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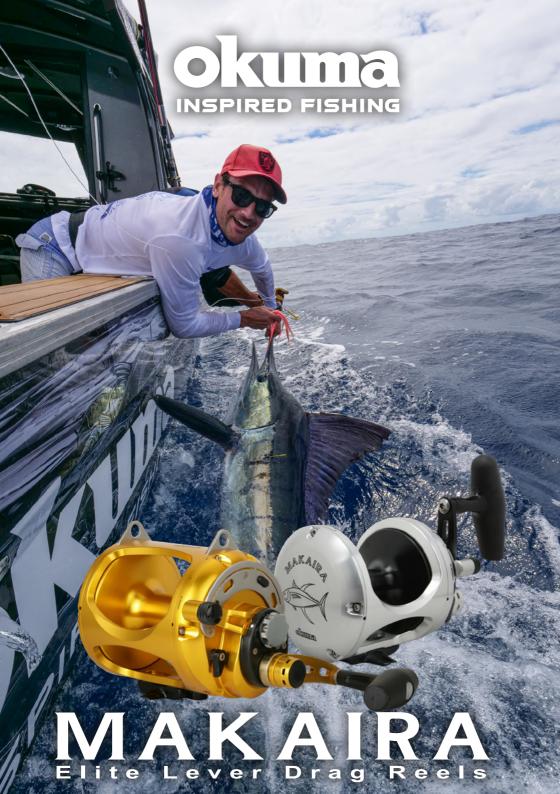
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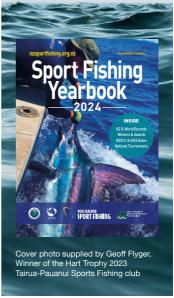


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PRESIDENT'S REPORT 2023 - IAN STEELE



Ian Steele - President

It has certainly been an interesting year. Looking back at the COVID times, we were reminded of the value of our own time, and how important relationships and interactions with other people are - reminded that we are only on this planet for a certain amount of time and that we need to ensure that we make each day count.

During the various COVID lockdowns and restrictions on movements, we all sought 'normality' - to do 'what we want to be doing' with those people that we enjoy being around. As a result, we have seen a new flexibility in the workplace, and an increased value placed on our quality of life.

As we exited the COVID period, we all thought that things would improve over time with regard to our lifestyles. Little did we realise that the COVID years were the best economically that we had seen for some time.

This year, 2023, has been the period where we have seen the cost of living pressures increase drastically. While wages have increased, they have generally not kept pace with the cost of living - creating the 'Cost of Living Crisis'. Things have tightened economically due to the deliberate cooling of the economy by the Reserve Bank (through higher interest rates). The rate of change has been the kicker.

Suddenly, the new 'Normal' includes our COVID learnings on the value of our own time and a higher cost of living, including higher cost of going fishing (e.g. Petrol more than \$3 / litre).

This new 'Normal' has seen increased pressure on the scarce pool of peoples' time to operate our clubs - both Volunteer and paid. It's simply getting harder and harder to find people to undertake key roles such as Club Committee's, act as weighmasters and support our Clubrooms, club bars and restaurants.

At the same time, on a number of fronts, we have continued to see increased challenges in accessing our wonderful coastal environment, and the marine life that live within it. Topics that have challenged us this year include the various Regional Council Plans, The RMA, Caulerpa, Climate Change / higher rainfalls/storms, localised depletion and Rahui, Fisheries Plans, The Hauraki Gulf, QMS Sustainability Reviews - the list goes

Speaking of challenges, a special mention goes out to all those affected by Cyclone Gabrielle - all clubs and club members affected - especially in Auckland, Coromandel, Hawkes Bay and Gisborne areas. Your response as clubs and a community was inspiring.

The social and economic environment around us has changed - and is continuing to change at a rate not seen for many years, if not decades. The quote 'The only constant in Life is Change' feels very relevant at present.

Now, more than ever, Fishing Clubs have relevance. The hardest part is resourcing them with the many necessary skillsets from volunteers, Club members and staff so that they can grow and adapt - generally so that we can do more with less.

In a world where there are many organisations attempting to influence people with a volume of communications, it is evident that NZSFC Clubs need to continue to invest in future generations, in order to ensure that the way of life we know today can be shared with the next generation.

To this end, NZSFC has this year progressed various initiatives including (but not limited to):

- Investing in the next generation NZSFC Youth Programme and Youth Ocean Trust
- Club relationships and communications with the appointment of Mike Plant
- Club support Tacklebox resource, Weighmaster Book update, Weighmaster training
- Fisheries Management an unprecedented volume of input and submissions around NZ
- LegaSea increased public profile and influence including Kai Ika.
- Sportfishing Youth Nationals and Nationals





We are well positioned to continue the development of our support and initiatives into the coming season through our various interconnected organisations:

- NZSFC
- LegaSea
- NZ Marine Research Foundation
- Youth Ocean Trust

The key to us progressing is your involvement with your Club, and you Club's involvement with NZSFC. The more engagement and sharing of thoughts and ideas between us as Clubs, the stronger our Clubs are now and into the future.

As a Council of Clubs, NZSFC will facilitate Club development across a number of fronts. As a Council of Clubs, our Clubs do best when we engage and share what we know and any resource that we have created (either individually or as a group) - thereby being greater than the sum of our parts.

The scale of the challenges that each of our clubs and club members face means that we are best to pool our collective thoughts and resources so that all Clubs can continue to evolve in the most effective and efficient way possible.

Get involved. Do you or you club have an idea, learning or concept that you feel other clubs would benefit from? Get in touch, ensure that your club delegates are attending the bi-monthly Zone meetings with neighbouring clubs, and we can continue to propagate support for all NZSFC Clubs and their Club members.

Lastly - Thanks. A huge thank you to everyone that makes our Clubs happen day to day, and also to all those who make NZSFC operate. Regardless of your contribution, large or small - whether your contribution was at a Club working bee, participating in a club event, taking your child fishing, donating time or money (the list goes on) - it's the combined effort of everyone involved that means we all get to enjoy the fantastic New Zealand fishing lifestyle with friends and family. A lifestyle that's special and worth ensuring for future generations.



SAFE BOATING

New Zealand Sport Fishing Council

You are a member of a club that is affiliated to the New Zealand Sport Fishing Council Inc. With that comes some responsibility for safe boating. Whether your vessel is small or large, as skipper you need to know about your legal responsibilities, as well as the safety equipment and procedures required for your vessel.

Being a responsible skipper on board any vessel means that you are in charge. This is not just a tradition; it's also the law. You are responsible for the safety of the boat and all persons onboard. As skipper you need to know that operating a vessel in a way that causes any unnecessary risk, is an offence. The same applies to maintaining the vessel and its equipment.

See our website nzsportfishing.org.nz







2024 Taranaki Cockies Classic Fishing Competition

Wednesday 6th March

Thursday
7th March

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MEMBERS BENEFITS



The New Zealand Sport Fishing Council is a Council of Clubs a democratic grass roots organisation with representatives coming from our many Clubs around the country.

