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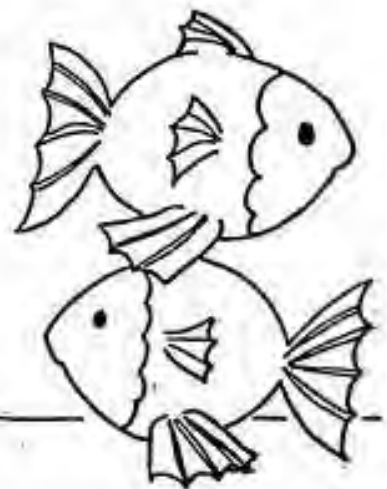
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CLUB ETIQUETTE

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 committee's 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 within 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

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

WHEN: ..... WED. 13TH SEPTEMBER 1989  
8 P.M.

INSTRUCTION: ..... George Holman and Ian Cook will combine to give a lecture on Esperance, it's facilities, scenic spots, eating places, sight-seeing etc as well as all the "you beaut" fishing haunts for the benefit of those contemplating making the trip in October and to entice the "rail sitters".

NEXT CASTING DAY

WHERE: ..... YOKINE RESERVE

WHEN: ..... SUNDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER 1989  
9 A.M.

EVENTS: ..... 112 GRAM LEVEL LINE  
56 GRAM LEVEL LINE  
D/H ACCURACY  
S/H ACCURACY



NEXT FIELD DAY

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

WHEN: ..... SEPTEMBER 16TH/17TH 1989

TIMINGS: ..... TO BE DECIDED

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

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

FOLLOWING FIELD DAY (OCTOBER)

WHERE: ..... ESPERANCE CLUB TRIP 14TH-21ST OPEN FIELD DAY  
(30TH SEPT - 1ST OCT)



NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING

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

WHEN: ..... WED. 20TH SEPTEMBER, 1989  
8 P.M.

### T-SHIRTS AND WINDCHEATERS

These should be available at our next General Meeting (September) and it is important that the garments are paid for that night!! Please bring the money!!!

The windcheaters are \$30-00 and the T-Shirts \$11-00.

## POSITION VACANT...

### *Social Organiser*

AT THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OUR NEW PRESIDENT GRAHAM REELEY WAS UNABLE TO OBTAIN A SOCIAL ORGANISER FROM THE MEMBERS PRESENT. THIS IS NOT A GOOD POSITION FOR OUR CLUB TO BE IN AS SOCIAL ACTIVITIES ARE A VERY IMPORTANT PART OF OUR CLUB - NOT TO MENTION THE FUND-RAISING. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED RING GRAHAM AND LET HIM KNOW. THE OTHER ALTERNATIVE IS TO CO-OPT A CLUB MEMBER TO DO THE JOB FOR A THREE-MONTH PERIOD AND IF YOU ARE ASKED PLEASE DON'T REFUSE!! GIVE IT SOME THOUGHT.



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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

This will be short and brief, as this is all new to me ... being President. I would like to thank Nella and Lee for the great job they did for the club and social side of things and also to Bazil Marsh as librarian.

We still require a social director so the members better have a good think about this or the committee will have to take strong action and nominate a member from the floor on night for the next month's cheese and biscuit night.

Instruction period for September will be on fishing at Esperance we would like to know how many are going down, so give George Holman some idea on people attending Esperance.

The State's beach and rock championship will be held at S-Bend this year on the 28th and 29th of October. Members thinking of going in the team please give Ian Cook some idea at next meeting on people wanting to go. The teams: mens, ladies, juniors and mini juniors.

I expect to see a lot of new faces down at dry casting to give Malcolm Head, the new dry casting officer, and his assistant Malcolm Kelly a fair go. New member Paul Cicchini, please come to the next General Meeting to be welcomed to the club.

There has not been any reply from the White and Yellow Pages yet. We will have to think about some new way of making extra money to cover extra costs.

Peter Osborne and Jim Strong did the check on the books and will give their recommendation at the next General Meeting.

Don't forget to support dry casting and fishing events.

*Graham Reeley*

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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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**FIELD DAY RESULTS**

VENUE: OPEN

DATE: AUGUST 12TH & 13TH 1989

ATTENDANCE: SENIORS 13  
 JUNIORS 1  
 M/JUNIORS 2  
 VISITORS 0

TOTAL ATTENDANCE:  
 TOTAL FISH WEIGHT: 4.75 KG



| <u>NAME</u> | <u>FISH WEIGHT</u> |     | <u>ALSO IN ATTENDANCE</u> |    |
|-------------|--------------------|-----|---------------------------|----|
| T. D'ALONZO | 2.95 KG            | 160 | I. COOK                   | 60 |
| S. OSBORNE  | 1.4 KG             | 107 | M. HEAD                   | 60 |
| P. OSBORNE  | .250 KG            | 68  | M. HEAD (J)               | 60 |
| H. HOLMAN   | .150 KG            | 65  | G. HOLMAN                 | 60 |
|             |                    |     | M. KELLY                  | 60 |
|             |                    |     | J. REELEY                 | 60 |
|             |                    |     | V. REELEY                 | 50 |
|             |                    |     | G. REELEY                 | 60 |
|             |                    |     | B. REELEY (MJ)            | 60 |
|             |                    |     | S. REELEY (MJ)            | 60 |
|             |                    |     | E. PARKER                 | 60 |
|             |                    |     | D. MAXTED                 | 60 |

HEAVIEST SCALE FISH: S. OSBORNE (.800 MULLOWAY)  
 HEAVIEST BAG SCALE FISH: T. D'ALONZO 2.95 KG  
 HEAVIEST JUNIOR BAG SCALE FISH: NIL

**SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR POINTS:**

HEAVIEST BAG SCALE FISH - 1ST T. D'ALONZO  
 - 2ND S. OSBORNE

HEAVIEST SCALE FISH - 1ST S. OSBORNE  
 - 2ND S. OSBORNE

**SENIOR TOP TEN**

T. D'ALONZO - 620  
 S. OSBORNE - 333  
 F. D'ALONZO - 257  
 P. OSBORNE - 231  
 M. KELLY - 215  
 H. HOLMAN - 190  
 M. HEAD - 180  
 D. MAXTED - 170  
 B. BENNET - 146  
 M. PAULL - 125

**JUNIOR TOP FIVE**

M. HEAD - 540  
 C. MAXTED - 113

**M/JUNIOR TOP FIVE**

B. REELEY - 60  
 S. REELEY - 60

FIELD DAY REPORT

AUGUST 12TH - 13TH 1989

OPEN

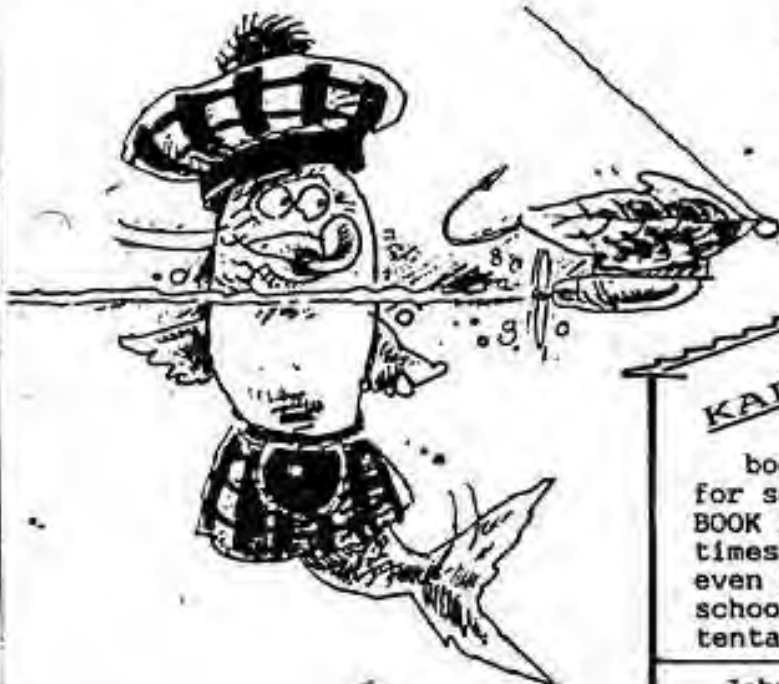
Sixteen anglers signed on for the field day with anticipation of some fine weather and good fishing - alas this was not to be! The weather was beautiful, but the fish were not to be found.

Sharon and Peter went north to Dongara and had ideal weather with little wind and a moderate swell. Peter lost a good sized Mulloway and Sharon managed two "soapies". Drifting weed was a problem.

On the return trip to Perth the Osbornes spent some time behind a stock truck road train, delightful aroma!!! Peter thinks his car will start 'sprouting'.

Tony and Philomena fished south of Cape Naturalist and again had good weather but with a very big well Tony produced a few presentable Skippy in his bag.

The rest of the members fished from Whitfords to Pipperrdinny(?) with no fish for their effort.



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If you are thinking of booking the Kalbarri House for school holiday season 1989/90 **BOOK NOW.** Bookings for these prime times are filling fast. If you are even thinking of going during a school holiday please make a tentative booking.

John Reeley Phone 377 4834

# Dates to Remember...

W H E L P P A Y S



## 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



FALSE ENTRANCE, JUNE '89

Graham, his son Steven, and I made our annual pilgrimage to False Entrance on the Friday evening prior to the June long weekend.

Upon our arrival (just before dawn) we found Ric and Brian Rowland, Robert Forman and Ric's friend Vic already there, camps erected and just about ready to head off to the point to get in an early session of spinning. We unhooked the camper trailer, threw out all the gear except for our spinning gear, and joined them at the point. This session proved to be one of our more successful mornings with about eight shark mackerel being caught.

We fished the point early every morning and caught the odd shark mackerel and towards the end of the week managed to land several Spanish mackerel per session as well. Schnapper were scarce until the night prior to leaving, when Ric and Vic fished a rock ledge right near our camp and managed about two dozen Schnapper between them.

The most productive fishing was from the reef around the bay from where we camped. On one afternoon it produced a large number of tailor between 2 and 4 kgs. The next day no tailor were caught from the reefs but we found the tailor were replaced by 2 kg silver bream. Our third afternoon on the reefs produced silver bream and a large quantity of skippy around the 1 kg mark.

The added bonus to fishing the beach and reefs at False Entrance is the availability on low tide to position our cray pots under the numerous reef ledges. Our total catch of crays for the week was 56 averaging around 3 kgs in weight. False Entrance appeals to us because it has the advantage of being able to spin for pelagics from the cliffs and fish comfortably from the beach and reefs in the afternoons and evenings, with the added bonus of catching crays!!

The weather for the week we were there was overcast with showers and a large ground swell running winds were from the east and north west making lure fishing difficult as the point at False Entrance is bombed out with these winds just the same as Steep Point. Even though fishing was difficult and not as many fish caught as in previous years guess who will be the first name on the list for next year.

