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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.

NOVEMBER GENERAL MEETING

WHERE: M.Y.A.S.G. Club Room at the Inglewood Aquatic Centre
Alexander Drive, Menora
WHEN: WEDNESDAY 8th NOVEMBER 1995 at 8:00pm
INSTRUCTION: SYD WHITING

NOVEMBER CASTING

WHERE: Yokine Reserve, corner of Alexander Drive and Wordsworth Avenue
WHEN: SUNDAY 5th NOVEMBER 1995 at 8:30am
EVENTS: 112 gram level line D/H Accuracy
56 gram level line S/H Accuracy
112 gram open

NEXT FIELD DAY

WHERE: Hill River
WHEN: 11th - 12th November 1995
SIGN ON: SATURDAY 1PM at Cervantes Shell Garage Car Park
WEIGH-IN: SUNDAY 10AM on the north side of the headland at Black Rock or Shell Garage Cervantes car park to accommodate 2 wheel drives
BOUNDARIES: SOUTHERN - Cervantes Jetty
NORTHERN - 2 Kilometres north of Hill River Mouth



FOLLOWING FIELD DAY

WHERE: White Hills
WHEN: 16th - 17th December 1995
SIGN-ON: SATURDAY 12 noon at the truck bay opposite white hills turn off on the Bunbury Rd approx 6km past the Parkridge Hotel
WEIGH-IN: SUNDAY 10am as per the sign on
BOUNDARIES: SOUTHERN - Preston Beach Car Park
NORTHERN - White Hills access Rd onto the Beach

LOCAL FIELD DAY FOR NOVEMBER

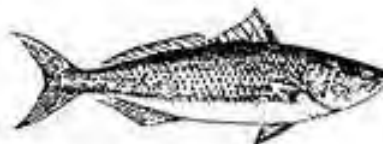
WHEN: 11th - 12th November 1995
SIGN-ON: Phone in sign-on to F.D.O. by 8:00pm on the THURSDAY night
LINES DOWN: SATURDAY 1:00 PM
WEIGH-IN: SUNDAY 10am at G. Holman's house. Scales will be available on his back patio. Weights must be witnessed by an adult. F D Money to be left with the scales in an envelope with name. Results to be phoned into the F D officer by 8:00pm that night.
BOUNDARIES: North Mole to Ocean Reef

LOCAL FIELD DAY FOR DECEMBER

WHEN: 16th - 17th December 1995
SIGN-ON: Phone in sign-on to F.D.O. by 8:00pm on the THURSDAY night
LINES DOWN: SATURDAY 1:00pm
WEIGH-IN: SUNDAY by 11:00am at G. Holman's house. Scales will be available on his back patio. Weights must be witnessed by an adult. F D Money to be left with the scales in an envelope with name. Results to be phoned into the F D officer by 8:00pm that night.
BOUNDARIES: North Mole to Ocean Reef

LIST OF FIELD DAYS FOR BALANCE OF 1995 - 1996

NOVEMBER	11th - 12th Nov 1995	HILL RIVER
DECEMBER	16th - 17th Dec 1995	WHITE HILLS
JANUARY	6th - 7th Jan 1996	MANDURAH 500
FEBRUARY	11th - 12th Feb 1996	WEDGE ISLAND
MARCH	4th - 6th Mar (LWE)	BLUFF CREEK
APRIL	Possible Esperance week long trip ??	



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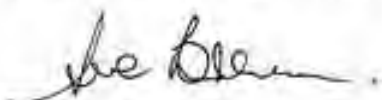
Editorial.

What a great field day our trip to Peaceful Bay was in October. Thanks to Wayne & Rhonda Morris for suggesting this venue and also for the work put in providing so much useful information on the area so we all knew what to expect. There are some great photos with the field day report in this issue.

I've been spending some time reading through the Reeltalk archives and have come across a lot of useful articles as well as some very humorous stories that will be re-appearing over the coming months. There was a real character in the club back in the 60's by the name of Desperate who wrote some really tall tales. Do any of the older members of the club know who he is ?

Thanks to all who have contributed to this months Reeltalk. Please keep sending in your stories (with photos if you have them) , recipes, cartoons, puzzles etc as it makes for an interesting magazine.

If any member has any unused fishing or camping gear (or anything for that matter) that they would like to get rid of just let me know the details and it will be advertised for sale in the Reeltalk. All we ask is that if you sell something that you make a small donation to the club.



Sue Brennan
Editor

NEW MEMBERS

The following applications for membership have been approved and the applicants are asked to be present at the next General Meeting to be formally accepted into the club.

Don Batcherlor
20 Ellison Street
Willagee

Mark Farnay
21 Stoner Street
Innaloo

CAR RALLY

**DON'T MISS THE CAR RALLY ON
SUNDAY 29TH OCTOBER
DETAILS NEXT PAGE**

Cooks Corner



Try this recipe that Andy Thorgerson sent in

GENUINE FISH & CHIP SHOP BATTER

Mix half a cup of self raising flour and half a cup of plain flour with enough water to make a thin paste. Beat with an electric beater and leave to stand for two hours. Beat it again. Dip fish in plain flour before putting in batter. Deep fry until crisp and brown.

