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NEXT GENERAL MEETING (FEBRUARY)

Our February General Meeting will be held in the R.S.L. Hall, Bay Road, Claremont on Wednesday the 10th February 1965 and will commence at 8 p.m. sharp.

INSTRUCTION PERIOD

This section of our next General Meeting is to be a departure from our normal type of instruction although I don't doubt some members may find a use for it if only they could come to grips with the finny ones.

Mr. McDaird of the Perth Y.M.C.A. Judo Club has kindly consented to bring some of his members along for a demonstration lasting some three quarters of an hour. Afterwards there is to be a question and answer period with an open invitation to any of our members who may wish to join in.

LAST COMMITTEE MEETING (JANUARY)

The January Committee Meeting was held in the Master Painters Association Hall and with a large amount of business to cover, did not finish until 11.45 p.m.

NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING (FEBRUARY)

The next committee meeting will be held in the Master Painters Association Hall, 80 Hay Street West, Subiaco, on Friday the 19th February, 1965.

FEBRUARY GENERAL MEETING

As was published in the previous issue of "Reel Talk", the General Meeting this month is to be held in the R.S.L. Hall, Bay Road, Claremont.

The hall is located about 100 yards off Stirling Highway behind the Highway Hotel opposite "Winterbottoms".

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ANNUAL DINNER, DANCE AND PRESENTATION OF TROPHIES

The presentation of Trophies and Annual Dance will again be held at Hackett Hall, Floreat Park, on June 26th and as last year, this function is to be restricted to FINANCIAL MEMBERS ONLY.

As last year's Dinner, Dance and presentation of trophies was voted such a success by all members who attended and which as far as I could see could not be improved a great deal, it has been decided that the same procedure will be adopted for a similar evening for members this year.

This evenings entertainment for members is intirely in the hands of our new Social Organiser, Hugh Gregory, who will explain the pros and cons as they come to hand, but I would suggest to all members that they let him know as soon as possible whether they willbe attending this all important club function and making it the success it was last year.

Price of tickets is to be £1. 1. 0. a head and if it is more convenient to members this can be paid in part to save an outlay when the Dinncer, Dance payment is due. See Hugh or Treasurer, Ted Savage

APPRECIATION

Many thanks to Bert Payne for his excellent show at our last General Meeting. I feel sure everyone had a thoroughly enjoyable evening.

ALL CLUB COMPETITIONS - DRYCASTING AND FIELD DAY

As this year's competitions are rapidly coming to a close, and they finish at the end of April, and with the new competitions starting on the 1st May, 1965 it is the Committee's sincere request that members give these important aspects of your Club's activities their fullest thoughts and cooperation by putting forward ideas or suggestions, new or old for consideration.

It is by getting ideas from members, collating them and giving their suggestions for improvement to Club competitions, of benefit to all members that your Committee can put forward the best possible competitions. Surely this is not so very difficult, especially if you have already some ideas formulated as to what improvements you would like to see made in either one or all of our competitions. So regardless of how bizarre they may appear, put them on a piece of paper and hand them on to a Committee member. It's as easy as that.

Possibly most members are happy with the present competitions. If you have suggestions send them in, if you are happy with things the way they are please say so. This is the only way your Committee has of really assessing the value of the competitions to members.

Members have been heard to say "Leave it to the Committee, they will fix it, that's what they are there for". This is not completely correct. The Committee wants to help you make YOUR decisions not the Committee's decisions. This is your Club, your responsibility, and they are only in office to help members in the management and good ruling and running of it.

To any member who may have given this matter consideration as to alterations etc., to the benefit of these competitions and to all club members will they please forward these alterations etc., to any Committee man or hand in at our GENERAL MEETING, FEBRUARY, so that they can be perused by Committee in February and they can be printed in March issue of "Reel Talk" for adoption or alteration, by the general members in March, for our present competitions finish on the 30th April and the new one starts on the 1st May.

STATEMENT OF PROCEEDS FROM RAFFLE

RECEIPTS

RECEIVED

EXPENDITURE

Ticket Sales 137 15 -
Advertising 9 - -
Cash Donations 1 11 -

Printing 10 10 -
Stationery & Postage 2 6 1
Prizes 28 16 7
Advertising 19 2

£148 6 -

£42 11 10

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Net Proceeds to Building Fund - £105. 14. 2d.