JOHN REELEY



ESPERANCE WEEK



Don't forget our club week at Esperance from 14th - 21st October 1989. If you intend going now is the time to make your booking. It is a great fishin area, as was borne out by all who attended last year, is picturesque (probably the most scenic coastline in W.A.) and there is a lot to see and do - more than you will fit into a week. The wildflowers should still be out at that time of year making the drive down and back more interesting.

The majority of those going stay at the Bushlands Caravan Park about 7 kilometres out of town.

CASTING RESULTS

SENIOR WINNER OF THE DAY

G. HOLMAN 232 PTS

|                    |           |            |
|--------------------|-----------|------------|
| 112 GRAM           | G. HOLMAN | 29 PTS     |
| ART/BAIT           | H. HOLMAN | 21 PTS     |
| D/H                | G. HOLMAN | 124 PTS    |
| S/H                | R. PARKER | 29 PTS     |
| OPEN WINNER        | G. HOLMAN | 152 METRES |
| JUNIOR WINNER      | M. HEAD   | 239 PTS    |
| MINI-JUNIOR WINNER | B. REELEY | 143 PTS    |

JUNIOR

|           |         |
|-----------|---------|
| M. HEAD   | 887 PTS |
| C. MAXTED | 134 PTS |

MINI-JUNIOR

|           |         |
|-----------|---------|
| B. REELEY | 143 PTS |
| N. REELEY | 111 PTS |

LADIES

|             |         |
|-------------|---------|
| F. D'ALONZO | 210 PTS |
|-------------|---------|

TOP TEN

|            |         |
|------------|---------|
| G. HOLMAN  | 938 PTS |
| R. PARKER  | 831 PTS |
| H. HOLMAN  | 754 PTS |
| M. HEAD    | 569 PTS |
| M. KELLY   | 517 PTS |
| G. REELEY  | 474 PTS |
| J. STRONG  | 426 PTS |
| D. MAXTED  | 309 PTS |
| P. OSBORNE | 225 PTS |
| M. PAULL   | 219 PTS |

| NEXT CAST | 3RD SEPTEMBER |
|-----------|---------------|
| 112 GRAM  |               |
| 56 GRAM   |               |
| D/H ACC   |               |
| S/H ACC   |               |

DATE AUGUST

| NAMES       | 1   | 2   | TOT | 1   | 2   | TOT | D/H | S/H | ATT | TOT |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| R. PARKER   | 143 | -   | 143 | 120 | 115 | 235 | 68  | 29  | 50  | 185 |
| M. HEAD     | 98  | 83  | 181 | 89  | 77  | 166 | 69  | 25  | 50  | 179 |
| J. STRONG   | 102 | 102 | 204 | 85  | 84  | 169 | 62  | 15  | 50  | 168 |
| G. REELEY   | 127 | -   | 127 | -   | -   | -   | 15  | 12  | 50  | 90  |
| H. HOLMAN   | 137 | 136 | 273 | 102 | 105 | 207 | 100 | 26  | 50  | 224 |
| G. HOLMAN   | 146 | 140 | 286 | 104 | -   | 104 | 124 | 19  | 50  | 232 |
| J. REELEY   | -   | 111 | 111 | 85  | -   | 85  | 97  | 25  | 50  | 192 |
| M. KELLY    | 109 | 124 | 233 | -   | 101 | 101 | 54  | 20  | 50  | 157 |
| F. D'ALONZO | 96  | 104 | 200 | 75  | 80  | 155 | 113 | 11  | 50  | 210 |
| M. HEAD     | 114 | 119 | 233 | 98  | 94  | 192 | 130 | 17  | 50  | 239 |
| B. REELEY   | 42  | 56  | 78  | 37  | 42  | 69  | 75  | 2   | 50  | 143 |
| N. REELEY   | 54  | 61  | 95  | 51  | 47  | 78  | 26  | 17  | 50  | 111 |

OPEN 112 GRAM V COURT (BEST CAST TO COURT)

|           |     |     |           |     |     |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----------|-----|-----|
| G. HOLMAN | 152 | 151 | M. KELLY  | 123 | -   |
| H. HOLMAN | 135 | 144 | M. HEAD   | -   | 110 |
| R. PERKER | 142 | 140 | J. REELEY | 111 | 119 |
| G. REELEY | 127 | 131 |           |     |     |
| M. HEAD   | 93  | 97  |           |     |     |

**AUGUST DRY CASTING**

Sunday morning the conditions were pleasant but we still had a moderate headwind to cast in to. We had a total 12 for our August cast which is quite a good result.

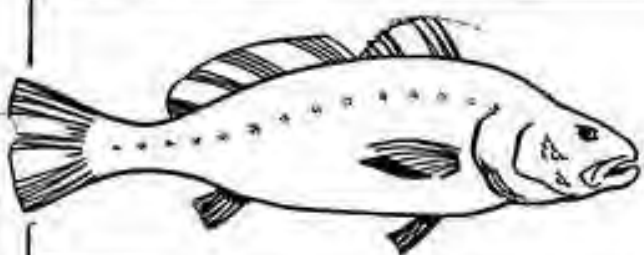
G Holman was top score in L.L distance with a total 29 points and H Holman on 27 points ART/BAIT was won by R Parker 24 points and runner up was H Holman again. Young Michael Head is starting to cast very well, as his scores indicate.

D/H accuracy was won by G Holman with 124 points lucky M Head (JR) was not casting seniors, as he cast 130 points. Runner was Heath Holman with 100 points.

Great to have F D'Alonzo down casting for first time in a long while. S/H accuracy was won by R Parker with 29 points. H Holman 26 points John Reeley cast the only bullseye for the day. As you can see I had a very bad day with a total 15 points in D/H acc and it did not end there ... ART/BAIT saw all casts going our of court.

