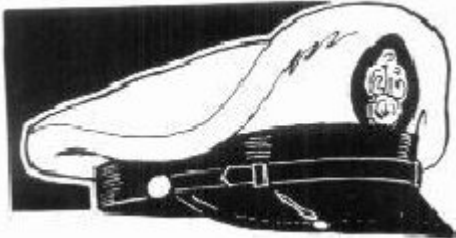


Bluewater Bulletin

February, 2007

Meeting: February 1st, '07

- Happy Hour at 6:30
- Meeting 7:00 Sharp



**From the Helm,
President
Sarah Roach**

Dear Fellow Club Members:

Do not forget, Friday February 16th at the Bali Hai is the Annual Awards Banquet. There will be cocktails at 7pm, dinner at 8pm, and the awards/raffle should be done before 10pm. As well as, if time permits (since we will have the room until midnight), we are trying for music and dancing. Please get with me if you have any suggestions in regards to this at the next meeting. Please see DJ at the membership table to buy your tickets. Tickets are still only \$30 per adult & \$15 per child.

Well, 2006 is off to a good start! Huge thanks to Captain Ron for being our speaker for January and sharing the DVD of the Poway Kid's Fishing Derby with us. Please do not forget that the SDRRC has been invited to help be part of the Poway Kid's Fishing Derby on

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February 3rd again this year. We will be asking members to come and help with this event as well. We do not just need cooks and servers, but also club members to help walk the lake and help kids with any of their fishing needs. There are A LOT of kids and parents out there for their first time and could always use our help and a lot of fishing enthusiasm.

Just a reminder, we will be keeping track of club members that come out and help with the events that we have lined up throughout the year. We always need help with Poway Kid's Fishing Derby, Fred Hall Del Mar, Day at the Docks, Lindo Lake's Kid's Cat Fish Derby, the Children of the Troops fishing trips, and many more.

Our first Children of the Troops fishing trip will be on Sunday 2/25/07 from 1pm to 6pm aboard the Sea Watch out of Seaforth. Please see Jason or Brent in regards to making arrangements to help volunteer on this trip. There will be a BBQ for all of the kids and the crew upon the return of the vessel at 6pm.

As of today, the speaker that we had lined up had to back out and I am in the process of getting us a new speaker. Once I have the information, you will be able to go to the website and view it prior to the regular monthly meeting. If you have any suggestions or comments,

619-922-6113

you can always call, email sarah@sandiegorodandreel.com or speak with me at any time. If it is something that I cannot answer or make a decision on right away, then it will be brought in front of the board at the next board meeting. As always, any club member is welcome to come, speak, and present ideas to the board for discussion at our board meetings. Our meetings are always the Tuesday following our normal club meeting.

Until next month,
Sarah Roach



**Vice President:
Jason Scheiner**

February is here and multiple club events are coming up that we would like to see you attend & help with:

February 3rd is Poway Lake's Kid's Fishing Derby,
February 16th is our annual banquet and
February 25th is our 1st Children of the Troops charter.

The club can only be successful with an active membership, so please help out as much as you

can. The next club meeting is February 1st, so if you need any more information on any of the club activities and how to help, just ask any of the board members.

We are in the process of preparing the club's 2007 Yearbook/Directory. A few things need to happen before it prints. 1st, and most importantly, if you have not paid your membership, please do so by the February club meeting. 2nd, please make sure we have all of your correct information, including address, boat name & size, and any other information we need to change. The goal is to have the yearbooks handed out at the banquet, so we need any changed information by the next club meeting. We will do our best to have them ready.

We still have some advertising space available in the yearbook. If you or if you know of anyone who is interested, please call or send me an email to discuss your options.

I would also like to request your email address if you have one. Many things come up like available spots on a fishing trip, last minute events the club is invited to, as well as things we would just like to let you know about. You will still receive your newsletters, but in a pinch, emails work really well and it may even get you that spot on the trip you thought was sold out!

Jason



Weigh Master:
By: Fox Ludwig

Well, the year is starting fast ... I have already received a weight receipt for Donald Crain's 20 lb 8 oz yellowtail caught at the Coronado's on January 6th. Good job Donald! Keep the weight receipts and photos coming.

For best results this year, return all weight receipts to me personally or mail to me at:
Fox Ludwig
4337 Temecula St #1
San Diego, CA 92107.
You can also email them to me at born2fish4ever@cox.net.

Please remember that all weight receipts need to be on our San Diego Rod and Reel form so that these can be considered for the yearly awards. Other club or weigh station receipts will not be accepted in place of ours.

