

**Season
2019**

HOOK-UP



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Snapper aplenty, YTK at Rottnest and marlin at Exmouth. Latest water temperature observations for 2018-19 FAD season. Upcoming events. 2020 Important Dates.

Metro fishing

Reports of mackerel (Spanish and shark) have been filtering through. Unusual for this time of year.

Definitive news on yellowtail kingfish with this 6-7kg specimen caught by Adam Durell last Tuesday off West End. The image shows just how nice it can be in the bays at Rottnest at this time of the year.

COMING EVENTS

August Social Night

20th August

MAAC - Marmion

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Snapper Comp

24th-25th August

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Exmouth

The deVries family give their kids the greatest holidays during the school term breaks. This July was no exception with the crew heading for the Yardie Caravan Park on the west side of North West Cape. This is Andre's recollection a big day's fishing for the girls.

"During the July school holidays we stayed at Yardie Caravan Park, hired a boat and fished out of Tantabiddi.

On the last day we had a very quiet morning on the water with no mackerel bites in the shallows. Heading deeper we started setting out a marlin spread and soon had a good bite with a fish running strongly. While clearing the other lines the fish jumped wildly and we knew we had a good sized black marlin on.



The three anglers on board were my daughter Kim (16), her friend Lané (16) and Kim's cousin Stella (10) who had caught her first game fish, a good sized mackerel, two days prior. The three girls took turns fighting the fish. After a long fight with many runs and chases the fish went quiet but stayed deep. Fortunately the Tiagra 30 reel (a prize that Kim had won at the WA Open earlier in the year) has a low gear and the fish was slowly inched up under full drag with the girls struggling in the midday sun. On the surface we discovered the fish had been tail wrapped and had died during the fight.

We loaded it through the transom door, covered it with a wet towel and ice packs and the exhausted girls opted to head home. Back at the caravan park a sizeable crowd soon gathered at the filleting table. A production line was set up and within an hour the 75-80kg fish was neatly filleted, skinned and portioned. The excess was handed out to the grateful campers and that night the smell of sizzling marlin steaks and even the odd fish curry wafted through the camp sites.

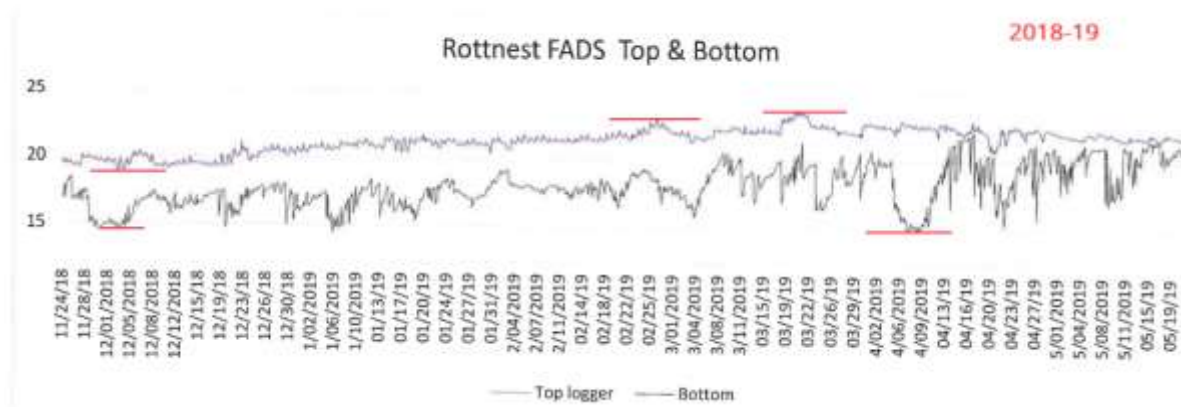
Our first captured marlin, although unintentional, had turned out to be a great success."

FAD Temperature Measurements

Each year the PGFC FAD is fitted with surface and seabottom temperature trackers. The surface one is around 5m below the float so as not to be too influenced by daylight heating from direct sunlight. The bottom one is within 5m of the seabed. For the 2018-19 FAD season, the temperatures were measured on an hourly basis and on recovery of the FAD downloaded and plotted. The 2018-19 plot shows some interesting variations, with a maximum surface temperature of 21.9° on 22nd February followed up by 23.7° on 21st March. At the seabed it was a chilly 14.7° on 29th November with another low of 16.8° on 23rd April. Also interesting is the reduction in the difference between top and bottom around mid April.