Our next dry casting date is the 3rd September. It would be great to have more members come down and give the new dry casting officer a hand, and at the same time have a good morning.

G REELEY D.C.O  
M HEAD A.D.C.O



MAKE THE EFFORT...  
*attend our next  
Drycast!!!*

STATE BEACH & ROCK CHAMPIONSHIPS

Members interested in fishing in the above championships and also being members of our team are reminded that this event will be held on the 28/29th October. The headquarters will be the S-Bend Caravan Park and the boundaries are from Tarcoala to Dongara. Please let Ian Cook or Heath Holman know if you intend going and wish to be a club team member.

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SECTION CHANGES

| <u>SECTION</u>  | <u>NAME</u> | <u>FISH</u> | <u>WEIGHT</u> |
|---|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| 2. HEAVIEST SCALE FISH<br>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<br>4kg of 9lg b/s line (max) |             |             |               |
| 14. HEAVIEST SCALE FISH<br>Other than sections 4-13           | T. D'ALONZO | SNOOK       | 1.37 kg       |

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OPEN SECTION

1. MOST MERITORIOUS FISH
2. HEAVIEST SHARK (4.5 KG MIN) - D. MAXTED - B/WHALER - 2 KG
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 - G. HOLMAN \* - 18 KG
8. HEAVIEST SCALE FISH S/H/ ROD 4KG OR 9LB B/B LINE MAX
9. HEAVIEST PINK SNAPPER - H. HOLMAN \* - 5.75 KG
10. HEAVIEST TARWHINE
11. HEAVIEST MACKEREL - H. HOLMAN \* - 22 KG
12. HEAVIEST TREVALLY (SOUTHERN 1 KG MIN)
13. HEAVIEST TREVALLY (NORTHERN 1 KG MIN) - D. MAXTED - 6 KG
14. HEAVIEST SNOOK/PIKE (1 KG MIN)
15. HEAVIEST SCALE FISH OTHER THAN SECTIONS 2-14 (2 KG MIN)  
- G. HOLMAN - SAIL FISH - 49 KG

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### ROTTNEST ISLAND MEETING

A meeting of representatives of fishing clubs using Rottneest and Rottneest Island Authority members was held on Monday, 24th July at 10 a.m. to discuss continued access to the island for fishing or otherwise.

Clubs represented were Surfcasters, Melville, Fremantle, Radar Reef Fishing Club, Australian Anglers Assn, and the WA Recreation and Sportfishing Council.

Representing the Surfcasters were George Holman, Eric Parker and Sharon Osborne.

Representatives of Rottneest Island Board were Mr Colin Sanders and Mr Chris Back.

A very formal meeting was conducted with all parties having the opportunity to put their case for the continuance of club fishing on Rottneest.

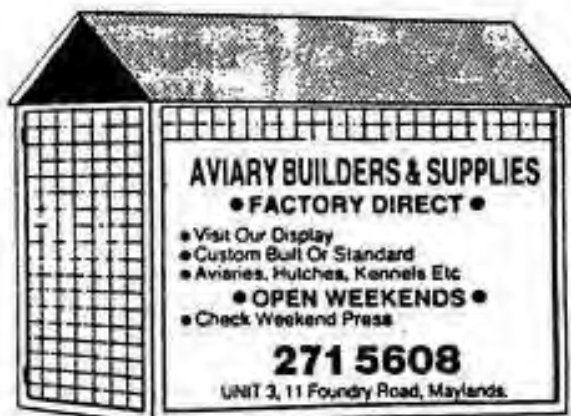
However the final decision will be in the hands of the Rottneest Island Board and it will be one of three options:

1. Total Ban
2. Middle of the Road (special arrangements for coming back to settlement at night etc)
3. Continue as at present

### LATE PRESS

Since writing this article we have received a letter from the Board stating a "Middle of the Road" approach which means we can go to the island but we are not allowed to camp out ... we have to camp in Thompson Bay settlement ... meaning coming back at night and out again in the morning, plus camping charges.

GOODBYE ROTTNEST ISLAND!!!





STATE DRYCASTING CHAMPIONSHIP  
1989



Saturday, 29th July at 1 p.m. saw the commencement the 1989 State Drycasting Championships at All Saints College Oval in Bullcreek. The weather was overcast and showery with a slight wind blowing from right to left ... not good casting conditions.

Teams artificial bait was first event followed by the 56 gram distance (both team events).

Sunday dawned fine with a slight head wind blowing from right to left, a very pleasant day but the breeze was not conducive to long casts.

Our team members were:

MENS

George Holman  
Eric Parker  
Heath Holman  
Malcolm Kelly  
Malcolm Head  
~~Peter Osborne~~

LADIES

Sharon Osborne  
Heather Osborne  
Philamena D'Alonzo

JUNIORS

Michael Head  
Clive Maxted

New team members to our casting teams were Malcolm Kelly, Malcolm Head and Clive Maxted, and all cast creditably as did all team members.

Congratulations must go to Philamena D'Alonzo for winning the ladies section and special congrats must go to Michael Head for taking out the junior event. (Dad's still grinning!).

George Holman was a close third in the open with Eric Parker filling fifth spot.

Clive Maxted cast very well considering his lack of experience but I'm sure he learnt a lot and it was good to see him competing. Keep it up!

Our mens team were runners-up and our junior team (only 2 members against full teams of 3) came third. Top billing went to our ladies which was great to see.

Club members in Jim Strong and Dave Maxted worked solidly over the two days, helping Steve Jones and the Fremantle Club conduct the event. Thanks from all the casters competing for a job well done.

