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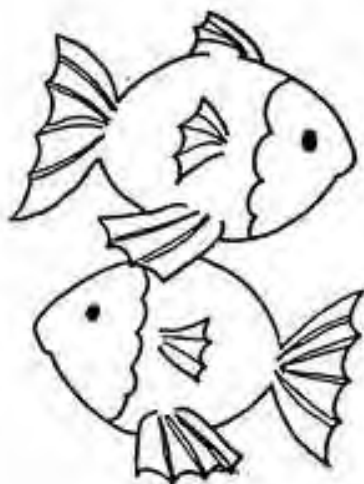
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CLUB ETIQUETTE

MEETINGS

The monthly GENERAL MEETING is usually held on the second Wednesday of each month at 8pm. All members should endeavour to attend the meeting so as to keep up with club matters.

DRYCASTING

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 penalized with the loss of points acquired during that field day. It is the Field Day Officer's 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 badge, 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 with-in 28 days of the Annual General Meeting.

Arrears of 3 consecutive months may cause forfeiture of membership.

M E M O R A N D A

NEXT GENERAL MEETING

WHERE: ..... DIANELLA COMMUNITY CENTRE  
LIGHT STREET, DIANELLA

WHEN: ..... WED. JULY 12TH 1989  
8 P.M.

INSTRUCTION: ..... Clive Williams, a world championship caster  
is coming along to give a talk on rods, reels,  
lines, techniques, etc used in casting and may  
also elaborate on fishing techniques as well.



NEXT CASTING DAY

WHERE: ..... YOKINE RESERVE

WHEN: ..... SUNDAY JULY 2ND 1989  
9 A.M.

EVENTS: ..... 112 gram Level Line  
56 gram Level Line  
D/H Accuracy  
S/H Accuracy

There will also be a 112 gram level line open  
distance event.



NEXT FIELD DAY

WHERE: ..... TO BE DECIDED AT JULY GENERAL MEETING

WHEN: ..... JULY 15TH/16TH 1989

TIMINGS: ..... TO BE DECIDED

SIGN-ON: ..... TO BE DECIDED

WEIGH-IN: ..... TO BE DECIDED

FOLLOWING FIELD DAY (AUGUST)

WHERE: ..... TO BE DECIDED AT AUGUST GENERAL MEETING



NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING

WHERE: ..... DIANELLA COMMUNITY CENTRE  
LIGHT STREET DIANELLA

WHEN: ..... WED. 19TH JULY 1989  
8 P.M.

### WINDCHEATERS AND T-SHIRTS

Samples of these were brought along to our last meeting and members made their selection of style and colour combination. The price of the windcheater will be around \$30-00 and have a zip front and pockets and the T-shirt around \$13-00.

At the next meeting a sample of all sizes will be available for members to try on so that their sizes can be added to their order and then the garments will be made. These will be available at the following meeting for delivery, so it will be necessary to bring the money to the August meeting.

Anyone wishing to order either garment should be present at our next meeting to try them on for size and place their final order.

There are currently 24 T-shirts and 16 windcheaters ordered.



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### SUBS ARE NOW DUE

Club subscriptions are once again due as from the first of July. It would be appreciated by our treasurer if members would attend to this as soon as possible. Subs are as follows:

Seniors \$33-00 Family \$45-00, Veterans \$12-50  
Juniors \$12-50. For each additional junior on the senior (father's) subscription \$5-00.

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## PRESIDENTS REPORT

A good attendance of members were present at our June meeting and once again a good deal of business was dealt with. The club dinner and dance was one of the main items and by the time you receive this issue of "Reel Talk" the night will have been held, so a full report of this even will appear next month.

We welcomed two guests from the Pastime Angling Club in Terry Chambers (AAA rep) and Dwain Shersby (Vice-Pres.) along to our meeting as they came along to show us how their club ran the "Mandurah 500". We would like to thank them sincerely as they were a great help. As a result of a lot of discussion it was decided to set up a sub-committee to meet at George and Kaye Holman's house on Wednesday, 5th July at 8pm to start and get things moving. The members were: George Holman, Eric Parker, Nella and Lee Clifton, Dave Maxted, Peter Osborne, Ian Cooke, Dennis Stigalmeyer.

I would like to thank all the commercial and club trophy donors for their generosity which is very much appreciated by all the recipients of the trophies displayed at the dinner and dance. To Eric Parker goes a special thank you for his efforts in collecting them and helping me allocate them to the various sections.