The difference between 2018-19 and 2017-18 suggests that in the previous year a much earlier warming and more sustained warmer water into April and May.

For the inquisitive, all the charts that the Club has are on the website at <http://www.pgfc.com.au/fad-temperature-charts/>



Our thanks are extended to Fisheries WA and particularly Mark Rossbach at the Hilarys research labs for collaborating with the Club on this study.

Club Championship Scores

PGFC ANNUAL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP SCORES 2019

EDDY MOSS TROPHY – CHAMPION ANGLER

Dylan Picken	2261
Brett Martin	2048
Ash Hicks	1736
Warren Jolley	1561
Derek Baxter	1194
John Holmes	1089
Alex Smith	972
Jacob Whyte	841
Dylan Lloyd	840
Morgan Greenwood	774
Kevin Baker	680
Matt Podmore	550
Mark Jamieson	368
Shane Walton	226
Phil Volich	176
Ben Punch	168
Glen Rattigan	157
Scott Turrell	125
Ben James	124
Marcel Lesniak-Newman	108
Chris Matthews	108
Brian Arnett	105
Des Beech	100

PRESIDENT'S TROPHY – CHAMPION BOAT

Bottom Line	4202
Triple H	2861
Short Black	2844
Dream Catcher	1977
Rock'N'Roll	1744
Eureka	1738
Seatrix	1461
Southern Blue	1246
Jelomi	1079
Bush Chook	150
Time Out	134
No Brains	108

KAY WEBBER TROPHY

Kristine Koenig	683	Kate Penfold	500
Morgane Chebahi	642		

JUNIOR TROPHY

Lochlan Turrell	2181	Zandri Oosthuizen	656
Kim DeVries	1321	Jayden Wham	134

NEIL PATRICK TROPHY

Dave Thomson	13	Lochlan Turrell	3
Brian Arnett	7	Scott Turrell	3
Darren Bowden	6	Nick Cawte	1
Jim Ireland	6	Rikki Kohn	1
Craig Singleton	6	Kate Penfold	1
Dylan Picken	3		

Club Championship points have been updated to 21st July 2019 The season begins on 1st October and ends on 30th September. Members are reminded that whilst all care is taken, members are responsible for ensuring their points are correct. No adjustments, up or down, will be made after the final Club Championship Points have been awarded.

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2019 Calendar

Dates		Activity	Location
August	Tuesday 20th	Social Night – FAD and Minnkota Presentations	Marmion Angling and Aquatic Club
	Sat & Sun 24th & 25th	Snapper Comp	RPYC Fremantle
September	Tuesday 3rd	Social Night	RPYC Fremantle
October	Tuesday 1st	Social Night	RPYC Fremantle
	Sat 12 th	4s' Competition	Rottneest Island
November	Saturday 2nd	Annual Presentation Dinner	FSC Fremantle
	Tuesday 12th	Annual General Meeting	RPYC Fremantle
December	Saturday 7th	Opening Day and Christmas Function	RPYC Fremantle
	Saturday 28th	Gilligan's Cruise	Swan River

Dates for 2020

Tentative dates for next year are:

Swan River Treasure Hunt	Saturday January 18 th
Bluewater Tackle World Marlin Cup	Sat & Sun 15 th & 16 th February
Shimano WA Open	Sat – Mon 18 th – 20 th April
Ladies and Juniors Comp	Saturday May 2 nd

Important Note - Tag Cards, Capture Forms, Record Claims

The Club's Weigh-master John Webber has relocated. Any mail relating to tag cards and/or capture forms should now be addressed to him at:

378 Liddelow Street

Banjup 6164

0407 386 734 9498 7788 john@webbers.net.au

Record Claims

Payment can now be made by EFT for State claims of \$20 to the WAGFA account with reference of the angler's name and confirmation of payment sent with the record claim paperwork. If it is also an Australian claim, then a payment of \$20 to the GFAA account with the same reference and confirmation as that for the WAGFA claim.

