

# OOPsLINE



## **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE** by Jeff Meeker

Well if you haven't noticed it by now, Summer is here and with it comes all the fantastic fishing opportunities such as our recently completed Halibut/ White Sea Bass Tourney postponed from May 22<sup>nd</sup> due to weather and rescheduled for June 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>. The weather was much nicer and a few fish cooperated on the first day with Donna McKee in the lead with a 31 pound halibut taken off the Coronado's, Eric Simonsen's 25 off MB and Mike Bratton's 23.5 pound butt off Imperial Beach holding on to Second and Third with a few fish taken in the teens as well by several others. I can remember years when weights like this would be money with no chance to raise the bar but this year was quite different. The second day saw quite a few boats out there again pounding the sand and it paid off for John Pye on his own "The Menu" right off the MB Jetty with his granddaughter Madison. Around mid morning or so John landed a personal best 41.9 # flatty and sounded exhausted on the radio after the catch. And that was just the beginning of an incredible day. Later in the day Madison became a little seasick but John coaxed her into just one more drift; the 13 year old beauty sucked it up and put out her bait one last time. It didn't take long but Madison noticed her rod became heavy like she was snagged on the bottom but then it took off taking 65# Spectra off the Torium 14 at a pretty good rate so John had to reel in and back the boat down on the fish almost getting spooled in the process. Maddy stayed cool and kept the pressure on the fish and regained the line back on the reel, soon after the 49.5# White Sea Bass hit the deck on John's second attempt and although they didn't know it then we now have a potential 3<sup>rd</sup> Female Member with a possible World Record Catch (Renee Shoberg, Yellowtail; Sue Mercer, White Sea bass) for the Junior Division All Tackle. Both Fish were Personal Bests and ended up sweeping 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place along with Top Boat which came close to delivering IRS 1099 Form to John with all that booty he made off with! Several Boats weighed in several nice fish and there were quite a few to be caught; we didn't have anything close to the fish that placed however the Doghouse took 15 fish home over the 2 days, with nothing under 26" and several cookie cutter 8-10# fish. If you didn't fish the Tourney, you missed out!

Our next Tournament, the Calico/Sand/Spotted Bay Bass Tourney is next weekend the 19<sup>th</sup> with a Captain's Meeting Friday night @ 6PM. Doug Kern of Fisherman's Landing will present the latest and greatest. Be sure to email Donna with your reservation so we can get a head count. And don't forget the upcoming MBMC Luau Saturday July 17<sup>th</sup> at a site to be determined. The process for reserving areas in Mission Bay for Private parties has radically changed and we were unable to get Mariner's Point this year ; we have Ventura Cove by the Bahia Hotel scheduled but it has not been finalized yet. We could probably have it in the Marina Village Parking Lot and still have fun, but that's not our desire.

See you At the Captain's Meeting, Jeff Meeker

### CLUB HIGHLIGHTS

- ◆ **MBMC Capt. Meeting/ Seminar Friday, June 18th**
- ◆ **MBMC Bass Tournament, June 19th & 20th**
- ◆ **MBMC Luau, July 17th**

# THE WEIGHMASTER'S REPORT



## Ronson Stermer wins FOM with a 23.4 # Yellowtail

Ronson and his father were out for a day of thresher fishing with no luck. The backup plan was to drift for halibut off PB pier. Set up off the pier, and in the middle of rigging their halibut gear, up pop's the yellow's right off the stern. Scramble time, get a stick, bait it and hit the water. Nice yellowtail on the deck just like they planned.

**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 WEIGHMASTER FOR 2010

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

## FISH OF THE MONTH

JANUARY	Trish Carlin	30.1	Halibut	JULY			
FEBRUARY	Sean Kaus	19.5	Ling Cod	AUGUST			
MARCH	Dennis Ogden	25	Yellowtail	SEPTEMBER			
APRIL	Sean Kaus	24.4	Yellowtail	OCTOBER			
MAY	Ronson Stermer	23.4	Yellowtail	NOVEMBER			
JUNE				DECEMBER			

## Halibut / White Sea Bass Tournament Results

There were 15 Boats and 44 anglers in the tournament

### Overall

1st - Madison Rooney - 49.6 # WSB \$178 Gift Card & \$195 Cash Jackpot

2nd - John Pye - 41.9 # Halibut \$106 Gift Card

3rd - Donna McKee - 31.5 # Halibut \$71 Gift Card

### Boats

1st - The Menu - 96.8 #

2nd - Radar - 39.8 #

3rd - Lively One - 39.3 #

### Women's

1st - Donna McKee - 31.5 # Halibut

2nd - Denyse Huff - 16.3 # Halibut

3rd - Aileen Sanchez - 7.4 # Halibut

### Men's

1st - John Pye - 41.9 # Halibut

2nd - Erik Simonsen - 25 # Halibut

3rd - Mike Bratton - 23.3 # Halibut

### Junior's

1st - Madison Rooney - 49.6 # WSB

2nd - Ivan Owen - 6.8 # Halibut

## LARGEST SPECIES TO DATE

SPECIES	MEN		WOMEN		JUNIOR	
	NAME	LBS.	NAME	LBS.	NAME	LBS.
BARRACUDA	John Pye	7.0	Donna McKee	5.7		
BONITO						
CALICO, SPOTTED BAY, SAND BASS	Russ Hughes	2.9	Millie Velez	4.0	Samantha Green	1.0
HALIBUT	John Pye	41.9	Donna McKee	31.5	Ivan Owen	6.8
WHITE SEA BASS					Madison Rooney	49.6
YELLOWTAIL	Dennis Ogden	25	Trish Carlin	20.7		
LINGCOD	Shawn Kaus	19.5				
ROCKCOD	Jeff Steinhardt	8.5	Trish Carlin	5.2	Madison Rooney	4.4
DORADO						
ALBACORE						
BLUEFIN TUNA						
YELLOWFIN or BIG EYE TUNA						
MARLIN						
SWORDFISH						

