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CLUB ETIQUETTE

MEETINGS The monthly GENERAL MEETING is usually held on the SECOND WEDNESDAY of each month at 8pm. All members should endeavour to attend the meetings to keep up with club matters.

DRY CASTING Casting is usually conducted on the FIRST SUNDAY of each month. Instruction is given to all new members and a competition is conducted to improve and maintain the standard of our members casting.

FIELD DAYS These normally follow each general meeting on the ensuing weekend. It is compulsory for anglers to attend both the sign-on and the weigh-in. Anglers who cannot attend the sign on for work or other unavoidable reasons may make prior arrangements for a late sign-on. However only under very exceptional circumstances will failure to attend weigh-ins not be penalised with the loss of points acquired during that field day. It is the Field Day Officers duty to inform the Committee of any anglers who fail to attend the weigh-in. It is the Committees duty to decide what action is to be taken. Disputes may be taken to the Committee. Entries for Game Fish Badges, Club Records and Open Fishing Competitions must be lodged with the Recorder within 30 days of capture.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS Please notify the Treasurer and Reel Talk Editor of any change of address or phone number.

GENERAL ETIQUETTE If you intend to resign from the club a letter of resignation should be forwarded to the Secretary. Please assist the Treasurer by paying your subscription within 28 days of the Annual General Meeting. Arrears of 3 consecutive months may cause forfeiture of membership.

THE SURF CASTING AND ANGLING CLUB OF W.A. (INC.)

GENERAL MEETING HELD ON THE 9 / 10 / 96

The meeting was opened at 8-08 p.m. by President Alan Brayne with 40 members present.

Apologies were received from:- Ron Thompson, Hans Wytenburg, Don Batchelor, Sue Brennan, Rom Nicijewski, Trevor Stam, and Basil Marsh.

3 Visitor's:- Louie Da'cunha, Mark Roundtree and Garreth Michael were made welcome.

Minutes of the last general meeting were read and accepted.

Business arising from the last general meeting:- Phone book delivery dates are:- Yellow pages on the 16th and 17th of November. All members were asked to make an extra effort to help out with the delivery of the phone books. Names of all who can help out to be given to Louie Scibilia and Hans Wytenburg A.S.A.P. so they can coordinate a delivery system. Approximately \$2150-00 was raised with the delivery of the white pages with an expenditure of around \$500-00 which included public liability insurance of \$330-00. This insurance will also cover the club when we deliver the yellow pages on November 16 and 17.

Minutes of the last committee meeting were read and accepted.

Business arising from the last committee meeting. Club clothing and club colours were discussed at the meeting with most members opting to retain the Surfcasters colours we now have. It was moved by Ian Cook, seconded Darren Batchelor that the notice of motion concerning 10 points being awarded to persons who help out at dry casting. Carried.

Inward correspondence:- A.A.A. meeting minutes and a letter from the fisheries department.

Estuary Championships are to be held on 28-10-96. Interested persons should contact Ian Cook.

Outward correspondence:- Secretary asked to send a card to Dennis Gilbert of Fleet Cycles (donar) who is ill.

Treasurer's report:- Refer to the Reel Talk.

Business arising from the Treasurer's report:- 12 members are still unfinancial for this coming year. If subs are not paid by the end of the month no points will be awarded.

Property officer's report:- Refer to the Reel Talk.



Dry casting officer's report:- Nil.

Field-day officer's report:- Ian Cook thanked the Assistant field-day officer for looking after the Wedge Island field-day. Members were asked if they were still interested in the trip to Exmouth next year. About ten members said that they would go if the trip was going to go ahead. It was moved by John Bennett, seconded Derry Barber that this trip be given the green light, carried. It was also mentioned that if a trip was to be arranged for the following year, we should be doing something about it now. Esperance, Peaceful Bay were two of the places mentioned plus Kalbarri club house.

It was suggested that we make use of the club house at Kalbarri as a venue for an extended holiday.

This could be used as a meeting place for all who went on the trip. First in best dressed if this venue was chosen, however there is plenty of accomodation in Kalbarri. Many of the members present indicated that we should be making more use of the Kalbarri house, after all, was not this one of the reasons for buying the house in the first place. I personally think this is a good idea. If this trip is to come to fruition it is to be remembered that

it will be held during school holidays some time in 1998. Due to the delivery of the yellow pages on the 16th and 17th of Nov. the field-day will be brought forward to the weekend of the 9th and 10th November.

Members were in agreement with this.

A.A.A. Report:- George Holman gave the members a brief run down on the last meeting and advised that Long Point would be closed to vehicles from June 97. Dry casting on the 24-11-96.

George attended the Fishing Clinic on the 7th Oct. where he estimated an attendance of around 200.

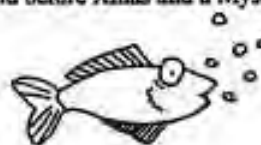
Members were advised that we have a notice in the book put out by the clinic advising people where they can get dry casting and fishing information from by joining the Surfcasters. George was also disappointed that the flyers we were supposed to have placed into the bags given to the clinic patrons did not eventuate.

Recorder:- Ian Mascarenhas has received 2 record entries recently. 1 from Bob Henderson for a single handed capture and 1 from Ian Neale (junior) for a tailor.

Social Organiser:- Phil Brayne thanked everyone (138 people) for a great effort in attending the mouse racing night. He estimated that we should make somewhere in the vicinity of \$2200-00. A great job Phil and Lea, well done.

Phil has suggested that another night cast might be held before Xmas and a Mystery Bus trip could be arranged shortly.

Instruction / guest speaker:- Nil.



The Club is NOT BROKE !!!!!.

To begin this months editorial (my second) , I favoured the necessity and importance to the information printed on this page , rather than my 400 word classification and point of view heralding the constitution and By / Laws saga. Talk is cheap, but when it comes down to it , we have a lot of people in our organisation who have **broken dreams** who think and believethings just happen. Well they don't!

They are pre-planned.

Once again the old adage want, want, want has to be reversed and now its time for us to give, give , give. **Give up some of your time and help out now** as the club needs **everyones** assistance in the smooth running of the yellow pages distribution.

T-E-A-M

Together
Everyone
Accomplishes
More.



Louie Scibilia has been pleading for more names as time is running out very quickly.

I feel for him , patiently sitting by the telephone waiting and waiting and hoping someone else might ring and say that they have a few hours to give up with their mates and family and help out our clubs' fund raising event....

We have just raised over a thousand dollars on the White Pages distribution and half of that amount is spent on trophies , prizes and other incidentals because we want ,want ,want.

Get involved and help out as much as you can as there is no such thing as a free lunch.....

R.J.N,



WANTED



**MORE MEMBERS
ARE NEEDED.....**

(I just don't have enough names).

***Could You Please
Help YOUR CLUB!!***

Even for a few hours will do....

Dates **15-16-17th**

of
NOVEMBER
Yellow Pages distribution

Ring Louie Scibilia and register your name
now..