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**DEADLINE FOR THE NEXT REEL TALK
IS FRIDAY 17TH NOVEMBER**

SOCIAL REPORT

THE CLUB SOCIAL RALLY IS TRAVELLING FULL STEAM AHEAD, AND THE MEMBERS SUPPORT HAS BEEN FANTASTIC. A LOT OF MEMBERS ASSURED ME ON THE NIGHT OF THE LAST GENERAL MEETING THAT, THEY WOULD BE ATTENDING. A FEW MEMBERS CALLED ME OVER THE NEXT FEW DAYS, TO SAY YAY, OR NAY. I HAVE PUT A LIST OF THE MEMBERS THAT ARE COMING, BELOW. IF YOUR NAME AND NUMBER IN YOUR GROUP APPEARS ON THIS LIST BUT, YOU ARE NOT ATTENDING, PLEASE LET ME KNOW A.S.A.P. THE SAME APPLIES IF YOUR NAME IS NOT LISTED AND YOU ARE COMING.

IAN COOK AND BANDIT. ERIC PARKER + 1. IAN MASCARENHAS +2.
BOB HENDERSON +1. ALAN BRAYNE + 8. ANDY THORGERSON +5. PETER STOECKLE + 3.
MARK PHILPOT +2. SUE AND ROM. TONY HOLLAND AND TRUDY, MURRAY SHAW +3.
HANS WYTENBURG +2. SID WHITING +3. DARRYL HALTON. IAN PILTON + 3.
GRAHAM REELEY + 5. + J.R. GILL +2.
ANYONE ELSE THAT IS INTERESTED MUST LET ME KNOW FOR SURE BY WEDNESDAY 25th OF THIS MONTH.

THE STARTING POINT THE CAR PARK CLOSEST TO THE OLD SWAN BREWERY ON MOUNTS BAY ROAD.

THE STARTING TIME BE THERE BY 9.15 am. FIRST CAR DEPARTS AT 9.30am.

THE STARTING DATE SUNDAY THE 29 th OF THIS MONTH.

I MUST STRESS THAT THIS IS NOT A RACE, AND THE SPEED LIMITS SHOULD BE OBSERVED. THE PARTICIPENTS WILL HOPEFULLY BE DESPATCHED, AT 3 MINUTE INTERVALS. THIS SHOULD BE AMPLE SEPERATION TIME. THE \$ 10.00. CHARGE IS FOR ADULTS ONLY AND MUST BE PAID TO PHIL BEFORE DEPARTURE. HERE, S HOPING FOR A GREAT DAY OUT FOR US ALL, FINGERS AND TOES CROSSED FOR THE WEATHER. SEE YOU THERE PHIL.

P.S. NOT TOO MANY NEWER MEMBERS NAMES UP ON THE LIST?.

THE LAST TWO MEETINGS, I HAVE PUT UP MEAT TRAYS AS FIRST PRIZES IN OUR RAFFLES. THESE SEEM TO HAVE BEEN VERY WELL RECIEVED. I PERSONALLY THINK THAT PRIZES LIKE THESE, MAKE THEM VERY WORTHWHILE WINNING, (I AM SPEAKING FROM EXPERIENCE AS I WON IT LAST MONTH) HOWEVER, I CERTAINLY DONT WANT THE RAFFLES TO BECOME BORING SO, ANY INPUT REGARDING THIS SUBJECT WOULD BE WELCOME. I AM IN THIS JOB TO DO WHAT YOU WANT, NOT WHAT I WANT.

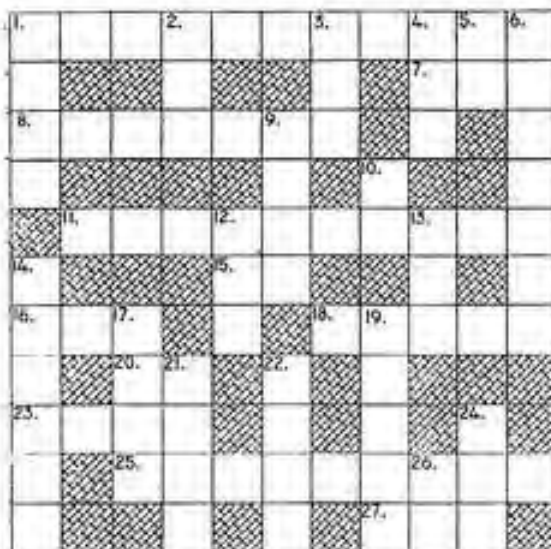
I MENTIONED LAST MEETING THAT THE WEMBLEY LODGE IN CAMBRIDGE ST HAS BEEN CHOSEN AGAIN, FOR OUR NEXT DINNER/DANCE & TROPHY PRESENTATION NIGHT. THIS VENUE HAS SERVED US WELL IN PREVIOUS YEARS AND WE SAW NO REASON TO CHANGE IT. (WE ARE CONSIDERING CHANGING OUR "CLUBS NIGHT OUT" TO THE TONY D, LONZO BENEFIT NIGHT') HE IS GOING TO CLEAN UP THIS TERM. THE NIGHT HAS BEEN BOOKED FOR THE LAST SATURDAY IN JUNE 96. WHICH IS THE 29th. I KNOW THIS IS A LONG WAY OFF YET, BUT FOR THE BENEFIT OF OUR NEWER MEMBERS, THIS IS A GREAT NIGHT OUT AND CERTAINLY VALUE FOR MONEY. I WILL KEEP YOU UP TO DATE WITH ALL DEVELOPMENTS REGARDING THIS.

