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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE by Jerry Lively

Well gang, the marlin season is on us. Some of you will be fishing the Make a Wish Tuna Tournament this weekend. Others will be out dragging lures hoping the marlin are going to bite. Whatever our choice this is the month of big fish and even bigger stories.

We have the Heart Tournament coming up on the 19th of this month. Please support the club in effort and enter. The same weekend is The Marlin Clubs ILTT tournament. This was a scheduling debacle which the board tried to avoid but was unsuccessful. We arranged to comply with the ILTT release format for the Heart Tournament entries who wish to fish both tournaments. I plan on fishing both and hope others will follow suit.

The season is upon us and now is the time to consider a position on the board for next year. Many of us on the board have been there for a couple of years and would prefer to step down. We need some fresh blood and vigor on the board. I really appreciate those that have stepped up to the plate and are getting this stuff done for our club. Thanks to all these members for supporting us.

The month long Marlin Tournament rules and guidelines are out. It's \$50 a boat and runs for the whole month. What a great deal. Enter now.

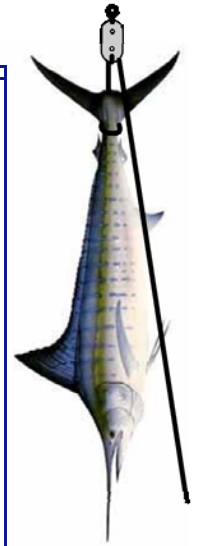
I got to get this in the mail so goodbye for now. Untie those lines and fire up those engines. These fish do not stick around.

Jerry Lively

CLUB HIGHLIGHTS

- ***MBMC Month Long Marlin Tournament Sept 1st - 30th, 2009***
- ***MBMC 35th Annual Charity Heart Marlin Tournament, Sept. 19th & banquet on Sept 20th***

THE WEIGHMASTER'S REPORT



New Member Steve Howard Takes August FOM

A huge and unexpected 125# Opa is what wins August FOM for Steve. Just joining the club on the 14th (at the request of his friend Jeff Behr). He takes down the 116.5# Marlin caught on Jeff's boat by Dan Bailey, sorry Dan & Jeff.

I happened to be on the water when Steve landed his Opa and got to hear the story over the radio, but for those of that weren't that lucky here is Steve's version.

I took my 2 daughters out at noon to look for porpoise and just get on the water for a couple of hours. We were trolling for about 30 minutes 10-11 miles from MB on the north 9 and I lost my hat in the wind. I circled back and reeled in the short trollers but left the long cedar out while I picked up the hat out of the water. I went to reel in the cedar and after I took up the slack, something pulled back! 25 minutes later with both daughters watching from the bridge up comes the Opa - the biggest fish I've landed on the boat and the 1st one of these ever!

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.

MARK BOWMAN IS THE NEW WEIGHMASTER FOR 2008

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DANA LANDING FUEL DOCK SCALE— 6:00AM TO 8:00PM—(619) 226-2929

FISH OF THE MONTH

JANUARY	Charles Dodd	19.5 #	Halibut	JULY	Sue Mercer	64 #	White Sea Bass
FEBRUARY	John Noble	40 #	Yellowtail	AUGUST	Steve Howard	125#	Opa
MARCH	Bill Kolt	11.7 #	Lingcod	SEPTEMBER			
APRIL	Bill Kolt	15.7 #	Lingcod	OCTOBER			
MAY	Jeff Meeker	23.4 #	Halibut	NOVEMBER			
JUNE	Ken Yasuda	47.3 #	White Sea Bass	DECEMBER			

LARGEST SPECIES TO DATE

SPECIES	MEN		WOMEN		JUNIOR	
	NAME	LBS.	NAME	LBS.	NAME	LBS.
BARRACUDA	Jose Sanchez	3.8				
BONITO	Jeff Steinhardt	6.3				
CALICO, SPOTTED BAY, SAND BASS	Aaron Siggins	7.6	Mako Ogden	3.2	Samantha Green	1.8
HALIBUT	Jeff Meeker	23.4	Trish Carlin	12.3		
WHITE SEA BASS	Dave LaGuardia	59.2	Susan Mercer	64		
YELLOWTAIL	Jeff Steinhardt	48.9	Susan Mercer	20.7		
LINGCOD	Bill Kolt	15.7				
ROCKCOD	Clayton Dumstorff	8.7	Renee Shoberg	5.2	Max Dumstorff	6.7
DORADO	Jeff Steinhardt	24.9				
ALBACORE	Joe Azar	45.8	Trish Carlin	26.9	Max Dumstorff	23
BLUEFIN TUNA	Tom Dow	27.2				
YELLOWFIN or BIG EYE TUNA	Kevin Shannon	29.1				
MARLIN	Dan Bailey	116.5				
SWORDFISH						