Telephone 454 3220



If you can borrow a trolleybring it too!



Mulloway - An Anglers Dream or Nightmare.

Capturing a 10kg plus Mulloway at night is every anglers dream and ultimate ambition and I'm no different to anybody else. It is known that it takes a long time in hours, mixed together also with effort and persistence before that ambition is ever fulfilled. Every month another fishing magazine comes out with an angler, proudly showing off a 15kg photograph of his prize, leaving me totally exasperated and of course a little envious. (Orare they old photo's ??.)



I have been fortunate at least a few times to actually witness a large Mulloway being pulled out from the sea, right next to me, not even two arms lengths away. I glibly congratulated the lucky angler several times, while deep down, my stomach turned like a flat tyre does when it rotates slowly and a little bit of contempt, sadly stimulates my brain-cells..

It should've been mine !



The majesty of this fish is unique and is truly a sight to behold. The gold and silver outer skin glistening in the moonlight, oohoohand the eyes are something you'll never forget in your lifetime.

Jim Strong, Parker, Holman and Murray Shaw and a few others have been victorious Surfcasters, who, over their 20 odd years in angling have had the opportunity to be held spellbound at the beauty of these 10kg plus magnificent fish.

Talking with these pro's (while they appear to be gloating inside) provides useful information to the listener in the fundamentals of selecting the correct location, fishing near river mouths, on reef edges, moon-phases and the proper tackle requirementsneeded.

Over the years, conversations with the Brayne's of the club (excuse the play with words) on field days and other fishing outings, has made me realise that deep water gutters and the abundance of natural bait in the area where they were fishing, was their primary pre-requisite.

Small tailor, salmon, bream and mullet ..fished live or fileted was the best bait to use and I must



admit these tips were quite useful to a novice angler.

Keep working the area with burley and persist - persist and persist.

Keep chucking fresh bait out and a prayer every now and again helps as well.

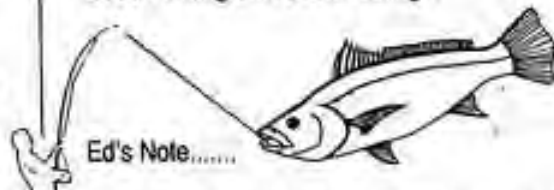
Early evening is the best time to fish on your favourite surf beach. The slack water period around the high tide is more than often the prime time. Big fish, big baits, and big alvey's fished with quick tapering rods is all that is necessary. (However, if you can cast an overhead reel a mile, like Anticich and Mark Philpott, an Abu 7000 is their personal preference).



Once a decent Mulloway feels the hook, it usually bolts seaward to Sth Africa for a little while, then stops for a breather, changes direction, then runs parallel to the beach, Davey exclaims.

It is well worth remembering to keep the length of line to the minimum by following the fish along the beach, (quotes Mal Head) after the initial panic stricken run has subsided. While tracking the fish this way, you can slowly regain your spent line back on to the reel.

Now fellow anglers we all have the ingredients to catch this prized fish given to us by our S.C.A.C comrades and I suppose its now up to the individuals to do the rest. Good Hunting and Good Fishing !



Ed's Note.....

My sincere thanks for the information guys and I promise to keep it all in mind on those cold and windy, rainy nights while we are playing euchre in Darryl Halton'swarm and dry, tent annexe.

**RECORDERS REPORT
NOV 1996**



HELLO FELLOW MEMBERS,

Whats new ? Have not herd from Ian 'cookie' Cook or Wayne Morris : so I presume there are no new entries for the Open competition . Well you would ask about the two entries that I read out the meeting . Well the entry from Bob Henderson was ineligible as it was captured on a field day at the field day venue .The second entry from Ian Neal was incomplete i.e with no dimensions which renders the entry invalid.

It is important that you pay attention to detail when submitting entries for the open and club records . You can enter the open competition on a field day provided that you capture the fish at any other location other than the field day venue.

The open competition entries have not changed since .



Open Competition Entries 1996/1997

1.	Most Meritorious Fish	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.	Heaviest Shark	4.5 kg Min	<i>G.Holman</i>	27.1 kg	20kg line	Steep Pt.
3.	Heaviest Mulloway	3.5 kg Min	<i>Mal Head</i>	13.2 Kg	16 kg line	Kalbarri
4.	Heaviest Salmon	3.0 kg Min	.....	.....	.....	.....
5.	Heaviest Dhufish	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6.	Heaviest Tailor	.....	<i>G.Holman</i>	2.05 Kg	10 kg Line	Pipidinnny
7.	Heaviest Samson Fish	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8.	Heaviest Fish S/h Rod	4.0 kg Line class	<i>Sue Brennan</i>	.350 kg	4.kg Line	C.Leveque
9.	Heaviest Pink Snapper	.....	<i>G.Holman</i>	4.1 kg	20 kg line	Steep Pt.
10.	Heaviest Tarwhine	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11.	Heaviest Mackerel	.....	<i>G.Holman</i>	15.3 kg	20 kg line	Steep Pt.
12.	Heaviest Trevally South	1kg Min	.....	.....	.....	.....
13.	Heaviest Trevally North	1kg Min	<i>Rom. Niclejewski</i>	7.kg	6kg line	C.Leveque
14.	Heaviest Snook/Pike	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15.	Heaviest Scale Fish	2. kg Min. Queenfish	<i>Nick Anticich</i>	5.1 kg	7 kg line	C.Leveque

Other than Section s 2 through to 14 **Fish Wght** **Location**

See you at the next General Meeting. Tight lines and good fishing .



Ian 'MACCA' Mascarenhas

NOVEMBER GENERAL MEETING

WHERE: M.Y.A.S.G. Club Room at Ingelwood Aquatic Centre
Alexander Drive
WHEN: Wednesday 13th November 1996 at 2000 hrs
INSTRUCTION: Drycasting by Bob Henderson



NOVEMBER DRYCASTING

WHERE: Yokine Reserve corner of Alexander Drive and Wordsworth Avenue
WHEN: 3rd November 1996
EVENTS: 112 g D/H Distance , 56g D/H Distance , Open single handed 56g

NEXT FIELD DAY

BEST SOLUNAR DATES

11TH - 15TH NOV

WHERE: HILL RIVER
WHEN : 9TH - 10TH NOVEMBER 1996
SIGN ON: SHELL GARAGE CERVANTES 1300 HRS
WEIGH IN: SUNDAY 1000 HRS SHELL GARAGE CERVANTES
BOUNDARIES: SOUTHERN: CERVANTES JETTY
NORTHERN: HILL RIVER

Subject to no 2WD vehicles in attendance then the southern boundary will be Black Rock. Weigh in will also be held at Black Rock.

FOLLOWING FIELD DAY

BEST SOLUNAR DATES

14TH - 15TH DEC



THE DECEMBER FIELD DAY WILL BE A ONE DAY EVENT. ON THE CONCLUSION OF THE FIELD DAY EVENT THERE WILL BE A BARBECUE. FOLLOWED BY A NIGHT DRYCASTING EVENT.