SEE YOU AT THE RALLY. PHIL.



CAR RALLY CHECK LIST
WHAT TO BRING
SALAD
CUTLERY & CROCKERY
CHAIRS (AND TABLE IF YOU HAVE ONE)
A TOWEL & CHANGE OF CLOTHES FOR THE LITTLES

BRAYNETEASER NO. 3



NO. 2 SOLUTIONS.

ACROSS - 1. ALVEY, 4. RODS, 7. FIELD, 8. SIGN, 10. EEL,
11. WADERS, 14. IN, 15. LP, 16. F.D, 18. BADGE,
20. ICE, 22. S.W, 23. COD, 24. REEL.

DOWN - 1. A.A.A, 2. VEHICLE, 3. YELLOW, 4. ROE, 5. D.C,
8. S.BEND, 9. JEWFISH, 12. DIAWA (SPELT WRONG)
13. SUE, 17. S.C.A.C, 19. GAME, 21. RED.



ACROSS

1. HANDY ON ROCKS.
7. FISHERIES RULES.
8. LOTS OF SHAPES AND SIZES.
11. GAOL FOR POLLARD.
15. FIELD DAY OFFICER.
16. THIS BAND SHOULD ALWAYS BE PLAYING IN YOUR TACKLE BOX.
18. TACKLE METAL.
20. OUR FREQUENCY.
23. LOTS OF PRETTY COLOURS.
25. KEEP IT TIDY.
27. WE ALL OWN AT LEAST ONE.

DOWN

1. WHAT WE DO.
2. CCKY AND SQUID WILL GIVE YOU SOME.
3. TILLY AND BALLOONS LOVE THIS.
4. WISH WADERS HAD ONE.
5. SWEET --, USUALLY.
6. TWIST RELIEVERS.
9. WHAT TALK?.
10. MONTHLY EVENT (INITIALS)
12. 7 ACROSS.
13. MURRAY SHAW AND GEORGE HOLMAN.
14. GOOD FIGHTERS.
17. VERY QUICK.
19. ANDY THORGERSONS CHOICE
21. ALWAYS TRYING TO CATCH ONE.
22. TONY DEE'S CAUGHT SOME RIFFERS.
24. GAZUNDERS (GOES UNDER)
26. AFTER THREE DAYS' CAMPING WE USUALLY GET THIS.

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FIELD DAY REPORT

" What a beautiful sunny day " I thought as we left for the 6 hour drive to Peaceful Bay. Rom had left early Friday morning with Darrell Halton and the Mafia in tow to do a bit of early reconnoitring, so I was lucky enough to enjoy a fun filled drive with Alan & Phil Brayne and Ian Marcharenhas. Without dobbing anyone in, all I can say is that these guys really do have a sick sense of humour. As we got further south the clouds started to build. The rain was well and truly coming down by the time we reached Denmark. It was the biggest turn up in years with 39 people as the sign on. The rain had let up by the time we got to our chosen spot, 20 minutes drive through some great tracks at the Blue Holes. My first view was of some magnificent beach with a deep gutter running the length of where we were to fish. With 6 cars we were able to make a good wind break and set up camp ready to fish. It wasn't long before Nick had the first salmon on the beach closely followed by Simon. A while later Nick's father Tom Anticich landed another beauty. The fish weren't exactly coming in thick and fast but at least we were catching some. It was a magnificent sunset with the waves crashing against the headland creating a fine mist against an orange backdrop. Some warm food, a warm fire, a glass of port and great company, what more could you ask for? A few fished late but most were in bed early in anticipation of the day ahead. We awoke to nearly perfect conditions and had a great day's fishing with nearly all catching at least one Salmon, most of which were released. We saw Nick up the beach drag in what we thought was another salmon but were to find later that it was a hefty flathead. Later that night while most were enjoying the fire, I heard Rom's Alvey go off and just in case it was that elusive first mulloway, I went for a more experienced gaff man. The spotlights were out and we scanned the water line waiting to identify the catch. What a disappointment when all that turned up after a 30 minute struggle was a huge Stingray! David Anticich identified it as an Irish Flounder before it was returned to the water.

The next morning John and Eleanor Bennett turned up so we were able to get an update on what those staying at the caravan park had caught. John pulled out a skippy on what looked like his first cast. We hadn't caught one all weekend! Our camp was packed up in no time and we made our way back to the caravan park for the weigh in.

