

OOPsLINE



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE by Jeff Meeker

Well it's now the middle of October and with our first rains of the season I can pretty much tell you with confidence the worst offshore season in recent memory has finally come to a close. Although we had excellent participation in our Roy Lively Month Long Marlin Tournament, only 1 fish was qualified, and fortunately it was caught and released aboard the Doghouse by my son Chris during our Heart Tournament and the Marlin Club's ILTT. A total of 5 fish were recorded at our club during the month that I know of, the first caught fish aboard the Chiqelin by Lance Keller of 1 pounds, the first release aboard the Frantic, another release by Shane Hurt aboard the Chiqelin, a 166.7# FOM marlin taken by Paul Himmelberger aboard Rick Deitz's Hukilau (Paul was entered in the Tourney however Rick forgot to enter his boat), and Chris's release within 15 miles of the 43 on September 18th where most of the fish were encountered. Despite the economy and poor fishing the Heart Tourney was still a success with a sizable donation available to the American Heart Association again this year. I really want to thank all the members and sponsors who come through each and every year to support this great cause even in tough times. And it would never happen unless people like Alan Pitcairn, Dennis & Mako Ogden, Donna McKee, Larry Oberti, Dan Muslin and Ann Thompson, Kimber Reed, Jerry Lively, Trent Huls, Tom Dow, Mike Bratton, Dan & Trish Carlin, David and Dagmar Matsuura, Phillip Erickson, Doc Grosz, and our manager Rex stepped up and volunteered tremendous amounts of their time to make this the event it is. A special thanks to Gerry Charest for providing us with the outstanding venue again as he has done each and every year. "The Log" Newspaper donated Heart Tourney advertising to us the past couple of years and they mentioned the availability of our members to get this publication and "Fish Rap" delivered via email for free and rather than give them our membership list to them we feel it in your best interest to contact Anne Faster for an electronic subscription at anne@goboating.com. Several of us already get it this way and it's an excellent boating information source!

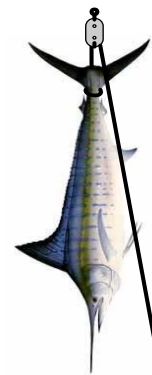
Our What's Hot Tourney this past October 9th & 10th proved to be one of a What's Not event as only 2 boats weighed in fish with none other than Gerry Perez's crew on the Buena Onda taking Top Boat and 1st & 2nd place fish on the first day of the Tourney. It's really been their year as the offshore scene goes, nailing the Number 1 Albacore and Tuna Flags and going the distance to get them. Mike Bratton gave up some secret tips and put on a fine seminar which shows why the Scott's Johnny Team is always up there among the crews vying for the Top Boat Award.

Don't forget our last Tourney of the Season, The Lingcod Tourney on November 13th & 14th with the Captain's Meeting on Friday the 12th. Check your OOPS LINE for current standings, and may the best member/crew win! See you there!

CLUB HIGHLIGHTS

- ◆ ***MBMC Capt. Meeting / Bingo Friday, Nov. 12th***
- ◆ ***MBMC Ling Cod Tournament Nov. 13th & 14th***

THE WEIGHMASTER'S REPORT



Sept. FOM Paul Himmelberger 166.7# marlin

Paul Himmelberger takes Sept. FOM with a 166.7# marlin pulled in off the 43. Paul was fishing with Rick Deitz on the Hukilau. Great job!

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	Shawn Bowman	53	Yellowtail
FEBRUARY	Sean Kaus	19.5	Ling Cod	AUGUST	Jeff Zachery	52.8	White Sea Bass
MARCH	Dennis Ogden	25	Yellowtail	SEPTEMBER	Paul Himmelberger	166.7	Marlin
APRIL	Sean Kaus	24.4	Yellowtail	OCTOBER			
MAY	Ronson Stermer	23.4	Yellowtail	NOVEMBER			
JUNE	Jeff Steinhardt	49.7	White Sea	DECEMBER			

Roy Lively Month Long Marlin Tournament Results

There were 17 boat entries with a crowd of anglers signed up
Too bad the fish were not as enthusiastic

There was only one fish that was released that counted in the month long tournament and that was on the Dog House and the angler was Chris Meeker.

Overall winner, and the top male - Chris Meeker

Top Boat - Doghouse

What's Hot Tournament Results

13 boats with 31 members & 13 non members entered and 4 fish weighed in

Overall winner, & Top Male - John Ash 24.4 # YFT \$185 cash jackpot & \$180 G.C

2nd place male - Gerry Perez 21.7 # YFT \$108 G.C.

Top Boat - Buena Onda - 46.1 #

3rd place Male - Clayton Dumstorff 10.3 # YFT \$72 G.C.

