

TACKLE BOX

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A huge thanks to all our sponsors and our Tournament Committee for another fantastic Australia Day Tournament!



The crew of **Coca-Krolla** took out the under 7m trophy in the 2020 Simrad Australia Day Tournament with **Release** winning the over 7m award

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MORETON BAY
BOAT CLUB



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Chairman's Report Feb 2020

Wow I can't believe our Annual Simrad Australia Day Billfish Tournament is done and dusted. What a fantastic tournament it was. The weather could have been kinder but it wasn't too bad even for The Under 7 Meter boats. We had a good number of Billies tagged and quite a few other species caught. The results are in the Tacklebox.



Your Club Committee and the Tournament committee worked hard to ensure this success and I thank them particularly our Club Captain Maddie who pulled everything together. Thanks also to the volunteers who helped out behind the scenes, helping with lighting, barbies, pontoons, raffles, registration, banking etc. Thanks to Janine for the wonderful "Aussie flavoured" desert. Thanks to the members of other clubs who fished our Tournament I hope we can reciprocate. Thanks also to our many Sponsors who supported us, particularly the MBBC.

We had a PHD Student attend both days of the comp to take parasitic samples from the stomach and gills of the Pelagic fish caught. Carlise was very enthusiastic and thanked us for our support. I have invited her to a monthly meeting to speak about some of her work. I did explain we are not scientists only humble fishermen so she might have to keep it simple. She is working with Dr Julian Pepperell and I have invited him to speak at some stage. One of our new sponsors RTM are going to come along at another time to talk about some of the products they sell and how they can benefit us.

Other than the Tournament, fishing has been a bit quiet. Last month at our Sunday weigh-in there were not a lot of reports. Hopefully this improves for our Sunday Barby on the 16th. This month the support for the MBBC Raffles will fall outside our usual Friday night. We will need volunteers for the 21st Feb.

Looking forward to our next meeting on Monday 10th February at 7.00pm. Until then "tight lines".

Ralph



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Club Captain's Report

Hi all,



Wow! All hands on deck and we pulled through successfully for our Annual Australia Day Tournament. I just want to reach out to all tournament committee members, members, ground crew, raffle sellers, Pauline, Albert and our MBBC Hospitality staff who did a wonderful job all weekend. Also, without our Gold, Silver, Bronze and Associate sponsors we couldn't have operated so easily.

I must also say a big thankyou to all other sponsors, prize givers, refrigeration and equipment assistance. We are very much appreciative of your support this year to the RPSGC.

For some of our team, this was all very new to them and I want to also say special thanks to hanging in there and learning the ropes so quickly eg: Lorraine our new treasurer was ever so patient with such a busy desk.

I felt the tournament ran smoothly with only a number of missing tournament shirts to deliver upon receiving them soon. Please don't forget we are selling off the remaining smaller shirts at \$20 and some are at the MBBC reception to purchase, if I am not available.

Saturday seemed to be the pick of the day with many hook ups and marlin playing tricks on us all, dropping off in the last minute. In total 18 Black Marlin were tagged, with 17 Mahi Mahi, 3 Wahoo, 2 Cobia, 2 Skipjack Tuna and one Yellow fin tuna proved to be a great weekend.

Lastly thank you to our visiting boats who joined us for a wonderful weekend of activity.

Go get em...

Maddy
Club Captain



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On behalf of the **Redcliffe Game & Sports Club** we would like to thank our
below **Sponsors and Prize Givers** for our **2020 Australia Day Billfish**
Tournament



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Here are the final Results of our Simrad Australia Day Tournament
Congratulations to all the winners.

Champion Angler Day 1 Warwick Squire

Champion Angler Day 2 Kiel Pozzey

Champion Male Warwick Squire

Champion Female Madeleine Doherty

Champion Junior Ryan Boshler

Champion Other species David Barry

Champion Boat over 7mts Release

Champion Boat Under 7 mts Coca Krolla

Champion Boat overall Release

First Billfish Tagged Warwick Squire

Last Billfish Tagged Ryan Boshler

Special mention to Noel & Doug for the 'remember to measure your leader award!'

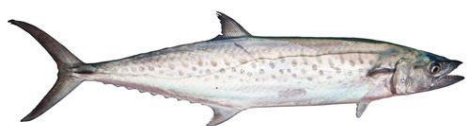


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Fish of the Month

MONTH	OFFSHORE SPECIES	PREVIOUS WINNER	INSHORE SPECIES	PREVIOUS WINNER
March	Mackerel Tuna	No winner	Bream	Andrew Doherty
April	Pearl Perch	No winner	Flathead	Nigel Harbourne
May	Sweetlip	Noel Day	Bass	No winner
June	Longtail tuna	No winner	Bream	Noel/Jesse H
July	Amberjack	No winner	Tailor	Noel Day
August	Pearl Perch	Ethan Kroll	Bream	Ryan Grech
September	Snapper	Noel Day	Whiting	Diego Zambrana
October	Cobia	\$50	Javelin	Lynn Day
November	Mahi Mahi	No winner	Salmon	Jessie Harbourne
December	Wahoo	No winner	Bass	Greg Skinner
January	Yellowfin Tuna	No winner	Dart	No winner
February	Mackerel	\$250	Cod	\$100.00