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MONEY WORRIES

It is not very often that members are asked for less money than they offer but this is the case with our club outings. Both the Field Day and Dry Casting Organisers always have trouble finding enough change so if everyone could manage to leave their fivers home and just bring the correct money it would be greatly appreciated.

DRYCASTING - 1ST JANUARY, 1965

With the temperature soaring to 103° we can't blame anyone for not turning up to Drycasting and I mean "dry". Next month I will organize a keg (ginger beer of course), available to members and friends at a nominal charge so please bring your mugs (for drinking). There were only 18 members present, our lowest attendance since April 1962. Many thanks to Allan Livesey who came along and assisted in scoring.

The D.H. Accuracy targets set at 80 yards and 50 yards resulted in a win for Allan Bunnett with 55/80, Ken Jones with 43/80 second and third place resulted in a tie between Harry Barrot and myself with 36/80. Ron Shirley recorded the only bull and Allan Bunnett and Norm Clark were the only two to score with all four casts.

The Single Handed Accuracy at 124ft. and 94ft. again saw Allan Bunnett in front with 30/40. Harry Barrot and I again tied, this time for second with 22/40 while third place went to Bill Bridger with 18/40. Alan Bunnett and Ron Shirley both recorded a bull in this event. Allan Bunnett, Ron Kildahl, Ernie White and Bill Bridger scored with all four casts.

Harry Barrot won the Level Line Handicap event with 287 - 180 - 467. Bill Bridger sent down two casts over 400ft. after the first cast of 399ft. to take second place with 398 - 54 - 452. Bill's longest cast was 432ft. Third place went to Ken Jones with 336 - 114 - 450.

HANDICAPS ADJUSTED

W. Bridger	54 - 38
H. Barrot	180 - 156
K. Jones	114 - 107
L. Tate	145 - 143

SENIOR TOTAL POINTS

Allan Bunnett looks a "sure thing" for this year's Drycasting Competition again scoring well for January. Following is a list of points as they now stand with January scores first:

A. Bunnett	105 - 922
R. Tucker	73 - 803
R. Kildahl	92 - 788
W. Bridger	75 - 755
R. Shirley	74 - 657
R. Jensen	76 - 613
K. Jones	89 - 613
N. Clark	69 - 611
W. Utting	90 - 601
R. Tichbon	(A) - 587
J. Strong	54 - 545
I. McLennan	(A) - 539
E. Sullivan	(A) - 536
D. Talbot	(A) - 472
L. Tate	76 - 462
H. Barrot	108 - 408
B. Payne	(A) - 399
E. White	78 - 390
N. Knight	(A) - 325
R. Ellis	(A) - 305
K. Hunt	50 - 280
D. Rogers	(A) - 254
T. Smith	(A) - 239
H. Bester	(A) - 208
D. Beadon	(A) - 198
M. Dawson	37 - 191
E. Walsh	40 - 191
Hew Hoy Yew	43 - 183
A. Horton	(A) - 161
J. Harvey	(A) - 154
A. Ticklie	(A) - 150
K. Martin	(A) - 143
T. Walsh	25 - 98

Next months drycasting, 7th February 1965, at Floreat Park Oval, includes our last Single Handed Open event so casting will commence at 9.45 a.m. sharp. Don't forget your cup.

Events to be contested are:-

WEIGHT D.H. ACCURACY

WEIGHT S.H. ACCURACY

WEIGHT L.L. DISTANCE

WEIGHT S.H. OPEN

Ron Kildahl D. C. O.

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The following applications for membership to the Club have been received and accepted:-

SENIORS

John Edmond TOBIN
9 First Avenue,
Applecross.

Rod ALLEN
22 Stewart Street,
SCARBOROUGH

FIELD DAY - GARDEN ISLAND - 16TH & 17TH JANUARY, 1965

Weather conditions - a 25 knot south westerly gale made angling conditions almost impossible and the size of the Tailor caught really staggered most members - 2 or 3 to the pound being average. However the attendance was excellent and with 46 members, 3 juniors and 3 visitors making a total of 52 on the venue.

