

OOPsLINE



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE by DAN MUSLIN

I am writing this message on the morning of July 4th. I hope everyone had a great holiday. Membership keeps climbing. Thanks to all of you for helping to find new members that enjoy our passion for fishing and having fun.

The weather during the month still continued to be a little nasty. The albacore showed up in limited numbers along with a few bluefin. Bluefin are sure good to eat based on my personal experience. We were lucky to get one. There are plenty of 8# to 12# yellowtail under the paddies. Sometime it is hard to get them to bite.

The month of June started with a great seminar on June 1st with guest speakers Barry Brightenberg and Elliot Taniguchi talking about the "How Tos" of catching bass. On June 2nd and 3rd we had the Bass Tournament. It was fished by 29 anglers on 9 boats. Top Anglers were Phil Erickson, Betty Jo Lively and Eric Risen with the Encounter taking Top Boat honors. Next up during the month was a seminar on June 22nd. The speaker was Marc Mueller from Bay Park Fish Company. He gave a great presentation on the care of that fresh fish you just caught. Also Elliot Taniguchi stopped by again and provided some awesome fish recipes. The next two days saw the Potpourri Tournament. It was greet with rough water conditions but some brave soles did venture offshore. There were 32 anglers fishing on 12 boats. The top anglers were John Pye, Aileen Sanchez and Madison Rooney. Top Boat honors went to The Menu.

June really was a busy month for the club but look out for what July has to bring. We start with a can't miss marlin seminar on July 20th given by Mike "The Beak" Hurt. If you ever wanted to get some "secrets" about marlin fishing this is the place to be. Hopefully you will be able to use this information soon to go out and catch that fish marlin of the season. Make sure you make your reservations for this evening. The next day will be the Yellowtail Tournament. This should be a good one with all the yellowtail around under the paddies. Then to top off the weekend we will have our annual Luau. This one promises to be the best one yet.

As the water seems to be warming who knows we might have dorado, yellowfin and even marlin by the end of the month. Hope to see you at the meetings and on the water.

Tight Lines and Following Seas- Dan Muslin

CLUB HIGHLIGHTS

- ♦ ***Friday, July 20th
Capt. Meeting /
Seminar***
- ♦ ***July 21st Yellowtail
Tournament***
- ♦ ***July 22nd, MBMC
Luau***

2007 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday	July 20	Capt. Meeting / Seminar
Saturday	July 21	MBMC Yellowtail Tournament (Points)
Sunday	July 22	MBMC Annual Luau
Friday	August 24	Capt. Meeting / Seminar
Saturday & Sunday	August 25 - 26	MBMC What's Hot Tournament (Points)
September	September 1-30	MBMC Roy Lively Month-Long Marlin Tournament (Points)
Friday & Saturday	September 7 - 8	San Diego Marlin Club-I.L.T.T. Tournament
Saturday	September 22	MBMC 33rd Annual Charity Heart Marlin Tournament
Sunday	September 23	MBMC Charity Heart Tournament Banquet
Saturday	September 29	Make-A-Wish Tuna Challenge
Saturday & Sunday	October 13 - 14	MBMC Tuna Tournament (Points)

2007 MEMBERSHIP NEWS

2007 Membership is up to 212 members!!

Welcome to new members **Scott Pastore and Tyson Ryan** aboard *Triple Strike*, and **Lance Fisher** aboard *Lively One*.

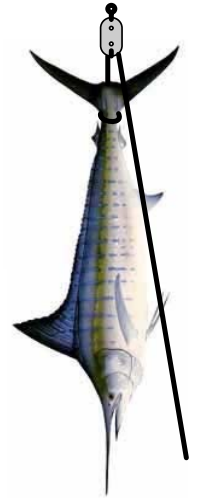
If you need extra membership forms or have questions about club membership, call Paul Himmelberger at 858-457-1047.