Remember, sharp hooks and tight lines! Good luck!

Fox Ludwig



Tournament Master:
Lee "Doc" Fleming

Tournaments are starting again!!!

We are looking forward to another great year of fishing and we are having 8 club tournaments scheduled for this year.

The entry fee for each tournament will be \$10, or you may sign up for the annual tournament entry for \$50 – that's a \$30 savings! All you have to do then is to show up and fish!

The March Tournament will be Saturday, March 17th and it will be a bay bass event. We look forward to seeing everyone there!

Hook Up !!!
Lee



Clothing Master
Jay Perez

As your newly elected Clothing Master, I plan to make available to our members everything to fit your needs. I have been a member with the club for the last year and I have a great understanding of the club member's needs. As a relative of Rhonda Ito, I will provide the same service and needs to every member of the San Diego Rod & Reel Club. I am looking forward to a new year as far as apparel and gift ideas for the club. If you have a clothing item that you would like to see in inventory, please let me know and I will bring it to the board's attention for discussion and vote. We will make every effort to have the products that our members need and want available for purchase.

We will have a new 2007 catalog at the clothing table at all meetings for you to look through and select new items. All items can be ordered for you and custom designed with your name or just the San Diego Rod and Reel Club logo. Orders placed at the meeting will be delivered to you at the next month's meeting. I look forward to seeing you at the clothing table. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask, and any suggestions will be welcomed. As a San Diego Rod

& Reel Club member, it is important to show our logo to everyone. Support the Club and order your clothing today.
JJ Perez



Raffle Master:

Billy Roach

As always, we will maintain the \$1000 minimum in raffle prizes. **I STILL WANT YOUR OPINION** on what you want to see on the raffle table. Do you want themed raffles targeted towards the tournament we have that month, mostly terminal tackle, more rods & reels? Please email me at billy@sandiegorodandreel.com with your suggestions & I will do my best to make the most out of the raffle. If you do not have email, just come and talk to me at the monthly meeting.

January's raffle went well. Will Bowen seemed to have had a very lucky raffle tickets that night, winning over 4 times! I want to thank everyone that took advantage of the suggestion book that was on the raffle table. Every month the book will be out so that you can put your two cents in regarding what you want to see on the raffle table. I got a lot of really good ideas and I will make

every effort to try and accommodate our members with the changes and suggestions that are brought up. Some people have told me what they want to see on the table, but I want to hear from all of you. Please remember, if you purchase \$100 at any of the meetings, we will give you an extra \$20 worth of tickets. That's 180 tickets instead of 150!

Until then, Roll the Barrel!!!!
Billy Roach



Big Fish Director:
Brent Koerting

At this point, there is not much to report. I am in the process of gathering old and new sponsor information in order to start our first set of mailings for the Big Fish Tournament. The San Diego Rod and Reel Club Big Fish Tournament is the club's largest event and keeps the club going year after year. People from all around attend this event.

I would appreciate any input and suggestions for the tournament within these next couple of months. This is so we can implement any changes long before the tournament arrives.

Please email me any suggestions you have for the tournament as soon as possible, Brent@sandiegorodandreel.com or see me at the next meeting. All suggestions will be taken seriously and I will personally put it before the board as a proposal and vote.

Remember, you are the club, so tell us what you would like.

As of today, we do have the dates of the Big Fish Tournament:

Thursday August 2, 2007 – Big Fish Seminar at the Bali Hai with BBQ

Friday August 17, 2007 – Captain's Meeting

Sunday August 19, 2007 – Awards Banquet at the Bali Hai with a Luncheon

Tight lines
Brent Koerting
brent@sandiegorodandreel.com



Lee Fleming's Calamari!



Membership: **DJ Ludwig**

Please remember to come and see me at the membership table in order to purchase your banquet tickets. They are \$30 for adults and \$15 for kids. Also make sure that you renew your 2007 membership no later than 2/1/07 to make sure that you are included in the 2006 member's roster book that should be available by the banquet.

Remember to sign your name in the membership book as you come in the door. If you have brought a guest, please let me the guest's name and address so they can receive a complimentary bulletin for 2 months. This will also give me a chance to be able to give them a lovely temporary Guest Name Badge sticker and to announce the new member(s) and guest(s) during the regular meeting.

Please feel free to contact me at dj@sandiegorodandreel.com, or call me on my cell 619-459-3954 or at home 619-955-5965.

Thank you,
DJ



Bob Woodard Jr's Puerto Vallarta Yellowfin – Nice!

