

Bluewater Bulletin

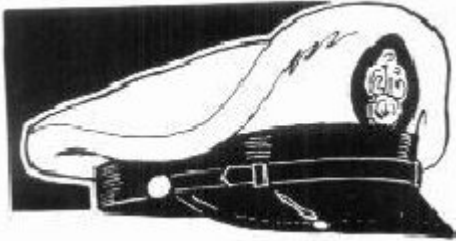
February 2008

Next Meeting: February 7, 2008

- Happy Hour at 6:30
- Meeting 7:00 Bahli Hai

Speaker – JJ From the Apollo –
White Sea Bass

**Also mark your calendar
the Awards Banquet will
be held on Friday
February 22, 2008
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!**



**From the Helm,
President
Sarah Roach**

Dear Fellow Club Members:
**Do not forget, Friday
February 22nd 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 Daryl or myself at the
membership table to buy your
tickets. Tickets are still only
\$30 per adult and children are
\$15.

San Diego Rod and Reel Club

619-922-6113

Well 2008 is off to a good start. Our Speaker for February will be JJ from the Apollo; he will be speaking in regards to White Sea Bass. A Huge thanks to Captain Ron for being our speaker for January. Please do not forget that the SDRRC has been invited to help be part of the Poway Kids Fishing Derby on February 2nd 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 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 the first time and could always use our help and a lot of fishing enthusiasm.

Just a reminder that again, we will be keeping track of club members that come out and help with the events that we have lined up throughout the year, such as, Poway Kids Fishing Derby, Fred Hall Del Mar, Day at the Docks, Lindo Lakes Kids Cat Fish Derby, the Children of the Troops fishing trips, and many more. We are working on our first Children of the Troops fishing trip which should be announced by the next bulletin.

If you have any suggestions or comments 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 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. Our meetings are the Tuesday following our normal club meeting.

Until next month,
Sarah Roach



**Weigh Master:
By: Fox Ludwig**

Well its official, our first tournament of this year will be a Poker Bay Bass Tournament on March 15th, 2008; all official rules will be posted soon. I have only seen one weight receipt so far for this year, so I guess it's been too cold to go fishing, but hopefully soon weight receipts and photos will be coming my way.

All club members listed below should make arrangements to be at the banquet on Feb. 22nd 2008 to receive their awards. The following award winners are:

Paul Alexander, Antonio Belandras, Will Bowen, James Cason, Donald Crain, Peter Codalles, Ellen Duchene, Lou Duchene, Bill Fleming, Cheri

Fleming, Lee Fleming, Tom Gruber, Fran Heath, John Loftus, DJ Ludwig, Fox Ludwig, Gabriel Mouritzen, Harry Okuda, Ted Phoenix, Billy Roach, Sarah Roach, Bill Schneider, Jason Scheiner, Steve Stachelski, Harvey Tucker, Ian Tucker, and Hector Lopez .

I hope to see all club members their. If you have any questions or concerns call me at (619) 610-8426, and remember tight lines and sharp hooks Fox.



Tournament Master:
Lee "Doc" Fleming

The tournament schedule for 2008 has been worked out by the board. Entry fees will be \$15 for members and \$20 for non-members (nonmembers may only enter 1 tournament per year). Side pot bets will remain at \$10 (it is an "all or none" into the side-pot per boat). Women will compete with the men for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd places for payouts but will compete for sportsman's points independently (this is referred to as gender segregation, isn't it?). Men women and juniors will be scored by the usual point system. We would like to encourage members with boats to get members without boats out fishing or to bring along a "non-member / potential new

member". We are looking forward to another great year. Several of your suggestions have been incorporated into the schedule. Joe Tickey has recommended having a casting contest after the weigh-ins. He has been practicing, so you had better sharpen your skills
Bend a rod,
Lee

Tournament Schedule:

15 March Poker Bay Bass / Halibut Side Pot

26 April Bottom Fish, coincidental with SWYC's bottom fish tournament

10 May Triple "B" bass, bonito, barracuda

7 June Yellowtail

19 July Tuna

16 August Big Fish

13 Sept. IGFA class, coincidental with Chuck Byron Fish ON

? Oct. TBA, may have lobster event When DFG publishes rules

15 Nov. Bay bass inter-club competition

"Bend a rod", Lee



Clothing Master
Lori Byron

This year I am resting my duties as Secretary and will be handling the club clothing sales.

We will have our traditional styles in the clothing line up and are always open to suggestions for something you'd like to see added.