We exist for Clubs and are run buy the Clubs.

By affiliating with the Council your club members are entitled to access the following:-

Affiliated Clubs

Being a member of a New Zealand Sport Fishing Council affiliated club means you're part of an expansive and tightly-knit community of anglers across the country. With over 55 affiliated clubs under the NZSFC umbrella, your membership extends far beyond your local waters.

Visit other affiliated clubs

Enjoy the opportunity of being able to explore our vibrant clubs, share the lovely meals and beverages, and the warm hospitality of fishing enthusiasts across New Zealand.

From having your prized catch weighed to taking in the breathtaking views, the opportunities are there for you.

Venture beyond your own club to discover other clubs across the country, each offering spectacular panoramas and the promise of unforgettable moments.

Annual Tournaments

Join us for the pinnacle events in New Zealand's angling calendar—the highly anticipated New Zealand Sports Fishing Council Nationals & Youth Nationals! Set against the stunning backdrop of our country's diverse coastlines, these premier tournaments bring together the nation's most skilled anglers, showcasing their expertise and passion for sport fishing

GO Fuel

NZSFC has teamed up with GOfuel for some serious fuel discounts. There are 3 different 'NO FEES' fuel cards available giving members a choice of where they would like to fill up. (no restrictions on the number of cards).

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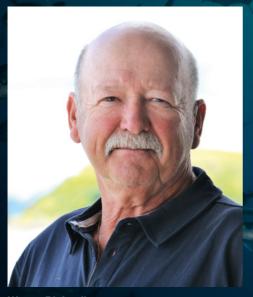




FISHERIES MANAGEMENT REPORT 2022-2023



Mark Conner Co-Chairman of Fisheries Management Marine **Protection Committee**



Wayne Bicknell Co-Chairman of Fisheries Management Marine **Protection Committee**

Having Mark Connor and Wayne Bicknell sharing the load by co-chairing the Fisheries Management Standing Committee has been a masterstroke by the NZSFC. So much is happening, too much for one person to do on their own. Between Mark, Wayne, and the Committee, we have made it work over the past year.

We say goodbye and thanks for your service to Ken Barry, who has reluctantly stepped down from representing Zone 6 on the NZSFC Board and our Committee. We already miss Ken's enthusiasm and the occasional west coast crayfish at our meetings.

We acknowledge and appreciate the ongoing commitment of Peter Campbell, Richard Baker. Vance Fulton, Warren Maher, Ian Steele, and co-opted members Dirk Sieling, Scott Macindoe, Allan Davidson, the Environmental Chair and Board member of New Zealand Underwater Association (NZUA), and President of the New Zealand Angling & Casting Association and spokesperson for LegaSea Hawkes Bay, Jim Yeoman.

The input from our contractor team has been integral to our success. Lewis Avenell as our Official Information Act bloodhound, Barrister Stuart Rvan and RMA legal expert Rowan Ashton have provided invaluable service as has John Holdsworth, Barry Torkington, Trish Rea, Sam Woolford, Momoko Burgess, Sydney Curtis and Katie Goodwin. Special thanks to Benn Winlove for coordinating the Hauraki Gulf Alliance and Marine Park Fisheries Plan response.

Heavy duty

The past year is best described as heavy duty. We've developed responses to proposals for 30 species and areas between Southland to North Cape. Given the threat posed by the Fisheries Amendment Bill, we submitted comprehensive responses to the Primary Production Select Committee in mid-2022. The Hauraki Gulf Marine Park Fisheries Plan process drags on and the emergence of the Fisheries Industry Transformation Plan in late April 2023 presented our team with another opportunity to promote the benefits of a workable alternative to the Quota Management System (QMS), our Rescue Fish policy.



Ministerial revolving door

There has been a succession of Ministers appointed to Oceans and Fisheries during the past 12 months. We are most grateful to David Parker for his precautionary decisions applying to snapper. gurnard, h puku, crayfish, tarakihi and scallops. While we didn't always agree with the outcomes. most of his decisions reflected the need to take the wider ecosystem into account while considering single species management. The exit of David Parker as Minister in April this year is a major loss. We aim to build a mutually respectful relationship with the new Minister.

Pivotal CRA 1 Court decision

In November 2022 the High Court confirmed that the Minister must consider the long-term environmental effects of fishing on marine ecosystems and other species, before setting commercial catch limits. This celebrated decision relates to the Ministerial review of the Northland rock lobster fish stock (CRA 1) in early

Our enthusiasm was soon dampened by the minimalist response from Fisheries New Zealand (FNZ) officials in early 2023, offering only minor changes to future catch limits for CRA 1. In our February submission we urged the Minister to set precautionary catch limits to enable the rebuilding of recruited biomass to B50, half the estimated unfished stock size. Ultimately, the Minister followed the officials' advice, applying a minimal cut to the commercial catch limit while halving the daily recreational bag limit for spiny rock lobster to 3 per person. We anticipate a continued focus on addressing ecosystem effects of fishing and another review of CRA 1 in 2024.

Fisheries Amendment Bill

The Fisheries Amendment Bill's passage through Parliament during 2022 was highly unorthodox and left many people dissatisfied.

In November 2021 the Government released the Bill seeking legislative changes to enable the rollout of cameras aboard commercial fishing vessels. In our 2022 submission we repeated our support for onboard cameras, but vehemently opposed

officials' attempts to lock-in pre-set decision rules. That's because pre-set decision rules would limit Ministerial oversight and public input (including ours) into decision-making processes. Without applying Ministerial discretion, decision rules would facilitate maximum commercial catches while failing to protect vulnerable species.

Hats off to Minister David Parker who had the courage to delete pre-set decision rule provisions from the Bill before it was passed. The Bill took effect in November 2022.

Given the threats posed by the Bill, this is the most significant win for the NZSFC, recreational fishers, our fish and marine environment in 20 years.

This comes seven years after the 2015 review of commercial fishing, a major scandal in 2016 exposing gross under-reporting of commercial catches, and nine years after a Ministerial decision to install onboard cameras to better protect vulnerable species and reduce wastage.

After a decade of promises, it is pleasing the Minister has finally announced the camera roll-out. On 23 vessels, and up to 300 by 2025. Time will tell.



LEGASEA ANNUAL REPORT - SAM WOOLFORD



Since 2012 LegaSea has strived to enhance New Zealanders' understanding of the issues impacting our coastal fisheries. With that comes the responsibility to give people the opportunity to have their say. We strive to provide the tools and make

sure your voice is heard. Fair to say, we are constantly learning and feedback is appreciated.