The following are the team and individual results:-

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

| MEN                 |                  |                 | %      |
|---------------------|------------------|-----------------|--------|
| 1.                  | G. Gildersleeves | Nthn Dist. A.C. | 282.92 |
| 2.                  | R. Williams      | Nthn Dist. A.C. | 276.43 |
| 3.                  | G. Holman        | S/Casters A.C.  | 275.67 |
| 4.                  | G. Crews         | Frem. A.A.C.    | 265.89 |
| 5.                  | E. Parker        | S/Casters A.C.  | 256.54 |
| 6.                  | G. Hughes        | Bunbury A.C.    | 253.69 |
| 7.                  | J. Cunningham    | Melville A.A.C. | 251.98 |
| 8.                  | H. Holman        | S/Casters A.C.  | 248.70 |
| 9.                  | L. Crews         | Frem. A.A.C.    | 246.06 |
| 10.                 | M. Kelly         | S/Casters A.C.  | 228.64 |
| 11.                 | B. Phillips      | Nthn Dist. A.C. | 228.41 |
| 12.                 | Hew Hoy Yew      | Nthn Dist. A.C. | 225.86 |
| 13.                 | K. Hughes        | Bunbury A.C.    | 222.42 |
| 14.                 | A. Price         | Bunbury A.C.    | 207.30 |
| 15.                 | P. Osborne       | S/Casters A.C.  | 182.67 |
| 16.                 | P. Mooney        | Nthn Dist. A.C. | 176.16 |
| 17.                 | M. Head          | S/Casters A.C.  | 170.26 |
| 18.                 | D. Gilbert       | Frem. A.A.C.    | 162.52 |
| 19.                 | P. Stubberfield  | Bunbury A.C.    | 158.46 |
| 20.                 | D. Cox           | Melville A.A.C. | 146.58 |
| 21.                 | D. Batchelor     | Melville A.A.C. | 146.11 |
| 22.                 | S. Adams         | Offshore Bch.   | 142.84 |
| 23.                 | B. Paterson      | Offshore Bch.   | 118.91 |
| <b>LADIES</b>       |                  |                 |        |
| 1.                  | F. D'Alonzo      | S/Casters A.C.  | 279.35 |
| 2.                  | S. Smith         | Melville A.A.C. | 264.22 |
| 3.                  | H. Osborne       | S/Casters A.C.  | 259.74 |
| 4.                  | S. Osborne       | S/Casters A.C.  | 255.10 |
| 5.                  | G. Turner        | Melville A.A.C. | 222.48 |
| 6.                  | K. Maciejak      | Offshore Bch.   | 220.50 |
| 7.                  | S. McCarthy      | Melville A.A.C. | 190.89 |
| 8.                  | J. Hughes        | Bunbury A.C.    | 183.33 |
| 9.                  | G. Ridding       | Offshore Bch.   | 132.59 |
| <b>JUNIORS</b>      |                  |                 |        |
| 1.                  | M. Head          | S/Casters A.C.  | 282.43 |
| 2.                  | T. Caterer       | Bunbury A.C.    | 244.35 |
| 3.                  | C. Hughes        | Bunbury A.C.    | 240.02 |
| 4.                  | P. Maciejak      | Offshore Bch.   | 209.86 |
| 5.                  | P. Rogers        | Offshore Bch.   | 188.07 |
| 6.                  | G. Allen         | Melville A.A.C. | 148.64 |
| 7.                  | C. Maxted        | S/Casters A.C.  | 146.15 |
| 8.                  | K. Hudsperth     |                 | 128.85 |
| 9.                  | M. Pember        | Melville A.A.C. | 122.45 |
| 10.                 | M. Cox           | Melville A.A.C. | 107.30 |
| <b>MINI JUNIORS</b> |                  |                 |        |
| 1.                  | N. Hughes        | Bunbury A.C.    | 300.00 |
| 2.                  | D. Fletcher      | Melville A.A.C. | 204.10 |
| 3.                  | L. Rogers        | Offshore Bch.   | 182.37 |
| 4.                  | B. Turner        | Melville A.A.C. | 181.93 |
| 5.                  | A. Rogers        | Offshore Bch.   | 135.33 |
| <b>VETERANS</b>     |                  |                 |        |
| 1.                  | R. Thorpe        | Frem. A.C.      | 293.84 |
| 2.                  | D. Lovegrove     | Frem. A.C.      | 277.36 |
| 3.                  | R. Mathews       | S/Casters A.C.  | 242.95 |
| 4.                  | H. Dyer          | Bunbury A.C.    | 230.42 |
| 5.                  | R. Sparrow       | Frem. A.C.      | 229.91 |
| 6.                  | G. McBride       |                 | 170.27 |
| 7.                  | J. Stretton      | Offshore Bch.   | 142.49 |

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STATE DRYCASTING CHAMPIONSHIPS

1988/89 RESULTS

71 COMPETITORS: 34 men, 9 ladies, 11 juniors, 8 mini juniors  
9 veterans.

TEAM RESULTS

MEN:

|                       |                |
|-----------------------|----------------|
| 1. Northern Districts | 1414.15 points |
| 2. Surfcasters A.C.   | 1301.73 points |
| 3. Fremantle A.A.C.   | 1211.07 points |
| 4. Melville A.A.C.    | 1143.18 points |
| 5. Bunbury A.C.       | 1075.11 points |
| 6. Offshore A.C.      | 896.45 points  |

LADIES:

|                     |               |
|---------------------|---------------|
| 1. Surfcasters A.C. | 795.59 points |
| 2. Melville A.A.C.  | 683.02 points |
| 3. Offshore A.C.    | 336.84 points |
| 4. Bunbury A.C.     | 230.34 points |