## MBMC 2010 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday	June 18, 2010	MBMC Capt. Meeting / Seminar
Saturday & Sunday	June 19 - 20, 2010	MBMC Calico/Sand/Spotted Bay Bass Tournament
Saturday	July 17, 2010	MBMC Luau
Saturday & Sunday	July 24 - 25, 2010	MBMC Yellowtail Tournament
Saturday & Sunday	August 14 - 15, 2010	MBMC Tuna Tournament
September	Sept. 1 - 30, 2010	MBMC Month Long Marlin Tournament
Saturday	Sept. 18, 2010	MBMC 36th Annual Charity Heart Marlin Tournament
Sunday	Sept. 19, 2010	MBMC Charity Heart Awards Banquet
Saturday & Sunday	Oct. 9 - 10, 2010	MBMC What's Hot Tournament
Saturday & Sunday	Nov. 13 - 14, 2010	MBMC Ling Cod Tournament

## 2010 POINT STANDINGS

Male Angler	Pts.	Female Angler	Pts.	Junior Angler	Pts.	Top Boat	Pts.
JEFF STEINHARDT	6	DONNA McKEE	11	MADISON ROONEY	8	RACHEL	7
JOHN PYE	6	DENYSE HUFF	8	MAX DUMSTORFF	4	SCOTT'S JOHNNY	6
JEFF BEHR	5	TRISH CARLIN	4	SAM GREEN	3	THE MENU	6
CLINTON LIVELY	5	MAKO OGDEN	3	IVAN OWEN	3	BUENA ONDA	5
KEVIN SHANNON	5	AILEEN SANCHEZ	2	HAN LA GUARDIA	2	LIVELY ONE	5
MIKE BRATTON	5	MANDY HARGRAVES	1			RADAR	5
ERIK SIMONSEN	5	LAURA OGDEN	1			TIME OUT	4
MARK GREINER	4					SUBLIMELY	3
BOB HARGRAVES	3					LAURA LEE	2
RUSS HUGHES	3					DOGHOUSE	2
DAN BAILEY	3					ALBIEBAC	2
SETH PAINE	3					BOTTOMLINE	1
LANCE FISHER	3					KARIBIK	1
GERRY PEREZ	2					DIVE INN	1
DENNIS OGDEN	2						
JEFF MEEKER	2						
ROBERT ETHINGTON	2						
JERRY LIVELY	2						
CORREY SMITH	2						
CLAYTON DUMSTORFF	2						

### MBMC 2010 Membership

2010 Membership is up to 167 Members. If you have not renewed your membership It is not too late to do it. You must have your membership current to be eligible for fuel discounts, etc.

MBMC welcomes new members **Ray & Jenne Millman** aboard *Go The Distance*, **Darrell Huddleston** aboard *Huddquarters*, and **Barbara Karleen & Hank Cureton** aboard *Barefoot'n II*.

**MBMC CALICO/SANDBASS, SPOTTED BASS TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM**

**June 19 & 20, 2010**

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 single calico bass, Sand bass or Spotted Bay Bass of the tournament according to point total will collect the optional jackpot.

Friday Night Seminar @ 6PM Friday June 18, 2010; Saturday June 19, 2010 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 June 20, 2010 for this tournament and final weigh-in's are required no later than 6:00 pm at the Dana Landing dock.

Tournament entry fees will be collected at Dana Landing Market & Fuel Dock. All entries must be submitted by 6:00 pm, Friday June 18, 2010 at Dana Landing, or in person by the end of the seminar.

Angler's name #1 \_\_\_\_\_ Member Y or N Jr.

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ entry amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_ \$5 jackpot \_\_\_\_\_

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

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ entry amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_ \$5 jackpot \_\_\_\_\_

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

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ entry amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_ \$5 jackpot \_\_\_\_\_

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

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ entry amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_ \$5 jackpot \_\_\_\_\_

Boat Name \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_ CF \_\_\_\_\_ Entry paid on \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amt. Pd. \_\_\_\_\_

By signing 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 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.

# 2010 MBMC Calico, Sand, & Spotted Bay Bass Tournament Rules

1. Tournament will be two days, commencing Saturday, June 19, 2010 @ 12:01 AM and ending @ 6:00 PM Sunday June 20, 2010. 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 6:00 PM, Friday June 18, 2010 at Dana Landing, in person at the end of seminar, or faxed to the tournament chairman at 858-292-7952.
3. **All entries not paid at time of sign-up must be paid in full by 6:00 PM, on Sunday, June 20th 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 Saturday and 12:00PM to 6:00PM Sunday. You must be in the Dana Landing Basin and be visible from the weigh-in dock by 6:00 PM.
7. Top boat shall be decided by the boat (owned by a member) with the **MOST POINTS** of their top 3 fish of the tournament species. The species targeted in this tournament are **Calico bass and Sand bass which are worth 1 point per pound; Spotted Bay Bass are worth 2 points per pound.**
8. Scoring: 4 points for first place angler landing the largest **point adjusted target fish**, 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 2010. 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.
9. Payouts for first, second, and third overall largest **point adjusted 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. Awards will be available at the Dana Landing Tackle Shop by the end of the week..
14. **Optional Cash Jackpot:** A voluntary \$5 cash jackpot per person entry is available to enter, however all anglers fishing on the same boat except Junior Anglers must be entered in order to qualify for the winner-take-all largest **point adjusted fish** cash jackpot

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