As the issues facing our coastal fisheries continue to mount and our projects become more popular, the demands on our crew continue to increase -

- The Kai Ika Project has expanded to Wellington thanks to the commitment of Chris Jupp and his team of volunteers.
- The Hauraki Gulf Alliance has enabled fishing and environmental advocates to collaborate on a goal of banning destructive fishing methods from inshore waters
- 3. LegaSea Hawkes Bay continues to support its community through positive engagement, which is most welcome given the tough times in that region.

We do this mahi with confidence, knowing we have the support of our parent organisation, the New Zealand Sport Fishing Council, their delegates, affiliated and non-affiliated clubs. They provide a solid platform that helps us maintain a strong presence advocating for restored abundance and a fair go for future generations.

GOVERNANCE

The LegaSea Governance Advisory Standing Committee (LGAS) includes both LegaSea Directors Mark Connor and Peter Campbell, and Dirk Sieling, Ian Steele, Richard Baker, Scott Macindoe and Wayne Bicknell. Their oversight and guidance is much appreciated by our team.

PEOPLE

With growth comes increased demand and engagement, requiring an expansion of the crew. This year we have welcomed the following people; Katie Goodwin - Supporter Engagement, Chris Scott - Digital Communications, Sitiveni Kakala - Full-time Filleter, Tonga Kakala - Apprentice Filleter.

Contractors who have generously shared their expertise over the past year include Simon Yates, Pieter Battaerd, Louise O'Sullivan, Jess Beetham, Sydney Curtis, Momoko Burgess, Benn Winlove, Katie Goodwin, Dallas Abel, Matt Welch, Chris Scott, and Trish Rea.

We acknowledge the incredible time and effort Pieter Battaerd and Simon Yates contributed to LegaSea's cause. Pieter dedicated nine years attending countless boat shows and events as the representative for LegaSea. Simon spent ten years working as Corporate Relations and Funding Manager for LegaSea. He was the inspiration behind many of our campaigns, establishing foundational relationships with many of our partners who remain supporters to this day. We wish them well in the future.

PUBLIC AWARENESS

In generating public awareness of the many issues affecting our coastal fisheries we have invested over \$319,000 into our campaigns.

Our relentless campaigning since 2020 highlighting the depletion of Coromandel scallops resulted in an emergency closure in December 2022. The (then) Minister David Parker has since closed the fishery to commercial and recreational harvest.

The Hauraki Gulf Alliance saw us join forces with 110 organisations to fight against bottom trawling, dredging and Danish seining in the Hauraki Gulf Marine Park.

One of the biggest events each year for LegaSea is the Hutchwilco New Zealand Boat Show. This year we ran a visual "Where's Johnny" campaign to raise awareness about the lack of diversity of fish species other than snapper in our waters. Over 3,000 fish were plastered on the wall as attendees guessed where Johnny the John dory and his friends were hiding in the Hauraki Gulf.

FINANCES

We have a long-standing policy that 100% of public and unaffiliated club donations to LegaSea are distributed to the New Zealand Sport Fishing Council. We have observed a decrease in recurring payments, attributed to the cost of living crisis and recession. We are still observing that Kiwis have a strong desire to see real change in fisheries management, with increased subscribers and social engagement.





GRANT SEEKING

In the last year we have secured over \$450,000 in grants. These were distributed to various LegaSea projects, including distributing kai moana, an artificial reef feasibility study, and the establishment of The Kai Ika Project in Wellington.

The New Zealand Marine Research Foundation granted \$12,500 for attendance at the World Recreational Fishing Conference in February 2023. Momoko Burgess attended and John Holdsworth and Sydney Curtis both made presentations. We're grateful to the Foundation and the New Zealand Sport Fishing Council for their support in making this achievable.

PLATINUM AND GOLD PARTNERS

A few partner highlights

- 1. Turkish Bread distributed 'Card Sharks' among pizza packs in 2023. Each collector card features facts and statistics about species of sharks, rays, and skates found in New Zealand waters. Over 2 million cards were distributed along with \$20,000 worth of prizes thanks to another Platinum partner, Marine Deals. We had almost 20,000 entries.
- 2. Bayleys came onboard as a Platinum partner in late 2022 and has hosted two Bayleys Fishing Classics, each time generously donating proceeds' to LegaSea. To date they have raised over \$80,000 for LegaSea.
- 3. Whitehaven Wines have been a dedicated Platinum partner since 2016. In June they launched a K parepare Wines promotion whereby 100% of purchases made during one week were donated to LegaSea. The result saw 115 cases of wine ordered with \$30,000 raised for LegaSea bringing their overall total contribution \$165,000. An absolutely amazing partnership that we are very grateful for.

VOLUNTEER EVENTS

The unpredictable, extreme weather in Auckland stymied some of the planned volunteer events last summer. We did not let the weather dampen our spirits. Our volunteers invested 390 hours in various projects including; Annual Waiheke Marine Project K ura survey, dive and beach clean-ups with Sea Cleaners, Hauraki Gulf Alliance stand at Kelly Tarltons, NIWA snapper mortality survey, and assistance at the Hutchwilco New Zealand Boat Show.

Kai Ika 'HE IKA HE TAONGA' THE GIFT OF FISH

The Kai Ika Project's mission is to minimise impact on the marine environment through improved practices, and to encourage utilising more of each fish harvested, so no parts are wasted.

Since 2016 we have collected and distributed more than 370,000kgs of fish heads and frames to appreciative communities in Auckland and more recently in the Wellington region.

Kai lka filleting services are available for fishing competition events, this is a great add-on to compliment your event and we ensure heads and frames are distributed to community groups in the area. To enquire more about this service go to https://kaiika.co.nz/contact/











2023 AGM AT TAIRUA-PAUANUI SPORTS FISHING CLUB

The Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the New Zealand Sport Fishing Council (NZSFC) held from September 21st to 23rd, 2023, at the Tairua-Pauanui Sports Fishing Club, marked a momentous gathering of passionate anglers and enthusiasts from 53 affiliated clubs. Collectively representing a formidable membership of 36,000, this assembly of dedicated individuals converged to discuss and decide the future course of sport fishing and marine conservation in New Zealand.

Key Discussions:

- 1. Nationals and Youth Nationals: At the forefront of the AGM were updateson the NZSFC's flagship Nationals event, a premier championship that has long served as a unifying force within the sport fishing community. The AGM's discussions affirmed the event's continued significance in promoting the sport and fostering camaraderie among anglers.
- 2. Youth Engagement: The AGM placed significant emphasis on youth involvement, highlighting the Youth Nationals as a platform to ignite the enthusiasm of the next generation of anglers. Encouraging youth participation was deemed essential to ensure the sport's continuity and growth.
- 3. Weighmasters Handbook and Training: Precise fish weighing took center stage with discussions focused on creating a comprehensive handbook and training program for weighmasters. This initiative aims to enhance the accuracy of tournament weigh-ins and uphold the sport's integrity.
- 4. Club Sustainability: The AGM provided a platform for clubs to share strategies and best practices for ensuring their long-term sustainability. Addressing vital aspects of their continued existence, this discussion aimed to strengthen the foundation of the sport fishing community.
- 5. with NZ Coastguard: The collaborative efforts between the NZSFC and the New Zealand Coastquard to enhance water safety were highlighted. This partnership underlines their shared commitment to safeguarding New Zealand's waters, ensuring the safety of all anglers.
- 6. CRM Implementation 'Sporty': The introduction of a Customer Relationship Management (CRM) system, known as 'Sporty,' was discussed with the aim of streamlining club operations and enhancing

- the member experience. This technological advancement is set to modernize and improve the management of club affairs.
- 7. Ocean Trust Establishment: An important announcement was made during the AGM about the establishment of the Youth Ocean Trust, signaling a resolute commitment to preserving New Zealand's marine environment for future generations. This initiative reinforces the NZSFC's dedication to environmental conservation.