WAGFA account - BSB 036 180 Account 197158

GFAA account details – BSB 035 304 Account 294263

All Species Competition

There has been a lot of interest particularly from Juniors in the All Species Comp this year, there are many categories that are vacant, so get cracking with some fun fishing and enter the comp.

Annual All Species Competition

Progress Scores to 25th July 2019	Male	Length	Female	Length	Smallfry Junior	Length	Sponsor
Baldchin Groper	Ash Hicks	55cm					
Breaksea Cod	Dylan Picken	50cm			Lochlan Turrell	39cm	
Dhufish	Dylan Picken	99cm			Tayla Martin	54cm	
Hapuka/ Bass Grouper/ 8 Bar/ Blue Eye	Morgan Greenwood	94cm Blue Eye					
Herring	Peter Babarskas	28cm			Henry Sandon	25cm	
King George whiting	Andrew Newton	51cm			Zandri Oosthuizen	43cm	
Pink snapper	Ashley Hicks	88cm	Kristin MacCarthy	66cm	Zandri Oosthuizen	74cm	
Queen snapper	John Holmes	70cm					
Red snapper	Sam Whitehead	42cm					
Samsonfish/ Amberjack	Brett Martin	110cm Samson			Kim DeVries	104cm Amberjack	
Sand whiting	Brett Martin	33cm	Kate Penfold	23cm	Rhys Martin	31cm	
Skippy	Dylan Picken	55cm			Zandri Oosthuizen	32cm	
Tailor	Andrew Newton	74cm					
Yellowtail Kingfish	Dylan Picken	53cm					