A new opportunity for the BIG FISH tournament shirts will be to customize them with naming your boat or team name on the shirt along with the event image and logos. I will be putting together an offer for a special "shirt of the month", or season, using some new images not available to the club before this.

As a board member with an interest in this club I appreciate any ideas you may have and most of all looking forward to sharing the fishing experiences of 2008 with all our members.

Tight lines, Lori Byron



Raffle Master:

Billy Roach

January's Meeting went well. Please remember that if you purchase \$100 at any of the meetings we will give you an extra \$20 worth of tickets. That is 180 tickets instead of 150.

Well, we are still running our Pull Your Own Ticket contest and the prize is a Fishing Rod. No one pulled there own ticket at the January meeting, so the Rod is still up for grabs. Therefore, the more

tickets you buy the better chance you have of pulling your own ticket.

I STILL WANT YOUR OPINION on what you want to see on the raffle table. If anyone has learned of any new products or vendors that they think that I should look at, please let me know. Do you want themed raffles targeted toward the tournament we have that month, mostly terminal tackle, more rod & reels? Please talk to me at the meetings or you can email me at billy@sandiegorodandreel.com or call 619 818 6364 & I will do my best to make the most out of the raffle.

Until then, Roll the Barrel!!!!

Billy Roach



Big Fish Director:

Brent Koerting

We want to start now to increase, membership, sponsorship, and participation to our tournament. We are now using sub committees to assist the person assigned to particular jobs such as the Big Fish Director, so if anyone is interested in joining in to assist with putting the tournament together please let me know. We are starting to go over the sponsor lists, so if you have any

new products that you have seen or new vendors that we should be looking at, please let myself or one of the board members know.

Please email me any suggestions you have for the tournament, 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.**

Tight lines

Brent Koerting

Big Fish Director

brent@sandiegorodandreel.com



Membership:
Daryl White

Don't forget to renew for 2008 so that you don't miss out on being in the yearly membership book. The costs will remain at \$60.00 for the main member and \$10 for family which includes spouse and children. Also, Active Military families still join for free this year.

It was great to see everyone at the meeting and look forward to seeing you. Don't forget to sign in and wear your badge. If you wear your badge, you will receive a badge raffle ticket. For the new members,

please see me during the meeting in regards to getting your new badge for the club.

Did you bring a guest? If you do, make sure they sign the attendance book and have them put your name next to it. That way we can make sure that you get those extra raffle tickets. Extra raffle tickets for bringing a guest? Certainly. If you bring a guest, you will receive 10 free raffle tickets. If your guest signs up as a member that night, you will receive a total of 20 free raffle tickets (10 extra tickets for them signing up). Bring your neighbor, your friend, and or your co-workers. All are welcome.

That is all I have for now. Keep fishing and be sure to tell us your fishing story.

Daryl White



ROD AND REEL CLUB

OFFICIAL WEIGHT RECEIPT

P.O. BOX 83296, SAN DIEGO, CA., 92138-3296 phone 619-922-6113

Devoted exclusively to the interests of the San Diego Saltwater Anglers and Junior Anglers.

Angler: _____ Phone: _____
 Address: _____
 Species Name: _____ Weight: _____ lbs. _____ ozs.
 Date of Catch: _____ Place of catch: _____
 Boat Name: _____ Captains name: _____
 Line Class: _____ lbs test: _____
 Lure/Bait type: _____ Tagged: _____ Released: _____
 Scale used: _____ Scale Location: _____
 Place of Catch: _____

I, the undersigned hereby take oath and attest that the fish described herein was hooked, fought, and brought to gaff by me without assistance from anyone and that it was caught and weighed in accordance with IGFA angling rules. I further declare that all information submitted on this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. To be eligible for any particular year, the last day to receive weight receipts to be in consideration for that year awards need to be in by the 1st meeting of the year in January. For example: for 2007 Awards, all weight receipts have to be in the Weigh Masters hands by January 08, 2009. If received after designated date, weights will be eligible in the year that they were turned in.

MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN 30 DAYS OF CATCH.