You will notice the difference in this edition of "Reel Talk" as it is a club effort in its formulation and printing as our editor Bob Bartley notified me early in June that he was unable to continue. Many thanks to all who helped.

Elsewhere there is an article dealing with the purchase of new club T-shirts and windcheaters. The most important thing from the point of view of those wishing to procure them is to be present at our next general meeting as a full range of sizes will be available for you to try on for size, so you can make sure they fit, and then the final order will be placed. Don't forget to be present!!

I hope to have Clive Williams, a former world championship caster present at our next dry cast and meeting to give a demonstration at the cast, and a lecture at our general meeting as our instruction period. The type of rods, reels, lines, etc are a lot different to that which we use and his knowledge is great and I know we will learn a lot from him. Make a point of attending both our next cast and meeting and make Clive welcome.

It's not long now to our annual general meeting (August) and now is the time to start thinking about whether you would like to take a position on committee. A number of present committee members have indicated they wish to stand down or have a change of position, so give it more than a little thought. This is my third year in the chair and I think it's about time for me to stand down and let someone else take the reigns for a while.

Support your dry casting and fishing events.



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**FIELD DAY RESULTS**

VENUE: OPEN  
DATE: JUNE 3-5TH '89 (LWE)

<u>ATTENDANCE:</u>	SENIORS	11	JUNIORS	2
	VISITORS	1	MINI-JUNIORS	-
			TOTAL	14

TOTAL FISH WEIGHT: 59.17 kg

<u>NAME</u>	<u>FISH WEIGHT</u>	<u>POINTS</u>
T. D'Alonzo	32.20 kg	150
F. D'Alonzo	8.55 kg	64
P. Osborne	5.95 kg	60 + 10
S. Osborne	5.00 kg	60 + 10
H. Holman	2.9 kg	55 + 10
Martin Paul	2.2 kg	55 + 10
M. Kelly	.9 kg	52 + 10
G. Holman	.7 kg	51 + 10
M. Head	.42 kg	51 + 10
Bruce Bennett	.35 kg	51 + 10

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE

D. Maxted	50
Clive Maxted (J)	50
Michael Head (J)	50 + 10
Neil Maxted (V)	

FIELD DAY PRIZES

Heaviest Bag Scale Fish ..... P. Osborne 5.95 kg  
 Heaviest Scale Fish ..... F. D'Alonzo - Salmon  
 Heaviest Shark ..... T. D'Alonzo 4.6 kg

SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR POINTS

Heaviest Bag Scale Fish	1st T. D'Alonzo	27.60 kg
	2nd F. D'Alonzo	8.55 kg
Heaviest Scale Fish	1st T. D'Alonzo	1.9 kg (salmon)
	2nd T. D'Alonzo	1.8 kg (salmon)
Heaviest Shark	1st T. D'Alonzo	4.6 kg

FIELD DAY REPORT

JUNE LWE - OPEN

Most anglers stayed local or ventured to Yanchep way, with D'Alonzos and Osbornes heading South. Despite the bad weather forecast, the weather held good, making conditions very pleasant.

The local anglers had a hard time of it, working hard for pitch, herring or and odd tailer. The southern segment had better results, returning with a variety of fish ranging from bream, blackfish, herring. A couple of salmon (Tony), and a nice shark (Tony again). Both Osbornes and D'Alonzos tried Denmark on the Saturday evening and Sunday morning, but didn't find fish in prolific amounts. Peter and Sharon wound up at Bornholm on the Sunday and were quite happy with good catches of bream (then went home Sunday afternoon). Tony and Filomena headed up to Margaret River for Sunday and Mondays fishing, and both brough back nice mixed bags of fish.

Looking at the results, our best bet for the July field day appears to be a southward venue, probably cape-to-cape. Certainly we've been having good results with all our cape-to-cape trips - there is plenty of territory to cover, a good variety of fish to be chased (even dhufish), and we're getting to know our way around the area.

Unitl July,



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# Dates to Remember...

MEMBER DAYS



**PROPOSED  
1989-1990 SEASON**

- MAY.....MARGARET RIVER:- CAPE T O CAPE
- JUNE.....OPEN LONG WEEKEND
- JULY.....To be decided at preceding general meeting
- AUGUST.....To be decided at preceding general meeting
- SEPTEMBER.....ROTTNEST
- OCTOBER.....ESPERANCE  
OPEN (normal weekend)
- NOVEMBER.....To be decided at preceding general meeting
- DECEMBER.....to be decided at previous general meeting
- JANUARY.....LONG WEEKEND:- OPEN (Restricted boundaries)
- FEBRUARY.....To be decided at preceding general meeting
- MARCH.....LONG WEEKEND:- BLUFF CREEK
- APRIL.....ROTTNEST



STEEP POINT SAFARI "89"

Mid June 88. Dusk was falling as we traversed the causeway across Useless Inlet, Carrarang St.

