

Quinns Rocks Fishing Club

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IMPORTANT EVENTS

Family Day for QRFC

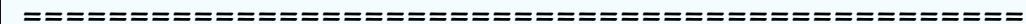
Sunday May 3rd

It's that time of the year again when we show that the family spirit is still alive -
This year Angling & Sports have organized a half day
Family Fishing Competition (beach) & a Sandcastle building Competition.
Followed by BBQ and weigh-in at Quinns
(on the grassed area in front of Portofino's)

Start 7:00 am till 11:00 am.
With weigh-in at 12:00pm.

It's a fun day with the family , come along and try your luck
Any legal size fish can be weighed in.

There will be 3 prize divisions for the fishing comp and 2 prizes for the
Sandcastle building.



Only 3 comps left for fish'n & fun for the 2014-2015 season

Missed a few comps due to bad weather so it's still all up for grabs!



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Invite to BCF Joondalup

QRFC members, family & friends have been invited to attend an information night at BCF, 75 Joondalup Dr, Joondalup.

Topics being demonstrated include making rigs and traces for specific species, bait presentation, available jigs, lures, soft plastics & matching baits to different species.

Special varying **discounts of up to 40%** will be offered on the night & BCF has offered to provide prizes towards our monthly & other competitions.

So when is it you ask Wed. 22nd April 2015 note it in your diary or smart phone.

Start time is 6:30 pm.

There is also a chance of a BBQ sausage sizzle on the night.

NOW THAT'S LIVING

Supper Club

Saturday 9th May



Dee & Gamini are kindly hosting the next Supper Club at their home. Tickets are \$20. pp.

There are still some tickets left so be quick. You don't want to miss out!

Starts 7 pm and Dee has some scrumptious dishes on the menu.

The following Supper Club is planned for Saturday 13th June at Jason & Mels'

Jasons' doing a Lamb on the Spit.

More details closer to the date.

COMPETITIONS 2014-2015

Sunday: April 19th Monthly comp.

Start time : 7:00am Weigh-in 4:00pm.

F.O.D. Tarwhine 2nd Dhufish

Stand-by date : Sunday 26th April.

FAMILY DAY

Sunday: May 3rd

Family Fishing Comp & Sandcastle building.

Start 7:00am till 11:00am

Followed by BBQ and weigh-in at 12:00pm at Quinns.

Sunday: May 17th Monthly comp.

Start time: 7:00am Weigh-in 4:00pm.

F.O.D. Herring 2nd Samson Fish.

Stand-by date: Sunday 24th May.

Sunday: June 21st Monthly comp.

Start : 7:00am Weigh-in 4:00pm.

F.O.D. Garfish 2nd Flathead

Stand-by date: Sunday 28th June.

Sunday: July 19th Monthly comp.

Start: 7:00am Weigh-in 4:00pm.

F.O.D. Breaksea Cod 2nd Leather Jacket

Stand-by date: Sunday 26th July.

Captains report



Guy Little -

Feb. comp 2015.



Bevan Johns -

Jan. comp 2015.



Captains Report.

January 2015 competition.

Held on Sunday 18th Jan.2015.

The forecast was winds southeast to south-westerly 10 to 15knots becoming variable about 10 knots around dawn. Winds then becoming south-westerly 10 to 15 knots from mid-morning
Seas: 1 to 1.5metres, decreasing to 1 m. during the morning.

Swell south-westerly 1 to 1.5 metres.

We had 15 anglers, fishing from 8 boats. 1 visitor
11 species were caught. The most species were caught by Adrian Boogaard 4 species.

Fish of the day was Pink Snapper caught by Guy Little and the prize was an engraved knife sponsored by Joondalup Air Conditioning now located at Clarkson.

Juniors: There were no junior competitors.

Ladies: 1st Linda Thompson 62points
2nd Alison Walters 22points
3rd Justine Gunner 10points

Mens : 1st Adrian Boogaard 80points
2nd Guy Little 50 points
3rd Mark Thompson 46points

Mens and Ladies 1st place winners won a voucher donated by Viv & Kevin at Mossy's Mini Excavators to the value of \$25.00.