Dept. of Fish & Game

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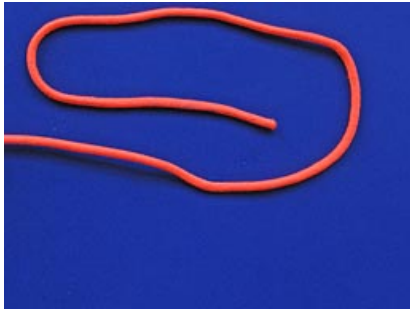
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- Abalone

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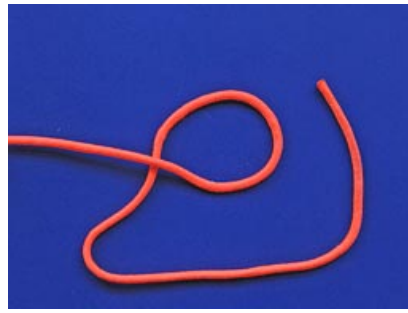
- Rockfish
- Cabezon
- California Sheephead
- Ocean Whitefish
- California Scorpionfish
- Kelp and Rock Greenlings
- Other Federally-managed groundfish and associated state-managed species

* Please visit <http://www.dfg.ca.gov/mrd/mapregs5.html> for specifics.

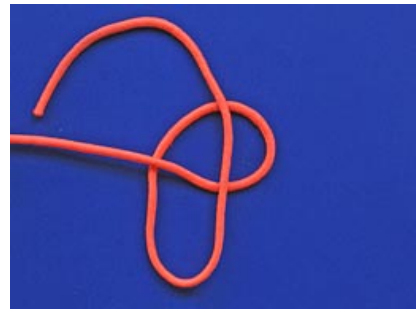
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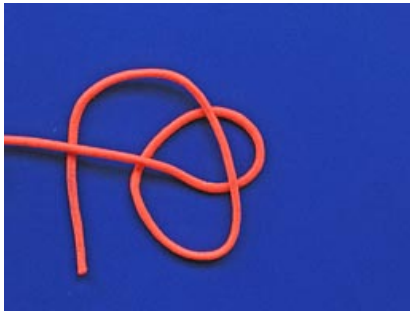


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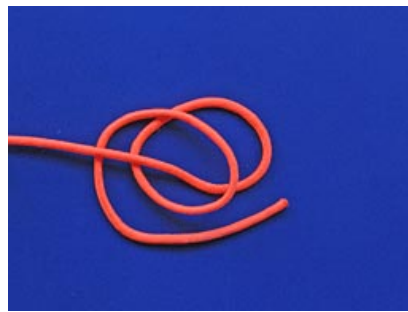


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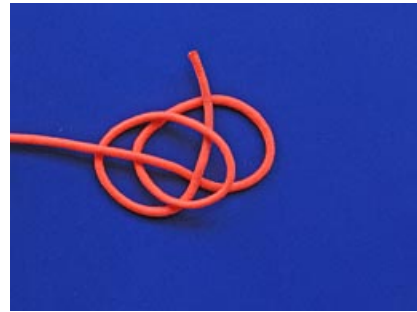
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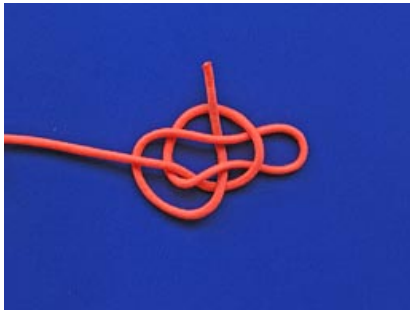
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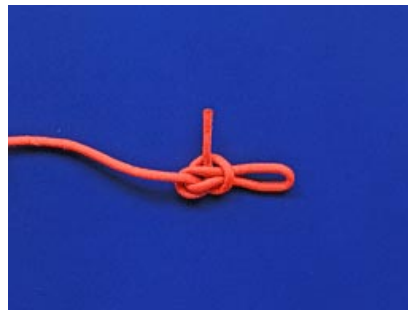
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Upcoming Events:

- February 1st – Club Meeting
- February 3rd – Poway Kid's Fishing Derby
- February 6th – Board Meeting, everybody is welcomed
- February 16th – Club Banquet ... this is a FRIDAY night
- February 25 – Children of the Troops, 1:00 – 6:00pm + BBQ
- March 1st – Club Meeting
- March 6th – Board Meeting, everybody is welcomed
- March 7th – 11th - Fred Hall Show, Long Beach
- March 17th – Bay Bass Tournament
- March 21st – 25th - Fred Hall Show, San Diego