Guest Speakers:

The AGM featured distinguished guest speakers who provided invaluable insights:

- Scott Simpson, Member of Parliament for Coromandel and National Party spokesperson on Ocean and Fisheries, shared insights into legislative matters concerning the sport fishing community.
- Callum Gillespie. CEO of the New Zealand Coastguard, offered valuable information on water safety measures, further strengthening the commitment to safety on the water.
- Rowan Ashton, representing NZSFC Fisheries. provided legal perspectives on fisheries management, ensuring compliance with regulations.
- Todd Herbert, representing commercial kina gathering, shared expertise on sustainable harvesting practices and their impact on marine ecosystems, highlighting the importance of responsible fishing.
- Peter Kara, representing Water Safety New Zealand and NZ Coastquard, discussed water safety measures and the collaborative efforts of these organizations, emphasizing the importance of safety on New Zealand's waters.

Tairua-Pauanui Sports Fishing Club:

The Tairua Pauanui Sports Fishing Club's warm hospitality played a pivotal role in ensuring the AGM's success. Their efforts set the stage for a well-organized and welcoming event, facilitating meaningful discussions and fostering a sense of unity among attendees.

The 2023 NZSFC AGM was not just a meeting; it was a significant event poised to shape the future of sport fishing and marine conservation in New Zealand. The discussions and decisions made during the AGM are expected to have a lasting impact on the sport fishing community, fostering continued growth, sustainability,





and a renewed commitment to preserving New Zealand's marine environment for future generations. With unity, innovation, and a strong sense of purpose, the NZSFC and its affiliated clubs are poised to navigate the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead, ensuring a vibrant future for the sport and the environment it relies on.





AGM 2023 - Tairua-Pauanui Sports Fishing Club (club in the background top left)















NZSFC AGM 20TH & 21ST OF SEP 2024 - WHAKATANE SPORTS FISHING CLUB

In 2024, the New Zealand Sport Fishing Council's (NZSFC) 68th Annual General Meeting (AGM) promises to be an extraordinary event that fishing enthusiasts across the country will not want to miss. This AGM will be

A Must-Attend Event at Whakatane Sport Fishing Club

hosted by Zone 8 clubs. These clubs have joined forces to organize a memorable AGM that will celebrate the spirit of sport fishing and camaraderie in New Zealand.

Hosted by Whakatane Sport Fishing Club

The picturesque coastal town of Whakatane, located on the North Island's eastern Bay of Plenty, will be the perfect backdrop for this AGM. The Whakatane Sport Fishing Club, an iconic institution in the world of sport fishing, will be co-hosting this prestigious event. Known for its rich history, dedication to conservation, and passionate members, this club is the ideal venue for the 68th NZSFC AGM.

The collaboration between Waihau Bay, Te Kaha, and Whakatane promises an AGM that will be nothing short of fantastic. Here's what you can look forward to:

- 1. One of the Largest Clubs in New Zealand: The AGM will bring together sport fishing enthusiasts from all over New Zealand, making it one of the largest and most exciting gatherings of its kind.
- 2. Online Registration: online registration for the event will be available soon. This ensures a smooth and hassle-free process to secure your spot at the AGM.
- 3. Accommodation Packages: Worried about finding the right place to stay during the AGM? Fret not, as the event organizers have thought of everything. Accommodation packages will be available, catering to a wide range of preferences, from apartments and holiday homes to cozy bed and breakfasts, boutique lodging, and even glamping options.
- 4. Convenient Location: Many of the accommodation options are within walking distance of the event venue. Whether you prefer motels, holiday parks, campgrounds, or luxurious lodging, you're sure to find the perfect place to stay.
- 5. Courtesy Bus: Getting around will be a breeze with a courtesy bus available, ensuring you can move easily between the event and your accommodation.
- 6. Bring Your Boat: For those who can't bear to be away from the water, you're welcome to bring your own boat. The Whakatane Sport Fishing Club is renowned for its fishing opportunities, and you'll have the chance to explore the waters and try your luck. The event's location means you can enjoy fishing for kingfish, snapper, and broadies throughout the year. Take an extra day or two to explore the region's incredible fishing opportunities.

7. Whakatane Airport Transfers: Getting to and from the event is convenient, thanks to Whakatane airport's close proximity.

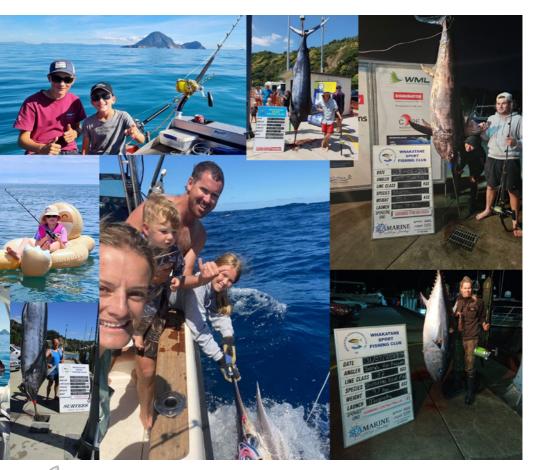
With a stunning location, diverse accommodation options, and a plethora of exciting activities, this event promises to be a highlight in the calendar of any fishing enthusiast. Don't miss your chance to be a part of this unforgettable AGM!















KAWHIA BOATING AND ANGLING CLUB

CLUB OF THE YEAR 2023



As the golden hues of the sun gently grace the horizon over Kawhia Harbour, one cannot help but recognise the prominence of the Kawhia Boating and Angling Club in this small, picturesque fishing town. The recent acclaim as the New Zealand Sport Fishing Council's Club of the Year for 2022-2023 is more than just an accolade; it's a testament to the club's profound commitment to sportfishing, it's warm and inclusive atmosphere, and the outstanding achievements of this small vibrant club, that punches well above its weight.