It was great to see that most people weighed in some fish and there was a great variety caught. Tony Dalonzo opened his esky to reveal 20 huge pike as well as an array of other fish and weighed in the maximum 50 fish for a bag of 51.1kg! Well done Tony! There was no winner for the mystery prize as not one tarwhine was caught.

A thoroughly enjoyable weekend!

Sue Brennan





A motley crew - Surfcasters at the Peaceful Bay field day

*New member Nick Anticich
with the biggest flathead
caught this year*



*Tony Dalonzo weighing in
those magnificent pike*

FIELD DAY RESULTS

VENUE : PEACEFUL BAY 30TH SEPTEMBER-2ND OCTOBER 1995 (LWE)

ATTENDANCE SENIORS 30 JUNIORS 5 M/JUNIORS 1 VISITORS 3

TOTAL ATTENDANCE 39

TOTAL FISH WEIGHT 129.6 KGS

SENIORS

NAME	POINTS	WEIGHT	NAME	POINTS	WEIGHT
Tony Dalonzo	591	51.1kg	Eleanor Bennett	69	0.9kg
Nick Anticich	227	15.7kg	Tony Holland	63	0.3kg
Ian Cook	191	14.1kg	Ian Mascarenhas	62	1.2kg
Alan Brayne	171	7.1kg	Derry Barber	45	0.5kg
Tom Anticich	126	6.6kg	Sid Whiting	40	0.0kg
Simon Dragicevich	126	6.6kg	Ron Thompson	40	0.0kg
John Bennett	114	3.4kg	Lou Scibilia	40	0.0kg
Ron Niciejewski	113	4.3kg	Hans Wytenburg	34	0.4kg
Mark Philpot	103	3.3kg	Kevin Gledhill (V)	30	0.0kg
David Anticich	102	4.2kg	Bernard Price (V)	30	0.0kg
Darryl Halton	95	3.5kg	Dave Maxted	22	0.2kg
Phil Brayne	86	1.6kg	Wayne Morris	10	0.0kg
Morris Kolman	85	1.5kg	Rhonda Morris	10	0.0kg
George Holman	76	1.6kg	Ian Taggart	10	0.0kg
Sue Brennan	70	1.0kg	Mark Farney (V)	10	0.0kg

JUNIORS

Bill Scibilia	52	0.2kg
Michael Scibilia	40	0.0kg
Brett Taggart	10	0.0kg
Grant Taggart	10	0.0kg
Debbie Whiting	10	0.0kg

FIELD DAY PRIZES

HEAVIEST BAG OF SCALE FISH

Tony Dalonzo 51.1kg mixed

HEAVIEST SCALE FISH

Ian Cook 3.7kg Salmon

MYSTERY PRIZE

Tarwhine - No Winner

JUNIOR PRIZE

Bill Scibilia 0.2kg Herring

SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR POINTS

HEAVIEST SCALE FISH

Tony Dalonzo 3.8kg Salmon

HEAVIEST BAG OF SCALE FISH

Tony Dalonzo 51.1kg mixed

SENIOR TOP TEN

Tony Dalonzo	1767
Alan Brayne	658
Phil Brayne	527
Darryl Halton	525
George Holman	509
Morris Kolman	449
Hans Wytenburg	423
Ian Mascarenhas	420
John Bennett	389
Tony Holland	308

JUNIOR TOP FIVE

Stephen Pilton	148
Brett Taggart	138
Grant Taggart	137
Debbie Whiting	70
Bill Scibilia	52

M/JUNIOR TOP FIVE

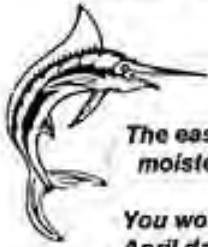
David Plaut	142
Darren Whiting	88
Karl Wytenburg	0
Ian Neal	0
Robert Gardener	0



FIELD DAY COMPETITION 1995-1996

AS AT SEPTEMBER 1995

1.	HEAVIEST SCALE FISH (1ST SIX MONTHS)	T DALONZO	MULLOWAY	6.55KG
2.	HEAVIEST SCALE FISH (2ND SIX MONTHS)			
3.	MOST MERITORIOUS FISH			
4.	HEAVIEST SHARK (4.5KG MIN)			
5.	HEAVIEST MULLOWAY (1.0KG MIN)	T DALONZO	MULLOWAY	6.55KG
6.	HEAVIEST TAILOR (1.0KG MIN)	S WHITING	TAILOR	4.55KG
7.	HEAVIEST SALMON (3KG MIN)	T DALONZO	SALMON	4.45KG
8.	HEAVIEST TREVALLY (0.5KG MIN)	I TAGGART	TREVALLY	1.2KG
9.	HEAVIEST MACKERAL			
10.	HEAVIEST BAG OF SCALE FISH	T DALONZO	MIXED	51.1KG
11.	HEAVIEST BAG OF MULLOWAY	T DALONZO	MULLOWAY	6.55KG
12.	HEAVIEST BAG OF TAILOR	P BOOTH	TAILOR	8.0KG
13.	HEAVIEST FISH ON S.H ROD 4kg or 9lb line b/s (max)			
14.	HEAVIEST SCALE FISH OTHER THAN SECTIONS 3-9,13 (2KG MIN)	T DALONZO	PIKE	3.58KG



THE "FIRST" MACKERAL...

