

JULY CELEBRATIONS!!

July started off with fireworks; Paradise Point on the 3rd and everywhere else on the 4th. Several MBMC boats had a great raft up in Bonita Cove for a July 4 weekend. Shortly thereafter grape, sugar cane and agave futures went up several points.

The annual Luau was well attended. The Hawaiian food from Da Kine was oh so tasty. And the beverages and mai tais were a great accompaniment. Thanks to Frank Magnano and Joe Hudnall, fresh albacore was available for a nice batch of poke. Ellen Edwards and Lo Wada were real troopers for getting out before daylight to claim the gazebo, only to find that someone else had beat them to it by several hours. They did a great job decorating nearby tables and setting the festive mood for the Luau. The casting contest was so much fun with most everyone giving it a go. **Everyone** got to show their skills at unraveling bird's nests! In the end, Ken Yasuda, Ann Thompson, and Eric Risen proved more accurate than the rest.

ANGELS IN DINGHIES

July Fourth started with Paul Himmelberger, Ed Homer, Rick Dietz, and Jim Lockwood having breakfast at the raft-up then heading out in their dinghies to the Mission Bay Yacht Club for a Bloody Mary, or two. As they were walking back towards their dinghies, Paul spotted a tiny hand above the waterline grasping a line between a boat and the dock. Through the red tide, he could barely make out the figure of a child. In a flash, he fished the body of a three year old boy out of the water and called to the others. Ed had to pry the boy's small hand from the line so Paul could lift him up. The boy wasn't breathing. Paul pushed on his chest. Water spouted from his mouth and he started coughing out the foaming water and breathing again. Ed warmed the boy against his body. Jim and Rick called the lifeguards and paramedics and found the child's father. The four continued to administer first-aid until the paramedics arrived and took the boy to the hospital.

The parents of a three year old boy are grateful that his guardian angels rode in on dinghies that day. I would like to proudly acknowledge our angels in dinghies; Paul, Ed, Rick, and Jim. You guys are awesome!!

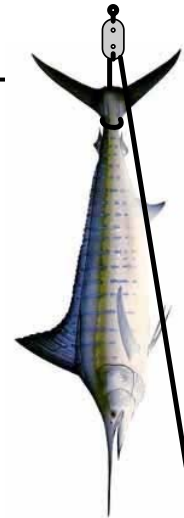
ERIC RISEN— IGFA JR. RECORD HOLDER: BONITO on 20lb. TEST

MBMC has a new record holder! Eric Risen. In his own words,

"My father and I had just started trolling at the North Coronado Island, Baja Mexico on February 6, 2005 aboard our boat "Fishin Magician", after about an hour of trying to find yellowtail without any luck. We decided to troll around the island with the thought that we could locate the yellowtail easier. I dropped back a green chrome cd-14 Rapala lure. It was not long until we hooked into a bonito around 7-8 pounds. This fish made us aware that there could be a record bonito around so we became more cautious. We came around to the weather side of the island for our last pass before we headed back home, since the weather was getting bad. We trolled past a small center console boat which looked to be hooked up with a good size fish. Suddenly the line with the green chrome Rapala started screaming. I immediately thought it was a yellowtail, but as it came closer to the boat I realized it was a huge bonito. Near the boat, the fish took off and made several strong runs taking out drag, but after a few runs we got the fish near the boat and my dad grabbed the bonito by the tail and put him in the bait tank. The fish regurgitated about a half a pound of anchovies on the way home. We motored back in, cleaned our boat and then drove directly to Seaforth Sport Fishing who said that their scale was not working. They directed us to Fisherman's Landing where one of the staff weighed the bonito on their certified scale. There my bonito weighed in at 9.5 pounds." **Congratulations Eric!**



THE WEIGHMASTER'S REPORT



There have been a couple of errors in the tournament results that have been printed in the OOPSLINE, so please let me know if you think the results that are printed here are not correct so we can make sure I have the correct information; people have taken both copies of the weight slips, or for some reason Dana Landing did not have a copy, or the angler lost or did not send a copy to me. Bottom line, the fish did not get counted. To prevent this from happening, after you weigh in a fish at Dana Landing, please leave the yellow copy with them. I go by and pick them up every week. FAX or mail me a copy of your weight slip. This way I can be assured that your fish are accounted for.

Congratulations to Joe Hudnall for the fish of the month, a very nice 30.2 lb. albacore caught aboard the *Totally Hooked* skippered by Frank Magnano.

REPORTING WEIGHED FISH— Please report all catches for Fish of the Month, Marlin caught or released, or candidates for other MBMC award categories to the weighmaster by phone and FAX as soon as possible. Original weigh slips from Dana Market and Fuel Dock can be left with them for later verification. Original weigh slips from other certified scales should be mailed to the Weighmaster. Clearly indicate species, weight, line test, angler name and location caught.