A Story of Growth and Resilience:

Since its induction into the NZ Sportfishing Council in September 1992, the Kawhia Boating and Angling Club has undergone an exceptional transformation. Witnessing an exponential growth from 578 members

to an impressive count of 818 by the end of June. This is an exceptional achievement given that Kawhia club is a small club, in a rural situation, without large resources or support. The club is a testament to local membership drives and an expanding community that loves fishing. The structural evolution and investment of the club's premises, featuring upgraded facilities and new furniture, stands as a testament to the dedication of the committee, volunteers, and staff, highlighting the club's endeavour to provide a superior experience for its members and visitors despite budget constraints.

Celebrating Engaging Tournaments and Angler Participation:

The club's expertise in hosting tournaments has become its signature. Conducting three one-day





sweepstake competitions, a two-day family event during Easter Weekend, and the renowned 'Kawhia One Base' tournament, the club consistently draws substantial participation, with the latter's 70-team cut off filled swiftly. The 'Kasha snapper' competition unites fishing enthusiasts from many diverse locations, which emphasises the event's demand and success. The club's commitment extends beyond its own competitions: it supports the Te Kuiti Quota Club by offering facilities and a weigh station for their 'One Base' event, emphasising a broader dedication to the fishing community.

Youth Engagement, Participation and Pathways:

The surge in participation at the NZ Sportfishing Council Junior Nationals, with an increase from 24 to 36 junior competitors, and the club's commendable placements at the Nationals underscore its commitment to nurturing angling talent across all age groups. This is led by an engaged group of members who recognise the club's future lies with youth participation and engagement. The club came 3rd overall in the interclub portion of the Youth Nationals, 2nd in the Primary section Champion Angler overall and 3rd in secondary section overall.

During this competition the Club decided it would support their young anglers by having a separate prizegiving and prizes for all the anglers as well as the certificates and trophies from NZSFC.

Community Integration and Safety at Sea:

Beyond being a renowned fishing haven, the club is an integral part of the Kawhia community, serving as a welcoming space for diverse gatherings, meetings, and celebrations. However, its commitment doesn't end there; it takes pride in actively engaging in three official rescues and aiding several stranded boats in the past year. This dedication plays a pivotal role in ensuring safety on the waters of Kawhia Harbour and beyond.

Contributions to Fisheries Management and Future Developments:

The club's involvement in the Marlin tag and release programme, successfully tagging 85 marlin, has provided depth to fisheries management and research. The detailed reports shared at zone meetings contribute significantly to the broader understanding of fish movement and catches.

The commitment to continuous growth and development is evident in the club's expansion initiatives. From the substantial surge in membership to the revitalisation of club premises, including enhancements to committee rooms, weigh stations, and infrastructure, the club is actively preparing for a promising future.



Recognition and Impact: Club of the Year 2022-2023:

The New Zealand Sport Fishing Council's recognition of the Kawhia Boating and Angling Club as the Club of the Year echoes the club's profound impact on the angling community and the broader Kawhia region. This accolade is a testament to the club's deep engagement with the community, commitment to safety, and its efforts to create an inclusive and engaging space for anglers of all ages.

In Conclusion:

The Kawhia Boating and Angling Club isn't merely a fishing hub; it's a testament to the power of a united small community devoted to the love of fishing. The club's achievements, driven by a shared passion, unwavering commitment, and a vibrant community spirit, secure its position as a cherished gem in the crown of the New Zealand Sport Fishing Council. The journey of this club is an inspiration, a tale of resilience, and a beacon for angling communities across New Zealand.









OLD MAN AND THE SEA TROPHY - ROSS TUDOR



Old Man and the Sea 2023: Ross Tudor's win emphasises the battle of Human vs Nature.

Ross Tudor's win of the illustrious 'Old Man and the Sea' trophy started as a captivating odvssey. unfolding against the grandeur of the open ocean. His remarkable capture of a Black Marlin, a majestic and elusive giant of the deep, symbolised a journey marked by unwavering determination, resilience, and the indomitable spirit of an angler.

The nomination of Ross Tudor's monumental feat. the capture of a Black Marlin on December 19, 2023, aboard the Raptor, was a defining moment in the realm of sportfishing. Weighing an awe-inspiring 464.5 kilograms (1024 pounds), this catch set a record as a ratified New Zealand achievement on the rigorous 60kg tackle.

This captivating fishing tale began with a backgrop of unending horizon and shimmering waters. Ross, with a heart brimming with passion for angling, embarked on a quest that would become etched into the annals of fishing history. The day bore the promise of excitement and adventure, as he cast his line into the depths, guided by an unrelenting dedication to his beloved sport.

His journey to the 'Old Man and the Sea' trophy was a culmination of experience, patience, and a passion for the thrill of the chase. After already tagging and releasing two Striped Marlin during the voyage, Ross hooked up for the third time, starting a saga that would test his skill and perseverance against the mighty Marlin.

The encounter between angler and fish transcended mere physicality. It was a mental and emotional battle, a testament to Ross's unwavering resolve and relentless spirit. For over 10 gruelling hours, the contest of strength and willpower between man and Marlin unfolded. By 2 PM, Ross found himself applying over 20 kilograms of drag, a testament to the colossal strength of the Marlin he was up against.



The struggle continued as daylight started to fade, and the sea became a canvas of twilight hues. The glimpses of the majestic fish teased and taunted, diving and resurfacing, each time slipping away, much like a mythical sea creature. Yet, Ross remained resolute, his determination unshaken, as the Bimini Knot broke the surface momentarily before slipping back into the depths.

The boat's deck bore witness to a relentless battle. lit by the fading sunlight and the emerging stars. As the clock inched closer to 9:30 PM, the Marlin, after a series of mighty head nods, finally emerged, rolling onto her side. She was done, and Ross's enduring struggle came to a triumphant end.

Captains Paddy Bohane and A.J Barton-Barry, seasoned fishermen who have braved the waters in pursuit of the largest game fish globally, shared a unanimous sentiment. They acknowledged that they had never witnessed an angler match Ross Tudor's unparalleled grit, determination, and mental strength in such an enduring battle against nature's force. The narrative of Ross's quest is not merely a fishing tale; it is an epic of resilience, endurance, and the triumph of human spirit against the untamed forces of nature. The dedication and mental fortitude demonstrated by Ross Tudor throughout this monumental journey are beyond comparison, marking this achievement as a watershed moment in the world of sportfishing.

The capture of the Black Marlin, a titan of the ocean. stands not just as a record but as a testament to the relentless pursuit of one's passion, the unyielding dedication to the sport, and the unbreakable spirit that defines the ethos of the 'Old Man and the Sea' Award. Ross Tudor's journey signifies the embodiment of Hemingway's iconic narrative, a modern-day epic that immortalises the age-old battle between man and the sea.

With this capture. Ross Tudor cements his place as a legendary angler and emerges as an exemplary nominee for the prestigious 'Old Man and the Sea' Award, a tale that will resonate within angling circles for generations to come.





VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR - OLIVIA BEAUCHAMP

NZSFC Volunteer of The Year 2023: Olivia Beauchamp's tireless dedication is officially recognised.