The easterly winds were gentle , with just a trace of chill against your back and legs , moistened by the last swell which unexpectedly dumped a bathful of water on you , over the "secret spot " you had found some time before.

You wonder, as you stand alone in the knee high water on the reefs edge , on a cool April dawn , a couple of days before the new moon.

What will it be like when it actually happens ? What sensation will you feel when that speedster of a fish, hits your bait ? You've travelled over a thousand klm's and spent a lot of money to try and capture your first ever mackeral. You have done everything possible , pre-rigging at home , correct bait , and now the waiting game is killing you slowly with anxiety and anticipation.

Cast after cast you hurl that garfish 90 metres or more , casting and retrieving almost mechanically . You begin to feel the pain in your arms after 50 or so casts and you try and not notice , but concentrate profoundly on the positive points of why you are there in the first place. Will it be , as you had heard others talking about , that fantastic, adrenalin build, mind blowing experience. Have I remembered everything ? Gee..s , I've become all goose pimply just thinking about it. Come onnnnnn .

As you stand there idly watching the horizon and the cobalt blue waters , your mind reflects on the time spent in preparation for this particular moment. Bending the big maruto no. 7/0' hooks , wiring on the trebles and re-sharpening your gangs once , twice and three times untilyou are completely satisfied.

Time passes on , hour by hour as you feel a sense of displeasure and disappointment mixed together with negativity as you notice that , even the seagulls flying over and landing nearby on the reef begin to mock you indiscreetly and cunningly wait , hoping your bait will be their next lazy meal.

Without any warning the mass of gulls and terns , head out to sea in a frenzy , diving in and out of the water. You stand there in awe with your mouth agape , then all of a sudden you see the mackeral , in the school of fishes' slipstream, steam out of the water so close by. At first you are a bit confused on what had actually occurred. From idle musing to instant action, it took only a split second to finally register.

Another cast in the water the humming of the alvey's clutch screeches out south west with metres of line being taken with it. You lift the rod and strike and it feels like you towing a car with string as you see the mackeral jump out of the water in contempt. You try and remember what it is you should , or should not do, when the line slowly begins to run out , and your alvey is looking a little bare. Enough is enough and you set the hooks. You bl....dy ripper my first Mackeral.

All of a sudden you have that terrific feeling of ecstasy and wonder why you ever went alone in the first place , because it would've been nice to yahoo with someone else , and share that exhilaration and also get some moral support reeling it in. Lift and pump, time after time , you start recovering the line that you had lost. On retrieving , you think to tighten the drag , but the experts back at the club have told you prior so many times , to leave the bloody drag set and to leave it alone. Slowly , ever so slowly you begin to gain line , then in a new breath , the fish goes off again. The swell in the mean time is splashing your face with salt water and your back leg feels like it is going to fall off with the weight of the surge. Another run but that was his last , as I knew he must be tired by now , as I was nearly exhausted myself. A little while later which seemed like eternity to me , you get a visual of the fish at the reefs edge just slowly swimming near the surface. A sleek, cigar shaped silver fighting machine and he was all mineand he was plum tuckered out.

I placed my rod into the rock hole and tied it with some rope around the reel and hurried to get my gaff into the fish. Adding a little more tension onto the hundred pound trace , I slid my hand carefully down until I got to the steel line, so I knew I was close to getting my fish. With just a half a metre away and barely a second to go before the gaff was to be impaled , a grey monster noticed my prize and decided to only allow me half of the capture. My very first Mackeral NOT.

Nine kilo's of " half a mackeral " and 35 minutes of fugacious tussle , went down the drain.

Half a fish , half an hour, half exhausted , but a " whole " lot of fun , I rerigged and started all over again..... half-heartedly.... R.J. N.

S.C.A.C RECORDER REPORT
November 1995.

Hello everyone, it was great to see such a good turnout at the last meeting. As advised we will be taking Application Forms for the Open/Club record with us on all future Field Days. The old adage "What the eye can't see the heart don't feel", certainly does not apply here, as such I have put together a list of the current Club Records that are available and should be retained as a reference. This will ensure that you are aware what species are to be sought after and to keep other s that will qualify. Do remember for State/National Records the fish is to be weighed whole, and that Sharks require a tooth or jaw in addition to the wt/measurements. Records have been lost for lack of information.

Please use the list whenever you go fishing or on a Field Day and go for the Records.

Open Competition.