MBMC NEWS IN BRIEF

- ◆ Check out the schedule of events for the year, and remember, in addition to the tournaments listed on the 2007 schedule of events, on **the Friday evening before each tournament** there will be a captain's meeting so mark your calendars accordingly.
- ◆ Entry Form and Rules for the upcoming Yellowtail tournament are in this Oopline.
- ◆ Visit our website at <http://missionbaymarlinclub.org>. Download your favorite photos, read the latest posts on the discussion boards, & download tournament entry forms & rules.
- ◆ Don't forget to RSVP for the Luau by July 17th. Also, if anyone has a boombox that we could use for the Luau it would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Donna or Kimber if you can help us with this.

THE WEIGHMASTER'S REPORT

June proved to be a huge month for large fish weighed at the scales by MBMC members. Tom Dow made a statement catching a 38.2 lb bluefin near the nine mile bank for the first tuna of the year capture. Bob Buxton brought in a big mossback yellowtail at 36.2 lbs. The first albacore of the year were weighed, the first albacore capture will be announced on the club website shortly. But none were larger than Frank Trucchio's 40.8 lb White Seabass to win June's Fish of the Month. Congratulations Frank on catching such a toad croaker!



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 weigh master by **phone and FAX** as soon as possible. Original weigh slips from other certified scales should be mailed to the Weigh master. Clearly indicate species, weight, line test, angler name and location caught. Fish weighed in at Dana Landing Market, please make sure that you leave the white copy of your weight slip at their office for the weigh master to pick up.

LARRY RISEN IS THE NEW WEIGHMASTER FOR 2007

LARRY RISEN, WEIGHMASTER— Phone: 760-402-4774 Fax: 760-603-9535

Mail: Larry Risen

7614 Calle Madero Carlsbad, CA 92009

E-mail: risen@biotrak.com

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

FISH OF THE MONTH

JANUARY	Sean Burke	6.4	Rock cod	JULY			
FEBRUARY	Ken Yasuda	12.9	Yellowtail	AUGUST			
MARCH	Dave LaGuardia	9.4	Lingcod	SEPTEMBER			
APRIL	John Noble	10.8	Lingcod	OCTOBER			
MAY	Ken Yasuda	32.6	White Sea Bass	NOVEMBER			
JUNE	Frank Trucchio	40.8	White Sea Bass	DECEMBER			

POTPOURRI TOURNAMENT RESULTS

12 Boats with 32 anglers weighed in 17 fish. 2 yellowtail, 1 bluefin, 5 albacore, 4 barracuda, 3 calico, 2 rockfish.

Good going for what I heard were Maytag ocean conditions on Saturday.

Overall :

1. John Pye - 30.4 # YT (\$125)
2. Dan Bailey - 25.8 # Albie (\$85)
3. Madison Rooney - 23.6 # Albie (\$40)

Men's :

1. John Pye - 30.4 # YT
2. Dan Bailey - 25.8 # Albie
3. Mike Bratton - 22.3 # Albie

Juniors:

1. Madison Rooney - 23.6 # Albie
2. Eric Risen - 23.3 # YT

Top Boat :

1. The Menu - 76.2 #
2. Scott's Johnny - 69.3 #
3. Lively One - 12.3 #

Women's:

1. Aileen Sanchez - 6.8 # Barracuda
2. Donna McKee - 5.5 # Barracuda
3. Kimber Reed - 5.1 # Barracuda

Jackpot:

John Pye - 30.4 # YT (\$135)

