## Southern Zone

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COCK O' THE WALK RESULTS ...... SEPTEMBER 2017

**CAPTURES: HEAVIEST** 

SPECIES	WHT	LINE	S/J	ANGLER	BOAT	CLUB	PTS
MARLIN							
SHARK							
TUNA							
BROADBILL							
OGF							

## MOST MERITORIOUS

MARLIN				
SHARK				
TUNA				
BROADBILL				
OGF				
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CAPTURE POINTS FOR MONTH

## TAG & RELEASE PONTS FOR MONTH

<b>PROGRESSIVE</b>	CAPTURE POINTS 2017-18	PROGRESSIVE TAG & RELEASE POINTS 2017-18			
Merimbula	18	Merimbula	10		
Canberra	10	Shoalhaven	5		
Jervis Bay	10	Shellharbour	3		
		Canberra	2.		

The GFAA AGM last weekend at Hope Island went much the same as always, Badly run meeting with a lot of time wasted. It turns out that the recent rule change was done in contrary to the Constitution so will now have to go to a postal vote to all states.

A motion from Queensland was passed with an amendment. All record claims now must be submitted for age and gender appropriate categories i.e. a small fry cannot claim a junior or adult record.etc. There is also a new category for all line classes where the heaviest will be recognised providing it beats the existing record.

NSW anglers won a number of trophy categories in the Coastal Waters Trophies with Todd Pike from Shoalhaven and Tyrone O'Connor from Bermagui both winning one of these prestigious awards.

Bad news from Ulladulla in that the pair trawling is about to start and they fear this will have a major impact on the fisheries. Time will tell, but having got rid of the Geelong Star it seems such a stupid move to allow this pair trawling in our waters.

Canberra GFC have changed the date for their Annual Yellowfin Tournament and it will now be 26-28 May 2018 so please adjust your calendars and diaries. Both NSWGFA and I have agreed to the changed dates.

Another blank month.....it can only get better!!!!!

Stay safe and get some fish on those lines. Sanchia