1	Most Meritorious Fish				
2	Heaviest Shark	{ 4.5 kg Min. }			
3	Heaviest Mulloway	{ 3 kg Min. }	H.Wytenburg	9.6 kg	40 lb line False Entrance.
4	Heaviest Salmon	{ 3 kg Min }			
5	Heaviest Dhuffish				
6	Heaviest Tailor				
7	Heaviest Samson				
8	Heaviest S/H Rod	{ 4 kg line max. }			
9	Heaviest Pink Snapper		C. Holman	3.8 kg	40 lb line False Entrance.
10	Heaviest Tarwhine { Silver Bream }				
11	Heaviest Mackerel		H.Wytenburg	16.7 kg	40 lb line False Entrance.
12	Heaviest Trevally { Southern 1 kg Min. }				
13	Heaviest Trevally { Northern 1 kg Min. }				
14	Heaviest Snook / Pike				
15	Heaviest Scale fish other than sections 2 thru 14 { 2 kg min. }				
	Amberjack		H.Wytenburg	4.8 kg	40 lb line False Entrance.

For those members that fish the North West.

Spanish Mackerel Narrow Barred	42.2 kg	Quabba	18/05/79	State/National Record
Spanish Mackerel Broad Barred	8.439 kg	Exmouth	29/07/86	State/National Record
Banded Sweep	1.374 kg	Kalbarri	29/03/95	State/National Record.

Till we next meet Tight Lines and Good fishing

Ian Mascarenhas.



Burley - You can bring em Round
(From 1960's Reel Talk)

Burley to fish is like giving orchids to a lady.
(It is... just a way to get them interested!)

Burley takes many forms. Some just sprinkle stale bread on the surfaces, some use a mixture of wheat and bran made into a dough, and others prefer off meat placed in a tin and punched with holes tied with a long rope and tossed into the water. A piece of dead rabbit, old fish heads enclosed in wire is often left at a spot for a couple of days to attract bream to where the fisho wants them. So as a little reminder, keep everything you don't like to eat off a fish (skin, roe, heads, gills etc etc) and freeze them for burley for your next fishing outing.

SURF CASTING AND ANGLING CLUB RECORDS							
Nov-95							
Fish	Weights	Date	State Rec.	Fish	Weights	Date	State Rec.
Amberjack	4.800 kg	04.08.1995	39.480 kg B *	Pike	3.375 kg	30.05.1970	
Barracouta	1.985 kg	20.07.1960	2.410 kg S	Queenfish	7.940 kg	18.09.1973	10.250 kg S
Barracuda	9.500 kg	26.08.1980	23.815kg B *	Sailfish	30.200kg	28.04.1985	55.790 kg B *
Bonefish	0.500 kg	07.05.1983	4.500 kg S	Salmon-Aust	6.380 kgs	12.08.1961	7.125 kg S
Bream -Yellowfin	2.500 kg	18.07.1980	#	Shark Black Tip	27.00 kg	16.04.1995	15.000 kg S
Bream -Black	1.870 kg	12.03.1965	2.890 kg B	Shark Gummy	10.430 kg	09.10.1965	25.700 kg S
Bream-Southern	2.270 kg	27.09.1962		Shark Bronze Wh	76.660 kg	26.02.1973	177.750 kg S
Cat Fish -Blue	3.200 kg	03.06.1980		Shark Gray Nurse	106.140 kg	26.02.1973	141.523 kg S
Cobia	33.000 kg	02.10.1979	61.500 kg B *	Shark H/head	23.245 kg	02.03.1969	130.00 kg S *
Cod- Slimey N,W	29.495 kg	30.04.1967		Shark Tiger	38.100 kg	18.04.1970	104.500 kg S
Dart Common	3.290 kg	01.06.1975	3.504 kg S *	Snapper Pink	16.015 kg	19.11.1953	16.150 kg B *
Emperor -Red	1.5 kgs	00.00.1980	14.061 kg B	Snapper Queen	2.270 kg	27.06.1955	
Flat Head	2.820 kg	17.12.1966		Snapper Black	4.535 kg	09.04.1970	
Flounder Small too	0.200 g	16.07.1995	1.471 kg B *	Snapper Nor West	4.080 kg	12.06.1972	
Groper Baldchin	4.3 kgs	00.00.1980	7.100 kg B *	Sweetlip G. Spot	1.5 kgs	01.06.1979	2.620 kg B
Groper Blue West.	26.305 kg	06.01.1955	35.038 kg B *	Tailor	6.125 kg	19.01.1961	12.00 kg S *
Harlequin	1.815 kg	11.09.1967	3.470 kg S	Tarwhine	1.360 kg	16.07.1961	1.525 kg S
Herring	0.650 kg	27.04.1960		Trevally	2.720 kg	22.04.1973	
Jewish,W.A	19.960 kg	14.05.1961	25.854 kg B *	Trevally G. Spot	9.06 kgs	02.06.1974	11.600 kg S *
Kingfish-Sea	23.130 kg	04.03.1973		Trevally Golden	16 kgs	12.12.1980	15.00 kg S *
Kingfish, Y/Tail	24.495 kg	17.05.1959	21.542 kg B	Trevally Lowy	27.5 kgs	03.05.1975	34.800 kg S *
Lea Jacket -H,shoe	1 kg	16.08.1980	1.709 kg B *	Trevally silver	6.550 kg	16.09.1955	7.480 kg B
Long Tom- Skender	4.1 kgs	22.06.1977		Trout Rainbow	1 kg	26.08.1995	3.420 kg S
Mackrel- Spanish N	31.750 kg	15.09.1973	42.200 kg S *	Trout Brown	0.565 kg	02.03.1968	4.130 kg S
Mackrel-Shark	10 kgs	04.10.1979	11.586 kg S *	Trout Coronation	4 kgs	20.04.1984	4.855 kg B
Mackrel-Spotted	4.535 kg	09.03.1974	5.655 kg S	Tuna N.Blue fin	17.480 kg	02.04.1962	22.876 kg S
Tuna - Mackrel	8.930 kg	03.06.1973	9.250 kg S	Tuna Y.Fin	16 kgs	21.05.1981	86.00 kg B
Mangrove Jack	1.475 kg	02.03.1969	5.048 kg S	Tuskfin Blue	4.25 kgs	26.03.1985	4.500 kg S
Morwong	1.135 kg	07.03.1960		Whiting Sand	0.595 kg	28.12.1972	
Mullet Sea	1.135 kg	24.05.1955	1.640 kg S	Whiting Spotted	1.135 kg	01.02.1960	
Mullet-Red	0.790 kg	12.09.1965		Wirrah	1.815 kg	01.09.1965	1.700 kg S *
Mulloway	90.890 kg	26.03.1968		Wrasse King west.	0.325 g	13.04.1986	0.660 kg B *
Sea Peach- Purple	1.815 kg	09.04.1967					
# State and National Record 1.975 kg 22.05.1978.							
Entries that have been left blank have to be properly catagorised							
S denotes Shore .		B denotes Boat.					
* denotes it is also an Australian Record.							