2009 POINT STANDINGS

Male Angler	Pts.	Female Angler	Pts.	Junior Angler	Pts.	Top Boat	Pts.
BOB HARGRAVES	9	TRISH CARLIN	16	MAX DUMSTORFF	11	RACHEL	13
MIKE FISHER	8	DONNA MCKEE	14	SAMANTHA GREEN	8	RADAR	11
ERIK SIMONSEN	7	AILEEN SANCHEZ	6	TED SHOBERG	3	SCOTT'S JOHNNY	11
TOM DOW	7	MAKO OGDEN	5			DOG HOUSE	7
KEVIN SHANNON	7	RENEE SHOBERG	4			LIVELY ONE	7
CLAYTON DUMSTORFF	7	LAURA OGDEN	2			HASTA LA VISTA	6
JEFF BEHR	7					DIVE INN	6
CLINT LIVELY	6					ALBIRBAC	6
JEFF MEEKER	6					LAURA LEE	5
GERRY PEREZ	6					BUENA ONDA	5
JOE AZAR	6					KARIBIK	3
DAN CARLIN	5						
DAN BAILEY	5						
DAVE LAGUARDIA	5						
JERRY LIVELY	5						

MBMC 2009 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

September	Sept. 1-30	MBMC Month Long Marlin Tournament (points)
Saturday	Sept. 19	MBMC 35 th Charity Heart Marlin Tournament
Sunday	Sept. 20	Heart Tournament Banquet
Saturday & Sunday	Oct. 10 - 11	MBMC What's Hot Tournament (points)
Saturday & Sunday	Nov. 7 - 8	MBMC Ling Cod Tournament (points)

2009 MBMC Marlin Weigh-in Statistics

Marlin weighed in or released

No.	Date	Angler	Member	Boat	Captain	Wt. / Rel	Tackle	Location	Bait or Jig	Status/Qualifications
1	8/19/09	Rick Maya	N	Dougout	Doug Kern	Rel		9	Bait	1st Release
2	8/20/09	Dan Bailey	Y	Rachel	Jeff Behr	116.5	60#	Cor. Cany.	Jig	1st Catch
3	8/23/09	Donna McKee	Y	Radar	Bob Hargraves	REI	50#	8 mi off Encinitas	Jig	50#
4	8/26/09	Doug Kern	Y	Dougout	Rick Maya	Rel	40#	9	Jig	40#
5	8/27/09	Sean Burke	Y	Encounter	Alex Edwards	101.5	30#	9	Jig	30#
6	8/27/09	John Ashley	Y	Lanai Kai	Chuch Maunez	106	50#	9	Jig	50#
7	8/29/09	Chris Meeker	Y	Dog House	Jeff Meeker	Rel	50#	15mi MB	Bait	
8	8/29/09	Conan Hougntaling	N	Dog House	Jeff Meeker	104.5	40#	15mi MB	Jig	
9	8/29/08	Jon Shoberg	Y	Crossroads	Ted Shoberg	96.4	40#	9	Jig	
11										
12										
13										
14										

TUNA TOURNAMENT RESULTS

32 Anglers on 9 Boats gave it their best shot at the elusive tuna however only 5 boats caught fish, it's been a strange year at best! Boats headed West towards the Butterfly Bank or south towards 295 and beyond where the catching was a little better. Hasta La Vista found gold south below the 238 where Tom Dow landed the Jackpot Fish with a 30.7 pound Albie. John Ash's 28.1 pound chicken secured Third Place and helped the Hasta La Vista nail down Top Boat with a 86.8# total. The Lively One hit the Hidden Bank area for a nice string of Albacore led by Clint Lively's 26.3 to take Second Place Boat with 77.3 pounds. Third Place Boat went to Gerry Perez's Buena Onda where Kevin Shannon took a 29.1 YFT for Second Place Male. Trish Carlin took a 26.9# albie to finish as Top Women aboard the Dive Inn. Max Dumsporff was the only Junior Angler to get points with a 23.0 Albacore.