To win the money for the monthly nominated fish inshore or offshore species, simply weigh in the heaviest **Mackerel** or **Cod**. All fish weighed, regardless of whether they are in for the 'fish of the month' must be labelled with the angler's name and line class. To receive double club points, fish must be tagged or caught on the Club Weekend only and the cards correctly completed and handed in or fish weighed in at M.B.B.C. from 3.30pm to 4.30pm on the Sunday. Prizes for the heaviest 'fish of the month' will be awarded on the day so you must be there. Remember, club fishing weekend starts on midnight on **Friday 14th February** finishing on **Sunday 16th January** at 3.30pm.

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Borumba & Lenthalls Trip

Early January this year I made the trip to Borumba Dam near Imbil with my long time fishing mate Macca from Coffs Harbour.

Macca needed to tick a Saratoga off his bucket list.

We couldn't raise a Toga on a lure so we decided to try some baits under a float. We used steak, but you can use almost anything like prawn, chicken, liver or worms. It didn't take long and we had tagged and released two Toga. 51 and a 55cm, then headed back to the ramp.

On the way back we ran into Brendan, Carl and a few ANSA members from Sunshine Coast on their monthly comp. They did a bit better than us with some fish over 70cm long after a slow start.



Next part of the trip was Lenthalls Dams just east of Maryborough. We started with a quick troll as a bit of a recon and quickly boated two good Bass. There were Bass everywhere on the sounder. Over the next 3 sessions we boated 4 Barra in the 50 cm range. All on soft plastics cast to laydown timber or weed banks in 2 to 3 metres of water.



Note that Lenthalls dam you can only have a boat with a four stroke or EFI motor 60HP or under. And a max speed of 6 knots. Pick of the lures was a Castair Jerky J rigged weedless.

Mick King



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Redcliffe Game & Sportfish Club Inc. Points End of January 2020

Angler	Sports fish Total	Game Total	Club Day	OUT OF AREA
Ryan Grech	158	60	98	
Michael King	296	0	243	
Noel Day	853	623	1330	
Greg Skinner	134	120	254	
Ralph Bowler	0	1721	0	
Matt Kroll	0	20	20	
Ethan Kroll	22	0	22	
Tyrone Foster	84	0	84	
Diego Zambrana	16	0	16	
Lynn Day	1034	0	1026	
Brad Clayton	0	3060	0	1485
John Donnelly	0	0	0	1485
Jon Eagle	0	1365	0	
Mad Eagle	0	5790	2730	
Jesse Harbourne	563	0	563	
Vaughn Daly	160	0	90	
Yvette Daly	105	0	90	
Michael Cox	170	0	0	
Darren Essex	110	0	0	
Maddie Doherty	0	1695	0	
Ryan Clarke	0	1695	0	
Vessel Under 7mts		Vessel Over 7mts		
Kingfisher	561	Nice Aft	1695	
Life's Great	4000	Salty Nuts	1695	
Firefly	321			
Little Wing	544			
Ty's Boat	123			
Smiley	563			
PK	1695			





Redcliffe Peninsula Game & Sportfish Club Inc.



Membership Form 2019-2020

Please NOTE: it is a condition of membership to the RPG&SC that you are a member of the Moreton Bay Boat Club. Membership runs for the period 1st July 2019 – 30th June 2020. Payment of membership fees does not guarantee acceptance of membership until approved by the management committee. Return form to the RPG&SC Treasurer by email to: treasurer@rpgsc.com.au

M.B.B.C. MEMBERSHIP: Full / Associate/ Social :NO.....

NAME:

ADDRESS:

E-MAIL ADDRESS:

PH: MOBILE:

IF FAMILY MEMBERSHIP Please List all members.

NAME: RELATIONSHIP: DOB:...../...../.....

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BOAT DETAILS

REGO: NAME /CALL SIGN:

TYPE: LENGTH: COLOUR:

FISHING CLUB MEMBERSHIP FEES

SENIOR	\$50.00	\$.....
JUNIOR	\$20.00	\$.....
FAMILY (Max 2 Adults & 2 Children)	\$80.00	\$.....

A.N.S.A. MEMBERSHIP FEES.

SENIOR	\$45.00	\$.....
JUNIOR	\$10.00	\$.....
FAMILY (2 Adults & 2 Children)	\$68.00	\$.....

Q.G.F.A. MEMBERSHIP FEES

SENIOR	\$33.00	\$.....
JUNIOR	\$22.00	\$.....

TOTAL \$

I wish to pay my membership fees with a MASTERCARD: or VISA:

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