I was very pleased to see Doug Edward along once again and Blue Hampton, Bert Payne, Henry Bester, Frank Van Zalen and Ted Horsley were a few names who readily spring to mind.

The fish captures on this venue tell their own story even though every member did their very best and fished long and hard for little result. Here's hoping next month at Garden Island will be more profitable for us, I know I for one am looking forward to this trip.

I was glad to see Bert Payne's wife, Pearl, along well rugged against the wind and sand and Ted Horsley was another to bring his wife on this outing. Horrie Muirson again came to the fore with his "Tea Waggon" and kindly provided his tent for the use of Ern White, Ian McLennan and myself. John Harvey provided the cooking gear and with these arrangements we were very comfortable indeed.

"Snow" Tate started off with great dash and soon had seven Tailor in his ever ready bag. However then came the famine and "Snow" failed to raise another fin. Hew Hoy Yew landed a mighty Tailor and the look of disgust on his face as he threw it away raised much laughter. I noticed Mick Doscas battling on with great zest, although by morning he had slowed down somewhat. Ian McLennan was very pleased when he caught his Tailor - little knowing it was to be the only one. This was to be the fate of many anglers, including myself, on this venue.

Looking along the foreshore at about 5 o'clock one could see at least 100 anglers trying their utmost to land a Tailor or two. However by 7.30 the gale force south westerly, plus flying sand had almost cleared the beach except for club members. Bob Tichbon was one who never gave up as he was seen working his way along

the channel trying all likely spots. It is my opinion that this area has been heavily netted over the summer and the lack of small fry mean the good sized Tailor and Mulloway of previous years are just not turning up here any more.

At the weigh in the size of the Tailor brought forward much comment and it was often necessary to bring forth the rule to make sure all fish were over the 9" minimum length. Ken Jones weighed in a nice silver bream and had to keep his eye on it or else it may have disappeared.

A new section will have to be included next year to cover George Greenham's capture of a 2lb. rabbit.

So ended another Field Day and to Ian McLennan for his help in recording members and Norm Clark for his tricky job of checking the legal length of fish go my thanks. I hope our return to Garden Island will mean another good roll up and bigger and better bags for all.

JIM STRONG

F.D.O.

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GAME FISH

With the approach of the Spanish Mackerel season members are reminded to forward details of all game fish captures to the Recorder Ron Shirley. It is certainly an outstanding honour to be able to wear one of our Game Fish Badges which are available free, and it is worthy of note that we have 83 authentic captures credited to our members using our standard fishing tackle!

FISH CAUGHT ON FIELD DAY

R. Lilly	8 Tailor	$6\frac{1}{2}$ lbs.
R. Kildahl	7 Tailor, Herring	$5\frac{1}{4}$ "
D. Webb	5 Tailor	$4\frac{3}{4}$ "
L. Tate	7 Tailor	4 "
T. Horsley	6 Tailor	$3\frac{3}{4}$ "
R. Shirley	7 Tailor	$3\frac{3}{4}$ "
G. Windus	3 Tailor	$3\frac{1}{4}$ "
K. Jones	2 Tailor, Silver Bream	3 "
R. McQueen	3 Tailor	$2\frac{1}{2}$ "
T. de Jussing	3 Tailor	$2\frac{1}{4}$ "
J. Griffiths	2 Tailor	2 ""
R. Mansfield	2 Tailor	$1\frac{3}{4}$ "
A. Bunnett	2 Tailor	$1\frac{1}{2}$ "
S. Dumitro	2 Tailor	$1\frac{1}{2}$ "
R. Allen	2 Tailor	$1\frac{1}{4}$ "
T. Smith	2 Tailor	$1\frac{1}{4}$ "
R. Tucker	2 Tailor	$1\frac{1}{4}$ "
J. Harvey	Tailor	1 " 3 oz.
W. Bridger	Tailor, Herring	1 "
A. Ticklie	Tailor	1 "
J. Tobin	2 Tailor	1 "
A. Mulgrave	2 Tailor	1 "
A. Horton	2 Tailor	1 "
T. Fuller	Tailor	1 "
J. Tobin	2 Tailor	1 "
N. Clark	Tailor	$3\frac{3}{4}$ "
J. Strong	Tailor	$3\frac{3}{4}$ "
I. McLennan	Tailor	$3\frac{3}{4}$ "
H. Barrot	2 Tailor	$3\frac{3}{4}$ "
H. Gregory	Tailor	$4\frac{1}{2}$ "
M. Dawson	Tailor	$1\frac{1}{2}$ "
Hew Hoy Yew	Tailor	$1\frac{1}{2}$ "
M. Doscas	Tailor	$1\frac{1}{2}$ "
D. Bridger	Herring	$1\frac{1}{2}$ "
L. Newton	Tailor	$1\frac{1}{4}$ "