Celebrating Olivia Beauchamp's incredible dedication and commitment, her receipt of the NZSFC Volunteer of the Year award encapsulates the very essence of volunteerism. A volunteer, as defined, is someone who willingly devotes their time and effort without expectation of reward or personal gain. Olivia stands as the epitome of this definition, having dedicated herself tirelessly to the Bay of Islands Swordfish Club for over 12 years. Her impact and selfless service are unparalleled, having contributed in various roles such as the bar & bistro manager, six years on the executive committee, and countless voluntary hours invested in the club's activities and events. Olivia has not only steered the club but also exemplified a strong vision and an unparalleled work ethic

Olivia Beauchamp's dedication to maintaining the highest standards is truly commendable. She extends not only her own time but also dedicates her family's time to ensuring the seamless functioning of club tournaments and supporting the club in multifaceted ways.

in her endeavours

Olivia's influence and guidance in fundraising, sponsorship, and tournament administration have been transformative. The events she's been involved in have seen remarkable growth and success due to her attention to detail, unwavering ability, and her capacity to lead and motivate the entire team.

Her personal sacrifices for these events are immeasurable. Stories abound of Olivia tirelessly reconciling tournament entries and payments at 1 o'clock in the morning, ensuring absolute transparency and accuracy. Despite being a devoted mother of two, managing a full-time role in the family business, she continues to devote an extraordinary amount of time and effort to the club's welfare.

When the need arises for an extra hand. Olivia's presence is a reassurance. She willingly takes on any task, ensuring it's not just completed but done to the highest standards. From being the VHF radio operator to managing tournament rules, organising prizes, and effortlessly handling the myriad responsibilities of coordinating over 200 participants, Olivia ensures an exceptional experience for all involved.

In the last 12 months, Olivia has demonstrated exemplary leadership by forming the tournament committee and spearheading vital improvements. Her efforts in refining

tournament rules, negotiating with suppliers, attracting sponsors, and increasing club attendance underline her dedication and the pivotal role she plays in the club's success.

Amid challenging weather conditions, Olivia's resilience and proactive approach have kept the club's operations afloat. Her unwavering commitment and unparalleled work ethic have been the backbone of the club's continued success.

It's impossible to adequately thank individuals like Olivia, who consistently humbly downplay their essential roles. Her dedication and relentless efforts, especially in a volunteer capacity, go beyond what words can express. Olivia's unwavering commitment and exceptional work ethic have been recognized by many who are also actively involved in multiple committees. Rarely has such tireless dedication been witnessed, underlining her embodiment of the true spirit of volunteerism. The impact she has generated within the club is immeasurable, signifying the significant and invaluable contributions she has made.







NZSFC Junior Angler of The Year 2023 - Ella Rihari-Allen: A Testimony to Tenacity and Achievement.

NZSFC and The Ahipara Fishing Club are elated to declare Ella Rihari-Allen as the victor of the Top Junior Angler Trophy, a prestigious acknowledgment of her exceptional achievement in the world of angling. Ella's remarkable feat in securing a 161.1kg striped marlin from her father's 6-metre trailer boat off the west coast from Hokianga on January 7, 2023, stands as a testament to her unwavering determination and outstanding prowess in the sport.

The day marked a significant milestone in Ella's angling journey, as she engaged in an intense battle with the colossal marlin, a gruelling struggle lasting over two demanding hours. Ella's own words vividly portrayed the strenuous tug-of-war with the powerful fish, as she recounted, "Man, it was hard. Once I gained like, 100 metres, it'd take 200." However, Ella's resilience prevailed, and she persevered, ultimately emerging victorious as the Top Junior Angler.

This remarkable catch isn't just a personal triumph but stands as the heaviest recorded by an NZSFC affiliated member for the season, amplifying the significance of Ella's accomplishment. Furthermore, her achievement which has been recognised as a ratified junior world record on a 37kg line, a testament to her exceptional skill and unwavering commitment.

The journey to this victorious moment was marked by challenges and moments of adversity. Ella's unwavering determination was instrumental, but it was further fortified by the steadfast support and encouragement from her father, Richard Rihari-Allen, and crewman Corey. Their guidance and unwavering support played a pivotal role in Ella's success, serving as pillars of strenath throughout her endeavour.

Ella Rihari-Allen's triumph as the Top Junior Angler not only celebrates her exceptional skill in angling but also serves as an inspiration to young anglers, symbolising the promise of the next generation in the sport. The Ahipara Fishing Club extends its wholehearted congratulations to Ella, recognising her outstanding achievement and the immense dedication and spirit she showcased in her journey to victory.

In honouring Ella's remarkable accomplishment, it becomes a celebration not just of a single individual's success but a testament to the spirit of perseverance, dedication, and unwavering pursuit of excellence. Ella's victory epitomises the essence of the analing community, celebrating skill, dedication, and the relentless pursuit of triumph in the vast waters.

Ella Rihari-Allen's victory serves as a beacon of inspiration, igniting the aspirations of young anglers and embodying the essence of sportsmanship and dedication within the fishing community. Her win, etched into the annals of angling history, is a testament to her remarkable talent and serves as a shining example for other young aspiring anglers.

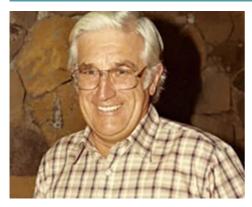








JOHN CHIBNALL - A REVERED CHAMPION OF THE SEA



In Memoriam: John Chibnall - A Revered Champion of the Seas

August 6, 2022 marked a profound loss for the recreational angling community with the passing of John Chibnall, a luminary and dedicated supporter, NZSFC Past president. Life member and also recognised as an IGFA Fishing Hall of Famer. Born on February 14, 1930, in Hamilton, New Zealand, John Chibnall's life epitomised an unwavering dedication to the sport of recreational angling and the preservation of marine resources. His illustrious journey began as a boy, serving as a deckhand on a vessel in the Bay of Plenty, transporting sheep ashore from Slipper Island. While his professional expertise revolved around transportation and logistics management, his heart always belonged to the sea and the pursuit of angling adventures.

John's business ventures took him across the globe, traversing countries like Mexico, the U.S., Hawaii, South Africa, Fiji, and Australia. Despite his extensive travels. he consistently made time for his beloved fishing escapades. Among his numerous angling triumphs, one of the most renowned was the capture of a staggering 1,220-pound black marlin in Cairns, a testament to his exceptional angling prowess. His involvement in the historic Hawaiian International Billfish Tournament (HIBT) commenced in 1967, leading to his appointment to the HIBT's Board of Governors in 1974, a position he dutifully held until 1999.