Well the end of yet another long awaited week of fishing and quite an adventure and memorable one at that. Sitting out a cyclone - within 24 hours of arrival - repitching camp and fishing again within 8 hours - introduction to ballooning, only to see a mako rise, take the bait, cork screw, and shred 120lb wire as though it was cotton - playing a shark for two hours and losing him - the Gibbon Hole, whih left me stunned, how do we fish that? - well I was shown the result ... we had a good bag of fish.

With a last look back we climbed into the Toyotas to face the trek back to Perth - "somehow, sometime, I just had to visit this fishes' kingdom again".

January '89, and I guess my mates had felt exactly my stated sentiments, for we had set a date for May three ... vehicles, ten bodies, all eager to tax our fishing abilities at the most westerly point of Australia.

It wasn't till april that we got together. Some serious programming had to be worked out. Bodies had been reduced to six in two vehicles. Date and time were set and each had a list of gear we would be responsible for.

May 11th 8.30 p.m. two Toyotas packed and ready to go (what we hadn't got we would do without). Two other parties were to join us on route. Greenie would meet us at The Overlander, Mal Thompson would pick us up on route.

It was 5.00 a.m. as we pulled into The Overlander, stiff eyes, a little sore. George and I had driven alternately 100 klm stints dozing in between shifts in back of wagon. This worked well, Heath working as co-pilot navigator. Greenie was waiting for us, and as we ate breakfast Thomo drove in.

At 6.30 a.m. we left for Steep and after a soft sand problem leaving the Causeway we arrived at the point 10.30 a.m. by 12.00 Mal White's rod hit the water, George was snoring in his tent, the rest of us tackle-sorting in anticipation of a ripper fishing week.

George started the ball rolling with a superb Sampson. Heath, not to be outdone, followed suit ... not as big as dad's but enough to give him his game fish badge. Snapper and bait size snook were then the order for the rest of the evening.

Saturday became a day of rest, wind blowing in wrong direction - not much doing spinning. Opportunity to catch up with some sleep. Mal White livened us up with a Snapper or two from the front, the rest of us joined him. Snapper and Snook were on again.

Sunday weather brighter but cloudy, wind blowing N.E. so decided to make for the Gibbon Hole. Water very white and foamy but didn't

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stop us from landing a good bag of mixed fish:- Baldchin, Snapper, Sweet Lips. Evening fishing brought a few Snapper.

Monday was the Holmans and Greenie and Thomo's crew depart for the Gibbon Hole while the rest of us fished the front. Spinning was dead, and it wasn't until 11 a.m. that the wind turned to S.W. Balloons were put out, waiting game begins...

I had two good hookups: First played for 45 minutes but managed to loop the line around handle of reel - result bust off. Second strike, held for 15 minutes (thought I was winning) but fish thought differently. He went deep around Nigger Head on front - result: Second classic stitch up.

Mal Head meanwhile had missed two, due to absence from rod vicinity first time, and failure to get there in time the second. He was spiting fire balls!!

The mob then arrived back from the Gibbon boasting of three full sacks of Snapper-Balchin-Trevally and Sweet Lip. Heath promptly set a balloon then leaves it set up. Dam me, within ten minutes he had a strike and lands a nice Mackerel. His joyous boasting, as you can guess, was swallowed like a stick of dynamite by Mal and myself, especially as Mal lost two good hookups later that night!

Tuesday, saw the departure of Greenie and Thomo. Rick and Mal White stayed in camp, the rest of us hit the Gibbon. I got a good hookup, the Holman Combo gaffed him, a 22kg shark, which made the adrenalin pump through the system. George landed a nice Blue Bone Groper fulfilling an order given by my misses before we left. Heath gained a couple of Snapper, as did Mal Head. We came back to camp to a well cooked dinner prepared by our resident cook Rick, who constantly kept us stocked up with first class tucker. After I had pushed the bottle around not much fishing was thought of for the rest of the day!!

Wednesday, dawn broke on a very dreary morning, damp after rain that night, no wind and cloudy. Later wind got up but was an easterly ... no good for ballooning. Fishing activity looked pretty well no go.