Total weight of Scale Fish 61 lbs.

		L. L. DISTANCE								D. H. ACCURACY					S. H. ACCURACY							
	Pty.	1.	2.	3.	Tot.	Ave.	Hcp.	Tot.	Pts.	1.	2.	1.	2.	Tot.	1.	2.	1.	2.	Pts.	Tot. Pts.	Inc. Att.	
H. Barrot	21	288	303	291	861	287	180	467	40	5	14		17	36		8	8	6	22	98	108	
A. Bunnett		375	359	124	858	286	68	354	10	15	14	9	17	55	7	10	5	8	30	95	105	
R. Kildahl	42	284	293	306	841	280	146	426	24	15	17		4	36	5	7	5	5	22	82	92	
W. Utting		318	294	315	927	309	131	440	32		15	6	13	34		6		8	14	80	90	
K. Jones	21	329	359	342	1009	336	114	450	36	15	10		18	43						79	89	
E. White	42	249	262	289	758	253	180	433	26		11		17	28	1	4	3	6	14	68	78	
R. Jensen		334	335	336	1005	335	100	435	30	6		11	10	27		1	3	5	9	66	76	
L. Tate	21	305	319	297	900	300	145	445	34	14			6	32						66	76	
W. Bridger	42	399	405	432	1194	398	54	452	38			9		9	1	4	4	9	18	65	75	
R. Shirley		250	292	289	831	277	146	423	22		20		7	27		2	3	10	15	64	74	
R. Tucker		289	343	343	975	325	91	416	20	12	11	3		26		8	4	5	17	63	73	
N. Clark		330	183	325	838	279	126	405	16	1	15	3	14	33		2	3	5	10	59	69	
J. Strong	42	320	306	315	899	300	134	434	28		7			7		2	3	4	9	44	54	
K. Hunt	42	246	242	233	679	226	180	406	18				11	11		5	4	2	11	40	50	
Hey Hoy Yew	63	378	364	218	897	299	102	401	14		1	3	4	8	6			5	11	33	43	
E. Walsh	21	189	33	195	396	132	180	312	6		13		8	21		3			3	30	40	
M. Dawson	21	181	206	208	574	191	180	371	12		9			9		4		2	6	27	37	
T. Walsh	42	180	132	150	420	140	180	320	8				7	7					15	25	25	

MEMBERS WHO ATTENDED FIELD DAY

G. Windus	R. Shirley	W. Bridger
J. Strong	R. Kildahl	B. Payne
I. McLennan	J. Harvey	W. Utting
H. Muirson	R. Lilly	S. Dumitro
J. Tobin	H. Gregory	G. Hampton
M. Doscas	D. Webb	E. White
L. Tate	R. Mansfield	J. Clarke
H. Barrot	T. Fuller	R. Hancock
R. Allen	R. Broinowski	R. Tichbon
Hew Hoy Yew	A. Mulgrave	G. Greenham
M. Dawson	T. de Jussing	N. Clark
L. Griffiths	F. Van Zalan	A. Bunnett
A. Horton	H. Bester	S. Knezy (Visitor)
A. Ticklie	R. Tucker	F. Sanders "
T. Horsley	T. Smith	R. Auernhamer "
K. Jones	D. Edward	R. Edwards
	R. McQueen	
L. Newton	D. Bridger	G. Clark

AWARD WINNERS

<u>Heaviest Scale Fish</u>	T. de Jussing	11lb. 8oz. Tailor
<u>Heaviest Bag of Scale Fish</u>	R. Lilly	6lb. 8oz. of Tailor
<u>Heaviest Shark</u>	No entry	

JUNIOR SECTION

<u>Heaviest Bag of Scale Fish</u>	D. Bridger	8oz. Herring
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JUNIOR FISHING COMPETITIONS - MAY 1964 TO APRIL 1965

FIELD DAY FISHING COMPETITION

SECTION 1. Ten points for attendance. One point per pound of Scale Fish. All fish to be LEGAL LENGTH. Half a point per pound for sharks.

