfishing Club	TUNA - SOUTHERN BL	47.500	24	296.875
3 Chelsea Rutstein	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing	DOLPHIN FISH	3.150	6	78.750

DIVISION 13: Capture by a Junior Boy

1 Kobi Robinson	Happy Hookers Sportfishing	KINGFISH - YELLOWT	2.430	4	91.125
2 Jett Deighton	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing	BONITO - AUSTRALIA	0.820	2	61.500
3 Jett Deighton	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing	BONITO - AUSTRALIA	0.750	2	56.250

DIVISION 14: Capture by a Junior Girl

1 VACANT	NO CLUB		0.000	0	0.000
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ANSA NSW 12-Month Competition - Current Standings as at 14/06/2019

ANGLERS NAME	CLUB	SPECIES	MASS LINE	POINTS
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DIVISION 15: Capture by a Sub-Junior

1 Jett Deighton	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing	BONITO - AUSTRALIA	1.260	2	94.500
2 Zachary Zhao	Canberra Fisherman's Club	BREAM - YELLOWFIN	1.100	2	66.000
3 Hamish Stolk	Wollongong Sportfishing Clu	CATFISH - FRESHWAT	1.200	2	60.000
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DIVISION 16: Tag and Release

1 Terry Tatton	Wollongong Sportfishing Club				840
2 Matthew Manson	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Assoc				200
2 Ryan Nemec	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Assoc				200

DIVISION 17: Length Only - Carp

1 Neil Kemp	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Asso	CARP - EUROPEAN			960.000
2 Tony Steiner	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Asso	CARP - EUROPEAN			720.000
3 Chris Lemmon	Canberra Fisherman's Club	CARP - EUROPEAN			700.000

DIVISION 18: Length Only - Trout (All)

1 Stan Konstantaras	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Asso	TROUT			630.000
2 Anthony Heiser	Canberra Fisherman's Club	TROUT - BROWN			600.000
3 Lloyd Anderson	St George Sportfishing Club	TROUT - BROWN			520.000

DIVISION 19: Length Only - Australian Bass

1 Shane Bourke	Newcastle Sportfishing Club	BASS - AUSTRALIAN			462.000
2 Greg Harrison	Newcastle Sportfishing Club	BASS - AUSTRALIAN			455.000
3 Ella Mckinnon	Newcastle Sportfishing Club	BASS - AUSTRALIAN			450.000

DIVISION 20: Length Only - Bream (All)

1 Jake Mikolic	Narooma Sport & Game Fishing C	BREAM - YELLOWFIN			450.000
2 Warren McKinnon	Newcastle Sportfishing Club	BREAM - YELLOWFIN			445.000
3 Evan Knithakis	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Asso	BREAM - YELLOWFIN			440.000

DIVISION 21: Length Only - Flathead (All)

1 Robert Sciberras	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Asso	FLATHEAD - DUSKY			950.000
2 Deborah Logan	St George Sportfishing Club	FLATHEAD - DUSKY			930.000
3 Karl Rasmussen	St George Sportfishing Club	FLATHEAD - DUSKY			925.000

ANSA NSW 12-Month Competition - Current Standings as at 14/06/2019

ANGLERS NAME	CLUB	SPECIES	MASS LINE	POINTS
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DIVISION 22: Length Only - Australian Salmon

1 Les Waldock	Narooma Sport & Game Fishing C	SALMON - AUSTRALIAN		740.000
2 Peter Logan	St George Sportfishing Club	SALMON		680.000
3 Chris Moran	Euro Fishing Association	SALMON - AUSTRALIAN		605.000

DIVISION 23: Length Only - Kingfish

1 Paul Baker	Australian Land Based Anglers	KINGFISH - YELLOWTAIL		1180.000
2 David Muscat	Australian Land Based Anglers	KINGFISH - YELLOWTAIL		1110.000
3 VACANT	NO CLUB	KINGFISH		0.000

DIVISION 24: Length Only - Snapper

1 Stan Konstantaras	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Asso	SNAPPER		840.000
2 Mark McGrath	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Asso	SNAPPER		830.000
3 Nick Malliotakis	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Asso	SNAPPER		810.000

DIVISION 25: Length Only - Mulloway

1 Jeremy Abbott	Euro Fishing Association	MULLOWAY		1320.000
2 Peter Sitarz	Newcastle Sportfishing Club	MULLOWAY		1280.000
3 Tommy Ivanovic	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Asso	MULLOWAY		1130.000

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DIVISION 26: Most Versatile Angler

ANGLERS NAME	CLUB	POINTS
Terry Tatton	Wollongong Sportfishing Club	29
Ryan Nemec	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Assoc	10
Chelsea Rutstein	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Assoc	7
Mark Wilson	Wollongong Sportfishing Club	6
Belinda Rayment	St George Sportfishing Club	5
Ben James	Narooma Sport & Game Fishing Club	5
Darcy Sciberras	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Assoc	5
Marcus Sterianos	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Assoc	5
Michael Sciberras	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Assoc	5
Steve Siarakas	Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Assoc	5
Chris Lemmon	Canberra Fisherman's Club	5