WHERE: LOCAL
WHEN : 15TH DECEMBER
SIGN ON: PHONE IN SIGN ON TO F.D.O BY 2000 HRS FRIDAY 13th DECEMBER
LINES DOWN: 0001 HRS 15 DECEMBER
WEIGH IN: BEHIND G. HOLMANS HOUSE 89 CLONTARF St, SORENTO (ROBIN PARK) AT 1830 HRS
BOUNDARIES: NORTH MOLE TO TWO ROCKS MARINA

LOCAL FIELD DAY FOR NOVEMBER

BEST SOLUNAR DATES

11TH - 15TH NOV

WHEN : 9TH - 10TH NOVEMBER
SIGN ON: Phone in sign on to F.D.O. by 2000 hrs on the THURSDAY night,
LINES DOWN: SATURDAY, 1300 HRS
WEIGH IN: SUNDAY 1000 HRS G.Holmans house. Scales will be available on his back patio. Weights must be witnessed by a adult. **FD Money to be left with the scales in an envelope with name. NO MONEY, NO POINTS.** Results to be phoned into the F.D officer by 2000 hrs that night.
BOUNDARIES: NORTH MOLE TO OCEAN REEF



LOCAL FIELD DAY FOR DECEMBER

BEST SOLUNAR DATES

14TH - 15TH DEC

WHEN : (REFER TO DECEMBER FIELD DAY)
SIGN ON:
LINES DOWN:
WEIGH IN:
BOUNDARIES:



LIST OF FIELD DAYS FOR BALANCE OF 1996-1997

BEST SOLUNAR DATES

JAN 11TH-12TH	MANDURAH 500	T.B.A
FEB 15TH-16TH	MOORE RIVER /SEABIRD/LEDGE POINT	T.B.A
MAR 1ST-3RD	REEF BEACH (LWE)	T.B.A.
APR 12TH-13TH	EMU SPRINGS	T.B.A.





VENUE: PEACEFUL BAY
ATTENDANCE: SENIORS: 9 JUNIORS: 0 M/JUNIORS: 0
 VISITORS: 0 LOCAL: 3
TOTAL ATTENDANCE: 12 **TOTAL FISH WEIGHT:** 35.45 Kg

SENIORS:					
<u>NAME</u>	<u>POINTS</u>	<u>WEIGHT</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>POINTS</u>	<u>WEIGHT</u>
John Bennett	219	7.90 Kg	Bob Henderson	107	1.65 Kg
Darren Batchelor	213	8.25 Kg	Elconor Bennett	90	1.00 Kg
Don Batchelor	143	4.25 Kg	Sid Whiting	75	0.50 Kg
Morris Kolman	141	3.05 Kg	George Holman	68	1.80 Kg
Kevin Hooper	125	2.50 Kg	Dave Maxted	51	1.10 Kg
Shaun Hooper	125	3.45 Kg	Ian Taggart	20	0.00 Kg

JUNIORS
NIL

FIELD DAY PRIZES

HEAVIEST SCALE FISH	John Bennett	1.85 Kg	Salmon
HEAVIEST BAG OF SCALE FISH	Darren Batchelor	8.25 Kg	Mixed
MYSTERY PRIZE	Morris Kolman	0.45 Kg	Flathead
JUNIOR PRIZE	Nil		



SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR POINTS

HEAVIEST SCALE FISH	John Bennett	1.85 Kg	Salmon
HEAVIEST BAG OF SCALE FISH	Darren Batchelor	8.25 Kg	Mixed

SENIOR TOP TEN

Darren Batchelor	1065
Tony D'Alonzo	660
Morris Kolman	605
John Bennett	462
Ian Cook	442
Don Batchelor	436
Darryl Halton	435
George Holman	422
Ian Taggart	419
Hans Wytenburgh	356
Ian Mascarenhas	332

JUNIOR TOP FIVE

Grant Taggart	167
Darren Whiting	57
Michael Scibillia	40

M/JUNIOR TOP FIVE



FIELD DAY COMPETITION 1996 - 1997

OCTOBER 1996

1. HEAVIEST SCALE FISH (1ST SIX MONTHS)	Tony D'Alonzo	Sweetlip	5.00 Kg
2. HEAVIEST SCALE FISH (2ND SIX MONTHS)			
3. MOST MERITORIOUS FISH			
4. HEAVIEST SHARK (4.5 Kg MIN)			
5. HEAVIEST MULLOWAY (1.0 Kg MIN)			
6. HEAVIEST TAILOR (1.0 Kg MIN)	Darryl Halton		2.90 Kg
7. HEAVIEST SALMON (3.0 Kg MIN)			
8. HEAVIEST TREVALLY (0.5 Kg MIN)			
9. HEAVIEST MACKERAL			
10. HEAVIEST BAG OF SCALE FISH	Darren Batchelor		13.00 Kg
11. HEAVIEST BAG OF MULLOWAY	Alan Brayne		2.80 Kg
12. HEAVIEST BAG OF TAILOR	Ian Cook		8.70 Kg
13. HEAVIEST FISH ON S.H. ROD (4Kg b/s line max)	Bob Henderson	Tarwine	0.65 Kg
14. HEAVIEST SCALE FISH OTHER THAN SECTIONS 3-9, 13 (2 Kg min)	Tony D'Alonzo	Sweetlip	5.00 Kg





DO YOU FIND IT BORING TOO?

I can only speak for myself here, I have been in this club now for nearly three years . I have kept every copy of my Reel Talk, I have missed two club meetings due to my being up north on fishing ventures. I would like to know how many members really take any notice of the A.A.A reports in the Reel Talk?. Also how many members take any notice of what George Holman, our A.A.A. delegate, has to say at the meetings?. I will be honest here, I dont think I have ever read the report in the Reel Talk, and when its A.A.A. report time at the meetings, thats my cue to check the sausage rolls in the pie warmer. I find the reports boring, I think most of the members find them boring. I also think I found it so because, I didnt understand half of the jargon that George was on about. I have heard lots of members say that they dont care about the politics of the club, and all they want to do is "go fishing,"and dont we all?. Well, two months ago our other A.A.A. delegate Hans Wytenburg scored a couple of months work up the North West and asked the question at a committee meeting if anyone would stand in for him at the next three A.A.A. meetings?. The room went silent and it became obvious to me that no one was going to volunteer so, overwhelmed by guilt, I stuck my hand up. I found the first meeting very informative and I must admit it has opened my eyes up to a few things that are going on around us. I dont think I will be one of the people saying , " I just want to go fishing" anymore because if we dont all get off our backsides and support our delegates that go to these boring A.A.A meetings, there will come a time when the closest place you will be able to " just go fishing" will be the other side of Geraldton, and the other side of Bunbury. It looks like we are going to lose the Leschenault peninsula as a fishing spot. If the " Leschenault Peninsula" doesn't mean much to you then maybe Tims Thicket, Whitehills, Preston Beach will. Think again if you decide to take a little angling time up to Pippadlenny. Even the locals up there are taking rego numbers of offending vehicles to dob you in to the authorities. Hey! dont get me wrong, I still dont want to get involved in the politics of the A.A.A, all I am saying is that the A.A.A report is very important and maybe we should all take a little more notice of it



Thanks
Phil Brayne,



A.A.A of W.A. Report

There were 20 delegates in attendance at the October meeting at the above. Phil Brayne and myself attended as representatives for the Surfcasters. Max Law has been seriously ill , and any inconvenience this has caused is regretted. We all wish him well and a speedy recovery...