Fish wheel winners:

Blue Water Tackle pack - won by Gamini.

\$15 donated by Adrian Boogaard - won by Justine Gunner.

\$10 Donated by Adrian Boogaard - won by Linda Thompson.

\$10 Voucher by QRFC - Justine Gunner.

\$20 cash participation prize donated by QRFC Jack spenceley.

Mug of the month donated by Jon Lipscombe Addley Building Services - Henry Boogaard - for launching his boat without removing the winch cable.

February 2015 Competition.

February comp held on Sunday 15th 2015.

The forecast was south easterly 15 to 25 knots turning south to southwesterly 25 to 30 knots in the early afternoon then becoming southerly 15 to 25 knots in the evening. Seas; 1.5 to 2.5 metres, decreasing to 1metre during the morning. Swell; south westerly 1.5 to2.5metres. Weather; Sunny.

We had 12 anglers, fishing from 5 boats, 2 beachos and 1 Visitor.

10 species caught. The most species were caught by Guy Little and Gamini with 3 species each.

Fish of the day was Sand Whiting caught by Guy Little, and the prize was an engraved knife sponsored by Joondalup Air Conditioning now located at Clarkson.

Other notable catches were:

- Flathead 241gr. - Luke Gunner
- Herring 135gr. - Paul Saunders
- Breaksea Cod 1.622kg - Henry Boogaard
- K.G. Whiting 744gr. -Stewart Bruce
- Bonito 953gr. - Gamini
- Goat Fish 806gr. - Guy Little
- Samson Fish 11.418kg.-Jaco Jerling
- Pink Snapper 5.906kg - Guy Little
- Sweep 1.135kg.- Gamini

Juniors: There were no junior competitors.

Ladies: 1st Justine Gunner 22points.

Mens: 1st Guy Little 70 points

2nd Gamini Jayaweera 60 points

3rd Jaco Jerling 40 points (by weight)

Mens and Ladies 1st place winners won a voucher donated by Viv & Kevin at Mossy's Mini Excavators to the value of \$25.00.

Fish wheel winners:

Blue water tackle pack - won by Jaco Jerling.

\$ 15 donated by Adrian Boogaard - won by Luke Gunner.

\$10 Donated by Adrian Boogaard - won by Justine Gunner.

\$10. Voucher QRFC - Henry Boogaard.

Participation prize by WA Fishing - Paul Saunders.

Captains report

March Fishing competition.

March fishing competition blown away.

The flare demonstration day with Withfords Sea rescue was a success. We had 15 members attend. All the members enjoyed the day we finished with a sausage sizzle. After all the demonstration Paul still didn't know how to use a flare.



Due to February month was so busy we had to postpone our Annual Beach Fishing competition.

March 28th AAA boat fishing competition was held from Ocean Reef Marina. We had 20 anglers fish in the comp. 2 men's teams, 1 ladies and 1 Veterans team. Overall Quinns Rocks did well.

Peter Dimopoulos came 3rd with 141.3 points. He was only 25.5 points behind the winner. Kevin Moss was 7th with 120.1 points.

Laura Little came 7th with 27.3 points, Justine Gunner 11th with 14.4 points and Christine Frey was 12th with 11.7 points.

Veterans: Jack Spenceley came 10th with 39 points, Adrian Boogaard came 18th with 18.8 points

We had 3 species winners:

- Pelagic All 11.830kg - Kevin Moss.
- Queen Snapper 4.980kg.- Jack Spenceley.
- Foxfish 720gr. - Jaco Jerling.

Luke gunner won the skippers participation prize.

Out ladies team came 3rd out of 5 teams. Well done Quinns Rocks Fishing Club.

We thank our new sponsors for the shirts - Ross North Group and Odin Brake & Service at Balcatta.

Thanks to all the helpers who worked hard at the AAA competition day.

3rd of May is to be our Family Day. Angling & Sports committee have organized a family beach fishing competition and sandcastle/ sculpture building for Family Day with prizes.

Please return your boat safety data sheets or if you haven't got one send me your email address and I will send one to you.

