

SEASON
20-21

HOOK-UP



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12th November 2020

➤ FADs deployed

➤ Little Creatures Night

➤ Opening Day

➤ Member Awards

➤ OLW Scoring

➤ Charter Plans

LOCAL FISHING➤

Seems like we have got the summer pattern of easterly winds and early sea breezes in early this year.

La Nina, the weather phenomenon which gets the warmer water flowing down WA's west coast looks like it should give us a treat this season. As we have for many years, water temperatures will be measured at the PGFC FAD and we'll be keeping an eye on the satellite data.

Reports of plagues of bonito around Garden and Carnac Islands are tempting game fishos to freeze them for bait when the season gets seriously underway.

Andy Grant did some arm stretching on sambos last week out by the barges – expect yellow tail kings and yellowfin tuna off west end.



2020-21 SAVE the DATE

29 November	Opening Day Cockburn Sound
01 December	Annual General Meeting
29 December	Gilligan's Cruise Swan River
17 January	Family Day Matilda Bay
13 & 14 February	Marlin Cup RPMC Fremantle
9-11 April	WA Open Jurien Bay
16 May	Ladies and Kids Day RPMC Fremantle
30 June	Club Year ends
10 August	Annual General Meeting RPMC Fremantle
28-29 August	Snapper Comp RPMC Fremantle
August	Presentation Dinner RPMC Crawley

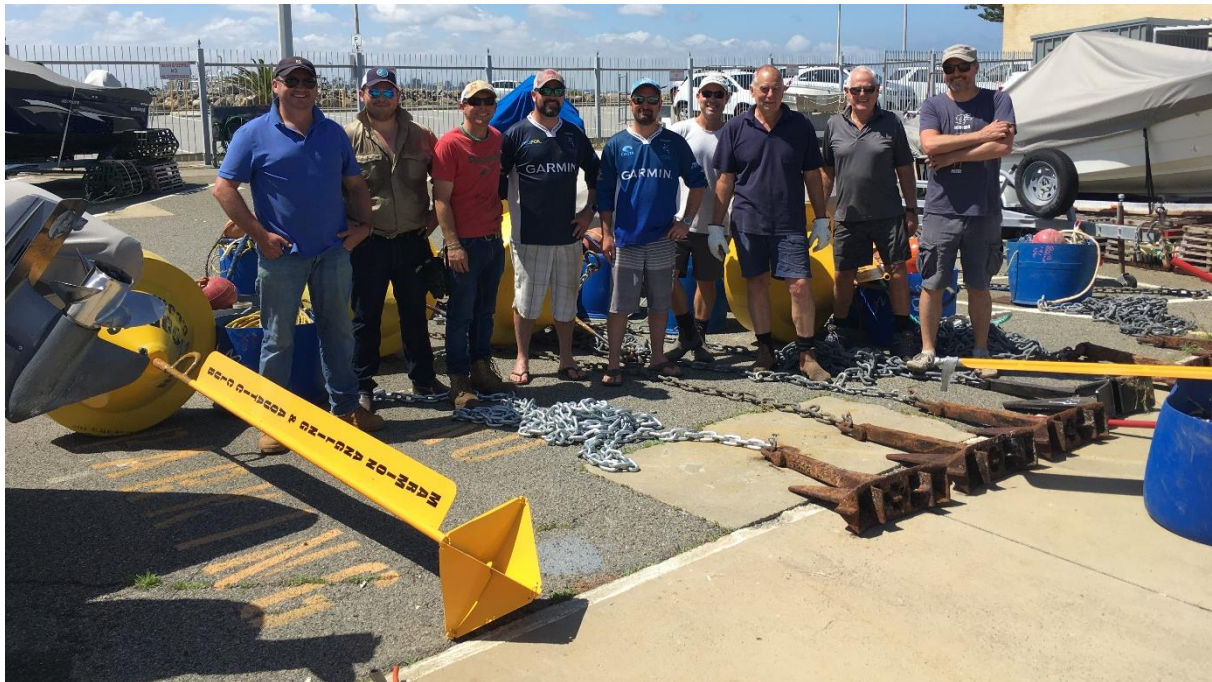
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FADs▶▶

A successful working bee at CPBC was held last Sunday, moving the FAD components to RPYC Annex for assembly.