LARGEST SPECIES TO DATE

SPECIES	MEN		WOMEN		JUNIOR	
	NAME	LBS.	NAME	LBS.	NAME	LBS.
BARRACUDA	Bob Hargraves	3.8	Aileen Sanchez	6.8		
BONITO	Rich Mott	10.1				
CALICO, SPOTTED BAY, SAND BASS	Harry Okuda	4.9	Betty Jo Lively	3.0	Eric Risen	4.3
HALIBUT	Jerry Lively	26.6	Gloria Himmelberger	7.4	Eric Risen	8.6
WHITE SEA BASS	Frank Trucchio	40.8				
YELLOWTAIL	Bob Buxton	36.2			Eric Risen	23.3
LINGCOD	John Noble	10.8	Kimber Reed	4.7	Kyle Charest	4.8
ROCKCOD	Dave LaGuardia	9.2	Gloria Himmelberger	5.5	Eric Risen	6.25
DORADO						
ALBACORE	Dan Bailey	25.8	Donna McKee	24.3	Madison Rooney	23.6
BLUEFIN TUNA	Tom Dow	38.2				
YELLOWFIN or BIG EYE TUNA						
MARLIN						
SWORDFISH						

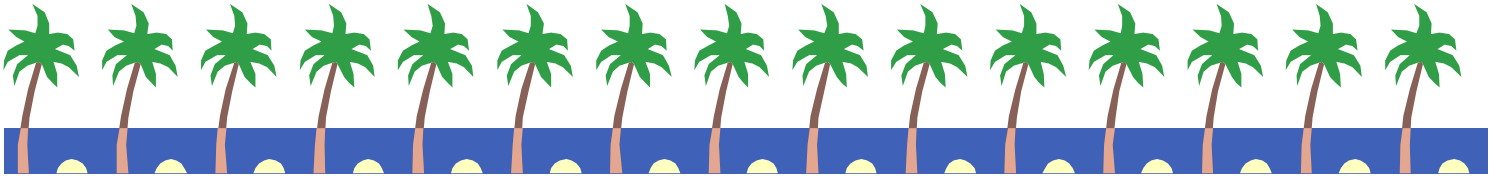
2007 POINT STANDINGS

Male Angler	Pts.	Female Angler	Pts.	Junior Angler	Pts.	Top Boat	Pts.
LARRY RISEN	7	AILEEN SANCHEZ	16	ERIC RISEN	15	SCOTTS JOHNNY	10
PHIL ERICKSON	6	KIMBER REED	10	MADISON ROONEY	7	LIVELY ONE	8
DAN BAILEY	6	GLORIA HIMMELBERGER	9	KYLE CHAREST	3	REEL ESTATE	7
JON PYE	6	DONNA MCKEE	8			THE MENU	7
DAVE LAGUARDIA	5	BETTY JO LIVELY	4			KNOT NOW	6
GERRY LIVELY	5	SUE MERCER	3			GREY WOLF	4
JOHN NOBLE	4					ENCOUNTER	4
GERRY CHAREST	4					RADAR	4
PAUL HIMMELBERGER	4					ROUGHNECK	3
BOB HARGRAVES	4					KARIBIK	3
JOSE SANCHEZ	4					BAD TO THE BONE	2
MIKE BRATTON	4					ELIZA NELL	2

MBMC Charity Heart Tournament - 2007

The Heart Tournament Chairman, Alan Pitcairn, would like to ask **all members to come up with at least one name for a potential new donor.** You can e-mail the contact information and address to Alan at apitcairn@san.rr.com or call him at 858-454-7726, and he will send them a letter. **In order for this event to be a success we need your help!**

We also need volunteers to help in preparing for the event as well as volunteers on the day of the event. If you or someone you know is willing to help in any way, please contact Alan at the phone number or e-mail address listed above.



MBMC LUAU



Sunday, July 22nd, 2007

Starts @ 12:00pm Food @ 1:00 pm

Entertainment by Motu Nehenehe Polynesian Dancers

Casting Contest following the show!

