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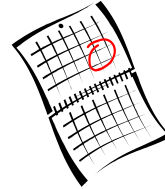
From the Office.

Winter is almost upon us so it was good to see a reasonable roll up for the May comp. Fingers crossed that June will be even better!

The next big event is the rock'n'roll nite, so get your best R&B gear out of the cupboard and book your ticket.



Dates for the Diary

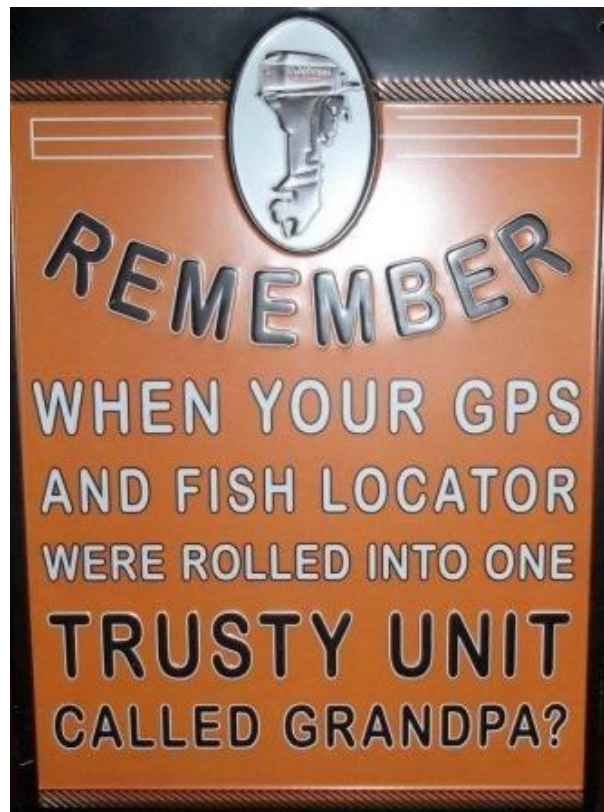


June Meeting: 10th
June

June Comp: 21st & 22nd

Fish of the Month:
Trevally

*Rock'n'Roll night -
July 12*

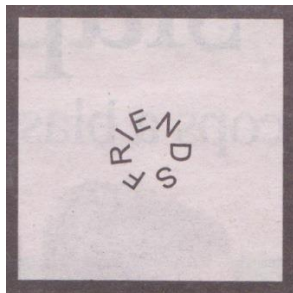


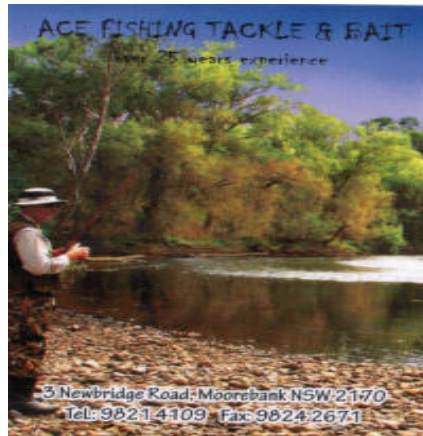


Mark your diary & start searching for your best rock'n'roll gear. Mid year function – 12th July, 2014. Cost is \$50 per couple for members. Supper will be provided. Buy Your Own drinks. Dress up is optional but is encouraged.



Box Puzzle: Answer on Page 4





May Competition - Results.

A better turnout for the May competition when seven members hit the scales. Weather wise seas were very flat and for once the sun was shining.

Results for our May competition were as follows:

Best Fish: Justin with a Kingfish @ 2.341kg

Biggest Fish: Ron with a Morwong @ 1.432kg

Most Fish: Col

*The mystery fish was a bream and the prize was not won. The **Wahoo** was won by Vic who was not present to collect. The **Guzzlers Mug** was won by Col*

There was no raffle this month.

May happy snaps



Well done lads

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ANSA NSW and Angelrings to star in Sky News Weather

During April ANSA NSW and the RFA was involved with Sky News filming a few small segments for introductions to the Sky Weather segments, focussing on rockfishing safety. This also included a 3 minute online segment that will feature as a general promotion for fishing safety on the channel.