The following fish record was passed

Flowery Cod 10.8 kg caught by Barry Brambles at the Monte Bellos.

The Tackle- the- Swan Mulloway Comp has had to be cancelled this year



SOCIAL REPORT



For the benefit of members that were not at the last general meeting, the profit from the mouse night was \$2296.00. Those members that didn't attend for whatever reason missed a really great night. There were 138 people at the hall which made it a great success also. Once again, thanks to everybody that helped out with the running and organizing of this affair. We may even do it again next year.

The next function for the club will be the second night dry casting social competition, these are a fun evening that we started last year. This will be held in early December. I will let you know the exact date when it has been set. The location will probably be the same as last year which was the oval behind George Holmans house. George doesn't know if yet but he will be organizing this event as Hans is still working up the north. I will once again be donating a trophy for this night. I won my donated trophy last year, I hope I dont win it again. (although I will be trying). I will be organizing a barbecue and refreshments for the night. Last years night cast was a success even though the evening was very cold. This year will be very pleasant and your attendance will be appreciated again. All you will need is your barbie packs, and a chair. (plus your flick rods for the cast). The December field day is also our Christmas function so December is a busy month for us. I wont be organizing anything for January, as you will need time to get over Chrissy and school holidays. The field day for January is the Mandurah 500 so hopefully the Surfcasters will have a good contingent representing us. I will be organizing a Mystery bus tour for sometime in February. For those that dont know what these are. We meet at a pre-arranged venue, usually a tavern, where we have a couple to get in the mood. We are then picked up by a coach that takes us to our choice of eating venue or should I say **MY** choice of eating venue, you wont have a clue where we are going. Its even pretty hard to guess as the coach does not travel in a direct route to the premises. After we have eaten we climb back on the coach and we are off again to our mystery location. I should mention here that the club esky is on the coach with us and its loaded with all the necessities of the evening. (even got wine for the ladies).



If you haven't been on one of these before, please give this one some thought, I have been on a couple now and can recommend them. At the conclusion of the night, the coach takes us back to our starting point and bids us farewell. obviously, the coach can only hold so many so, if you want to participate, please book with me early after I announce the bookings. Lastly, I am hoping to get everyone, that attends the Hill River field day, to get together for a barbie, probably at Black Rock. We dont have enough of these club get togethers and I am hoping to change this.



Thanks Phil Brayne

A.A.A Report..... Continued.



It was pointed out that the Fremantle Angling club in association with Fleet Cycles are going to run a Swan River competition on the same week as the Mandurah 500 (11th -12th January 1997).

The financial state of the A.A.A was discussed by the President.

The A.A.A. does a lot for angling clubs and can do no more. It is a matter of \$\$\$\$ and cents. State and Australian records are kept by us, a lot of public education, representation to government and local government and fisheries and interstate competitions are handled by the A.A.A.

A four wheel **DRIVE_IN** is to be organised for the Port Kennedy Beaches on the 10th of November. As many people as possible **must** attend this venue as numbers is the name of the game. A sausage sizzle is to be arranged as well. If we have a small number attending we will lose more access along our coast for sure!

G. Holman.



The **S.C.A.C.** proudly presents its
 inaugural.....
Tag - Along Fishing Tour
 for **DECEMBER 1996**
 Everything you need to know and were afraid to ask...

Q. What is a "Tag- Along " Tour ?

A. Very simply , it is when someone else has arranged and organised to go fishing to secret spots , you would not dream going to alone and you decide to go along as well.



Q. When is the next tag- along tour ?

A. The first two weeks in December 1996. Are you free ?

Q. Where are we going ?

A. It will start at Warren Beach near Pemberton and then move on to Fish Creek at West Cliff Point , after that we might explore the coastal cliff area down to Broke Inlet. Continuing on , we will have a look at Little Long Point and Long Point at Walpole. Captured anyone's interest as yet ? The area around Point Nuyts will probably be worth a look see and after that we will venture off towards Denmark which includes The Deep and Bornholm Beach. Our final destination will eventually be in the Bremer Bay area and into the Fitzgerald River National Park .

Q. Will I get time to fish ?

A. Ofcourse , if we like the spot we will stay. When we have got enough records to supply Ian Mascarenhas , *when we are ready , we will move on* . If we cannot go to all the spots , we will the next time.

Q. What if I can't go for two weeks ?

A. Not a problem , you can leave the group when " you " want to.

Q. What will I need to bring ?

A. You will need to be self sufficient and bring all your own gear. From tackle, vehicle , tents to ballooning gear.

Q. Who do I contact if I decide to go ?

A. You will need to let either Darryl Halton or Rom Niciejewski know if you are at all interested.



OCTOBER DRYCASTING REPORT

What a glorious morning we all encountered at our last drycasting event at the Yokine Reserve.

Once again sixteen casters attended and all enjoyed the comraderie.

The most noticeable in the two events are as follows:

1. To actually witness a father and his young son (the Stoeckels) participating together was a delight to see.

2. A visitor asking for advice and assistance in his casting technique.

It was nice to see a member take the time and supply the necessary equipment and guidance.

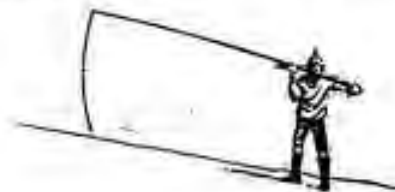
To see that persons exuberance when he increased his cast within 15 minutes of practice was a tribute to George. I will never forget the great grin he had on his face.

You know , we have so many members of different ages that show us something different every month to improve our casting abilities and finesse.

The clubs November drycasting event is on Sunday the 3rd of November and is the last before the State Titles so please make an effort to support the club's team..