DIVISION 27: Champion Club

CLUB	POINTS
Sth Sydney Amateur Fishing Assoc	47
Wollongong Sportfishing Club	32
St George Sportfishing Club	11
Canberra Fisherman's Club	11
Newcastle Sportfishing Club	10
Narooma Sport & Game Fishing Club	8
Australian Land Based Anglers	5
Euro Fishing Association	4
Botany Bay Sport Fishing Club	4
Happy Hookers Sportfishing Club	3

Fishing news and competitions

The ANSA NSW 2019 Calendar



ANSA NSW Calendar 2019

Issue, 27th October 2018. Note that contact details for each convention are subject to change without notice.

January	1 January – Happy New Year	July	
February	15/16/17 – Nowra Convention Hosted by: Nowra Sportfishing Club Contact: Faye Hanson: Tel: 0244439748 Mob: 0410 422 263 E-Mail: secretarynowrasfc@gmail.com	August	31 August – ANSA NSW AGM, Delegates' Meeting & Presentation Hosted by: Wollongong Sportfishing Club
March	08/09/10 – Narooma Convention Hosted by: Narooma Sport & Gamefishing Club Contact: Les Waldock Mob: 0411 392 608 29/30/31 – Sydney Sportfishing Tournament Hosted by: South Sydney Amateur Fishing Association & St George Sportfishing Club Contact: Tony Steiner Mob: 0412 611 778	September	13/14/15 – Glenbawn Convention Hosted by: Newcastle Sportfishing Club Contact: Eddie Sitarz Mob: 0428 294 176
April	13/14 April – South Coast Convention Hosted by: Euro Fishing Association Adam Martin Email: makitaman82@hotmail.com 21 April - Happy Easter Sunday	October	
May	12 May – Mothers Day 24/25/26 May – Lake Lyell Convention Hosted by: Sea Bees Fishing Club Contact: Rob Sinclair Mob: 0487017018 Email: sydneyseabees@gmail.com	November	01/02/03 Nov – Burrinjuck Convention Hosted by: Canberra Fisherman's Club Contact: Canberra FC info@canberrafishos.com
June		December	25 December – Merry Christmas

News & Stories

Fishing the ANSA Lake Lyell Convention

By Anthony Heiser



Anglers and their boats lined up on the shores of Lake Lyell for the 12th ANSA Lake Lyell Convention.

The 12th ANSA Lake Lyell Convention was hosted by Sea Bees Fishing Club on 24-26 May 2019 at the Lake Lyell Recreation Park. The Convention is a catch and release length-based comp for Trout and Bass in Lake Lyell, Thompsons Creek Dam & Lake Wallace.

I'm afraid I didn't catch a single fish, and don't even have any fish photos. I did get a lot of nice scenery photos but not enough material for an article to do justice to the Convention. What I did take home were intangible benefits that are rather difficult to put down on paper.

The Sea Bees Fishing Club booked campsite for everyone at the Lake Lyell Recreation Park at a special rate of \$10 per night for each entrant, making it a very affordable Convention.

I was allocated a campsite next to Faye and Ron Hanson from *Nowra Sportsfishing Club*, Michael from *Newcastle Sportsfishing Club*, and Gordon & Mitchell Jobson and Greg Oates from *Wollongong Sportsfishing Club*.

We shared a campfire each evening, which was a great way to unwind, share a meal, and sample more than my fair share Gordon's favourite drop of Seppeltsfield Grand Tokay from Rutherglen, Victoria.



Sharing a campfire with Faye & Ron Hanson and Gordon Jobson.



Fishing till the cows came home. Fishing off the bank at Lake Lyell was possible, but a boat was definitely handy.

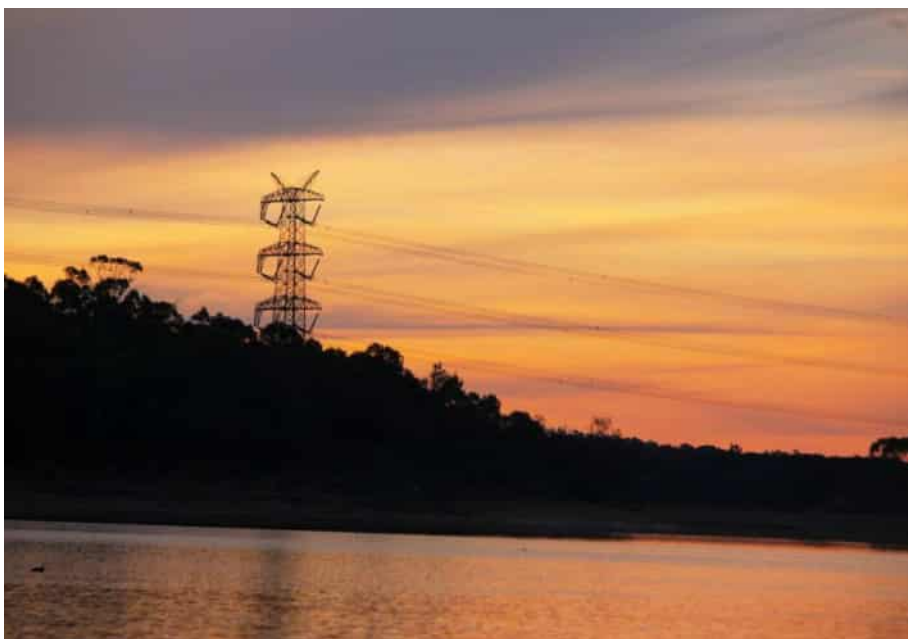
The fishing was rather tough this year, especially for those restricted to fishing off the bank. Slimy green algae and thick weed beds off the bank at Lake Lyell presented some challenges for bait fishing. Those in boats struggled to find Trout, though Redfin Perch were aplenty.