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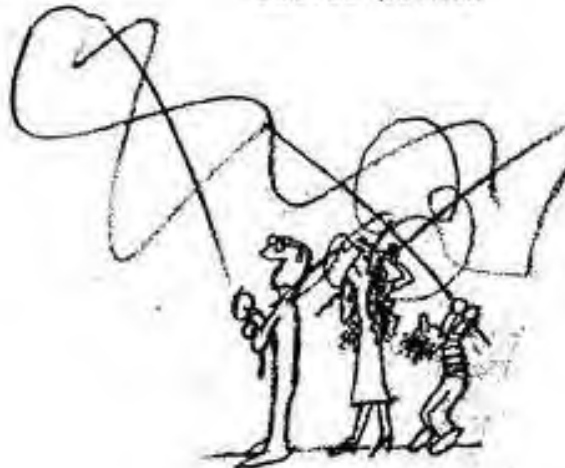
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| 1. Bunbury A.C.     | 855.54 points |
| 2. Offshore A.C.    | 227.53 points |
| 3. Surfcasters A.C. | 402.65 points |
| 4. Melville A.A.C.  | 227.53 points |

MINI JUNIORS:

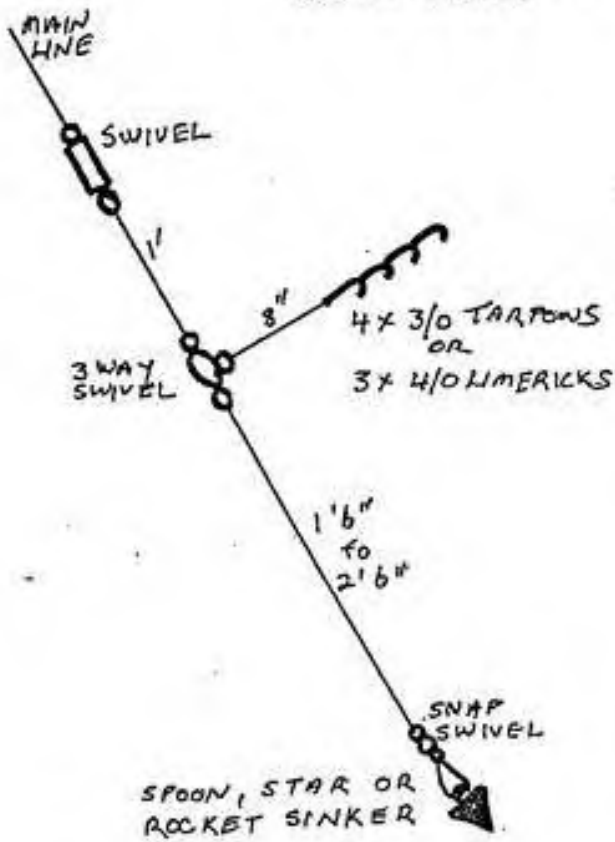
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| 1. Melville A.A.C. | 848.54 points |
| 2. Offshore A.C.   | 547.54 points |

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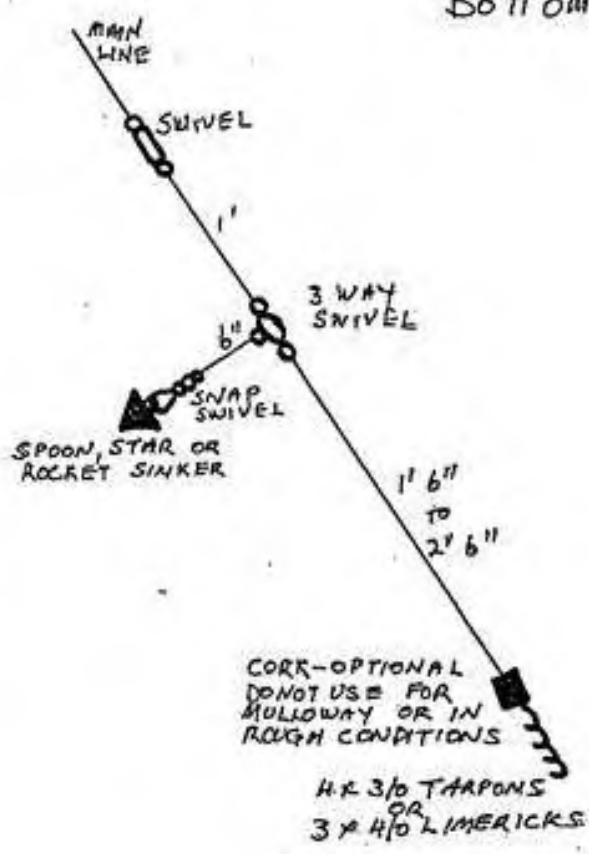
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| 1. Fremantle A.A.C. | 803.59 points |
| 2. Bunbury A.C.     | 229.36 points |



### BEACH BOTTOM RIG #1



### BEACH BOTTOM RIG #2



PRESIDENT'S REPORT 1988/89

Another year of activities of the Surfcasters has been completed and my report is a resume of these. Time and so-called progress seems to be catching up with angling clubs as pace of living, high finance and costs, less fish and harder access to fishing spots through restrictions on camping make shore-based angling harder and harder. This reflects on clubs as it is hard to retain interest and commitment of members and committee in club activities. In a broad sense this is happening to the Surfcasters as even though our membership has been on a par with the previous year, our attendances at field days and casting days has declined.