P.S. Glad to see Gil Nye is back on his feet once again. GET WELL soon Gil , from all the Surfcasters

N.B. Casters urgently Wanted..... Contact Hendo



CANS CANS CANS CANS CANS
 Please bring all your aluminium cans for collection at the December General Meeting
 Regards Mal Head
 I'm off fishing in November





DRY CASTING REPORT 6TH OCTOBER



	<u>112 Gram Event</u>			<u>Artificial Bait</u>			D/H Acc	S/H Acc	Day Total
	Cast 1	Cast 2	Total	Cast 1	Cast 2	Total			
B. Hend'sn	89	99	12	0	81	8	85	19	124
T. Willison	139	140	28	0	113	11	78	0	117
D. Batch'lr	140	146	28	105	110	21	127	22	198
A. Jones	95	68	16	93	86	18	30	15	79
G. Holman	141	151	29	109	111	22	142	11	204
E. Parker	116	125	24	98	103	20	85	22	151
K. Hooper	0	86	8	61	0	6	63	16	93
S. Hooper	0	69	7	69	70	14	51	11	83
S. Pilton	121	114	23	0	0	0	64	19	106
M. Head	106	114	22	0	94	9	130	26	187
J. Strong	100	96	19	0	74	7	102	13	141
T. Stam	95	96	19	79	80	16	91	15	141
A. Thorg'sn	0	0	0	74	77	15	69	24	108
D. Batch'lr	109	115	22	98	84	18	115	24	179
R. Killick	89	104	19	79	74	15	101	21	156

Mini Juniors Event

D. Stoeckel	25	28	5	25	25	5	17	0	27
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112 gram Winner	G. Holman	29
Artificial Bait Winner	G. Holman	22
D/H Acc Winner	G. Holman	142
S/H Acc Winner	Mal Head	26



Winner of the Day
G. Holman 204 points

Mini Junior Winner
D. Stoeckel 27 points

NEXT DRYCASTING
3rd of November 1996

SPECIAL THANKS !!!!!

A BIG THANK YOU MUST GO OUT TO JIM , PETE , ALAN , TERRY and MAL HEAD for their help



Congratulations to last months winners for the articles supplied to REEL TALK

Bernard Price and Basil Marsh.

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Peaceful Bay. Report.



Morris Kolman and I, headed south on Friday afternoon into continuous drizzle of rain and strong head winds. We arrived at the Peaceful Bay Caravan park and met up with the Batchelor Boys. They had spent the entire day, checking out possible fishing locations and improvements on their vehicles amphibious capabilities. The area had received 14 inches of rain this winter and many of the tracks were under water and impassable.

I was also informed that Ian Cook had damaged his knee and was in need of medical attention, so poor Dery had to drive him all the way back to Perth.

After sign-on we moved down the coast and tried out a few locations with a small catch of fish. Upon arriving back to the caravan park we met up with Sid Whiting and the kids setting up their tents.

The very next morning, we again moved around trying one location after another that seemed productable. A little while later we headed for Bellanger Beach. To our surprise, we met up with John Bennet fishing there, fully rugged up in his wet weather gear. Alongside him was Eleanor with shorts, light top and a spray jacket. Twenty knot winds with a 0 degrees chill factor ...gawdit was bloody cold. If ever awards are to be given out for perseverance and togetherness, they deserve the accolades. The Hooper Family and the Whiting's also receive a mention for sticking it out, as it was a "stay in doors with a cosy fire and port" type of a day.

Fishing in coffee coloured water and very rough, sudsy, water some members picked up catches that surprised me. The weigh-in proved that perserverance produces results. Well done to those who tried.

Hendo.....



I would like to thank Bob for standing in as field day officer at Peaceful Bay. It was most disappointing to have driven down to the field day on the Friday and to have to return to Perth on the Saturday morning. My thanks to Dery for kindness in giving up his first field day he has been able to attend in 6 months due to work commitments. Fridays severe storm abated on Saturday and the fishing was reasonable. Hope those who attended enjoyed the weekend. The scenery was well worth the trip. Hope to see lots of members at Hill river in November.

STEEP POINT



Wayne Morris and myself have recently returned from ten days at Shark Bay in mid September. We unfortunately had two cold fronts go through while we where there with high winds and seas. The fishing was the poorest I have experienced in 17 years. I do not have an explanation for this as we where there before and after the new moon. We ballooned, bottom fished, trawled, fished the causeway and tried numerous locations from the dinghy for bottom species.

There has been about 350 mm of rain this winter which is double the normal rainfall and because of this the wild flowers and vegetation was magnificent.

Some useful information. You can now order food stores both dry and perishables, fuel, water etc from Denham and it will be delivered to Calls Camp twice a week by boat. The costs are Denham prices + a cost per kg. There is a move afoot by the Denham Shire to put in fixed camp sites with ablution blocks. This will mean no more camping at Steep Point itself. It would also mean you would be camping with other groups which has advantages and disadvantages. Just ask George about friendly groups. Except for a very rough 15 k section of the road between the Useless Loop road and turn off at False Entrance to Steep Point the track in is a breeze at the present time.

FIELD DAY OFFICER
Ian Cook

Kalbarri Report:



Hi folks this is Bob Hardie reporting from Kalbarri.

Weather-wise for us up here, has been cold and wet. The rainfall this year is nearly 300 mls above average, which is double the average rainfall. The wildflowers have been wonderful with carpets of everlastings stretching for miles inland and with the smokebush turning the usual yellow country side into a blue grey with the rain, making them last longer.

Now with the approach of the Cray - Season on the 14th of November, we expect the strong winds to arrive and blow all the blooms away and stir up the ocean and the fish!

Now about those fish.... Offshore boating has been great with jewfish, snapper, tailor, red emperor and coral trout in abundance for the last three months. With the river entrance now only one metre deep it is a bit of an effort for the boaties, including us to get out, because of all the low tides. Last weekend was our fishing "Comp" and because of the entrance conditions, our onshore section of the club was re-activated and for the first time the onshore mob beat the offshore. The winning section fish were massive tailor to 5.5 kilos caught around midday. Extra large Mulloway to 23 kilos, sand whiting, flathead, skippy around 2 kilo and a solitary herring.

The boaties collared a 25 kg yellow fin tuna, a few small cods, average size jewfish and unfortunately there was an alarming absence of snapper. (Mainly because of the height of the water and roughness of the swell.) Our onshore section boundary is as far north and south as you like and have access to the river as well, whereas the boaties have the ocean only. Time-on starts at daybreak and lines up at 5 p.m. The weigh-in is at the pubs' beer garden and there is extra time if you are playing a big fish... shark etc.

Don't forget when you come up here on holidays contact us or see Lennie at the hardware store so you can join in. He or Arnie will weigh in your fish during the week on pretested scales. Frustration Rock is fishing well for Mulloway, but a lot are being lost bringing them to shore on the rocks at low tide.

Tailor are also being caught "Big Ones".

Wittecarr Creek and Red Bluff has the small tailor to 1 kg in size and small sharks and medium mulloway up to 7-8 kgs in weight.



A report has come in about mulloway "schooling" 3 klms north of Frustration, waiting for an assault on the river, which still has dirty water running down it. We are all keeping an evening eye for the usual big rush period. So here's hoping.

Well thats about all for now, and I hope to see more of you in the near future...

So Drift a Bait!

"The Hardies".





TAG and RELEASE.

