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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE by Jerry Lively

We saw a successful Halibut/White Sea Bass tournament this month with lots of Halibut being caught. The seminar at the Friday night meeting contained some essential information about the technique of "bounce balling" for the big Halibut. The only thing I think he should have spent more time on was the retrieving of snagged rigs from the bottom. This was the area I spent most of my time trying to catch the Halibut. I finally caught one Halibut using a simple drop rig with no swivels and no fancy lures, just live bait. It was only a small one but it was some payback for the loss of a bounce ball rig and the wrapping of buoy line onto my starboard shaft. That plastic floating line that the "professionals" use on their traps actually melts to the shaft making it all but impossible to spin off. The water was too cold and we are too old to be sent over the side to cut it off the shaft. I just drug it around until we could have the diver do it.

Congratulations to all the winners and to all the participants. The weather held up and the seas were friendly. It takes a lot of patience and technique to catch both the Sea Bass and the Halibut. Historically this tournament is shunned by the blue water fisherman but we had a great turnout. Thanks for the support.

June has the bass tournament. This one is a favorite as there generally is a lot of fish caught. I ask you all, if you do not want to eat the bass, to keep them alive in your bait tank. You can release them at the weigh station. You can also sort your catch to just the largest.

This inshore fishing uses a lot of techniques of boat handling not covered in the book of fishing. One technique is that of anchoring. Please insure everyone on board has some knowledge of what you are attempting to do so that you can successfully anchor. This will also cut down on the arguments and attitudes often generated by the skippers "corrections".

Rumors of Albacore are starting to show up and I know several boats are getting their trolling rigs and bait poles aboard so they do not miss the first fish. I am looking forward to it myself. There are far less snags and obstacles at 40 miles offshore and the fish are generally larger.

The board is still looking for someone to help with the Heart Tournament. It is primarily a coordination job where they have to collect information and keep the job moving forward. Management if you will. Right now there is not one single point of contact where we can find out what is going on so nothing is getting done. Please help if you can.

Well, I have run out of things to say so have a great Summer season. Get the kids and family together and enjoy our beautiful ocean. See you down at the Docks.

Jerry Lively

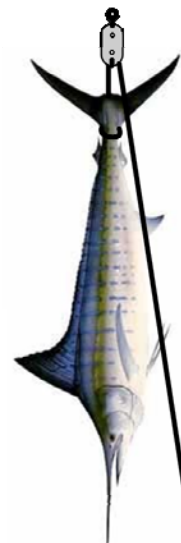
CLUB HIGHLIGHTS

- **MBMC Capt. Meeting & Seminar, Friday June 19th 6:00 pm**
- **MBMC Bass Tournament, Saturday & Sunday, June 20th & 21st.**

THE WEIGHMASTER'S REPORT

Jeff Meeker (Doghouse) takes May FOM

Jeff Meeker sneaks in with a 23.4# Halibut caught in South Bay on May 30th. Jeff stuck it out on a day with not much going on around him to take May's FOM. Eric Simonsen's tournament winning 22.4# Halibut was a close second. Sue Mercer also weighed in a nice 20.7# Yellow, her and Kimber on the Huntress picked up at the islands.



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			
FEBRUARY	John Noble	40 #	Yellowtail	AUGUST			
MARCH	Bill Kolt	11.7 #	Lingcod	SEPTEMBER			
APRIL	Bill Kolt	15.7 #	Lingcod	OCTOBER			
MAY	Jeff Meeker	23.4 #	Halibut	NOVEMBER			
JUNE				DECEMBER			

2009 MBMC Halibut/White Sea Bass Tourney Results:

Overall Results 39 Anglers on 13 Boats

1st place – Erik Simonsen - 22.4 # \$145 Gift Card & \$195 Cash Jackpot

2nd place – Joe Azar - 19.4 # \$87 Gift Card

3rd Place – Dan Carlin - 19.3 # \$58 Gift Card

Men's Division

1st - Erik Simonsen - 22.4 #

2nd - Joe Azar - 19.4 #

3rd - Dan Carlin - 19.3 #

Women's Division

1st - Trish Carlin - 12.3#

2nd - Donna McKee - 10.9 #

3rd - Aileen Sanchez - 9.4 #

Top Boat Division

1st - Scott's Johnny - 47.9 #

2nd - Albiebac - 40.7 #

3rd - Rachel

LARGEST SPECIES TO DATE

SPECIES	MEN		WOMEN		JUNIOR	
	NAME	LBS.	NAME	LBS.	NAME	LBS.
BARRACUDA	Jose Sanchez	3.8				
BONITO						
CALICO, SPOTTED BAY, SAND BASS	Dave LaGuardia	5.4				
HALIBUT	Jeff Meeker	23.4	Trish Carlin	12.3		
WHITE SEA BASS						
YELLOWTAIL	John Noble	40	Susan Mercer	20.7		
LINGCOD	Bill Kolt	15.7				
ROCKCOD	Clayton Dumstorff	8.7	Renee Shoberg	5.2	Max Dumstorff	6.7
DORADO						
ALBACORE						
BLUEFIN TUNA						
YELLOWFIN or BIG EYE TUNA						
MARLIN						
SWORDFISH						