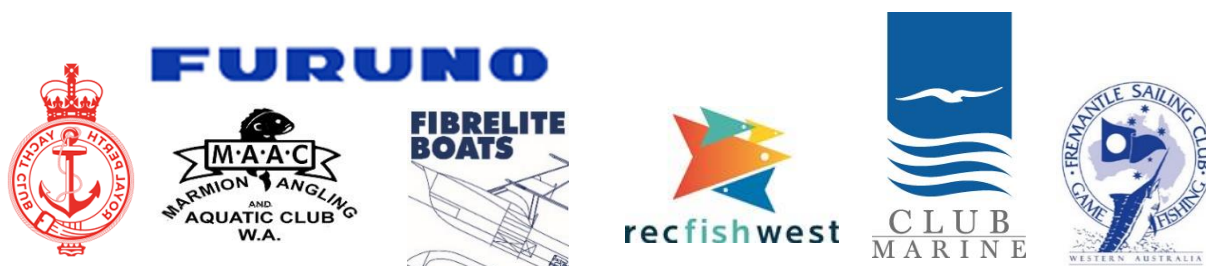
Many thanks to Nat Brazzalotto, Peter Coote, Adam Durell, Andy Grant, Matt Hodgkinson, Alistair Manifold, Andy Pearson, Dave Thomson and his neighbour who provided the Hiab and brothers Cameron and Grant Wilson. A very polished team that had the whole job done by 10:30. This was followed by deployment from RPYC Annexe on Wednesday 11th in excellent conditions.

With warmer than usual water temperatures the FADs should begin to be populated by the end of the month.

Preliminary FAD positions are:

	Latitude	Longitude	Water Depth
MAAC	31° 54.7'	115° 12.3'	170m
Furuno	31° 57.9'	115° 16.2'	140m
PGFC	32° 00.2'	115° 13.9'	180m
Club Marine	32° 03.1'	115° 20.1'	100m
FSC	32° 05.3'	115° 11.0'	217m
Fibrelite Boats	32° 10.1'	115° 09.8'	200m

Our FAD sponsors again this year are



Please support these businesses and clubs in appreciation of their contribution to Clubs 23 year old Rottnest FAD program

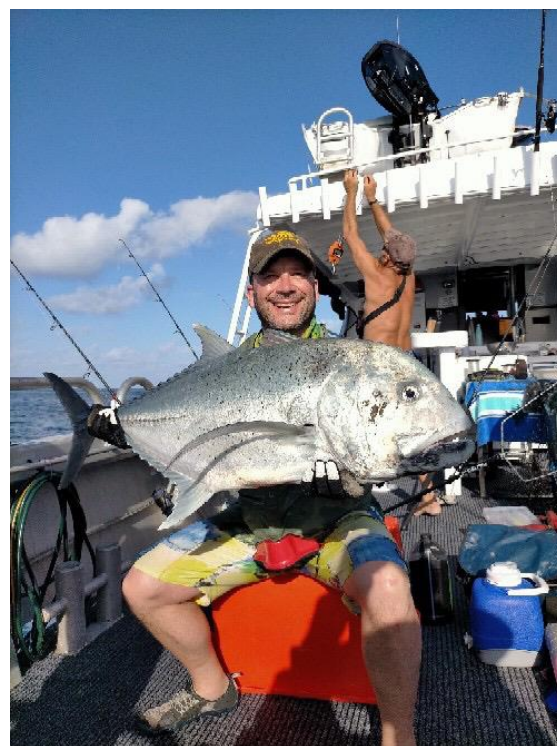


ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING▶▶

The 2020 AGM is to be held on 1st December. In accordance with the Constitution, notice of the meeting will be given by 17th November.

Recognising the social distancing requirements around the Covid-19 situation, it is planned to hold the meeting by electronic means using Zoom. Registration of interest will be required.

An agenda item at the AGM will be a Special Resolution to accept a new Constitution. This has been brought about by the State Government redrafting the Associations Act requiring all associations and clubs to fall in line with new regulations. The proposed Constitution and all meeting papers will be available for members to download.



Rowley Shoals GT – Seaestar Charters

LITTLE CREATURES SOCIAL NIGHT▶▶

Voted by many as the best social night in years, more than 30 members came along to meet others for a chat, a drink and the opportunity to welcome new members and those we hadn't seen in a while.