Except for, of course you guessed it, the ever persistent George. He had armed himself with spinning gear and balloon and trundled off on his own to the furthest tip of the Point. In this position he managed to get a balloon out about 200 metres N.W. from the ledge. Around 10.30 off she went, and within 20 min a bonza Sailfish 2.6 metres nose to tail was gaffed up on the ledge. To you experienced fishermen a hundred questions come to mind. Well on examination of this classical creature it was found that a shark had taken a hefty chunk out of his tail end, at least 4 or 5 klg worth.

My first sight of this magnificent creature was him tail skipping over the water for a distance of at least 30 metres around 50 metres out N.W. of point. Heath, Mal and another fellow were there with a running and pole gaff. Apparently there were about five or six sharks after the sailies' tail. George was winding like fury ... there would only be one chance, line was grabbed. Heath locked gaff in, and let it run (well timed), head was engulfed, they both pulled like hell, pole gaff went home as she left the water.

Six to eight now bloody furious Mako Sharks tore around in circles at a complete loss as to where their brekky had disappeared to, and why four unshaven, cheesy grinning, individuals were hopping around hugging and coveting like idiots above them.

George, although elated, felt disappointment. The fish had been bitten half an hour hook up. The poor critter must have gone through hell in the last minutes of its life.

The first Sail I had seen of truly fantastic size and design, made to roam and lord these waters. It personified for me the land, waters, and mystique of the whole area.

What more was left for Wednesday? We moved to the Gibbon Hole after lunch, Heath landed a fine Spaniard, to complement dad's Sail. I lost a good hookup due to faulty knot tying. Mal White scored two great Trevelly and two Snapper. Mal Head persistantly gave them heaps but just couldn't stop their tearaway runs, and so seemed to vent his frustration by casting 4 ozs lumps of lead down the Gibbon's throat. He was heard to mumble "If I can't hook the 'Bs' I'll give 'em lead poisoning!!". He did come to the fore that night with two fine Snapper. Rick too showed us he's a mean fisherman matching Mal's two Snapper!

Thursday, no wind again, back to the hole. Heath landed a beaut Trevelly, George Blue Bone and Snapper, Malcolm two Snapper. I excelled myself - a Trevelly - gaffed again by the son and dad team. He tipped the scales just over 6 kgm to give me the long awaited opportunity to claim that elusive Game Fish Badge! Malcolm now had full stage but no luck. We didn't fish at night, and early morning was planned so we all hit the sack.

Friday, early start, fished till noon. Heath and I captured three nice Blue Bone each. George stuck to spinning, but no go. Our Malcolm, well two good runs, but just no luck whatsoever. Malcolm "me old mate", I do sympathise. It's taken me four trips, but it's sure a great feeling when it comes off!!

All hell breaks loose, now back to camp. Rick and Mal had brunch ready for us. By 3.30 p.m. we had struck camp, packed and were ready to leave for home.

Dusk again, pumping up tyres at the causeway, a Sail hit the surface three times with a tail dance that was the greatest finale Garrarang Station could have laid on for anyone. What more can be said? A great week's fishing with a good bunch of guys, in an area of God's own country.

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SECTION CHANGES

<u>SECTION</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>FISH</u>	<u>WEIGHT</u>
2. HEAVIEST SCALE FISH 1st 6 months	M. KELLY	DHUFISH	2.9 kg
3. MOST MERITORIOUS FISH			
4. HEAVIEST SHARK (4.5kg min)	T. D'ALONZO		4.6 kg
5. HEAVIEST MULLOWAY (1kg min)			
6. HEAVIEST TAILOR (1kg min)			
7. HEAVIEST SALMON (3kg min)			
8. HEAVIEST TREVALLY (1kg min)			
9. HEAVIEST MACKERAL			
10. HEAVIEST BAG SCALE FISH	T. D'ALONZO	MIXED	27.60 kg
11. HEAVIEST BAG MULLOWAY			
12. HEAVIEST BAG TAILOR			
13. HEAVIEST SCALE FISH S/H/ ROD 4kg of 9lg b/s line (max)			
14. HEAVIEST SCALE FISH Other than sections 4-13	T. D'ALONZO	SNOOK	1.37 kg