D. Bridger 97 G. Clark 62 R. Jensen 45

SECTION 2. HEAVIEST SCALE FISH Bob Jensen Trophy
(November to April)

D. Bridger 9lb. 8oz. Mulloway (November Field Day)

SECTION 3. HEAVIEST BAG OF SCALE FISH

D. Bridger 11 lb. Mixed Bag (September Field Day)

SECTION 4. HEAVIEST TAILOR

D. Bridger 21b. 14oz. Tailor (September Field Day)

OPEN FISHING COMPETITION

SECTION 1. HEAVIEST TAILOR

No entry

SECTION 2. HEAVIEST MULLOWAY

No entry

FIELD DAY FISHING COMPETITION MAY 1964 TO APRIL 1965

SECTION 1. Points per pound. BOANS TROPHY
Ten points for attendance. One point per pound of Scale Fish. All fish to be LEGAL LENGTH. Half a point per pound for all eligible sharks (excluding Port Jackson, Wobby's, Carpet, Fiddle Sharks etc.)

A. Ticklie	143	N. Clark	90
R. Tucker	125	A. Livesey	87
R. Lilly	124	A. Bunnett	86
R. Kildahl	117	R. Klein	86
J. Strong	117	K. Jones	85
D. Webb	110	R. Jensen	84
R. Shirley	102	E. Sullivan	84
A. Horton	100	Hew Hoy Yew	82
L. Tate	98	I. McLennan	81
G. Windus	97	W. Utting	79
H. Gregory	96		
W. Bridger	90		

SECTION 2. HEAVIEST SCALE FISH Ken Matthews Trophy
November to April

I. Brown 121lb. Jewfish (November Field Day)

SECTION 3. MOST MERITOROUS CATCH Linnetts Trophy
(To be nominated by Committee at the end of the current fishing competition)

SECTION 4. HEAVIEST SHARK Jim Hawkins Trophy
(Excluding Port Jackson, Wobby's, Carpet, Fiddle Sharks etc. Field Day Officer to decide.
Minimum weight 10lb.)

R. Kildahl 30lb. 8oz. Bronze Whaler
(December Field Day)

SECTION 5. HEAVIEST MULLOWAY Warren Smith Trophy
(Minimum weight 5lb.)

Hew Hoy Yew, D. Beadon & A. Livesey 11 lb. 8 oz. Mulloway
(November Field Day)

SECTION 6. HEAVIEST TAILOR Len Butterworth Trophy
(Minimum weight 5lb.)

R. Lilly 7lb. Tailor (May Field Day)

SECTION 7. HEAVIEST SALMON Gollin & Co. Trophy
(Minimum weight 7lb.)

N. Clark 9lb. 8oz. Salmon (August Field Day)

SECTION 8. HEAVIEST SKIPJACK Crackells Trophy
(Minimum weight 2lb.)

D. Savage 2lb. 4oz. Skipjack (May Field Day)

SECTION 9. HEAVIEST SCALE FISH OTHER THAN ABOVE H.J. McQuillan Trophy.
I. Brown 12lb. Jewfish (November Field Day)

SECTION 10. HEAVIEST BAG OF SCALE FISH ON A FIELD DAY J.N. Taylor Trophy.
R. Tucker 41lb. 8oz. Mulloway & Tailor (Nov. F.D.)

SECTION 11. HEAVIEST BAG OF TAILOR Arthur Horton Trophy
(All fish to be LEGAL LENGTH. Minimum weight 20lb.)

No entry

SECTION 12. HEAVIEST BAG OF MULLOWAY L.J. Shapcott & C.J. McIntosh Trophy
(All fish to be LEGAL LENGTH. Minimum weight 20lb.)