On the fishing scene a lot of hard work has gone into these and venues selected to encourage attendance (particularly local) but attendances are smaller than usual. If members can't make a commitment to fish local it reflects that some of our larger venues had attendances as small as four, and it is always the same stalwarts holding up the fort.

The trip to Esperance was one exception with a good attendance of members and wives and the week proved very enjoyable. It will be interesting to see the result of this coming years' Esperance venue.

~~ROTHNEST~~  
~~Northwest~~ Island venue attendances are always good but the future of this venue looks bleak as at a recent special meeting with the Board, which I attended, it indicated it will only be a matter of time before we lose our access.

Field Days need a special look at by members and also a commitment. It is hard to attend them all on today's climate but it would be nice to see a few more of you more often in attendance.

One of the highlights of this year was Sharon and Peter Osborne's achievements at the National Drycasting titles at Warnambool. Sharon won the Australian Ladies title and Peter won the Open title, a very meritorious achievement, and our congratulations go to them.

Our local casting days battle along again with smaller attendances than we would like, and when you realise it costs little, is local, and only takes up about four hours, and is a great way to fraternise, it really makes one wonder. Doesn't do much for our hard-working officers either.

At the recent State titles Philamena D'Alonzo won the Ladies title and young Michael Head won the Junior title. Our ladies team were successful and our mens team were runners-up. Congratulations.

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In the Open Fishing Section the entries were light and this activity needs a "shot in the arm".

~~Halborne~~ **KALBARRI** Cottage continues to be a benefit to the club and an even bigger benefit to club members who use it. During the year we had an offer to buy our cottage from the Osbornes and even though we declined their offer the exercise was beneficial.

Our "Reel Talk" was of a good standard initially but waned a little in the latter part of the year as work commitments made it hard for the Bartleys necessitating Bob's resignation from the position. Committee has continued this publication with a lot of help from Frank Sutton and also Nella Clifton's help in purchasing a photo copier. Thanks to Sue Bartley for her contribution. The format and equipment is now available and it will be easy for anyone to take on the position of Editor.

Nella Clifton had a hard task sorting out our finances but things seem to be under control now and we appear to be in a healthy state in our General, Kalbarri and Social Accounts.

The telephone directory deliveries were a great boost to our finances and required a commitment by a large number of members in their distribution. We encountered a few problems with dates etc from Telecom with the Yellow Pages which put a lot of pressure on Ian Cook, Eric Parker, and Lee and Nella Clifton who did most of the organising, and I might add ... most of the work!

We had a number of Social Activities during the year including a couple of functions at the Clifton's Ranch which were enjoyed immensely by those attending. Our social activities culminated in June with our Annual Dinner and Dance which went off well, thanks to the organising ability of the Cliftons. Thanks must go at this point to all the trophy donors and congratulations to the winners. Special mention to Eric Parker (Sportsman of the Year) and Malcolm Head (Clubman of the Year). Anyone not attending our social functions were the losers.

During the year Sid and Beth Whiting and "the toddlers" left Western Australia for a couple of years to reside in Saudi Arabia to further Sid's career with Telecom. We have heard from them on a couple of occasions through our club "Reel Talk" and things appear to be going along nicely for them. Best wishes go to them from us all and we look forward to their return.

We lost two valued members during this year: Bertie Payne, who was a member for over thirty years and a true Surfcaster; and Bob Tichbon, a ~~past~~ president and member for many many years. We miss them both and extend our condolences to loved ones.

Dick Stevens went through a torrid time health-wise and had to retire from work. I am happy to report that he is now going along well as long as he doesn't over do it. We all hope good health is his for a long time!

Our club has committed itself to run the Mandurah 500 early next year and as I mentioned when we were debating whether to undertake this or not, it requires a total commitment from members to make it a success.

Commitment ... a word with a large meaning. To make a club such as ours successful this is required from you the members and also from committee members. It only takes one person to shirk his share of the work and it puts a greater burden on others ... particularly the workers and it doesn't take long to burn these people out. It only takes a little extra effort to do the job properly and everyone benefits.

As this is my third year as President I think it is time for me to stand down as I'm getting a bit stale. To the new President and his committee I extend best wishes for 1989/90. To my outgoing committee my sincere thanks for their work over the past year and a very special thanks to my secretary Eric Parker, who is the backbone of the Surfcasting and Angling Club.