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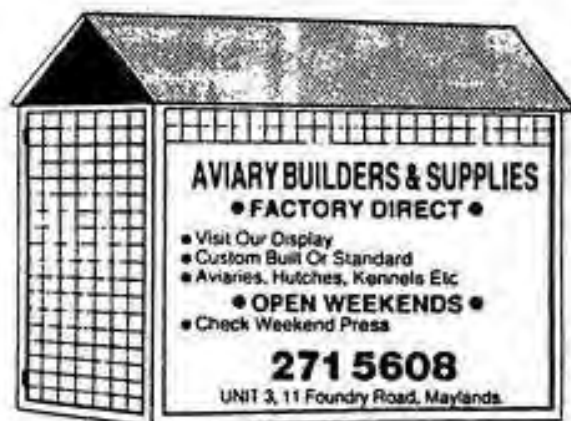


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OPEN SECTION

1. MOST MERITORIOUS FISH
2. HEAVIEST SHARK (4.5 kg min)
3. HEAVIEST MULLOWAY (3 kg min)
4. HEAVIEST SALMON (3 kg min)
5. HEAVIEST DHUFISH
6. HEAVIEST TAILOR (1 kg min)
7. HEAVIEST SAMSON FISH
8. HEAVIEST SCALE FISH S/H/ ROD  
4kg or 9lb b/b line max
9. HEAVIEST PINK SNAPPER
10. HEAVIEST TARWHINE
11. HEAVIEST MACKERAL
12. HEAVIEST TREVALLY  
(SOUTHERN 1 kg min)
13. HEAVIEST TREVALLY  
(NORTHERN 1 kg min)
14. HEAVIEST SNOOK/PIKE (1 kg min)
15. HEAVIEST SCALE FISH  
Other than sections 2-14 (2 kg min)

(ENTRIES WANTED!!)



NEW MEMBER ACCEPTED

The Committee has accepted the nomination of the following new club member and asks that he present himself at the next general meeting to receive his Club Badge, Constitution, and Club Etiquette:

MARTIN PAULL  
16 PORLOCK WAY  
KARRINYUP

NEW MEMBER NOMINATED

The following nomination for membership has been received. If any member has any objection or reason why this nominee should not be accepted they must notify the committee before the next general meeting:

NEIL MAXTED  
93 CLONTARF STREET  
SORRENTO

MAY DRYCAST

Our first casting day for the new season saw only a moderate attendance with only 10 seniors and one junior in attendance. It would have been great to start the season off with a lot more casters in attendance, something Malcolm and I were hoping for.

The wind wasn't kind as it was blowing rather strongly across the lane from left to right and as the results show, a lot of cast went out of the lane, and made it hard to achieve any real distances.

Longest cast for the day was George Holman's 135 metres followed by Eric Parker with 126 metres and a dark horse in Bruce Bennett (nice to see him casting) with 123 metres - look our Malcolm Kelly!!

Eric Parker set the pace in the 56 gram distance with a cast of 127 metres and also had top score in the double handed accuracy with 130 pts followed by our junior caster in Michael Head with 119 pts. Malcolm Head (Michael's dad) was looking for a rock to crawl under as he didn't fair too well and Michael was letting him know it!!

Good to see Dave Maxted blowing a few cobwebs off his gear and Marty Paul getting the feel of this casting caper.

Hope to see a lot more of you casting next month as I will be away fishing and Malcolm will be in charge.

JUNE CASTING RESULTS

WINNER OF THE DAY

G. HOLMAN 237 PTS

112 grams: G.Holman 26 pts  
112 ART/BAIT: R. Parker 22 pts  
D/H ACC: G. Holman 122 pts  
S/H ACC: E. Parker 24 pts  
Junior Winner: M. Head 209 pts

TOP TEN

JUNIORS

G. HOLMAN 467 PTS  
E. PARKER 413 PTS  
M KELLY 360 PTS  
H. HOLMAN 350 PTS  
M. HEAD 225 PTS  
G. REELEY 191 PTS  
D. MAXSTEAD 188 PTS  
J. STRONG 132 PTS  
B. BENNETT 114 PTS  
M. PAULL 96 PTS

M. HEAD 425 PTS  
C. MAXSTEAD 134 PTS

JUNE DRYCAST

As the long weekend was the first Sunday in the month the club decided to utilize this as an open fishing field day thus relegating the drycast to the second weekend. This fact, coupled with a number of members fishing up North, and a bitterly cold morning with the wind blowing right in our faces must have contributed to the poor attendance, only seven seniors and two juniors being present.

Nice to see young Clive Maxsted come to our cast as a junior and he set the example for his dad Dave to follow!! Dave was suffering from frost bite ... at least that was his excuse!