Please note: Mal Head is more than happy to collect all the aluminium cans you can bring to the general meeting but please don't bring them to drycasting. Newspapers are being collected by Bob Henderson. Help raise some money for the club social fund and start collecting !

State Dry Casting Championship.

Members are reminded that the dry casting championships are being held at the Yokine Reserve on Sunday 26th November 1995. All competitors must be ready by 8.00am for an early start. Captains meeting will be at 7.45am. We are hoping to have a sausage sizzle at lunch time with cool drinks available during the day at a small charge. I would like to see a good roll up, so all make an effort to attend. Points attained go towards the champion club and individual champions as well. I will also need helpers on the day to pencil and mark as well. Could you please let me know on 447-5106 if you can assist.
G.Holman.

DRY CASTING REPORT

Hi Everyone, Welcome to another month of Casting.

Numbers were down due to the casting day beaming out of sequence however I know all Surfcasters will show up in numbers for November's casting. It is important to note that the Surfcasters are the club to beat in the state comp's, so come along and have a go! Not only to have fun but to improve your casting and accuracy to catch the big ones.

Sunday's honours went to George Holman for the seniors with a score of 238. The Vet's, went to the quiet achiever, Roy Killick, with a score of 148. (Look out Vets).

The junior winner of the day, was Steve Pilon with a good score of 124. This is a great comp with the juniors, one month it's Daniel, and the next it's Steven.

Good to see such healthy competition!

Graham (Tinny) Reeley is casting high scores again, rattling the tin once and giving it a close shave a couple of times. It's good to see newer faces having a go. Be patient and it will all fall into place and you will be up there with the top casters.

Any problems with your casting, just ask, as there is always somebody willing to help you in any way.

Tight Lines.....Hans Wytenburg

A.A.A of W.A. Report

Both Murray Shaw and George Holman were in attendance at the October meeting. The Financial report was tabled for the part year, after being audited by Graham Griffin. Graham is unable to continue as he is being transferred over to the east. The finances are in poor shape and greater effort has to be made by all clubs to rectify this situation. The proposed seminar of Presidents and Sec's and those interested, will be held in May or July, depending when a suitable venue can be booked. It will be on the last weekend in the month nominated. Very important meeting considering what is happening within the Association and also on a State basis and this will have a major bearing on our future and our fishing. Our current secretary, Phyllis Baker is standing down as she is moving to Sunbury. The new Secretary is Gloria Turner of 51 Ningaloo Way, Thornlie. Tel/Fax 09 493 6441. Effectual 1/11/95. Phyllis has been more than an efficient secretary and a very pleasant person to deal with. Reports were tabled for the forthcoming Estuary championships to be run on the 20th-21st October. G.Holman made a request that all clubs make a special effort to attend the Drycasting Championships on Sunday the 26th of November. Any member can compete.

A draft report was tabled giving a background on the W.A. Recreational and Sportsfishing Council which was formed in 1982 and comprised..... A.A.A of W.A., Aust.National Sportsfishing Ass. and the W.A. Gamefishing Ass. Later the Trout and Freshwater, Aust. Underwater Fed., and the South West Rec. Diving and Fishing Ass. joined. This Council looked after recreational fishing up until now, but due to changes in local Govt. and to the Fisheries Ministers and their methods and interests, it has been recommended, that the council should have a change in format, to try and get our messages to the Minister on an even more professional basis, to look after our interests. There is a proliferation of change coming up and our Minister is hard to reach, so we need to be on our metal.