DAN MUSLIN IS NEW WEIGHMASTER FOR 2005!!

DAN MUSLIN, WEIGHMASTER— Phone: (858) 509-3157 Fax: (858) 509-3158

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DANA LANDING FUEL DOCK SCALE— 6:00AM TO 6:00PM—(619) 226-2929

FISH OF THE MONTH

JANUARY	JEFF MEEKER	9.3	SALMON GROUPER	JULY	JOE HUDNALL	30.2	ALBACORE
FEBRUARY	KEN YASUDA	8.8	ROCKFISH	AUGUST			
MARCH	PHIL ERICKSON	9.8	BONITO	SEPTEMBER			
APRIL	SID MOREL	13.5	BONITO	OCTOBER			
MAY	BEN DUNGCA	28.8	WHITE SEABASS	NOVEMBER			
JUNE	LARRY CALLEGARI	25.1	ALBACORE	DECEMBER			

YELLOWTAIL TOURNAMENT

This is the year the fish win. There were no yellowtail weighed in for this tournament! Doc will be drawing 1st, 2nd, & 3rd place prizes (gift cards to Dana Landing tackle) at our next club function, the Aug. 19th seminar. All 32 anglers that paid entry fees will be in the hat. The side jackpot fees for the 27 anglers participating will be rolled over to the next tournament they sign up for.

MARLIN SEMINAR with THE BEAK & PETE GROESBECK

A Marlin seminar will be held on August 19th at 6pm at Marina Village. This is one you won't want to miss. Speaking will be Capt. Mike "THE BEAK" Hurt and Capt. Pete Groesbeck, two of the premier marlin fishermen on the west coast with years of valuable experience. We are fortunate to have them speaking in the middle of marlin season. The seminar is free to all members and their guests. Take advantage of such an opportunity and hone your skills. Please **R.S.V.P Shawn at 858-945-4454 by August 18th** so I can have enough food for everyone.

LARGEST FISH WEIGHED TO DATE

SPECIES	MEN		WOMEN		JUNIOR	
	NAME	LBS.	NAME	LBS.	NAME	LBS.
BARRACUDA		0		0	ERIC RISEN	5.8
BONITO	SID MOREL	13.5		0		0
CALICO, SPOTTED BAY, SAND BASS	GARY REICHLING	8.4	LO WADA	3.9	JUSTIN WADA	4.0
HALIBUT	MIKE BRATTON	25.3	MARY ANNE MC GUIRE	14.9		0
WHITE SEA BASS	BEN DUNGCA	28.8		0		0
YELLOWTAIL	KEN WILLIAMS	12.8	KIMBER REED	17.7	MATTHEW SCHOTZ	19.4
LINGCOD	SHAWN KAUS	9.8		0	JUSTIN WADA	10.0
ROCKCOD	JEFF MEEKER	9.3	GLORIA HIMMELBERGER	3.4	JUSTIN WADA	5.8
DORADO		0		0		0
ALBACORE	JOE HUDNALL	30.2	MARY ANNE MC GUIRE	24.8	ERIC RISEN	28.4
BLUEFIN TUNA		0	KIMBER REED	11.9		0
YELLOWFIN or BIG EYE TUNA		0		0		0
MARLIN		0		0		0
SWORDFISH		0		0		0

2005 POINTS STANDINGS

MALE ANGLER		WOMAN ANGLER		JUNIOR ANGLER		TOP BOAT	
NAME	PTS	NAME	PTS	NAME	PTS	NAME	PTS
LARRY CALLEGARI	9	GLORIA HIMMELBERGER	8	KYLE CHAREST	4	CHULA	10
JOHN D. MC GUIRE	8	MARY ANNE MC GUIRE	8	MATTHEW SCHOTZ	4	BAD TO THE BONE	7
PAUL HIMMELBERGER	4	TRISH CARLIN	7			ENCOUNTER	6
LARRY OBERTI	4					REEL ESTATE	3
GERRY PEREZ	4					DIVE INN	3
SHAWN KAUS	3					KATYDID	1
DAN CARLIN	2					BUENA ONDA	1
GERARD CHAREST	2						
DAVE LAGUARDIA	2						
CHARLES PRICHARD	2						
GARY REICHLING	2						

POTPOURRI TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM

AUGUST 20 and 21, 2005

Entry fees are \$15.00 per guest, \$10.00 per MBMC member. An optional \$5.00 cash jackpot fee will be collected from those who wish to participate. The target species of this tournament are any fish, excluding Rays and Sharks.