Play be safe and I hope everyone had a Great Easter.

Happy and safe fishing.

Gamini.



Welcome to new members

Bevan Johns, Christene Frey and
welcome back to Mark & Linda Thomson.

CLUB FUNDRAISER

Order your new Entertainment™ Books and Entertainment™ Digital Memberships from us today, and 20% of your Membership contributes towards our fundraising! Order either Membership type before 5th May 2015, and you'll receive over \$135 worth of Early Bird Offers which you can use straight away! For only \$65, Entertainment™ Memberships are packed with hundreds of up to 50% off and 2-for-1 offers for the best local restaurants, cafés, attractions, hotel accommodation, travel, and much more! This year they are bigger than ever, featuring the best of the South West as well! Available as a traditional Entertainment™ Book -or- Digital Membership on your smartphone, your Membership gives you over \$20,000 worth of valuable offers valid through to 1 June 2016! Go to this link to complete your order <https://www.entertainmentbook.com.au/orderbooks/9201w44> or contact Richard LEE if you don't want to order direct on the internet.

Thank you To Denley Sampson of 'Good Guys' Clarkson

for assisting the club with a very generous discount on the recent purchase of a 50 inch TV. The TV will be put to good use to show fishing, diving and boating videos as well as a screen for the kids Wi System.

So if you are in the market for electrical goods please give Denley the opportunity to give you his best price and thank him in person for supporting the club.



OUT 'N' ABOUT



~FISHING THE EVERGLADES~

Jason & Mel drove out to the Everglades from Miami Florida where they hired a fishing guide and boat (Pro Bass competition Boat) for the day.

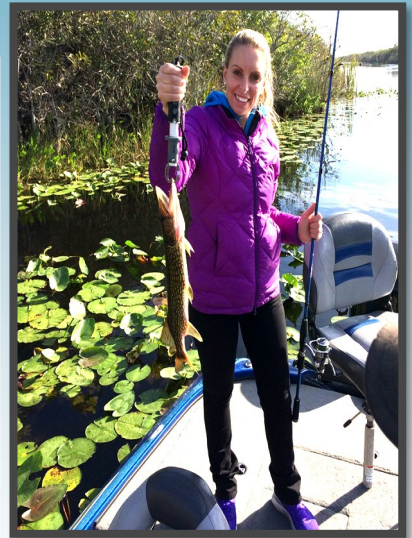
It was an early start to a beautiful clear day although the wind was a little chillyhence the big warm jackets.

There was a variety of wildlife and even an alligator hanging around.

Looks like you caught the biggest fish of the day
Mel?



Jasons —Pike



Mel with her Pike



Mel with her Mud Fish

So if you have any pics that you think maybe of interest to our club members -

And you don't mind sharing for the newsletter - please email them to Di or Stew at piping@westnet.com.au

Cheers.

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What's your thoughts.....?

Any club members interested in having either a 'Squidding Day' or a 'Crabbing Day'?

Bring along your thoughts and ideas about the day to the club this Friday or speak to any of the A & S committee .

Lets make it happen !



FRIDAY NIGHTS @ THE CLUB

1st Friday of each month BYO BBQ pack, club will supply bread & salad.

Let the Angling & Sports cook you a treat on the 3rd Friday night of each month.

Bargain prices and hot chips sponsored by

Rock's Fish & Grill in Quinns.