2nd place - Scott's Johnny 17.9 #

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	Seth Paine	7.5	Millie Velez Donna McKee	4.0 4.0	Samantha Green	1.0
HALIBUT	John Pye	41.9	Donna McKee	31.5	Ivan Owen	6.8
WHITE SEA BASS	Jeff Zachery	52.8	Millie Velez	40	Madison Rooney	49.6
YELLOWTAIL	Dennis Ogden	25	Donna McKee	22.4	Madison Rooney	30.9
LINGCOD	Shawn Kaus	19.5	Aileen Sanchez	5.4		
ROCKCOD	Jeff Steinhardt	8.5	Trish Carlin	5.2	Madison Rooney	4.4
DORADO						
ALBACORE	Bill Lyon	33.2				
BLUEFIN TUNA	Kevin Shannon	20.6				
YELLOWFIN or BIG EYE TUNA	Tom Dow	30.3				
MARLIN	Paul Himmelberger	166.7				
SWORDFISH						

2010 MBMC Marlin Weigh-in Statistics

Marlin weighed in or released

No.	Date	Angler	Member	Boat	Captain	Wt. / Rel	Tackle	Location	Bait or Jig	Status/Qualifies for
1	9/11/10	Lance Keller	Y	Chiqelin	Mike "Beak" Hurt	135.8	30	43	Bait	1st landed flag/emerald button
2	9/16/10	John Brudvik	Y	Frantic	Glen Holcomb	Rel	50	Kidney Bank	Jig	1st release flag
3	9/17/10	Shane Hurt	Y	Chiqelin	Mike "Beak" Hurt	Rel	40	43	Bait	
4	9/18/10	Chris Meeker	Y	Dog House	Jeff "Pres." Meeker	Rel	30	38m-226deg	Jig	
5	9/23/10	Paul Himmelberger	Y	Hukilau	Rick Deitz	166.7	50	43	Jig	
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2010 POINT STANDINGS

Male Angler	Pts.	Female Angler	Pts.	Junior Angler	Pts.	Top Boat	Pts.
ERIK SIMONSEN	10	DONNA MCKEE	19	MADISON ROONEY	12	SCOTT'S JOHNNY	16
JEFF STEINHARDT	10	DENYSE HUFF	13	MAX DUMSTORFF	8	RACHEL	14
CLAYTON DUMSTORFF	10	AILEEN SANCHEZ	5	SAM GREEN	3	BUENA ONDA	14
JEFF BEHR	9	MAKO OGDEN	4	IVAN OWEN	3	RADAR	9
MIKE BRATTON	9	TRISH CARLIN	4	HAN LA GURADIA	2	SUBLIMELY HOOKED	8
DAN BAILEY	8	LAURA OGDEN	3			THE MENU	8
SETH PAINE	8	KIMBER REED	1			DOG HOUSE	8
BOB HARGRAVES	7	MINDY HARGRAVES	1			LIVELY ONE	6
JOHN PYE	7					ALBIEBAC	6
GERRY PEREZ	7					TIME OUT	4
KEVIN SHANNON	6					LAURA LEE	3
CLINT LIVELY	6					KARIBIK	2
CORREY SMITH	4					BOTTOM LINE	1
LANCE FISHER	4					DIVE INN	1
MARC GREINER	4					FIRE ESCAPE	1
ROBERT ETHINGTON	4						
CHRIS MEEKER	4						
JOHN ASH	4						
JASON KARBER	4						

MBMC 2010 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday	Nov. 12, 2010	MBMC Capt. Meeting / Bingo
Saturday & Sunday	Nov. 13 - 14, 2010	MBMC Ling Cod Tournament

2010 MBMC LING COD TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM

NOV. 13 AND 14, 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 heaviest **LING COD** of the tournament will collect the optional jackpot

Saturday NOV. 13, 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.

Sunday NOV. 14, 2010, fishing continues for this tournament and final weigh-in's are required no later than 6:00PM at the Dana Landing dock.

Tournament entry fees will be collected at Dana Landing Market & Fuel Dock. All entries must be submitted by 8:00 pm, Friday NOV. 12, 2010 at Dana Landing, in person, or faxed to the tournament chairman at 858-292-7952

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

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

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

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

TOTAL MEMBERS _____ X \$15= _____

TOTAL NONMEMBERS _____ X \$20= _____

JACKPOT TOTAL MEM + NON _____ X \$5= _____ *

*ALL ANGLERS ON THE BOAT MUST BE IN THE JACKPOT IF YOU SELECT WITH THE EXCEPTIONS OF JUNIORS.

Boat Name _____ Size _____ Total Amt. Paid _____

Signature _____ Date _____

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 Ling Cod Tournament Rules

1. Tournament will be two days, commencing Saturday NOV. 13, 2010 @ 12:01 AM and ending @ 6:00 PM Sunday NOV. 14, 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 8:00 PM, Friday NOV. 12, 2010 at Dana Landing, in person, 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 NOV. 14, 2010 to remain eligible for the tournament awards.**
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 with the HEAVIEST WEIGHT of their top 3 fish of the tournament species. The species targeted in this tournament is **LING COD**. There will be no point multiplier applied for any species in this tournament.
8. Radio Communications will be on Channel 69. The club and other boats can be contacted on this channel.
9. Scoring: 4 points for first place angler with heaviest 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 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. 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. Also be aware of the **IMPORT Documentation** necessary for bringing game fish into California Waters from Mexico Waters.
11. 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.
12. Tournament results will be posted soon after final weigh in on Sunday. Awards will be presented at the next social event.
13. Payouts for first, second, and third place will be based on a percentage of the total amount of entry fees collected.
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 fish cash jackpot

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