Saturday AUGUST 20, 2005, fishing starts at 12:01 AM and continues until you can make the weigh in at 6:00 PM at the Dana Landing dock. Fish not weighed in by the 6:00 PM deadline on Saturday may be weighed in Sunday when the scales are open. Fishing continues Sunday AUGUST 21, 2005 for this tournament and **final weigh-in's are required no later than 3:00PM at the Dana Landing dock.**

Tournament entry fees must be paid in person at time of sign-up. Any telephone or faxed entries must be paid in full by 3:00PM., on Sunday, AUGUST 21, to remain eligible for pay-out purposes.

Angler's name #1 _____

Address _____

Phone _____ entry amount \$ _____ \$5 jackpot _____

Angler's name #2 _____

Address _____

Phone _____ entry amount \$ _____ \$5 jackpot _____

Angler's name #3 _____

Address _____

Phone _____ entry amount \$ _____ \$5 jackpot _____

Angler's name #4 _____

Address _____

Phone _____ entry amount \$ _____ \$5 jackpot _____

Angler's name #5 _____

Address _____

Phone _____ entry amount \$ _____ \$5 jackpot _____

Boat name _____ Size _____ CF _____

Entry paid on _____

By submitting this application the applicant and their crew assumes all risk of injury, and/or property damage and does agree to hold Dana Landing Market and Fuel Dock, or the Mission Bay Marlin Club harmless should any injury or damage occur.

POTPOURRI TOURNAMENT RULES

1. Tournament will be two days, commencing Saturday, AUGUST 20, 2005 @ 12:01 AM and ending Sunday, AUGUST 21, 2005 @ 3:00 PM. All participants are eligible to fish either or both days.
2. Tournament entry fees will be collected at Dana Landing Market and Fuel Dock. All entries must be submitted by 8:00 PM Friday AUGUST 19, 2005 at Dana Landing, in person, or faxed to 619-226-1418.
- 3. All entries not paid at time of sign-up must be paid in full by 3:00 PM, on Sunday, AUGUST 21, to be eligible. Please pay on time for tournament payout purposes.**
4. Fishing area is from San Martin Island to the south and San Miguel Island to the north.
5. The target species of this tournament are any fish, excluding Rays and Sharks.
6. I.G.F.A. rules will apply to tackle and method of take.
7. Weigh in time is from 12:00 PM to 6:00 PM Saturday and 12:00PM to 3:00PM Sunday. You must be in the Dana Landing Basin and be visible from the weigh-in dock by **3:00 PM**.
8. Top boat shall be decided by the boat with the HEAVIEST WEIGHT of their top 3 fish of the tournament species.
9. Radio Communications will be on Channel 69. The club and other boats can be contacted on this channel.
10. Scoring: 4 points for first place, 3 for second, 2 for third, and one point for a fish weighed in of the targeted species. These points accumulate for all MBMC tournaments open to all members for the angling year 2005. A maximum of 8 tournaments will determine the total score for each angler and boat. A minimum of 5 tournaments during the year must be fished to be in contention for the top boat or angler.
11. You are responsible for having all the necessary California Fishing Licenses and Mexican Fishing Permits when fishing California and/or Mexican waters. You should also be aware of the laws governing the number and size of fish in your possession.
12. All protests must be received in writing no later than one hour after final weigh-in and will be reviewed by the Protest Committee for validity.
13. Tournament results will be posted, and awards given immediately after final weigh in on Sunday.
14. Payouts for first, second, and third place will be based on a percentage of the total amount of entry fees collected.

2005 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday	August 19	Marlin Seminar
Saturday & Sunday	August 20-21	MBMC Potpourri Tournament (Points)
<i>Saturday & Sunday</i>	<i>August 21-22</i>	<i>San Diego Rod & Reel Club BIG FISH Tournament</i>
September	September 1-25	MBMC Month-Long Marlin Tournament (Points)
<i>Saturday & Sunday</i>	<i>September 10-11</i>	<i>San Diego Marlin Club-I.L.T.T. Tournament</i>
<i>Saturday & Sunday</i>	<i>September 24-25</i>	<i>Make-A-Wish Tuna Challenge</i>
Tentative—Saturday	October 1	MBMC - 31st annual Charity Heart Marlin Tournament
Tentative—Sunday	October 2	Charity Heart Marlin Tournament Awards Banquet
Saturday & Sunday	October 15-16	MBMC Tuna Tournament (Points)

31st MBMC CHARITY HEART

MARLIN TOURNAMENT

EARLYBIRD SIGNUP DEADLINE - SEPTEMBER 18

CAPTAIN'S MEETING - SEPTEMBER 30

TOURNAMENT - OCTOBER 1

AWARDS BANQUET - OCTOBER 2

Entry forms have been mailed to members. They also can be printed out from the MBMC website. Sign up early and get a chance to win a 30 lb class rod and reel. Contact Alan Pitcairn at 858-454-7726 for more info or to help out with the Tournament.

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