Pizzas complemented the beverages; mixing and camaraderie between members created a great club atmosphere. As a trial it was highly

successful and can be expected to be repeated in the new year. Thanks to Adam Durell for putting it together.



All Species Competition

Dylan Picken 50cm red snapper

MEMBER AWARDS➡



Small Fry Lochlan Turrell has been awarded both Australian and State Record awards for a 7.46kg snapper captured on 4kg line class in 14m of water off Mandurah on 8th October.

The John Dunphy Young Achiever Award is the most prestigious of the junior awards made at GFAA level where competition is Australia wide.

Lochie has been commended for his efforts. www.gfaa.asn has all the national awards from 2020.

Congratulations to this high achieving young angler.



OPENING DAY»

Coming up on Sunday 29th November, the format and plans for the day are:



OPENING DAY

Sunday 29th November

It's that time of year again. Opening Day will be held on Sunday the 29th November on the waters of Cockburn Sound. An informal gathering is planned to make this a great opportunity for those recently joined members and those we haven't seen for a while to catch up and get reacquainted.

The day will begin with the customary shot gun start at 0900 from Bathers Beach Fremantle.

Catch a fish or squid, have a swim and join the raft up in a protected bay likely at Carnac/Garden Island (TBA) starting from 1130 with the lead boats being Adam Durell's Caribbean 49 "One Shot" and Peter Coote's "Jelomi".

If you are interested in participating in this event please help us by indicating your intentions by RSVP on Facebook or TeamApp to contact@pgfc.com.au ideally before the 27th November.

To encourage members who may not have a boat, skippers are asked to offer any spare space on their boats to other members by communicating on TeamApp.

Let's all get together, round up a crew, enjoy the company of fellow club members and support our club. It's self-catering and with a calm anchorage its will be a good event for families.

Contacts: Peter Coote on 0419 266843 or Adam Durell on 0413 623352 or Nova on 0433 994314.

NEW CLUB INITIATIVES»»

OUTSIDE LOCAL WATERS

SCORING»»

For many years the Club has recognised members' catches with the Annual Outside Local Waters awards. These have been based on the highest point scoring fish in each line class and have produced some excellent results.

Many members now fish at distant locations as much as they do in Perth's local waters and it is time for the club to recognise those efforts.

From 1st January 2021, an additional Club Championship category – Outside Local Waters will have separate awards recognising men, women, junior and small fry anglers.

Details are yet to be completed and it will be a trial for the remainder of the 2021 Club year (ending 30th June), to be implemented for the full 2022 year.

Member input is welcome –
contact@pgfc.com.au

PGFC CHARTERS»»

Who hasn't dreamt about exploring offshore island groups and reefs or fishing in waters abundant with abundant tough fighting species of billfish, tuna and trevally.

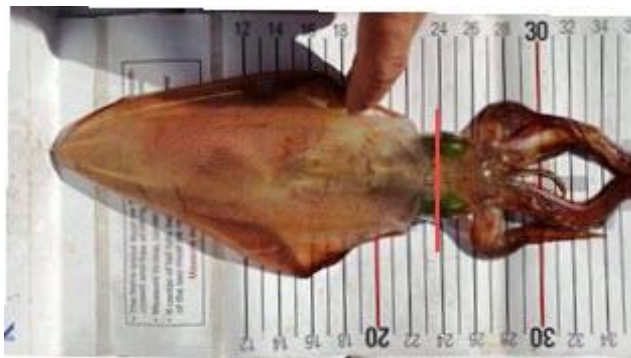
To be introduced to Club members is the opportunity to join a member's charter to destinations including:

- Abrolhos Islands
- Monte Bello Islands
- Rowley Shoals
- Scott Reef
- Kimberley Coast

Charterers will be selected from those already known to the Club who are the best for their respective destinations.