Conditions made good casting difficult and the distances show this George Holman scoring only 131 metres for the longest cast on 112 grams and he and Eric Parker tying with 107 metres in the artificial bait distance.

George Holman top scored in the D/H accuracy with 122 pts and that junior (Michael Head) was next highest scorer with 115 ... we're going to have to keep an eye on this young bloke! Someone is going to jump on his rod one day ... not mentioning names ...

Eric Parker top scored in the single handed accuracy with 24 out of the possible 40, followed by George Holman 18, and that Michael Head follow with 16.

It would be nice to see a large improvement in the attendance at the July cast as Graham will be back at the helm. It will also be the last chance to limber up before the State Drycasting Championships at the end of July. The tentative teams appear below.

We also hope to have Clive Williams, a world championship caster in attendance to give us a demonstration of the pendulum technique and also show us some of his casting gear. I'm sure we can learn a lot from him so I would like to see as many as possible in attendance.

See you all in July.

MALCOLM HEAD ASST. D.C.O.

STATE DRYCASTING CHAMPIONSHIP

The following is the club teams for the State Drycasting Championships to be held on the 29th and 30th July at All Saints College, Ewing Street, Bullcreek:

MENS TEAM

G. HOLMAN  
G. REELEY  
E. PARKER  
M. KELLY  
H. HOLMAN  
M. HEAD  
P. OSBORNE  
J. REELEY

LADIES TEAM

S. OSBORNE  
H. OSBORNE

JUNIOR TEAM

M. HEAD  
C. MAXTED

MIN JUNIOR

B. REELEY  
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STATE DRYCASTING CHAMPIONSHIPS

SATURDAY & SUNDAY 29th - 30th JULY 1989

VENUE - All Saints College  
Ewing Street  
BULLCREEK

START - 1.00 pm Saturday 29th July

FIRST EVENT: 112 gram Artificial Bait - Teams

SECOND EVENT: 56 gram Distance - Teams

START - 8.30 am Sunday 30th July

THIRD EVENT: Accuracy up to 112 grams

FOURTH EVENT: Artificial Bait 112 gram - Individual

FIFTH EVENT: 112 gram Distance - Individual

People are required to assist with court set up from 8.30 am Saturday. If you can assist please contact me.

All Perpetual Trophies to be returned by the July Delegates meeting at the latest.

Team Nomination form enclosed. Team forms to be returned to me by 24th July please.

REGISTRATION: 10 am to 12 noon

COST:           Open           - \$ 6.00  
                  Ladies         - \$ 4.00  
                  Veterans       - \$ 4.00  
                  Juniors         - \$ 4.00  
                  Mini Juniors - \$ 4.00

Captains and all Competitors should make sure they are conversant with current Drycasting Rules.

The Championship will be scored by the National System (ie) All Casts will be in a percentage (%) total.

Regards  
STEVE JONES  
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     wk 418 5211

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DATE	112 g 56 g										S.H. ACCURACY						
	D.H. ACCURACY										TOTAL LONG	SHORT LONG	SHORT TOTAL				
NAME	1	2	1	2	3	3	1	1	4	4	2	2	2	3	1	4	6
R PARKER	-	126	121	127	8	19	17	21	9	20	19	17	130	3	1	4	14
M HEAD	66	-	-	-	6	-	2	-	-	-	3	-	11	-	8	2	17
J STRONG	99	100	96	90	-	7	-	-	-	-	15	-	22	7	8	8	23
G REELEY	-	121	-	-	16	9	22	22	14	9	12	-	104	2	9	8	25
G HOLMAN	94	135	122	-	19	19	20	11	9	11	13	25	118	6	6	7	28
M KELLY	-	121	114	122	6	21	20	20	3	9	8	1	88	3	5	-	14
D MAXSTEAD	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	9	11	-	10	36	-	-	5	5
H HOLMAN	-	-	104	116	14	2	17	15	-	16	20	15	99	-	3	-	8
M PAULL	-	-	67	-	-	8	15	-	-	-	-	20	43	-	8	2	10
B BENNETT	-	123	97	106	-	15	1	-	-	-	-	8	24	5	3	-	8
M HEAD (JNR)	23	102	84	92	20	17	15	10	5	14	18	20	119	5	6	-	18