A fish that is caught and released by an angler has a very good chance of survival, provided that it has been handled carefully. Many W.A. anglers are catching up with the rest of the country and are enjoying the unforgettable thrill and personal satisfaction of watching the fish being released safely and swimming away. **If you have no intention of eating the fish, return it back to the water, so it may reproduce once again.**

Brood stocks (large adult fish) represent the most important part of Fishery procreation and breeding.

Overfishing We should all play a part in this

as fish are a finite resource.

Many clubs and individual anglers are tagging and releasing fish and in doing so are making a contribution to **Future Fishing** and helping in the scientific data collection of species.

Limit your kill don't kill the limit.



The time taken to angle your fish to the shore should be done as quickly as possible. A fish not in the water cannot live for more than three minutes because of brain damage, caused by the lack of oxygen. A fish out of water suffocates and is two times heavier in weight. Be gentle when handling your catch and if the fish seems tired and semi-conscious try and revive it by moving it back and forward in the water, so that the water is flowing through it's gills once again.

If in fact the fish is bleeding continuously especially from the gills, there is little point of returning it back to the sea. It is the anglers judgement and choice on what has to be done.....



A few don'ts in releasing fish.

- Don't lift the hooked fish by the line or hook.
- Don't throw or drop the fish back in the water.
- Don't spend too much time de-hooking.
- Don't drop the fish in the sand.
- Don't touch the fish's gill filaments.



STRONG STOMACHES.

Have you ever noticed that some fish have the ability to throw and invert their stomachs when distressed. (By swallowing something unnatural and uncomfortable.) This is a natural phenomena and many fish that have spewed out their stomachs still have a very good chance of surviving.

Top Tip.....

An anglers ability to notice what bait the fish has disgorged could also mean a change of lure is necessary suitably matched to the evidence in the sand.



What Happened Nearly 10 Years Ago This Month?

1. G.Holman was President and Sid Whiting was the "Clubs" Vice President.
2. General Meetings were taking place at Light St. in Dianella.
3. The "Club " was organising a Field Day at Cape Cuvier past Camarvon.
4. Tony Richardson the then D.C.O. leaves the club with Esperance in his sights.
5. Cost of a **Roffnest field trip** for a member was in the vicinity of \$35.00. p/p.



What Star * ** Is That.....**



Besides the Dhufish and Snapper , what is the good quality fish in our oceans that should be our favourites at the dinner table and at our summertime Bar/B/Q's.
 In the book "Sea Fishes of Australia ", Hutchins and Swainston have given an edibility rating in stars to describe their value of the palate.
 Listed below is a brief synopsis of the species of fish that are more than likely to be captured in our westerly waters , and the rating is as follows.....

****** Excellent Eating**

***** Good Eating**



******** Silver, Mirror , and John Dory,
 Pearl Perch, Spanish Mackerel,
 Snapper and the Groper.

Mangrove Jack,
 Spangled Emperor,

King George Whiting
 Sand Whiting.



******* Garfish, Tailor, cobia, Sweep, Red Gumard , Catfish (white lipped , estuary and striped)
 Wobbeyong Shark , Swallowtail, Whiting (except the 2 listed above)

Golden and Skipjack Trevally, Sweep , Mulloway, Bream , Morwong (Red, Banded, Blue, Queen),
 Parrot fish, Flounder , Flathead, Cods and rockcods, Red Gumard, Harlequin Fish,

Dolphinfish, Leather Jacket , Mackerals, Wahoo, Snook and the Slender Sucker Fish (Do not get confused with **the Remora** it does not even rate a mention.)

The above are only a small list and purchasing the book is a must for all who enjoy eating and identifying the species they capture.



Night fishing :

Bon Appetite.
 R.J.N.



Summer is approaching and is just around the corner. It would be more than fair to say in most instances that better catches of quality fish are landed between dusk and dawn. While some fish are nocturnal creatures other fish become more aggressive during the waxing moon. When darkness falls they swim along the beaches and over the river flats to scavenge and hunt their prey.

Species most commonly sought after are tailor , mulloway , bream and flathead. Ideally the tide should peak at around 8.00 pm -9.30 pm with a bright moon. This encourages the fish to search for their food source at dusk in gutters and holes that form along the coastline. These secret spots are better found during the daylight hours on a low tide , making your markers visible , if in fact you are going to shift your location during the night-time. The most effective rig of my choice is the running sinker rig.

The amount of current flow will decide the sinker type and weight you use. Beach fishing on a warm summers' night , mixed together with camping and an open fire (if at all allowed and if not sure, seek council permission first.) can be both pleasant and rewarding , with more bites and larger catches. Grab the wife , family and some of your friends for a night out at the beach and take a look whats it's got down there to offer everyone.

They'll be surprised and grateful you did.

Oh.... Don't forget to buy your bait from our sponsors.... they'll be glad you did as well !!

RECOMMENDATION

SPECIES LIST FOR FIELD DAYS

Each competitor may weigh in a maximum of 30 fish per gazetted field day including sharks. One days Fisheries Department of Western Australia bag limits will apply to all field days. Where there is no state legal length then a minimum of 20 cm will apply.

SPECIES LIST

Baldchin Groper
 Blackfish
 Breaksea Cod
 Bream Yellowfin
 Cobia
 Coral Trout
 Flathead (all)
 Garfish (all)
 Herring
 Jewfish
 Leather Jackets(all)
 Mackerel Spanish
 Mullet (all)
 Queen Snapper
 Sampson or Amberjack
 Snapper (Red or Swallowtail)
 Snook or Pike
 Sweep (all)
 Tailor
 Trevally
 Trumpeter (all)
 Wahoo
 Whiting (all others)
 Yellowtailed Kingfish



Barracuda
 Blue Groper
 Bream Black
 Cobbler
 Cod (other than listed)
 Dart (all)
 Flounder (all)
 Harlequin
 Herring (giant)
 King George Whiting
 Mackerel (all)
 Mahi Mahi
 Mulloway
 Salmon
 Shark
 Snapper Pink
 Sweep (all)
 Sweetlip (all)
 Tarwhine
 Trevally Southern
 Tuna (all)
 Whiting yellowfin
 Wrasse (all)
 Yellow Grunter



Plus one additional species with a edibility factor of 2 or higher. Sea Fishers Of Southern Australia by Barry Hutchins and Roger Swainston is the reference. Game fish species are exempt from the edibility criteria.

or

Plus two additional species with a edibility factor of 2 or higher. Sea Fishers Of Southern Australia by Barry Hutchins and Roger Swainston is the reference. Game fish species are exempt from the edibility criteria.



A Trip To HellOr Hell's Gate ???

I have been very fortunate over the past few years to venture off , deep into Australia's , desert and coastal areas..

Having bought the Tojo , nine months prior , I was prepared to take it confidently to some of the best 4wd spots I have read about in magazines... ..The information below was only a very small part of the diary , Sue and I kept during our , **around Australia trek**. Sue had to leave in Karumba , Nth Qld , to fly back to Perth (while I continued on the Gulf Track)and was to return two weeks later , where we were to meet againat Darwin.