Standings:

Top Boat - Hasta La Vista 86.8 Lively One 77.3 Buena Onda 70.2

Top Male Angler - Tom Dow 30.7 Kevin Shannon 29 John Ash 28.1

Top Female - Trish Carlin 26.7 Albacore

Top Junior - Max Dumsporff 23.0 Albacore

Giftcards will be available Wednesday

Tom Dow 1st \$125 Giftcard + \$155 Cash JP

Kevin Shannon 2nd \$75 Giftcard

John Ash 3rd \$50 Giftcard

Fishing Photos From This Year

We need your favorite fishing photos for the slide show presentation at our 35th annual Heart Tournament. As you know from the past during the Heart Tournament Banquet we have a ongoing slide show. Each year we try to put as many pictures as possible from the current year into the slide show, so we need your help.

Please send your favorites photos to me or you can put them on a disk and give them to me or mail them to the club at 2590 Ingraham Street San Diego, CA 92109.

We need to have them ASAP or by the 14th of Sept. at the very latest.

Photo's Wanted for the Yearbook

One of the most exciting things about the yearbook are the photos that go into it. Now is the time to take those photos of you catching, releasing or just showing it off. Please send Dan Muslin, dmuslin1@san.rr.com, some photos so he can include them in the next yearbook. This is your chance to show off yourself or crew to the club.

THE 2009 ROY LIVELY MONTH-LONG MARLIN TOURNAMENT

September 1 – September 30, 2009

Entry fees are \$50.00 per MBMC Member Boat, The target species of this tournament are marlin. The heaviest single marlin in each Division will collect the \$100 1st Place Prize. Tournament Points will be awarded to each Member and Member Boat submitting either weigh slips or release slips.

Tuesday September 1, 2009, fishing starts at 12:01 AM and continues all month until Wednesday, September 30, 2009. Final weigh-in is required no later than 6:00 pm September 30, 2009, at the Dana Landing dock.

Tournament entry fees will be collected at Dana Landing Market & Fuel Dock. Entries must be submitted at Dana Landing or faxed to 858-549 0604, **prior to fishing**, and must be paid in full by 6:00pm, on Wednesday, September 30th to remain eligible for the tournament.

Captain's name #1 _____ Member Y or N Jr.

Address _____

Phone _____ entry amount \$ _____

Angler's name #2 _____ Member Y or N Jr.

Address _____

Phone _____

Angler's name #3 _____ Member Y or N Jr.

Address _____

Phone _____

Angler's name #4 _____ Member Y or N Jr.

Address _____

Phone _____

Boat name _____ Size _____ CF _____ Entry paid on _____

Signature _____ Total Pd. \$50 _____

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.

THE 2009 ROY LIVELY MONTH-LONG MARLIN TOURNAMENT RULES

1. Tournament will be during the month of September, commencing Tuesday September 1, 2009, fishing starts at 12:01 AM and continues during the month until Wednesday September 30, 20089, at 6:00 pm. All participants are eligible to fish any of those days.
2. Tournament entry fees of **\$50 per boat with no angler fees** will be collected at Dana Landing Market and Fuel Dock. All entries must be submitted to Dana Landing, **prior to fishing** in person, or faxed to 858-549-0604.
3. **All anglers, members and non-members, on any Club Boat which paid to participate are eligible.** Additional anglers may be added to qualified entered boats at any time, provided a completed entry form is submitted at Dana Landing in person, or faxed to 858-549-0604, **prior to fishing**. Only fish caught or released on paid boat will qualify.
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 **marlin only**.
6. I.G.F.A. rules will apply to tackle and method of take.
7. You must be in the Dana Landing Basin and be visible from the weigh-in dock by tournament end at **6:00 PM on September 30, 2009**, for your catch to count.
8. Top boat shall be decided by the member boat with the most points. One pound = 1 point for weighed in fish. Released fish = 150 points. Top Angler in each division (Men's, Women's, and Juniors) shall be decided by the total points for **the largest single fish submitted during the tourney**. In the case of a tie (only Releases submitted or exact weight), a random drawing will be held to determine 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places using one chance per submitted fish. **A released fish must be photographed and CLEARLY DEPICT THE MARLIN AND LEADER IN HAND. The completed release form & photograph must be turned in to the MBMC weighmaster within 10 days of the release, and you must notify the club within 36 hours of the release, by radio, telephone or fax with all of the information that is included on the release form, to qualify for points or any awards.**
9. 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 2009. A maximum of 8 of 9 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.
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. Awards will be presented at one of the following club events.
14. Payouts will be \$100 for 1st Place in each division (Top Male, Top Female, Top Junior, and Top Boat).

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