So I focused my efforts on fly fishing at Thompsons Creek Dam. It might be a 'lake of a thousand casts', but any Trout you do land will be a stonker. And the water is gin clear, and free of green slime, ravenous Redfin Perch and Carp. Being a land-based lure and fly only dam, it offered a unique advantage over the boaties.

Unfortunately, I could not capitalise on this advantage. I had four encounters over the weekend but failed to convert them into captures. This included a small Rainbow that kept attacking my strike indicator, and a bust-off when I got over-enthusiastic in setting the hook.

As a minor consolation, the experience helped improve my fly casting under windy conditions and build my skills in 'nymphing' with a strike indicator.

Meeting and watching other anglers fishing the dam also helped in improving my fly fishing skills. While I completely failed to land a single fish, I at least returned home with improved fly fishing skills.



Thompsons Creek Dam, just after the wind dropped on Friday evening. Thompsons Creek Dam is located near Lithgow and Wallerawang and serves as an off creek water storage for the Mount Piper and Wallerawang power stations.



As I mentioned at the start of this article, I left Lake Lyell with no captures. Instead, I left with lots of scenery photos, 'personal growth' and 'character building' experiences. Hopefully, this time next year, I'll be actually writing about the fish I caught at Lake Lyell.

As always, Sea Bees Fishing Club ran a fantastic Convention. Thank you also to Faye and Ron Hanson for sharing their campfire and giving me their Redfin, which made for a very tasty dinner when I returned home.



Mudeye exuviae or shells hanging off a branch at Thompsons Creek Dam. No wonder the trout at Thompsons Creek Dam grow so big!



Sunset over Thompsons Creek Dam on Friday evening.



An angler from Sea Bees Fishing Club reeling in a nice Redfin Perch at Lake Lyell on Saturday afternoon.



Rainbow over Thompsons Creek Dam on Sunday morning.

Total Length Award species for 2019/2020

The Total Length Awards bring on healthy competition from the ranks of the CFC and for 2019-20, the target species are Flathead for the Saltwater section and European Carp for the Freshwater section. The new target species apply from 1 July 2019.

The target species for the 2018-19 fishing year are:

Saltwater section: Flathead



Freshwater section: European Carp



How many metres can you catch?

Thank you to the sponsors of the 43rd ANSA Burrinjuck Convention!

We thank you for your support and for being such a big part of this year's event!

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Photo Competition

- Members can submit up to two photos per month
- The photo must either be taken by the member submitting the photo or a photo of the member holding their capture
- Minor image corrections and cropping is allowed provided this does not lead to misleading or fraudulent alteration or manipulation of the photo
- The Committee reserves the right to exclude any entries it suspects has been subject to misleading or fraudulent alteration or manipulation (e.g. changing the colour of a bucket of blood from red to black – yes someone has submitted such a photo).



As always, a huge thank you goes out to our major sponsor, Otto's Tackle World Canberra.



Thank you to everyone at OTWC for supporting this photo competition. More than that, thank you OTWC for the ongoing support extended to the Canberra Fisherman's Club throughout the fishing year. Not to mention, thank you for continually stocking such a great range of gear and always being happy to extend some of the best fishing advice available in Canberra.

2019-2020 Club Outings & Meeting Calendar

Outing Date	Outing	Monthly Meetings
13th-14th July	Ulladulla	9th
24th-25th August	Buckenderra	13th
21st-22nd September	Kalkite	10th
12th-13th October	St Georges Basin	8th
2nd-3rd November	Burrinjuck Convention	12th
7th-8th December	Burrinjuck Cod Opening	10th
12th January	Carpathon	14th
25th-27th January	Tuross	
15th-16th February	Nowra Convention (tbc)	11th
6th-9th March	Narooma Convention (tbc)	10th
28th-29th March	Sydney Convention (tbc)	
18th-19th April	South Coast Mighty Bonanza (tbc)	14th
23rd-24th May	Kalkite	12th
6th-8th June	Narooma	9th
18th-19th July	Ulladulla	14th

Canberra Fisherman's Club Sponsors 2018-2019

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