Southern Zone

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COCK O' THE WALK RESULTS OCTOBER 2013

CAPTURES : HEAVIEST

SPECIES	WHT	LINE	S/J	ANGLER	BOAT	CLUB	PTS
MARLIN							
SHARK							
Mako	187.2	15	S/F	Kate Wyeth	Wild Card	Batemans Bay	5
Mako	95.1	24	J/F	Zoe O'Connor	Opportunatee	Batemans Bay	4
Mako	82.6	24	J/M	Rhett Gulson	Aquaholic	Canberra	3
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Yellowfin	80.3	24	S/M	Ash Pugh	Online	Shellharbour	5
Yellowfin	72.7	37	S/M	Ryan Hibbs	Domenica 3	Jervis Bay	4
Yellowfin	58.2	24	S/F	Valentina Raco	Domenica 3	Jervis Bay	3
Yellowfin	24	24	S/M	Glen Pollock	Amigo	Merimbula	2
Albacore	10.0	8	S/M	Greg Barea	El Bandito	Kiama	1
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CAPTURES : MOST MERITORIOUS

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8.0	6	S/M		El Bandito	Kiama	2
10.0	8	S/M		El Bandito	Kiama	1
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CAPTURE POINT	S FOR MONTH	TAG & RELEASE PONTS FOR MONTH						
Batemans Bay	18	Tailwalker	Shellharbour	8500	5			
Jervis Bay	14	Dorado	Batemans Bay	6000	4			
Shellharbour	10	Reckless	Shellharbour	4600	3			
Canberra	6	560	Bermagui	4500	2			
Kiama	4	Nevahome	Eden	2625	1			
Merimbula	2	Seahog	Eden	2000				
PROGRESSIVE C	APTURE POINTS 2013-14	PROGRESSIVE TAG & RELEASE POINTS 2013-14						
Shellharbour	50	Shellharbour	24					
Eden	37	Batemans Ba	y 18					
Batemans Bay	245	Eden	8					
Ulladulla	23.5	Canberra	7					
Merimbula	21	Shoalhaven	5					
Canberra	16	Bermagui	2					
Jervis Bay	14	Merimbula	1					
Bermagui	10							
Shoalhaven	8							
Kiama	4							

It is great to finally see some fish on the board with a spread through the clubs from Shellharbour to Eden! Good to see both junior and female anglers also in the mix. I know that there are other fish that have been caught or tagged but unfortunately they were not on Zone weekends. Never mind, we are off and running now and it can only get better.

The Jervis Bay White Sands Tournament will start on 29 November. We then have a steady stream of events up and down the coast. It is important to support the other clubs particularly those close to home and it will then be reciprocated.

Last week we had a meeting in Port Stephens for prospective sponsors of the Interclub with a full video presentation. This year we have made quite a few changes in order to present an even more professional image. To that end we have dispensed with the huge marquee which was costing us a fortune and barely used. We have centred all activities at Wests (formally Nelson Bat RSL). There will be a full weekend of sponsor exhibits in house and it is being promoted as a Fishing Expo. The Briefing, Party in the Park (or Club?) and Presentation Dinner will all be held here. If you have not fished this tournament, think about it, as it is an experience to be remembered.

Next week I will be heading to Hobart for the GFAA AGM and Trophy Presentation. With a bit of luck I will be coming home with some trophies for some of your members. NSWGFA have put up a motion to rescind the recent fee increase. It was a totally unwarranted increase as there is no shortage of funds which are well above the rate where such an increase can be justified. With the support of a couple of other states this will go through but I will keep you informed.

It looks like we will have three juniors in the NSWGFA Junior Team fishing the Jess Sams tournament at Ulladulla. That's two from Shellharbour and one from Canberra. This is absolutely fantastic and I thank the clubs that sent in nominations. We get three because the Northern Zone did not put in a nomination and there is one from Central Zone. I always send in two and was just asked for our third. This is a wonderful experience for our juniors and I know they will have a great time and represent us well.

Stay safe and enjoy your fishing. Sanchia