Anglers Name: _____	Date ___/___/___	Signature _____
Witness Name (required) _____	Date ___/___/___	Signature _____

For club use only

Weighmasters Name _____ Date ___/___/___ Signature _____
 Catch qualifies for: Pin ___ Patch ___ Certificate ___ Division: Women's ___ Men's ___ Juniors ___

Please attach affiliated club's weight receipt and picture if available. Please make photocopies for future use

Tournament Entry Form

<u>Name</u>	<u>Member</u>	<u>Non-Member / Guest</u>
1. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Entry Fee \$15.00 Adult Member ** \$20.00 Non-Member / Guest ** Juniors (under 16) fish free

Please Read and Consider:

The San Diego Rod and Reel Club takes no responsibility whatsoever for any personal injury or property damage resulting from conduct, negligent or otherwise, of its members at Club events. The San Diego Rod and Reel Club does not investigate weather or sea conditions, nor the possibility of other boating activities when scheduling its events. By affixing your name(s) to this entry form, applicant(s) does assume all risks of injury, liability, or property damage and does agree to hold the San Diego Rod and Reel Club harmless should any injury or damage occur.

SAN DIEGO ROD AND REEL CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION 2008

DATE: _____

NAME: _____ SPOUSE: _____

JUNIORS: _____ NAME: _____ DOB: _____

NAME: _____ DOB: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

PHONE (HOME): _____ PHONE (BUSINESS): _____

BOAT NAME: _____ MAKE: _____ SIZE: _____

EMAIL: _____

PLEASE CHECK ONE: NEW MEMBER: _____ RENEWAL: _____

BADGE ONLY: _____ ADDR.CHG: _____

ADULT MEMBERSHIP (18 AND OVER) _____ \$60.00 \$ _____

SPOUSE/FAMILY MEMBERSHIP _____ \$10.00 \$ _____

NAME BADGE _____ \$5.00 EA. \$ _____

TOTAL: \$ _____



**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:
THE SAN DIEGO ROD AND REEL CLUB
P.O. BOX 83296
SAN DIEGO, CA 92138-3296**

ROD AND REEL CLUB

CREDIT CARD: () VISA () MASTERCARD () DISCOVER () AMERICAN EXPRESS () –
Please do not fill out credit card information if you are coming to the meeting, we will take an imprint of your credit card

CARD #: _____ EXPIRATION DATE: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

SAN DIEGO ROD AND REEL CLUB

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION – Free For Active Military Families

2008

DATE: _____

NAME: _____ SPOUSE: _____

JUNIORS: _____ NAME: _____ DOB: _____

NAME: _____ DOB: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

PHONE (HOME): _____ PHONE (BUSINESS): _____

BOAT NAME: _____ MAKE: _____ SIZE: _____

EMAIL: _____

PLEASE CHECK ONE: NEW MEMBER: _____ RENEWAL: _____

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Got Art ?

The 2008 Fred Hall Fishing show Presents The first "Youth Marine Artisans Shop"

The *Chuck Byron Youth Art Foundation* has reserved a space at both shows beginning March 5th in Long Beach, and March 19th in Del Mar. Our object is to show off your talents and raise funds so we can teach you the "art of fishing".

If you are an inspired youth artist and may even have participated in our program, we are asking if you can "pay it forward". We would be honored to display your donated piece of art in this booth where it will be sold to support our 2008 youth art and fishing events.

This donation can be your work created in any art medium i.e.; paint, draw, 3 dimensional, photography. It can be previously created, or if time allows, you can make something new. We have a deadline to receive your piece by mail or drop off arrangements by **February 10th**.

I know many of you and your families come to the shows and you will feel so proud that you've made it to a place where some of the best art in the world is and to be a part of contributing to the future Youth Art Foundation programs.

If you're able to participate please mail your work to:

BYRON PRODUCTS 25092 Pappas Rd. Ramona, Ca 92065

Or feel free to call me at 619-301-3193 and we can make arrangements for a drop off or pick up spot. If it's already framed, that helps even more, otherwise we will make sure it's presented properly.

Please RSVP if you think you can be a part of this newest adventure or have questions. Best wishes to you and your family in this New Year.

Sincerely, Lori Byron
Event Director

Up Coming Events

02.02.08 – Poway Lakes Kids Fishing Derby – We will be doing the cooking

02.07.08 – Regular Meeting at the Bali Hai – JJ from the Apollo – White Sea Bass

02.12.08 – Board Meeting – Bali Hai

02.22.08 – Annual Awards Banquet – This is a Friday Night, please mark your calendars!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

03.05.08 to 03.09.08 – Fred Hall – Long Beach

03.06.08 – Regular Meeting at the Bali Hai – Speaker will be announced

03.13.08 - Board Meeting – Bali Hai

03.15.08 – Poker Bay Bass Tournament – Halibut side pot

03.26.08 to 03.30.08 – Fred Hall – Del Mar – Voluteers Needed