\$20 Members, \$25 Non Members & \$10 Kids, 12 & under

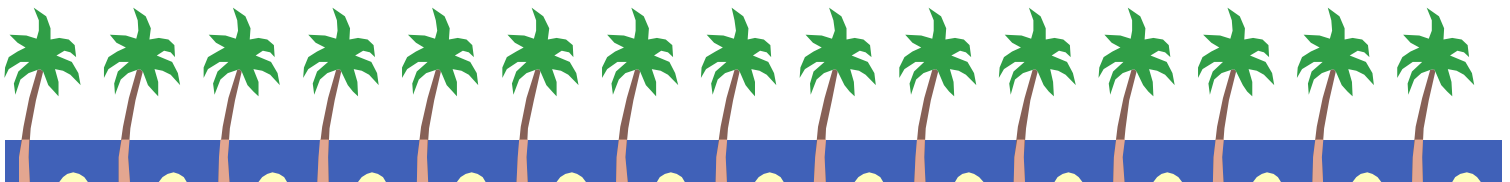
Raffles will include a Torium 20 Reel and an EAL Lure

NEAR GAZEBO AT MARINER'S POINT ON MISSION BAY
(Gazebo is South of West Mission Bay Dr. and West of the Bridge)

PARKING CAN BE TROUBLESOME IN SUMMER,
SO MAKE PLANS TO COME EARLY

MENU

KALUA PORK, BBQ CHICKEN, SHORT RIBS, RICE, ISLAND SALAD,
MAI TAI'S, BLUE HAWAIIANS, BEER, WINE, SOFT DRINKS



MBMC YELLOWTAIL TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM

JULY 21, 2007

Entry fees are \$15.00 per MBMC member, & \$20.00 per guest. An optional \$5.00 cash jackpot fee will be collected from those who wish to participate. The heaviest single Yellowtail of the tournament will collect the optional jackpot.

Saturday July 21, 2007 fishing starts at 12:01 AM and continues until you can make the weigh in at 6:00 PM at the Dana Landing dock. You must be in the Dana Landing Basin and be visible from the weigh-in dock by 6:00 pm. Since this is a one day tournament, fish may be weighed in by Dana Landing personnel no later than 10:00 am on Sunday July 22, 2007.

Tournament entry fees & forms will be collected at Dana Landing Market & Fuel Dock. All entries must be submitted by 8:00 pm on Friday July 20, 2007 at Dana Landing, in person, or faxed to the tournament chairman at 858-459-1011.

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 _____

Boat Name _____ Size _____ CF _____ Entry paid on _____

Signature _____ Total Amt. Paid _____

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.

In the event of weather conditions and/or any other potential reason to cancel or postpone the tournament, a message will be left on the MBMC message machine at 619-224-8862. The decision will be made by the board no later than 9:00 pm the day before the tournament and put on the message machine as well as posted on the web site. Please check either the message line and/or the web site if conditions look questionable. M.B. Lifeguard current weather conditions and warnings can be heard at 619-221-8824.

YELLOWTAIL TOURNAMENT RULES

1. Tournament will be one day, commencing Saturday, JULY 21, 2007@ 12:01 AM and ending @ 6:00 PM.
2. Tournament entry fees will be collected at Dana Landing Market and Fuel Dock. All entries must be submitted by 8:00 PM Friday JULY 20, 2007 at Dana Landing, in person, or faxed to the tournament chairman at 858-459-1011.
3. **All entries not paid at time of sign-up must be paid in full by 6:00 pm on Saturday, to be eligible for the tournament.**
4. Fishing area is from San Martin Island to the south and San Miguel Island to the north.
5. I.G.F.A. rules will apply to tackle and method of take.
6. Weigh in time is from 12:00 PM to 6:00 PM on Saturday. You must be in the Dana Landing Basin and be visible from the weigh-in dock by 6:00 PM. In addition, fish may be weighed in on Sunday, no later 10:00am.
7. Top boat shall be decided by the boat with the HEAVIEST WEIGHT of their top 3 fish of the tournament species. The species targeted in this tournament is Yellowtail.
8. 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 2007. 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.
9. Payouts for first, second, and third overall heaviest target fish will be based on a percentage of the total amount of entry fees collected.
10. Radio Communications will be on Channel 69. The club and other boats can be contacted on this channel.
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 soon after final weigh-in on Saturday. Awards will be presented at the next social event if not sooner.

MISSION BAY MARLIN CLUB
2590 INGRAHAM STREET
SAN DIEGO, CA 92109