DATE	112 g ART BAIT										S.H. ACCURACY						
	D.H. ACCURACY										TOTAL LONG	SHORT LONG	SHORT TOTAL				
NAME	1	2	1	2	3	3	1	1	4	4	2	2	2	62	7	8	9
E PARKER	128	126	112	107	9	18	5	11	1	15	3	-	62	-	7	8	24
M HEAD	101	-	-	-	7	-	25	22	-	1	3	13	71	-	10	-	10
G HOLMAN	129	131	106	107	18	24	11	20	6	4	19	20	122	2	4	2	18
H HOLMAN	128	94	100	-	12	16	8	14	6	-	23	7	86	6	4	1	12
M PAULL	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	5	-	-	12	-	34	-	7	-	12
M KELLY	105	106	98	99	-	-	24	20	-	-	23	19	86	-	6	-	6
D MAXSTEAD	-	-	-	-	16	8	13	-	-	-	5	-	42	-	-	-	5
JUNIORS																	
MIKE HEAD	105	112	84	81	5	19	10	21	8	8	21	23	115	-	6	1	16
CLIVE MAXSTEAD	71	73	57	63	10	18	6	4	-	-	-	14	52	-	3	-	7



MAKE THE EFFORT

... attend our next Drycast!!

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Peter & Sharon Osborne,  
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23.05.89

Hello all WA anglers

In order to reminisce on events at Warnambool and to look forward to the next AAA National competition in Port Lincoln (SA) in March '91, we are going to have a social get together for those that went to Warnambool and those that are contemplating going to Port Lincoln.

Venue: Osbornes home  
Time : Saturday, July 29th, 7:30 pm  
Dress: Casual!  
Format: Drinks and bikkies (provided)  
RSVP on 401-9035 by 23rd July

This weekend is the state dry-casting championships, so we should have some of the Bunbury and country people in town.

As you're experienced at national events, we're hoping you'll give our forthcoming Port Lincoln championships serious consideration. Now is the time to start planning for '91, even if it's only on a "slight possibility" basis. Work and family commitments mean that most of us have to plan on this sort of a basis at this stage, but we find it best to make our accommodation plans and bookings, discuss particular areas of interest, financial considerations, boating considerations, types of fishing we'll encounter, etc well in advance of the actual events.

So hope to see you at our house on July 29th.

Regards

Peter and Sharon



EXMOUTH - THE WAY TO GO

On May 22nd, Jim Strong, Bill Utting and Baz March hooked up the Cabana Caravan to the L300 wagon and set off on our third annual trip to Exmouth. Again we staged the travel over three easy stages of daytime travel - Northampton, Carnarvon and Exmouth. Rain followed us all the way and the first night at Northampton showed that staying in the relatively new council overnight park is not the place to stay when it is raining.

The night after our arrival at Exmouth it rained for the first time in nearly a year - almost 50mm being recorded. A messy place with red mud for a couple of days until it dried out, but from then on until the end of our stay the weather was clear and warm to hot with the winds moving right around the compass during that time.

We were a month early for the bream and whiting run, although Bill and Jim caught just over two dozen plump whiting on the last day. All our old spots were fished successfully plus a number of new locations.

By chance a conversation with a young couple on the Bundegi Beach got us on to the U.S. Navy jetty for three fishing sessions. The young man was a rigger at the U.S. Base and he took us to the security office for the necessary pass papers. Fishing the jetty was quite good and an experience, especially when lifting reasonable sized fish 20 feet up on a 12lb line and heaving rod. One sight not to be forgotten was to see, in the glow of the jetty floodlights, hundreds of very large Buffalo Bream in the water around the jetty. Among them were many Long Toms and several big Trevally, which unfortunately, would not touch a baited hook.

Our best big fish spot was at Turtle Beach. Bill's line became tangled on a small turtle and a humorous tussle took place until the line came free. The turtle could not understand why it was paddling furiously out to sea but was travelling backwards. At this spot we caught a number of Golden Trevally up to 4.25 kilos, plus a number of Swallowtail Dart - some of a very good size.

Even after a number of very good fish meals, we were still able to nearly fill the 39 litre Engel freezer with fish fillets to bring home.

Basil took his photo album filled with wartime photos of Exmouth.

This resulted in:

- Tape recorded interview with the editor of the local newspaper.
- Headmaster of Exmouth school borrowing the album and his senior students enlarging and reprinting many of the photos.
- A conducted tour over the Solar Observatory (which is located next to the wartime R.A.A.F. base) and an American Air Force sergeant borrowing the photo album to add information to his project on wartime activities in the area.

The trip home was quite an experience.