AAA STATE BOATING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2015

Species	Mens	Ladies	Juniors	Veteran	Species	Mens	Ladies	Juniors	Veteran
Baldchin Groper	2.192 WEIGHT	Terry Bell	CLUB		Pigfish	WEISZEL	ANGLER	CLUB	
Breaksea Cod	1.670	Mitchell Bell	OR		Pike				
Dhufish	13.355	Mitchell Williams	MA		Queen Snapper	4.980	Jack Spenceley	QR	Jack Spenceley
Emperor					Salmon				
Flathead	0.513	G. Hillary	MA		Samson				
Flounder	1.468	Bill McPherson	HVC		Shark				
Foxfish *	0.720	Jaco Jerling	QR		Skipjack	1.223	Jayne Sullivan	MA	
Garfish	0.258	Gory Bell	ORSS		Snapper Pink	3.760	Glen Carter	MA	
Goatfish					Snapper Red				
Harlequin	1.673	Jayden Bartel	MA		Snook				
Herring	0.233	L. Malone	OR		Swallowtail				
K G Whiting	0.800	G. CARTER	MA		Sweep				
Leatherjacket *	0.304	Colin Slater	OR		Sweetlip				
Mackerel Blue OVER *					Tailor	1.645	Dean Williams	MA	
Mackerel Other SP *					Tarwhine				
Mahi-Mahi =					Tuna * *	11.830	Kevin Moss	QR	
May					Whiting	0.155	HVC Debbie Cunningham		
					Yellowtail-Kingfish				



Well done QRFC in this years AAA Championships , great turn out with some fantastic results and thanks also to all those that helped out on the day to make it such a success.



State Boating Championships 2015 - Ocean Reef Boat Harbour

It's 3:10 am. and I'm awake before the alarm ... as usual. I arrive at Ocean Reef boat harbour by 3:45 and only 2 other bodies arrive soon after. By 4:00 am. the cool room trailer arrives with all the gear in it and there is frenzy from 5 volunteers to empty it and set up the area for the big day. It's amazing what you can fit in one of those things. It's soon 5:00 am. and there are quite a few people around including the group making bacon and eggs - mmmmm. The bustle of people ready to man the sign-on tables when in the crowd I see the smiling face of our own Justine Coleman reporting for duty. 5:30 and on the road to pick up my Dad and the boat and back to the marina to find most of the QRFC anglers standing in the car park watching the start of the Comp. The call comes over the radio the competition is officially started and 60+ boats race in all directions to their hunting grounds. We then decided they've had enough of a head start so we better put the boats in and see what we can find. The forecast was for south-south easterly winds 12 to 15 kn. shifting southerly 12-15 kn. all day. The forecast looked wrong with a slight breeze and a flat ocean. We decided to go deep for some of the more unusual species and when we reached around the 10 mile mark you could see the wind on the water ahead and drove into that 12 kn. Southerly with another 14 miles to go.

The day was slow to start with by the chatter on the radio and it showed at the weigh-in with a much less catch like bigger fish than most other comps. The die hards were busy running around after the small species before creeping further out and try for larger species. Some managed around 5 - 9 species but most were struggling to catch 3 as in our case, it was hard to find the legal size ones. The winner from last year won again but with about 50 points less than last year's 2nd place.

QRFC fielded 2 men's teams, ladies team, veteran's team (see Captains report for all the results). It was great to see Kevin Moss and Peter Dimopoulos do so well and take out the gamefish prize with a pair of Yellow-fin Tuna in the 11.00 kg range. Peter also came 3rd in the men's open and was only about 25 points behind the winner. It's worth noting that Peter (26.82 kg) and Kevin (21.53 kg.) had the heaviest weights for all competitors. The ladies also did very well coming in 3rd. There were 148 competitors and (124 weighed-in) from 65 boats from 5 clubs.

Everyone looked great in the club team's shirts and we must say a big thanks to Ross North Homes, Odin Spares and Mossy's for their support. Thank you to the anglers for getting involved as did the helpers on the day with sign-on, species recorder, species table and board (Lynne flew all the way from Kununurra just to be part of the fun and do the species boardthanks Lynne) and to our resident photographer. A job well done by our effervescent Club Captain Gama for his efforts to get everyone motivated and helping in the event also. Thanks mate.

There is no set venue for next year and it won't take long to come around. If you are interested in helping out or have any suggestions as to where to fish State Boating, please see Gaminini so we can discuss it.

A group of 14 of us stuck around for the presentations and congrats to Luke for winning the Club Marine \$500 insurance package. Our 3 species winners: Kevin, Jaco and JackCongrats. And congratulations to all our anglers and helpers coz you're all champions.

It's now around 9:30 pm. Clean-up is done, presentations done, time to head for home?

Happy and safe fishing.

Henry Boogaard



Christene Frey & Laura Little.



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