

Hook, Line & Sinker



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From the Office



Well Easter has passed and already we are through the first quarter of the year, my how the time flies.

Our April comp weekend suffered with the usual bad weather, but a few brave and hardy souls did manage to catch a few.

On the social side of things we have a rock'n'roll harbour cruise to look forward to and then a first for the club a Ghost Tour. All good fun.

Don't forget to have a look at our web site for more photos and heaps of other interesting bits and pieces.

Cheers - TK

Dates for the Diary



Next Meeting:

9th May 2011

Next Comp:

21/22 May 2011

Charter Boat:

The Charter Boat is not operating this month.

Fishos Gag of the month

Paddy is passing by Mick's hay shed one day when through a gap in the door he sees Mick doing a slow and sensual striptease in front of an old red Massey Ferguson.

Buttocks clenched, he performs a slow pirouette and gently slides off first the right welly, followed by the left.

He then hunches his shoulders forward and in a classic striptease move lets his braces fall down from his shoulders to dangle by his hips over his corduroy trousers.

Grabbing both sides of his checked shirt, he rips it apart to reveal his tea-stained vest underneath and with a final flourish he hurls his flat cap onto a pile of hay.

"What the feck are you doing Mick?" says Paddy.

"Jeez Paddy, ye frightened the livin' bejusus out of me", says an obviously embarrassed Mick, "but me and the missus been having some trouble lately in the bedroom department, and the therapist suggested I do something sexy to a tractor....."

THE QUIZ

1. Which fictional cowboy had a horse named Topper?
2. What are the three colours on the Caltex logo?
3. True or false: a major is ranked above a colonel in the Australian Army?
4. A boater (hat) is usually made from which material?
5. By what name was Farrokh Bulsara best known?

Special Presentation

At the recent Car Rally a special presentation was made to young Stuart. Stewy, is a great supporter of the club and often helps out at the Thursday night raffles. His efforts were rewarded when he was presented with his very own club shirt and jacket by President Keith. We all say a big thanks Stuart for your help.



Charter Boat 2011.

Want to join the Charter Boat 'Fishfinder'?

We have two more trips this year

Dates are:

Saturday 15 October and

Sunday 13 November

Contact Captain John to book your spot.

Don't forget that a Charter Boat Gift Certificate is a great present for the fisho who has everything!

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Looking for holiday accommodation? The Barnes family have a two bedroom unit in Forster that is available to rent. The cost is only \$250 per week. Contact Barry on 97553280 or 96029486 for further details.

April Competition of 2011 - Results.

Rain one day and fine the next greeted the members for the April comp. Nine brave soles did manage to weigh in and 79 fish hit the scales, so overall not a bad result and was better than last month.

Results for our April competition were as follows:

Best Fish: Justin with a monster flathead weighing in at 3.960kg

Biggest Fish: Bill with a nice Salmon of 2.3kg

Most Fish: Sparrow with 21

The **mystery fish** was a Morwong which again was not won.

The **Wahoo** was won by **Ken R** who was present to collect and the **Guzzlers**

Mug was won by **Justin** who will have to wait till the next meeting to collect.

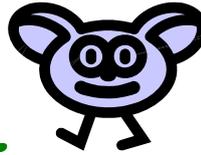
The Vic Raffle was won by Trent with ticket # 32.



THE CAR RALLY

What a great day, perfect weather and a large turnout ensured a very successful day. A big thanks to the Howdin's and the Rowley's.





The things we hear.....

(Gossip for around the club and other bits & pieces)

- ☺ **Happy birthday** to the April babies: Towie, Shovel & D2 and to the May babies, Ron B, Keith, Vic, D1 and Danny.

- ☺ **TRUE!** *By the time the average person dies it is estimated they will have 1,700 friendships, consumed 2,201 chickens and farted 35,815 litres of wind.*

- ☺ **FACT:** *Beer is one of the world's oldest beverages. Chinese civilisations brewed beer up to 5,000 years ago.*



Rock'n'Roll Cruise

Come join us for our first ever Rock'n'Roll cruise.

When: Sunday 15 May 2011

This is a lunch time cruise with fantastic Rock'n'Roll music.

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Dates for your Diary

Here are some events that you should note in your diaries.

May 15: Rhythm Boat Cruise

(note: bookings now closed)

June 11: Ghost Tour @ Rocks

July 16: Wentworth Park Dogs

Aug 6: Vicary's Woolshed Dance

Sept 9/10: Greenwell Point

Oct 29/30: Family/Ladies Competition

More details will be provided closer to the events.



April Weigh-in snaps



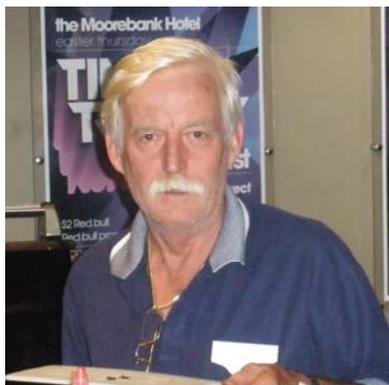
Koala – Biggest Fish



Justin – Best Fish



Sparrow – Most Fish



Ken – Wahoo Winner



Trent – Raffle Winner



THE PRESIDENT WRITES;

Hope you all had a safe and happy Easter break.

Well we can't pick the weather for the comp weekends.... another wet one, but all things considered a good weigh in. Nice Flathead caught by Justin and again the Koala Lodge boys did good.... but I heard it was hard work.

Thanks to Vic for running the meeting in my absence. The issue with the drinks has been rectified. If you do have a problem at the hotel please take it up with the Committee don't challenge the hotel staff.

The Car Rally was strongly supported with 66 people in attendance. Those that attended had a cheap day as the committee agreed to highly subsidise the day...to the tune of \$700.

Peter has planned many social events for the year with the next is the Harbour Cruise on 15th May.

*Hope to see you at the raffles on Thursday.
Keith*

Special Offer to MFC Members

Do you have a business that you would like to advertise?

With the launch of our very own MFC web site we are offering club members a great marketing opportunity.

To further assist members, your committee has decided to allow financial members to advertise their business in the monthly newsletter as well as on our web site free of charge. How good is that?

For more details contact the committee.

Answers to the Quiz.

1. Hopalong Cassidy
2. Green, Red, White
3. False
4. Straw
5. Freddie Mercury