*George Helwa*



| SPECIES                         | LEGAL SIZE (mm) | DAILY BAG LIMIT   | 1. | 2. | 3. | 4. |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----|----|----|----|
| ABALONE, Greenlip               | 140             | 10 combined       |    |    |    |    |
| ABALONE, Brownlip               | 140             |                   |    |    |    |    |
| ABALONE, Roefs                  | 60              | 20                |    |    |    |    |
| BARRAMUNDI                      | -               | 5                 |    |    |    |    |
| BREAM, Black                    | 250             | 30                |    |    |    |    |
| BREAM, Yellowfin                | 250             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| COBBLER                         | 230             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| COCKLES                         | -               | 9 Litres          |    |    |    |    |
| CORAL TROUT                     | 450             | 10                |    |    |    |    |
| CRAB, Brown mud                 | 120             | 10 combined       |    |    |    |    |
| CRAB, Green mud                 | 150             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| CRAB, Blue manna                | 127             | 24                |    |    |    |    |
| DOLPHINFISH (Mahi Mahi)         | -               | 3                 |    |    |    |    |
| FLATHEAD, Bar-tailed            | 300             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| FLATHEAD, Blue-spotted          | 300             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| FLATHEAD, Long-spined           | 300             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| FLATHEAD, Marbled               | 300             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| FLOUNDER                        | 230             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| GARFISH                         | 230             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| GROPER, Baldchin                | 400             | 10                |    |    |    |    |
| GROPER, Western Blue            | 400             | 1                 |    |    |    |    |
| HERRING, Australian             | 180             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| JEWFISH, Westralian             | 500             | 5                 |    |    |    |    |
| LEATHERJACKET                   | 250             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| MACKEREL, Blue (Common)         | 150             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| MACKEREL, Broad-banded spanish  | 760             | 5 combined        |    |    |    |    |
| MACKEREL, Narrow-banded spanish | 760             |                   |    |    |    |    |
| MACKEREL, Shark                 | -               | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| MACKEREL, Spotted spanish       | 500             |                   |    |    |    |    |
| MACKEREL, Wahoo                 | 760             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| MARRON                          | 76              | 30                |    |    |    |    |
| MULLET, Sea                     | 240             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| MULLET, Yelloweye               | 230             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| MULLOWAY                        | 330             | 5                 |    |    |    |    |
| MUSSELS                         | -               | 20 Litres         |    |    |    |    |
| NANNYGAI                        | 230             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| PIKE, Long-finned               | 330             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| PRAWN, Western King             | 76              | 9 Litres combined |    |    |    |    |
| PRAWN, School                   | 50              |                   |    |    |    |    |
| RED EMPEROR                     | 280             | 10                |    |    |    |    |
| ROCK LOBSTER, Southern          | 98.5            | 8 combined        |    |    |    |    |
| ROCK LOBSTER, Tropical          | -               |                   |    |    |    |    |
| ROCK LOBSTER, Western           | 76              |                   |    |    |    |    |
| SALMON, Australian              | 300             | 5                 |    |    |    |    |
| SAMSON FISH                     | 600             | 10                |    |    |    |    |
| SKIPJACK TREVALLY               | 200             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| SNAPPER, Pink (west coast)      | 410             | 10                |    |    |    |    |
| SNAPPER, Pink (south coast)     | 280             | 10                |    |    |    |    |
| SNAPPER, Queen (Blue Morwong)   | 300             | 10                |    |    |    |    |
| SNAPPER, Red                    | 230             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| SNAPPER, North-west             | 280             | 10                |    |    |    |    |
| SNOOK                           | 280             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| SOLE                            | 200             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| SWEEP                           | 230             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| TAILOR                          | 250             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| TARWHINE                        | 230             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| TROCHUS                         | 65              | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| TROUT, Rainbow or Brown         | 300             | 10                |    |    |    |    |
| TUNA, Southern Bluefin          | -               | 5                 |    |    |    |    |
| WHITING, King George            | 250             | 30                |    |    |    |    |
| WHITING, Western Sand           | 220             | -                 |    |    |    |    |
| WHITING, School                 | 220             | -                 |    |    |    |    |

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**1. GROUP BAG LIMITS:** A total of ten per day of any combination of these species.



**2. ACCUMULATED BAG LIMITS:** If while fishing you live for several days continuously on a boat you may accumulate the bag limits for these species. Bag limit - no days aboard a daily bag limit.



**3. LICENCE REQUIRED:** You must buy a recreational fishing licence if you wish to catch these species (available from the Fisheries Department).



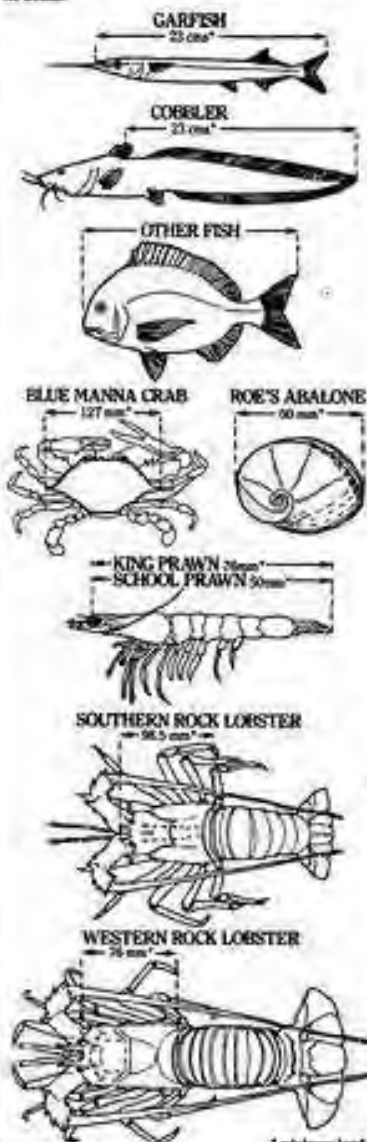
**4. CLOSED SEASONS:** A closed season may apply to these species. Dates sometimes vary from year to year. Watch the press for details, or contact the Fisheries Department.

### HOW TO MEASURE YOUR FISH

Use an accurate gauge and follow these diagrams. Put back the little ones for next season.

#### OPEN SEASONS

**Rock Lobster:** 15 November to 30 June inclusive. The Abrolhos Islands open on 15 March.  
**Trout:** 1 September to 30 April. Some waters are open all year.  
**Abalone:** All year except in the metropolitan area. The metropolitan season is usually opened between November and mid-January, but this may change from year to year. Watch the newspapers or contact your nearest Fisheries Department office for advice.  
**Prawn:** The Swan-Canning estuary is open from 1 November to 31 July. The Serpentine, Dandalup, Harvey, and Murray Rivers are closed from 1 May to a date between 1 November and 1 December which is decided each year. Watch the press or contact the Fisheries Department for details.



\* minimum legal size