The segment featured Sky News meteorologist Dick Whitaker. Sky News tracked down the RFA and ANSA to assist with the filming. Stan Konstantaras and Alex Bellissimo spent three hours filming with the Sky Weather team. Sky is planning to promote the segments on the regional/international repeater stations to help us get the safe fishing messages out and they have expressed interest in doing similar segments on freshwater fishing safety.

Rock fishing enters the risky season

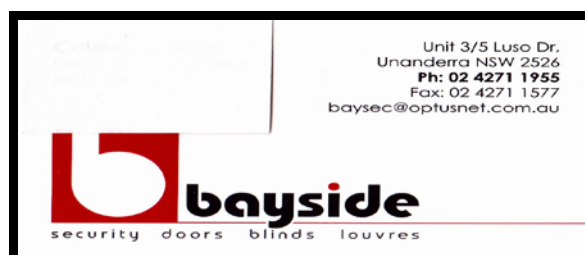
The loss of two lives on the Central Coast recently is a tragic reminder that we are entering the riskiest part of the year for rock fishers and anglers need to take every possible precaution when enjoying their sport.

Two people have drowned at Wybung Headland when they jumped in to help a companion who had been washed off the rocks. It's been reported that none were wearing PFDs.

Anyone rockfishing should be appropriately equipped. Proper footwear and PFDs are inexpensive. Never fish alone and if conditions are rough, stay at home. Check the weather conditions at bom.gov.au.

Sign up for free weather alerts for coastal and inland waters

You can sign up for alerts for NSW coast and inland waters direct from Maritime at <http://www.maritime.nsw.gov.au/alerts/alert.html> and you can set your own alert trigger conditions and choose which locations you want covered. Alerts are sent daily when wind conditions exceed the trigger points you specify. Easy, useful and free.



***THE PRESIDENT WRITES;***

The weather was good for a change for our May Competition, which resulted in few more members weighing in. There must have been thousands of Leather Jackets...Congratulations to our winners this month.

It was nice to have a quiet and quick meeting this month, thanks guys, lets keep it this way.

Don't forget we have a "Weigh Away Slip" available on the Internet.... (See page 6 for the rules.) <http://www.moorebankfishingclub.org.au/forms.htm>

Hope you have told your partners about our Rock N Roll Night. Let Ron know if you plan to attend.

Before we know it Christmas will be here so please keep and eyes out for some giveaways for the kids party.

That reminds me, don't forget our Greenwell Point trip is not that far away...so start your planning... again Ronnie will take names.

***FISH OF THE MONTH (JUNE) TREVALLY - A.K.A. BLURTERS, TREVORS***

All species of Trevally are well known for their determined and powerful fighting ability, making them excellent sportfish on light tackle. Various species of Trevally offer plenty of action, from the aggressive Golden Trevally (*Gnathanodon speciosus*) of the tropics and the dirty fighting coastal Silver Trevally (*Pseudocaranx dentex*) to the powerful Giant Trevally (*Caranx ignobilis*).



Paediatric Occupational Therapist
Mobile Occupational Therapist who works with children.

The Gossip, the facts and the bullsh1#

- ☺ **Happy birthday** to the July babies: Simon & Mark
- ☺ What happens when you drive your vehicle over a solar panel? The answer my friends is available from a certain pest controller.!



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Weigh Away Slip

This form must be used as written in BYLAW 2

Which Reads... "No member is allowed to ring through to the weigh in venue on competition days to qualify for points or trophies. Every attempt must be made by the member to attend the official weigh in on Sunday to weigh their fish to be eligible for inclusion in the weekend competition or be allocated points in the overall competition. Exceptions to this may be considered by the Executive of the Club, in compassionate circumstances or circumstances banning the member from the weigh in venue. All individual fish under 10kg must be weighed on digital scales. All fish must be gilled and gutted. A "Weigh Away Slip" can be used to verify a catch on the Saturday of a competition weekend if the fish is 10kg or over.

When away from home:

Fish caught on a non-competition days that are considered suitable for a trophy:

** should be weighed in at a reputable shop using a club "Weigh Away Slip*

OR

**can be weighed by the member as long as another member is present (not spouse, partner or child), using a club "Weigh Away Slip".*

When at home

Fish caught on a non-competition days that are considered suitable for a trophy:

**Must be weighed in at a designated weigh in place nominated by the committee, using a club "Weigh Away Slip"*