

CAPTURE POINTS FOR MONTH

Shoalhaven	16
Shellharbour	8

TAG & RELEASE POINTS FOR MONTH

Anna	Merimbula	25480	5
Wot For	Merimbula	23200	4
Black Widow	Eden	21500	3
Absession	Eden	15800	2
Polaris	Eden	13702	1
Shockwave	Eden	12650	
Iceman	Eden	11500	
Panlicker	Canberra	11500	
Two 4 One	Merimbula	10000	
Mr Hooker	Bermagui	10000	
Snoop'n Round	Shellharbour	10000	
Game On	Kiama	10000	
Keep it Reel	Kiama	8500	
Xiphias	Kiama	6000	
El Bandito	Kiama	4300	
Cassie	Merimbula	4300	
Reckless	Shellharbour	2000	
My Way	Kiama	2000	
Tuna Terror	Bermagui	1250	

PROGRESSIVE CAPTURE POINTS 2012-13

Shellharbour	118
Jervis Bay	58
Batemans Bay	43
Shoalhaven	32
Ulladulla	18
Bermagui	15
Kiama	12
Eden	10
Narooma	4

PROGRESSIVE TAG & RELEASE POINTS 2012-13

Shellharbour	25
Eden	20
Merimbula	19
Shoalhaven	17.5
Canberra	15
Bermagui	12.5
Batemans Bay	11
Kiama	9.5
Ulladulla	8.5
Jervis Bay	1

A correction is in order from last months return. For some reason Captain Cranky was listed as Captain Creaky and I apologise for the error.

Amazing that we have had two tournaments in a row with good weather. Merimbula put on great weather and good seas for three days but they were not as good organising the fish! Pickings were very slim with Mahi Mahi being the most abundant and many boats resorting to trying for sharks on the last day. Not a Yellowfin in sight so hopefully they will turn up for Canberra's tournament this weekend at Bermagui.

An amusing occurrence at the Merimbula tournament was the shark nearly taken on Freedom. As most of you are aware, Gonzo is not a shark fisherman and to get a Mako, especially on 10kg line is almost unheard of. Can you believe they did not have a shark tagging pole so had to wave it goodbye. He did get a bit of flack about that one!

Although our results have not been earth shattering this season I am told that the other zones are in much the same position so it will be interesting to see the end of year results.

You will have seen the discussion paper on bag limits by now and I hope that you have sent in your opinions. NSWGFA is appalled at the lack of consultation and definitive scientific evidence and is seeking meetings with NSW Fisheries to discuss these proposals. In the interim, please contact Nigel if you require more tag cards and all will hopefully go back to normal once a resolution is reached.

In the meantime, stay safe and enjoy your fishing.
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