R. Tucker 29lb. 12oz. of Mulloway (November F.D.)

OPEN FISHING COMPETITION 1964 TO APRIL 1965

Entries to be submitted on correct form in the hands of the Recorder within 30 days of capture. Entry forms are available from any Committee member.

SECTION 1. MOST MERITOROUS CATCH

(To be nominated by Committee at the end of the current fishing competition)

SECTION 2. HEAVIEST SHARK

(Excluding Port Jackson, Wobby's, Carpet, Fiddle sharks etc.)

No entry

SECTION 3. HEAVIEST MULLOWAY

M. Coleman 48lb. Mulloway (Murchison)

SECTION 4. HEAVIEST SALMON

N. Crouch 12lb. 8oz. Salmon (North Mole)

SECTION 5. HEAVIEST TAILOR

M. Coleman 8lb. 8oz. Tailor (Murchison)

SECTION 6. HEAVIEST JEWFISH

R. Pimm 21lb. 8oz. Jewfish (Black Rock Pt.)

SECTION 7. HEAVIEST SEA KINGFISH

H. Gregory 38lb. 8oz. Sea Kingfish (Jurien Bay)

SECTION 8. HEAVIEST GROPER

No entry

SECTION 9. HEAVIEST FISH CAUGHT ON S.H. ROD
(Maximum 12lb. B.S. line)

R. Jensen 8lb. 2oz. Salmon (Rottnest)

SECTION 10. HEAVIEST SNAPPER

A. Livesey 23lb. Snapper (Naval Base)

SECTION 11. HEAVIEST TARWHINE (SILVER BREAM)

A. Livesey 2lb. 4oz. Silver Bream (Cottesloe)

SECTION 12. HEAVIEST SPANISH MACKERAL

No entry

SECTION 13. HEAVIEST SKIPJACK

D. Webb 9lb. 12oz. Skipjack (Margaret River)

SECTION 14. HEAVIEST PIKE

N. Knight 4lb. 4oz. Pike (Rottnest)

SECTION 15. HEAVIEST SCALE FISH OTHER THAN ABOVE
(Excluding Section 1)

No entry

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A THOUGHT

If every member were just like me

What sort of Club would our Club be?

MARCH FIELD DAY

The venue for the 13th and 14th March is to be Rottnest and members who are desirous of attending this outing are asked to attend the February General Meeting to assist in making arrangements that will be satisfactory for everyone.

Some preliminary investigations have shown that the M.V. Islander which would be most suitable for our purposes, departs from Barrack Street Jetty at 9.30 a.m. Saturday morning and 10.30 a.m. from Fremantle. A second trip departs from Fremantle only at 1.30 p.m. Saturday afternoon and this possibly would be more suitable for the majority of members and will probably be the boat on which the Field Day Organiser will travel. The return trip on Sunday leaves Rottnest at 4.00 p.m. arriving at Fremantle at 5.00 p.m. and Barrack Street Jetty at 6.00 p.m. The return fare is 25/- both from Perth and Fremantle.

Trucks are available to carry members to the West End or any place along the track at approximately 30/- each truck but the Field Day Organiser will need to know how many will require transport as they must be ordered some time in advance.

There is no shelter available at the area where most members will probably be fishing so sufficient gear will have to be carried to stay overnight. Also water will be a problem so each member will have to carry sufficient for his own needs.

All in all there will be quite a few factors to be considered at this venue which are different to our usual Field Days, so all interested members are urged to attend our next General Meeting and those who intend going to give their names to Jim Strong and advise if they will be needing transport on the Island.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Although the annual election of Officers is still several month's distant, the formation of a Committee for the next year of our Club's activities is going to require the thought and co-operation of every member. As well as the retirement of our worthy President we are also faced with the task of replacing the Secretary, Treasurer and Field Day Organiser all of whom have expressed the intention of "giving it away".

It is obvious that these four valuable men who have formed the backbone of the Club for some time now will leave a considerable gap and careful consideration must be given, by every member, over the next couple of months, as to worthy successors.

FIELD DAY VENUES 1965 - 66.

The extremely difficult decision of deciding where the fish will be and when is one that becomes magnified 100 times when the Committee is faced with the problem of trying to please every member, every month on our Club outings.