Day 48 of our trip 19th September 1993

I had just spent the night at Escott Station roughly 200kms south of Burketown, Nth Qld. I had originally planned to fly to Sweers Island to fish, but unfortunately I was not prepared to spend the \$400.00 for a single, return air fare to the Gulf of Carpentaria, in a small plane.....
(That's a lot of Diesel Fuel).

Escott



The local hounds that live here at the station were up howling before the birdlife awoke and it was the only complaint I had here. The barramundi were'nt biting , so I left the camp to find another location around the long river that meanders around Escott. There are some truly beautiful areas to camp at Escott , with a lot of water and ground to cover... ..to try, hope and possibly catch , *that elusive Barramundi*. Snags near over hanging branches , fast flowing run offs, and small , natural dams presented this place as absolutely perfect.....

Hour by hour passed by , changing locations every 30 minutes and using just about every different lure , I had in my tackle box to get a very.....nil result.

No luck all day , and at dinner time , I thought about moving on and drive down to the Lawn Hill National Park and see the gorges , everyone was talking about.

The very next morning , I was speaking to some happy campers , who were on the way back to Melbourne and they mentioned a place called

Hells Gate , where they had caught some humungus catfish and giant mud crabs.

They passed on their **secret map** and gave vague written instructions which I held close to my chest and before you could say *Wollogorang* Tojo's red dust , sprayed over their bodies. I headed west and after a few hours of dusty bumpy, driving I ended up at the Hells Gate service station ...come cattle station. I explained to the attendant about my intentions and he requested that I pay a \$5.00 admission , to go through his property . While handing over a photocopied sketch , he warned me about the crocodiles and where to look out for them. He reminded me also about the numerous gates and to leave them how I found them.



The hot sun was glaring down through the windscreen and after three hours of tortuous 4wd driving, I glanced at the odometer and noticed that I have only clocked up 88kms.

This was an excellent 4wd track , similar conditions to the telegraph track up to Cape York. Lots of low gear changing over dry creek beds , small sand dunes , and deeply eroded crevices made by last years monsoonal floods. Truly wonderful country , with a lot of wildlife free to roam around as they please.

As you pass the billabongs , pandana trees and the multitude of birdlife, you are over-joyed in knowing that you are the only person there Freshwater lagoons were filled with pelicans and white cockatoos and fortunately for them , no crocs sunning themselves on the banks.



Eventually , the Cliffdale River sprang up from nowhere - a wide , deep green river that read **crocodiles live here**. The sandy track started to get deeper and softer and I knew I must be getting close to the beach and coastline , when a herd of brumbies galloped out in front of my vehicle , giving me a fright. Over the last sand dune and there it was "**The Gulf of Carpentaria**". I was on top of our continent once again.

(The Clifdale River is right , smack on the border line of the N.T. and Qld borders).
On looking at the rough sketch , I had to decide whether to go left to 8 mile creek for the mud crabs and cat fish or go right to the river mouth that flows out to the sea.

Naturally the right was chosen and after deflating the tyres I travelled 12 kms on a fairly hard beach to arrive at the river mouth at 5.00 pm. It was getting dark very quickly , so I set camp about 60 metres away from the edge of the water. The noise of the corellas was unbelievable and the bloody mozzies were trying their best in performing their own rendition of phlebotomy. Repellents did'nt seem to work , so long pants and a long sleeved shirt was a matter of course in this heat. With a fly net over my head , off I went to collect some fire wood for the night.



Darkness fell and an eerie quietness soon became deafening to my ears.

Croaking sounds across the river in the mangroves , suggested that is was good barra and saratoga country. Shining the torch across the river , two red dots appeared , slightly camouflaged in between the marshes and reeds.

It was only 80 metres away not far at all.

Too late to start a fire now and I was a little frightened to go fishing on that moonless night.

I scampered up the ladder to the safety of my car tent top , bowie knife hidden under the mattress and the spear gun cocked with the safety on , just as an added precaution , for unwelcome, uninvited guests. Lying down on the mattress feeling a little tense and nervous , the splashing of the fish in the water excited me and the curiosity was unbearable. It gave me a weird , *luring sensation* of wanting to investigate the river's noises at the waters edge.

No...No...No... I decided that I will not become a crocs dinner tonight . I stayed put.



I awoke around four in the morning , (still dark) as nature called and found that my torch batteries were on the way out.

Doing what I had to do , I returned back to my bed and waited for dawn to break.

Not long after , the sun broke through the nights' darkness and daylightfinally arrived. The view towards the east , as the orange glow of the sun shimmered across the sea and river , was like witnessing the rebirth of the world . Its warm and majestic rays slicing through the clouds, made you feel as if you were the only inhabitant on this planet.

Deep down you visualised prehistoric dinosaurs coming out of the tall ghost gums and pandana trees , that were growing near the rivers edge.



It was a real , rough nights sleep sharing my solitude and seclusion with the noisy mosquitoes. There were thousands of them , buzzing in and out of the tent , sounding like Iriquois helicopters.

A quick poem.....a penny for my thoughts

Spread out wings in full flight ,
Look at the eagle as he flies at a great height ,
It swoops down at a likely kill ,
As the dingo howls , just over the hill.



Large fish , splash around in this stream ,
As the crocodile watches patiently , eyes agleam.
I ponder , will I be next , will it be me ?
Or....will he be satisfied what swims in the sea.

I sit alone by my campfire , late into the night ,
Listening to the bush and water sounds ,
Knowing too, No noisemeans ..it ain't right.
I'm out of here a true cowards flight.

Daylight has come, with the noise of the birds ,
Long gone are them cattle and brumby herds.
Tracks show in the sand , what creatures passed through",
Most of them crawled , hopped and ran
actually..... frightened of you ,

The bush is not for everyone , as it is for me ,
Better to be here , with the birds and wildlife ,
Than in the lounge room, watching a square. T.V.



A beautiful sunrise , radiated the coastal sandflats this morn , with a different cloud formation clinging to it , as I have never seen before. I carefully scouted around the campsite for foot prints and any other tell tale signs of intruders who may have appeared last night and began to feel slightly more confident in staying another day. My fear of the unknown was beginning to diminish and my negative thoughts on....how crocs can climb ladders disappeared , also. The first cup of coffee went down well and after breakfast , I began to rig up my fishing tackle. That splashing last night , indicated that there were good size fish here and I hurried to get my hooks baited up , preparing myself for the big one.Two rods were rigged , one for collecting bait and the other for live baiting. The small rod with a baitchaser rig and a little bit of red meat , should be a nice snack for some fish ..I thought !

Not long afterwards , a whopper of a hit came , but it was all over range rover and my brand new 2kg baitchaser rig and some line , went as well. Bad luck or I just was'nt good enough....

I re-rigged with heavier line of 10 kg and the first to come up and say hello was a 2kg flathead . Within the hour , I landed a few more species of catfish , black bream and more good size flathead. Top Spot.