Although he cast his line in various waters around the world, the fishing grounds of the Bay of Islands held a special place in John Chibnall's heart. His profound understanding of New Zealand's fisheries propelled him into roles of leadership, starting from his election to the Committee of the Bay of Islands Swordfish Club (BOISC) in the mid-1960s. His commitment

led him to serve in every capacity within the BOISC, including President and Chairman. He was a pivotal figure in establishing the first international fishing club tournament in New Zealand, The BOI Yellowtail, and dedicated 55 years to diverse roles within the New Zealand Sport Fishing Council, contributing significantly to the management and promotion of recreational angling.

Beyond his angling exploits. Chibnall's legacy is inscribed in his relentless advocacy for marine conservation. He played a pivotal role in setting up and chairing the New Zealand Marine Research Foundation, a pioneering effort that launched the country's inaugural satellite tagging program. His most significant achievement came in 1987 when he successfully lobbied the government to ban commercial longlining and the sale of marlin within New Zealand's economic zone, marking a monumental milestone in the preservation of the country's marine resources.

John Chibnall's passion for boats extended beyond angling conquests. He not only built several vessels but also undertook the salvage and restoration of historical boats, including the Otehei, commissioned in 1926 by the Zane Grey Club, and Zane Grey's Avalon, which now finds its home at Johnny Morris' Wonders of Wildlife Museum & Aquarium in Springfield, Missouri.

His dedication and tireless efforts towards safeguarding New Zealand's waters, striving for abundance, and restoring them into a haven for game fishing and a sanctuary for marine life. His enduring commitment to fishing organisations and club members, along with his persistent promotion of the sea as a premier angling destination, consumed more than half of his life. His exceptional contributions were recognized with the Member of the New Zealand Order of Merit (MNZM) during the 2010 Queen's Birthday Honors, underscoring his invaluable commitment to marine research and recreational angling.

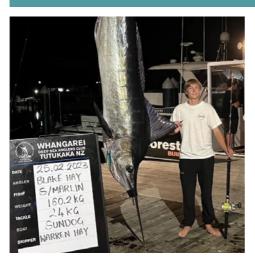
For nearly four decades, John served faithfully as an IGFA Representative and received the ultimate tribute in 2011 by being inducted into the prestigious IGFA Fishing Hall of Fame, acknowledging his remarkable impact on the world of angling and marine conservation.

John Chibnall's passing is not just a loss for the fishing community, but a monumental void in the realm of marine conservation and recreational analing. His life's work remains an enduring legacy, a testament to the profound impact one individual can have on the preservation of our seas and the advancement of recreational angling.



ANGLER OF THE YEAR - BLAKE HAY





NZSFC Angler of The Year 2023 - Blake Hay: An outstanding Junior entry takes out the top prize.

Blake Hay's journey to Angler of the Year nomination stands as an inspiring testament to passion, perseverance, and skill. The pinnacle of his accomplishments, the capture of a 160.2 kg striped marlin on a 24 kg line, not only broke records but symbolised a defining moment in the life of an avid angler.

The day began like any other, with the sun rising on the horizon, promising endless possibilities and adventures. Blake and his companions set out, trolling lures in the hope of a remarkable catch. Hours passed without a glimpse of success, yet they persisted, their determination unwavering. As the clock neared 4 pm, thoughts turned to the looming return to Auckland for school the next day. It was at this critical juncture, with the decision to pull in the lines imminent, that fate intervened, marking the beginning of a legendary tale. The short rigger suddenly screamed off, signalling the start of an extraordinary encounter. What followed was a battle of wills, a test of strength and endurance between Blake and the marlin. For three arduous hours. the struggle ensued—a tug of war of line gained and lost, a mental challenge pushing the boundaries of determination.

As the day waned, the imminent darkness cast shadows of uncertainty. The question lingered in their minds, "Will we be here all night?" The suspense, coupled with the relentless fight against nature's formidable force, only amplified the magnitude of the catch. Finally, against all odds and with sheer perseverance, the marlin was

brought aboard, a symbol of triumph and a testament to Blake's unvielding spirit.

The subsequent journey to the weigh station and the official weight confirmation of 160.2 kg marked a new iunior club record, underlining the historical significance of this monumental catch. For Blake, this achievement was not merely about numbers; it signified a pinnacle in his angling journey—a profound source of pride and a testament to his dedication and commitment to the sport.

This record-breaking catch set the stage for Blake's nomination for Angler of the Year. Beyond this remarkable catch. Blake's fishing prowess extends across various competitions and disciplines. His success in the Lure Masters Champion Angler for New Zealand Competition, where he triumphed with the longest snapper at 87.5 cm (released), and his outstanding performances in the National Junior Titles for shark, snapper, and trevally exemplify his versatility and dominance in different aspects of sportfishing. Furthermore, Blake's commitment to promoting ethical fishing practices and the release of fish highlights his deep-seated respect for the environment and the sustainability of the sport. This dedication is not confined merely to the thrill of catching fish but extends to the preservation of the marine ecosystem, setting an admirable example for fellow anglers and nature enthusiasts.

Blake's engagement with the angling community through social media, especially his Instagram page "@Blake_ hay fishing," signifies not only his prowess on the water but also his ability to connect with a broader audience. The substantial following he has amassed showcases not just his angling triumphs but also his capacity to inspire and share his passion for fishing with others.

The vision to start his own fishing videos titled "Game On" epitomises Blake's ambition and commitment to the sport. The aspiration to create engaging content that not only entertains but educates and inspires a new generation of anglers is a testament to his dedication and foresight.

In conclusion, Blake Hay's nomination for Angler of the Year is a nod to an angler whose dedication. talent, and passion have left an indelible mark in the world of sportfishing. His achievements, highlighted by the monumental marlin catch, showcase not just his exceptional skill but also his resilience, sportsmanship, and commitment to the sport. His continued pursuit of excellence promises an exciting future, not only for him but for the entire angling community he represents.



COUNCIL TROPHY WINNERS

2022 - 2023 SEASON

1. First Marlin of the Season Tagged

03/07/2022: Melita Dean Striped Marlin Tairua Pauanui Sports Fishing Club

2. First Marlin of the Season Weighed

19/12/2022: Ross Tudor 464.50kg - Black Marlin Bay of Islands Swordfish Club

3. **Rob Dinsdale Trophy - First Marlin** overall (whether weighed or tagged)

03/07/2022: Melita Dean Striped Marlin Tairua Pauanui Sports Fishing Club

4. Saul Trophy - Most Tagged Game Fish

Tony Croft 11 Striped Marlin and 2 Mako Sharks Mercury Bay Game Fish Club

5. **Lord Norrie Gold Cup - Heaviest** Striped Marlin of the Season

23/03/2023: Marlon Harris - 161.2kg Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club

6. Fisherman of the Year - Heaviest Game Fish of the Season

19/12/2022: Ross Tudor 464.50kg - Black Marlin Bay of Islands Swordfish Club

7. The Peter & Noeline Short Memorial **Trophy - Most Tagged Billfish**

Tony Croft - 11 Striped Marlin Mercury Bay Game Fish Club

8. The Old Man & the Sea Cup - Most Meritorious

Ross Tudor Bay of Islands Swordfish Club

9. The Top Junior Angler - Most Meritorious

Flla-Rihari-Allen Ahipara Sport Fishing Club

10. The Hart Trophy - Best Live Marine Photo taken by an Amateur

Geoff Flyger - Tairua Pauanui Sports Fishing Club Released Striped Marlin

11. Volunteer of the Year

Olivia Beauchamp of Islands Swordfish Club

12. Club of the Year

Kawhia Boating and Angling Club

13. Angler of the Year

Blake Hav Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club





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EPIC FISHING FEATS 2022/2023 SEASON

Celebrating Epic Fishing Feats, 5 Record breaking stand out achievements from 2022-23!