The closest we can hope to come to pleasing everyone is for all members to submit their choice of Field Day Venues from May 1965 to April 1966 and the most popular for each month will be allocated.

To assist members in their choice some of the following venues are suggested:-

Garden Island (North End)	Jurien Bay (North Head)
Rottneest Island	Yallingup
Lancelin	Cosy Corner
Moore River	Mandurah area

CLUB NEWS AND NOTES

A welcome report from the last A.F.A. Meeting was that three State records were accepted on behalf of our Club members - Bob Lilly with a 5lb. Spotted Mackerel and an inaugural record for his 14lb. Hammer Head Shark, and Hugh Gregory with a 38lb. 8oz. Sea Kingfish.....

Whilst on the A.F.A. Meeting, arrangements are now in hand for the Fishing Competition which is to be held in the Rockingham Garden Island area on the 27th and 28th March. Competing clubs so far are the Marmion Angling Club, Fremantle Angling Club and the Underwater Spearfishermans Association.....

Jim Strong recently made the trip to Lancelin only to find a 22 knot southerly and heaps of weed. Jim managed to land a 3lb. Tailor but Joe Strange also fishing in the same area lost a good Tailor right on the water's edge.....

Some small Tailor have been caught around the Ledge Point Jetty - up to 1½lb. The main track is okay but some of the minor tracks in the area are very soft and caution is advised.....

Jack Harvey followed up a fine 12lb. Mulloway at Leighton with an 11 pounder together with a Tailor and a large Whiting at Cottesloe.....

Congratulations corner - to Dennis Rogers whose wife presented him with a daughter.....

and a couple of birthdays on the Field Day week-end were Elaine Hampton and Jack Harvey.....

Vic Davis' son Lloyd showed that he has inherited his father's skill with rod and reel. Whilst Dad was out boat fishing Lloyd landed a 3½lb. Spotted Mackerel, 12lb. Mulloway and a 7lb. Pike on a Single Hander and a 9lb. Mulloway on the Double Handed Rod.....

FEBRUARY FIELD DAY

After a spell of some five months we are to return to Garden Island on the 13th and 14th February and the Field Day Organiser has made the following arrangements.

Boat timetable - depart Palm Beach Jetty on Saturday at 11.45 a.m. and 2.00 p.m., returning from Garden Island 10 a.m. Sunday. Members are to report to Jim Strong on the early boat and Norm Clark on the late boat who will collect 1/- registration, 2/- sweep and 5/- for the hut if required. The boat fare is 8/- payable to the skipper on board direct and anyone requiring the truck on the Island will have to make arrangements with Jim Hawkins.

Parking cars at the Palm Beach store is 4/- per vehicle. The weigh in will be held at the hut between 8 and 9 a.m. Sunday morning.

A couple of pointers for newer members - don't forget your hat, sunglasses and water bottle. Try not to overload yourself with gear and have your name on your packs. Cover all gaffs etc. and remember the First Aid kit is available at the hut.

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP.

The following applications for membership to our Club have been received. If any member or members have any reason or reasons why the nominees should not be accepted as a member of the Club they should contact the Secretary or any Committee member immediately.

SENIOR William Ronald MANSFIELD
65 Hobbs Avenue
COMO

JUNIOR Geoffrey SCOTT-MALCOLM
219 South Terrace
SOUTH PERTH.

FIELD DAY VENUES 1964 - 1965

MAY	Yallingup	NOVEMBER	North Head
JUNE	Garden Island	DECEMBER	Lancelin
JULY	Garden Island	JANUARY	Preston Beach
AUGUST	Lancelin	FEBRUARY	Garden Island
SEPTEMBER	Garden Island	MARCH	Rottneest
OCTOBER	Moore River	APRIL (24th & 25th)	Garden Island

Field Days are held on the weekend following the General Meeting night of each month. Boat timetables and other relevant information is published in the current issue of "Reel Talk".

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DRY CASTING DAYS

Conducted on the FIRST Sunday of each month and are held at Floreat Park Oval. Starting times and programme for casting in current issue of "Reel Talk". Casting instruction is available to any club member simply by contacting the Casting Day Organiser.

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