Getting closer to midday , it became too hot to stand under the sun , so I packed it in and began to fillet my mornings catch , under the cars' tent top. Ten fish was enough for me as I'm not much of a fish eater. I had the big rod poked in the sand with a large slab of fresh flathead , hoping this could entice my first barramundi. To no avail as all

I managed was mudcrab after mudcrab. It didn't really matter as they were going to be dinner tonight and I was having a good time. As the hours passed , I kept running in and out of the

shade of the tent , to check my line and bait trying to keep cool , by pouring a bucket of water over myself , now and again.

The temperature hit well into the 40 degrees celcius mark and those bloody flies were a damned nuisance.

Eventually , I gave the fishing up and spent some time during the day exploring the beach , gathering firewood and ended up getting terribly sunburnt . Being ever so watchful , I dragged enough firewood and logs to last me a week and I lit a huge bonfire on the beach that night. Johnny Walker was my only companion for the night and if he went dry on me his other mate , Jack Daniels was next to assist. No fishing again that night , as I was still a little tense and slightly inebriated and by the time 8.00pm came aroundI was out like a light. The next morning , I stumbled , (no I fell) out of my camp top and brewed up some caffeine. I was burning all over with the sunburn with no cream whatsoever , to help soothe any of that soreness .

is this why they call this place " Hells Gate " ??



Another hot day to come with the morning showing off with a very light fog and weird colours hovering around the sun.

I wondered if this was their " the Morning Glory " cloud formation ?

No people, no waves , no noise and a tide that goes out for miles and miles. I ventured out to see what fish were swimming in the small pools left by the ebb tide , and there was mullet every where , real - good size live bait . Once again I needed that cast net , I had left at home and I was kicking myself for not remembering , to bring it along.

Mid morning , I decided to pack it in and return to the " Hells Gate " station and hoped to get couple of bottles of sunburn cream.

Three new species under my belt and I was more than reasonably happy , with that effort.

R.J.N.



These recipes should make our past president **Derry Barber** happy.....



Whiting in Grape and White Wine Sauce.

- 6 x fillets plump whiting.
- Juice of 1- lemon.
- seasoned flour.
- 2 t/spns butter
- 2 cups of green grapes.
- 2 t/spns flour
- 1/2 cup dry white wine.
- 1/2 t/spn tarragon.
- 1/2 cup of cream.
- Salt and pepper.



Pre heat oven to 150 degrees.

De-bone and skin the fillets. Brush with the lemon juice and coat with the seasoned flour. Heat the butter and cook the fillets till golden brown on a non stick frypan.

Keep the pan juices.

Place the cooked fillets in the oven on a suitable plate and keep warm. Place the grapes in the frypan and cook , stirring gently until hot.

Remove and sprinkle over the fillets.

Add the flour to the frypan and cook for one minute while stirring. Slowly add the wine and cook until the mixture thickens. Add the tarragon and cream stirring in the salt and pepper and pour over the fish.

Garnish with parsley.

Serves 2.

Or in Derry's caseone.

FISH and FEAST CORNER



Baked Whiting and Bacon Roll -Me Ups

- 12 x fillets plump whiting.
- 1 tab/spn flour.
- 3 tab/spns breadcrumbs
- 2 t/spns chopped fresh parsley.
- grated lemon rind.
- 1 t/spn milk , salt and pepper.
- butter and a sprinkle of mace
- 4 slices of bacon cut to thin strips.
- 2 x garlic cloves crushed



Pre heat oven to 200 degrees



Remove all the bones from the fillets and dry the fish in a t/towel. Make the stuffing mix by combining the breadcrumbs , parsley , mace , lemon rind , salt and pepper. Moisten with the milk. Spread the mixture on each fillet and roll up with the bacon strip on the outer side and secure by placing it on a steel skewer. Roll in the flour. Grease the baking dish with the garlic and butter . Cook until the flesh is tender.

For some zing , sprinkle some **cayenne pepper** and **powdered paprika** during the cooking process.

Serves 3.

Bon Apppetite.....



Congratulations
 Birthday Salutations from the Club



9th October **Matthew Anticich.**

17th November **Eric Parker.**

28th November **Hans Wytanberg.**

1st December **Kylie Anticich.**



Many Happy Returns

The Piscatorial "Hit Parade "

TOP SONGS
of the Year .. AWARDS

hosted by C. Worthiness



1. **Blue Water Dreaming.**
Sung by Jon Dory
2. **Run Run Run Run Mulloway.**
Pike and Tuna Turner
3. **Only The Abalone.**
Cruss Tasheon.
4. **Leader of the Pike.**
by I.C. A Snook.
5. **Don't Bake My Shark , My Flaky Baky Shark**
by Sting-Ray Cyrus
6. **Tell Him that..... Your never Gurnard leave Him.**
Shirley Wrassey
7. **Ohh Coral.**
Salmon and Garfish
8. **Prawn to be Wild**
By Mack Errall
9. **The Moray See You.**
Barra Gibb
10. **Flake Rattle and Roll.**
Johnny O' Teeth.
11. **Bream Lover.**
by Sid Knee Whiting
12. **Salmon Enchanted Evening.**
Rogers and Hammerhead
13. **I'm Breaming of a White Xmas.**
Sung by Ling Crosby
14. **Mulie in the Sky (with Glasses)**
Sung by Sky - Hooks Mustad.
15. **I have a Big-Eye for U.**
Sung by Trev. Ally.
16. **Do Wah Squiddy , Diddy Dum Diddy Do.**
Sung by Al. Bacore.
17. **Hit the Road (Mangrove) Jack.**
By James Tailor
18. **The Nite' has a Thousand Eels.**
By Black -Snapper
19. **Hurt So Bad**
By Hooked Up.
20. **Ain't no Way To Treat a Mulie**
By Helen Red Eye.



What Happened nearly 20 Years ago this Month ?

1. Vic Davis and Jimmy Strong were Life Members then
2. Trevor Stam was the "Clubs"Librarian.
3. Fleets open their Tackle Shop in Morley.
4. The Annual subscription for the Reel Talk Magazine was \$2.00. a year and printed on a Gestetner printing press manually and the sheets wound through the press by hand. **Ohhh my goodness..** Ed's note.
5. Graham Reeley joins the Surfcasters in October 1976.
6. General Meetings were held at Onstow Road in Shenton Park.
7. The "Clubs " Drycasting events were held at Floreat Oval.
8. On the Greenough " Field Day", Jim Strong lands a 30kg Mulloway (.389 gm short of the State Record) and needs group assistance to carry the fish (7km's walk back from Flat Rocks) to the camp's weigh-in. It was caught on a thread line reel on 19lb line.



SHARK GRABS SURFCASTER AT WEDGE !

See information below.....

To all members

Our second part of the telephone book deliveries/distribution is on the 15 16-17th of November. Please help by keeping these dates free and assisting the club for this fund raising event. Register your name with Lou Scibilia.

Attention grabbing was'nt it ?? Please help .



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