The first years' budget is estimated at \$287,00.00. The Rec. and Sportsfishing Council needs to raise 33% through sponsorship and the balance comes from licences etc. The association has not got a Treasurer at this point of time and as anyone would realise, we need one urgently. Anybody who is interested can contact George or Murray.

G. Holman

OCTOBER DRY CASTING RESULTS

Date	112 gram			Art bait			d/h acc	s/h acc	Day Total
	1	2	Tot	1	2	Tot			
8 / 10 / 95									
SENIORS									
G. Holman	143	151	29	121	118	24	157	28	238
G. Gildersleeve	140	142	28	/	109	11	138	6	183
G. Reely	125	/	12	115	112	23	122	13	170
H. Wytenburg	141	146	29	115	116	23	74	12	138
B. Henderson	118	116	23	100	99	20	79	11	133
I. Pilton	/	/	/	/	/	/	73	14	87
J. Agnello	85	91	18	75	83	16	/	6	40
VETERANS									
R. Killick	88	90	18	75	/	7	112	11	148
M. Head	113	/	11	75	96	17	106	12	146
T. Stam	81	85	17	75	78	15	103	6	141
J. Strong	103	103	21	95	95	19	74	6	120
T. Lynn	85	/	8	64	69	13	84	4	109
JUNIORS									
S. Pilton	/	124	12	/	/	/	92	20	124
D. Reid	64	64	13	66	66	13	71	17	114
MINI JUNIORS									
K. Wytenburg	31	25	6	31	31	6	14	16	42
112 gram winner Sen: H. Wytenburg/G. Holman (29) Vet: R. Killick (18)									
Art Bait winner Sen: G. Holman (24) Vet: M. Head (17)									
D/H accuracy winner Sen: G. Holman (157) Vet: R. Killick (112)									
S/H accuracy winner Sen: G. Holman (28) Vet: M. Head (12)									
Winner of the day Sen: G. Holman (238) Vet: R. Killick (148)									
Junior winner S. Pilton (124)									
Mini Junior winner K. Wytenburg (42)									

Senior Top 10

G. Holman	1281
G. Reely	973
G. Gildersleeve	964
H. Wytenburg	928
E. Parker	811
J. Sullivan	662
B. Henderson	627
S. Whiting	575
I. Pilton	400
B. Whiting	345

Veteran Top 10

T. Stam	1083
M. Head	899
R. Killick	634
T. Dalonzo	610
R. Thorpe	525
T. Lynn	508
J. Strong	334
T. Holland	320
A. Thorgerson	204

Juniors

S. Pilton	1262
D. Reid	989
D. Whiting	380

Mini Juniors

D. Whiting	518
C. Wytenburg	92

Hi Folks.....

The school holidays have again been upon us, with this time, the weather has been more beneficial towards the tourists, but in the the local scene involving the fauna, it has'nt been too pleasing.

Kalbarri has been packed out, and we even had to queue up for our morning milk and paper.

Well , now to the parts you really want to hear about.....the fishing. Grrr.. cat for some - but not so for the 9am to 5pm fishers.

A huge tailor of 5.99 kg has been the biggest tailor caught since I last wrote to you. The capture was at Chinamens Reef (at the back of the rock) by another lucky holidaymaker , in the early morning. The north end of the Blue Hole was also fortunate for another fisho . Because he could not find the room to fish on the edge of the the hole, himself , he managed to get some nice size choppers around feeding time. Andrew's mate, Greg McDougal, (as you may have seen in the "West Australian" newspaper) landed a 4kg snapper using a bottom rig in the the same hole, a day later.

This is some effort , for this rig is not often used in this area because of the snaggy bottom , which contains old local cray pots.

We , have had no... swell , no wind... mornings, really lovely for fishing and also diving which a local did in the holes, and much to his surprise, he found large snapper swimming underneath the ledges, with tailor and the usual "Bolt Cutters" ! (If you don't know what they are , just ask some of the senior fisho's in the club, as I'm sure, they will give you some good info and a few old memories in regards to these critters).

This seems to be an unusual time for some species of fish up here, as the unexpected seems to be happening. What you expect to catch you don't , and a mate of mine, dived over the side with a snorkel and mask to find out just the reason why !

He found a huge school of winter , fat gardies not normal for this time of year still around , but should be well down south. Wittecarra Ck has really started to fire with school tailor.

The river has turned up with plenty of small whiting catches.

Last Sunday , we held our Silver Chain "Fishing Comp" for the kids, and there were hundreds of them , together with Mum , Dad and Gramp's enjoying the competition and outing.

Small mulloway and both species of mullet were being caught - with lots of prizes for the winners. It was a terrific day !

The only big mulloway that I had heard about , caught during the hol's, was from Pot Alley Rocks. Big tailor have progressed down through to Horricks and the Bows River and are present being caught at the Flat Rocks , near the "S Bend" caravan park. So, I am assuming they could well be at Jurien , in the next few weeks.

To finish , I'm glad to see the "club house" once again occupied , but what happened over the shool holidays ? Not a soul and such good weather too ! Well , I think I've covered the lot for now and I hope to see at least some of youvery shortly.

Bye for Now
The Hardie Family.