Expressions of interest and member input is welcome –
contact@pgfc.com.au

PS Three Rowley Shoals and a Scott Reef expedition have already been booked out by members



All Species Competition

Rikki Kohn 23cm squid

CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP SCORES»

PGFC ANNUAL CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP SCORES 2020-21

EDDY MOSS TROPHY – CHAMPION ANGLER		PRESIDENT'S TROPHY – CHAMPION BOAT	
Ash Hicks	1216	Rock'N'Roll	1984
Brian Arnett	1025	Seatrix	1141
Dylan Picken	908	Short Black	841
Phil Volich	488	Bush Chook	779
Jacob Whyte	488	Picko Westerberg	462
Kevin Baker	471	Little Trix	527
Andy Pearson	353	Dream Catcher	267
Francois de Vries	267	Triple H	120
Peter Dohnt	150		
Scott Turrell	128		
Matthys Solomon	105		

JUNIOR TROPHY			
Lochlan Turrell	627	Ellouise Pugh	101

NEIL PATRICK TROPHY			
Ashley Hicks	7	Lochlan Turrell	2
Darren Bowden	5	Brian Arnett	1
Peter Salmon	4	Jim Ireland	1
Dave Thomson	3	Ben Pugh	1

Club Championship points have been updated to 5th November 2020. The season began on 1st October and will end on 30th June 2021. 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.

TEAM APP»

PGFC has launched Team App, a mobile phone and laptop app that instantly gives you club news, events, scores, chat, images, alerts and links to social media and the website. Running right now and quickly getting populated, try it by joining – it's FREE. Download from Appstore or www.teamapp.com

Any questions, contact Adam Durell on 0413 623352



ALL SPECIES COMPETITION ➡

Current to 7th November	Male	Length	Female	Length	Smallfry Junior	Length	Other
Baldchin Groper	Damien Wham	56cm	Rikki Kohn	41cm	Zandri Oosthuizen	44cm	
Breaksea Cod	Rhyss Whittred	49cm			Rhys Martin	46cm	
Dhufish	Josh Witkin	101cm			Rhys Martin	69cm	
Hapuka/ Bass Grouper/ 8 Bar/ Blue Eye	Rhyss Whittred	142cm					Bass
Herring	Peter Babarskas	26cm	Rikki Kohn	23cm	Henry Sandon	25cm	
King George whiting	Andre de Vries	51cm					
Pink snapper	Francois de Vries	72cm	Andrea Pugh	65cm	Zandri Oosthuizen	79cm	
Queen snapper	Deon van der Westhuizen	70cm					
Red snapper	Dylan Picken	50cm					
Samsonfish/ Amberjack	Damien Wham	120cm			Zandri Oosthuizen	107cm	
Sand whiting	John Cramer	27cm			Harry Coulston	32cm	
Skippy	Brett Martin	41cm			Lochlan Turrell	31cm	
Squid	Mark Jamieson	35cm	Rikki Kohn	23cm	Lochlan Turrell	29cm	
Tailor	Dale Moir	58cm			Ollie Anderson	39cm	
Yellowtail Kingfish	Dylan Picken	96cm	Linda Durell	65cm			

It's easy and fun to enter, simply

- Take a photo of the fish laying on a brag mat head to the board, to verify the fork length.
- Take another photo of the angler holding the fish.
- Send both photos, the anglers name, species name and the fork length of the fish to Ash Hicks at hicks87@gmail.com or 0419 510 262.



RE-CAPTURE»

Recapture certificate issued to Brian Arnett for a salmon – free for just four days.



Department of
Primary Industries

Recapture Certificate

AUSTRALIAN SALMON

Release

BRIAN ARNETT
ROCKNROLL

Date : 27 April 2020
Location : STRAGGLERS
Latitude : 32.03S
Longitude : 115.38E
Weight (kg) : 3
Length (cm) : 60

Recapture

BEAU SULADRA
null

Date : 01 May 2020
Location : PERTH
Latitude : 31.50S
Longitude : 115.44E
Weight (kg) : 3
Length (cm) : 61

Tag Number : A617962
Days at Liberty : 4
Distance (NM) : 14
Direction : NNE



FOR SALE▶▶

A pair of the Club's Roger Swainston images framed. A steal at \$500 each

Contact Doug on 0411 464444



Brian Arnett 120kg blue marlin on 24kg – Exmouth November 2020

Andy Grant mahi mahi at Exmouth – note the sea state



PGFC Supports



FOR SALE



24ft Theodore 720 ½ Cabin \$85000

One owner
230HP Yamaha Diesel – 450 hours
Mercruiser Bravo 3 duoprop leg
Great range – close to 300Nm
from 300L tank
2018 Raymarine Axion Plotter
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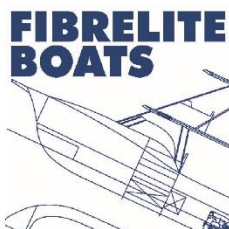
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