2009 POINT STANDINGS

Male Angler	Pts.	Female Angler	Pts.	Junior Angler	Pts.	Top Boat	Pts.
ERIK SIMONSEN	6	TRISH CARLIN	11	SAMANTHA GREEN	4	SCOTT'S JOHNNY	9
CLAYTOM DUMSTORFF	5	DONNA MCKEE	7	MAX DUMSTORFF	4	RACHEL	7
DAVE LAGUARDIA	5	AILEEN SANCHEZ	6	TED SHOBERG	3	DOG HOUSE	6
GERRY PEREZ	5	RENEE SHOBERG	4			ALBIEBAC	5
DAN BAILEY	4	MAKO OGDEN	1			DIVE INN	3
JEFF BEHR	4					KARIBIK	3
JOE AZAR	4					LAURA LEE	3
DAN CARLIN	3					LIVELY ONE	3
JERRY LIVELY	3					RADAR	3

MBMC 2009 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday	June 19	MBMC Capt. Meeting/Seminar
Saturday & Sunday	June 20 - 21	MBMC Calico/Sand Bass Tournament (points)
Saturday	June 27	<i>Bloodydecks Yellowtail Shootout</i>
Saturday	July 18	MBMC Annual Luau
Saturday & Sunday	July 25 - 26	MBMC Yellowtail Tournament (points)
Saturday & Sunday	August 15 - 16	MBMC Tuna Tournament (points)
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)

Tournament News

39 Anglers on 13 Boats caught some nice halibut on both days, Top fish was a 22.4# butt worth \$340 cash and prizes by Eric Simonsen taken on Sunday to beat out Joe Azar's 19.4 off South Island on the Johnny boat Saturday and Dan Carlin's 19.3 taken off the Hotel Del. Jeff Behr's Rachel took several fish up to 15# using the bounce ball techniques learned from the Friday Night Seminar to take 3rd Place Boat. Gerry Perez landed an 18.3# butt on Saturday to help boost the Albiebac into 2nd Place boat with 40.7 pounds total behind Scott's Johnny's 47.9. Honorable Mention goes to Jeff Steinhart's 17.9#. Trish Carlin led the girls by nailing a 12.3# to compliment Dan's fish while Donna McKee's 10.9 halibut finished second with Aileen Sanchez's 9.4 halibut taking 3rd Place. Sadly no juniors weighed qualifying fish in this tourney.

**Next Tourney is the Calico/Sand/Spotted Bay Bass Tourney June 20 + 21st.
Spotted Bay Bass will have a 3X Point multiplier to make scoring interesting**

Friday night June 19th Doug Kern from Fisherman's Landing will share his tips on catching big Calico and Sand Bass after dinner and we will have an Avet Rod & Reel Combo in the Raffle along with other nice prizes at the Friday Night Seminar & Sign Up Marina Village Marina Village @ 6PM. It's free and included in your membership and you don't have to enter the tourney to attend the dinner and seminar, just **RSVP** to donnamckee@sbcglobal.net by Wednesday June 17th so we can order enough refreshments.

Don't miss out, I'll see you there!

Jeff Meeker



MBMC LUAU



Saturday, July 18th, 2009

Starts @ 12:00pm to 6:00 pm Food @ 1:00 pm

\$20 Members & Guests & Kids 14 & under are free

RSVP by July 10th to Donna Mckee at 619-985-0089

or donnamckee@sbcglobal.net

Mail payment to: MBMC

2590 Ingraham St.

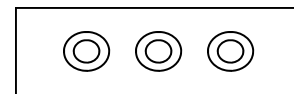
San Diego, CA 92109

Catered Food, Beer, Mai Tai's, & Sodas will be provided

Games, Prizes & Lots of FUN!!!



WASHERS



NEAR GAZEBO AT MARINER'S POINT ON MISSION BAY

(Gazebo is South of West Mission Bay Dr. and West of the Bridge)

Bring Chairs



MBMC CALICO/SANDBASS, SPOTTED BASS TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM

June 20 & 21, 2009

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 features **Doug Kern of Fisherman's Landing @ 6PM**; Saturday June 20, 2009 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 21, 2009 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 19, 2009 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.

2009 MBMC Calico, Sand, & Spotted Bay Bass Tournament Rules

1. Tournament will be two days, commencing Saturday, June 20, 2009 @ 12:01 AM and ending @ 6:00 PM Sunday June 21, 2009. 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 19, 2008 at Dana Landing, in person at the end of seminar, or faxed to the tournament chairman at 858-549 0604.
3. **All entries not paid at time of sign-up must be paid in full by 6:00 PM, on Sunday, June 21st 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 3 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 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.
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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