We left the caravan park early morning to a fanfare of cheers and waves and in pouring rain. Less than an hour later we sneaked back into the park as quietly as possible.

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Many of the floodways were covered in water, some deep water and others quite turbulent. Twenty four hours later after making a number of enquiries, we decided to try again. We made it to Minilya Roadhouse with only two flooded sections to be successfully crossed. Information at the roadhouse indicated 2 kilometres of deep flooding at Bannabiddy Creek. After 2 hours waiting and seeing road trains that had come through, and other vehicles that had got rather wet coming through, we decided that we had to see for ourselves.

There was word that a truck and trailer were carrying vehicles through the flooded section at the rate of \$20 per vehicle. After fording two fairly long flooded sections we came upon a line of about 15 vehicles. We joined in the queue for a lift on what turned out to be a Toyota Hilux ute loaded with rocks for ballast towing two Robinson Heath type trailers. After a four hour wait we were loaded up and into the flood. We felt like Humphrey Bogart and the African Queen gurgling along through the Amazon. On the south side of the flooded section, to our amazement, were 100 plus vehicles and caravans waiting to get through.

Apart from a couple more flooded sections before reaching Carnarvon the remainder of the safe steady trip home was placid.

The trip was very enjoyable and I am now starting planning for a return trip next year.

"TIDDLY"

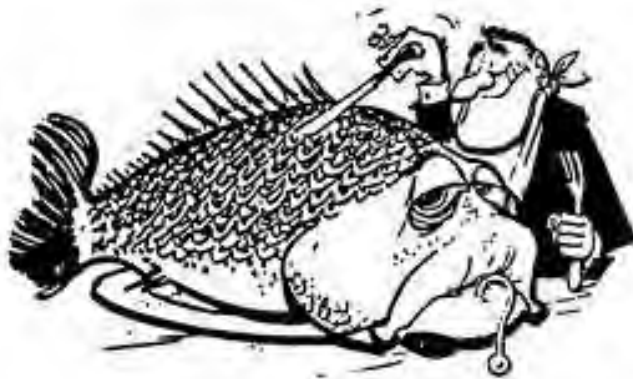


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AAA REPORT 20 JUNE 1989

1. Boatey Titles: last weekend in August '89 (Aug 26th '89)
2. 1989 State Drycasting Championships: 29th/30th July  
(SEE NOTICE)  
(SEE BYLAWS)  
Helpers on the day wanted. Please let Steve Jones  
(418-6811 home) know if you can help.  
ALL HELP APPRECIATED!!!
3. Snook vs Pike: AAA rules and Fisheries Department (of WA only)  
differ. Fisheries Department has not yet caught up to current  
sizings and names. AAA listing is correct.
4. '89/'90 State Rock and Beach Championships:  
Venue: S-Beach Caravan Park headquarters  
Date: October '89  
Fremantle Amateur Angling Club have volunteered to organise.
5. Fishing Clinic: one or two day format, mixture of lectures,  
displays  
Possible date: to be announced  
Venues: Whitford Sea Sports Club  
Cockburn Power Boating Club  
One clinic run north, one clinic run south on different dates.  
Watch Sunday Times for further information.
6. Fish Traps: Exmouth - Ningaloo Reel Area. Laws are being  
lightened. Fisheries is looking at 2 options for restricting  
fish trap usage - radial zone(s) or 100 metre depth. This is  
to be legislated, closing an exploitation loop that hasn't so  
far been addressed.
7. Notices of motion: published
8. AAA Presentation night: date to be announced



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MEDIA STATEMENT

MINISTER FOR FISHERIES

June 3, 1989

Amateur fisherman will be limited to catching 15 octopus, squid or cuttlefish per day under new guidelines to protect the species (cephalopods). Fisheries Minister Gordon Hill announced today.

Mr Hill said people planning to go fishing over the long weekend would be well advised to stay within the limit and catch only what they needed for their own consumption or for bait.

He said a combined bag limit of 30 cephalopods would apply to boats.

"While most recreational fisherman take only a small catch, there are those who have taken advantage of the lack of controls," he said.

"Some individuals have been catching large quantities of cephalopods for illegal sale."

"Like all marine species, cephalopods are a finite resource and must be protected from excessive fishing pressure."

Mr Hill said Cockburn Sound and Warnbro Sound were particular problem areas.

He warned that fisheries officers would be on patrol this weekend throughout Western Australia and anyone who failed to observe gazetted fisheries guidelines could face still penalties.

Media reference: Darren Foster, 480 5300

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