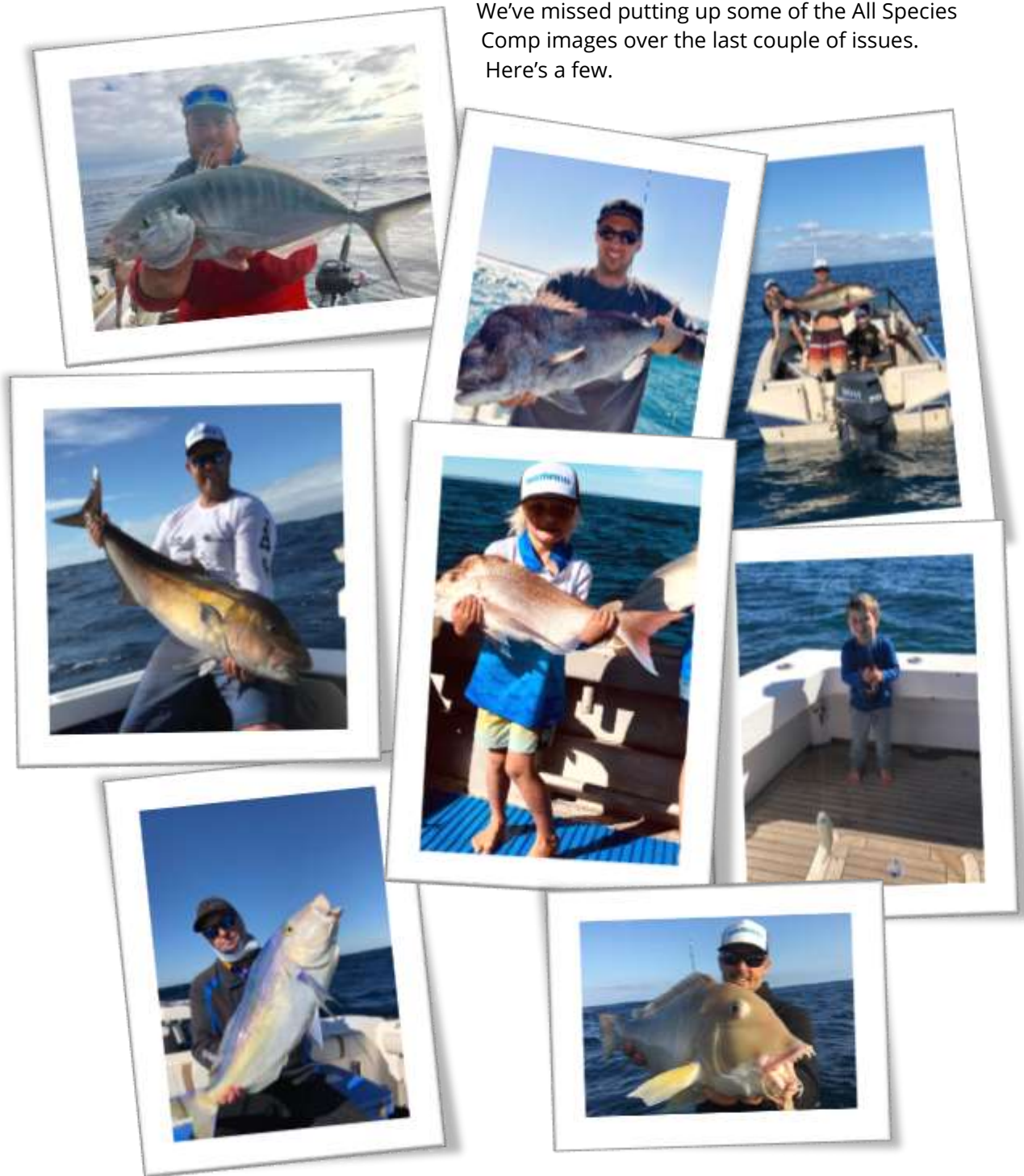
Taylor Martin – Jurien Bay Whiting



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All Species Comp

We've missed putting up some of the All Species Comp images over the last couple of issues. Here's a few.



Membership

The Club has entered the bonus membership period where between 1st July and 30th September membership is complimentary. Sign up during the free period and you get up to 15 months – to 30th September 2020 for the price of one year's membership. A good time for new members to be introduced to the Club



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Accommodation for a family of four is provided by a forward double bed and convertible sofa.




Multi-day fishing trips can be done in comfort with plenty of fridge and freezer space, plus the added luxury of reverse cycle air conditioning when the trips are further north in the warmer months. The galley is well fit out with a fridge/freezer, stove and convection microwave. A full head height toilet and shower with hot water system is present.

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AUGUST SOCIAL NIGHT

TUESDAY

August 20th

FADs

MARMION ANGLING and
AQUATIC CLUB



MAAC is our newest FAD sponsor and has requested that we do a repeat of the FAD presentation done at Fremantle on 2nd July. *It has been further updated since then.*

Here's a chance for members who missed out in July, particularly those from the northern suburbs, to get familiar with the history, present and future of the program we've been running for the past 21 years.

There will also be a presentation on Minnkota electric outboards.

All to be held from 6pm at the MAAC on West Coast Drive Marmion from 6pm. Cash bar and BBQ packs available.

All members and guests welcome.

Questions – contact@pgfc.com.au

Peter Coote 0419 266 843



2019 Snapper Competition

6am Saturday 24th to
noon Sunday 25th August

The 2019 snapper fishing is going well, so come along and have a go at catching one of these prized fish and stand a chance to win some wonderful prizes. Fishing is over 2 days so there's plenty of opportunity to head out to 5-Fathom Bank or the 3-Mile Cockburne Sound will be just a week off closure so it's sure to be pumping. The weigh station will be operating from 1 to 3 pm on Sunday 25th August at RPYC Fremantle, with a BBQ provided and drinks available. Presentations will be made at approximately 3 pm.

Entry is free, and members are encouraged to bring along friends and family who can also take part and see what game fishing is all about.

Award categories:

Champion Anglers - Male, Female, and Junior
Champion Boat
Biggest snapper weighed (line or non-line class) - \$500
Bluewater Tackle World voucher. (Visitors can qualify)
Biggest snapper by a visitor
Bonus prize for line class mackerel or tuna

Rules

Fishing times are 0600 on Saturday 24 August to 12:00 on Sunday 25th August
All captures must be submitted via a photo on an approved brag mat (Shimano or IGFA).
Weigh in between 1 and 3pm on Sunday 25th August - RPYC Annex Fremantle.
Anglers must be current members of PGFC to be eligible for prizes in the members event.
Regular PGFC Angling Rules and point scoring will apply to members (excl biggest snapper & meritorious fish awards).
Visitor anglers may use any tackle and line.

Need boat or car parking and to nominate by 4pm on Friday 23rd.
contact@pgfc.com.au

or Tom Doyle on 0429 160187

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