Kelly Troughton with a 21:1 catch while 7.5 **Charles Barty's Tuna Triumph Amidst Nature's** Fury

On August 7, 2022, Charles Barty embarked on an unforgettable journey aboard the Cova Rose to White Island. Battling rough seas and inclement weather, the pursuit of a Southern Bluefin Tuna became an adrenaline-pumping experience. The atmosphere was charged with excitement as Charles engaged in a remarkable challenge to land this colossal fish.

For 1 hour and 45 minutes, amidst monumental runs and unparalleled efforts, Charles, aided by skipper Rhys and the crew, reeled in a 173.6kg Southern Bluefin Tuna. A triumph that not only conquered the fish but also clinched the Men's NZ & World Record for Charles, etching a chapter in angling history with this remarkable first Tuna catch.

Kaembal Taylor's Remarkable Yellowfin Tuna Expedition

On August 14, 2022, aboard the fishing vessel Predator, Kaembal Taylor kicked off the fishing season with an extraordinary catch—an 83.1kg Yellowfin Tuna, all while employing a 37kg line. This remarkable feat, as described by Kaembal, offers a more detailed account of the journey.

Setting out from Paihia to Whangaroa, Kaembal and his companion embarked at 6:15 am, with their primary goal being the pursuit of a swordfish, made possible by the favourable weather conditions following months of adversity. Their journey involved a 30-minute cruise at a steady 15 knots, followed by a reduction in speed to facilitate trolling. Although the initial hours of trolling yielded no visible signs of marine life, the sounder eventually signalled promising indications at a mid-level depth. This development prompted the duo to prepare bait suitable for a swordfish.

After approximately 90 minutes of trolling, the moment of action arrived when the rod unexpectedly bent, causing the line to rip out into the water. The initial assumption was a shark, leading to the swift clearing of swordfish gear and preparation for a potential battle.

The fish's movements suggested a bluefin tuna, and after approximately 20 minutes, the crew succeeded in confirming its identity as a decent yellowfin tuna. The calculated efforts to secure the catch were executed, revealing the notable size of the fish. The subsequent hoisting of the fish through the transom door left all onboard momentarily speechless. This exceptional catch prompted the team to capture several images with the fish before

heading to Whangaroa to weigh it. Although the initial estimate ranged from 60-70 kg, the scales displayed a remarkable 83.1kg, a potential record-setting achievement for a club and NZ Junior Record. Kaembal Taylor's catch not only reflects skill and patience but also exemplifies the meticulous preparation and execution required for a fishing endeavour of such magnitude.

Angela Greenhalgh's Epic Broadbill Battle

March 1, 2023, marked a pivotal day for Angela Greenhalgh as she set her sights on conquering a Swordfish Broadbill in the Bay of Islands aboard the Expresso. Battling the elements and her first-time challenge on a 15kg line, Angela's pursuit was marked by breathtaking moments and immense determination.

Amidst the thrill of reeling in a monstrous Broadbill, the encounter with lit-up marlins added an unexpected twist to the already adrenaline-filled adventure. A 218.00kg Broadbill marked Angela's conquest, securing the World & NZ Women's record. A day that commenced with anticipation culminated in an unforgettable triumph, showcasing Angela's strength and unwavering resolve.

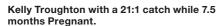
These monumental tales of angling prowess and determination stand as testaments to the spirit of adventure and dedication in the pursuit of legendary catches. Each story weaves a narrative of challenges, endurance, and ultimate triumphs that will resonate for years to come. Cheers to these phenomenal anglers for their remarkable achievements and the stories that will inspire generations of fishing enthusiasts!

Hunter Nicholson's Record-Breaking Snapper Expedition

In the waters of Mercury Bay on December 17, 2022. Hunter Nicholson set out on an extraordinary fishing quest aboard the Vamos. Battling against a powerful Snapper weighing 9.43kgs on a 3kg line class, Hunter showcased extraordinary skills and determination beyond his years. The picturesque scene saw Hunter and his brother, Levi, weaving their analing magic, creating lifelong memories with their incredible journey.

The fishing adventure showcased Hunter's exceptional natural talent and commitment to the sport. Pulling in an 8.5kg Snapper, his personal best, was just the beginning. What followed was a thrilling 40-minute battle that led to the capture of a monstrous Snapper in the 20lb club, on 3kg line no less, leaving everyone on board spellbound. The excitement and exhaustion marked this monumental achievement, sealing Hunter's name in the annals of the NZ Small-fry Boys records.





On the 14th of May, Kelly set out on a three-day trip aboard the 48 ft Viking Ruckus, joined by Hunter Bryce, Dylan Flyger, AJ Barton-Barry, and Shannon Chambers. They initially aimed for late-season Striped Marlin but missed several strikes near North Cape. Turning to the King Banks, they encountered no activity, opting for bottom fishing, securing bass for dinner, and eventually exploring swordfish spots. Kelly managed to reel in a sizable late-season Blue Marlin estimated at 200kg on a 24kg line.

Following their return from the Three Kings, the crew gathered live bait for light line swordfishing. Departing the Kings, they encountered sparse bait and less promising spots, with Kelly engaging in a protracted battle with a large thresher shark on a 24kg line. Despite the lack of success with striped marlin and the challenging decision to leave the Kings, the team's passion for sword fishing remained unwavering.

Arriving at their chosen spot on May 16th, they discovered a small bait patch. Despite uncertainties, the crew decided to drop to an 8kg line. acknowledging it as Kelly's last fishing opportunity that season. The atmosphere was tense as the crew prepared for a potentially lengthy battle. Kelly, 7.5 months pregnant and fatigued from previous battles, remained resolute and confident in their preparation for this line class.

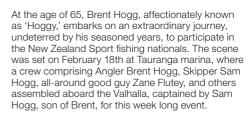
Soon after dropping bait on the 8kg line, the rod tip began tapping. As Kelly prepared for a prolonged fight, the swordfish resisted her efforts to reel it in. Adjusting her strategy, she tried to turn the fish's head with increased drag, but the line went slack. indicating a critical moment. Guided by AJ's boat manoeuvres, Kelly persisted, grappling with fatigue due to her advanced pregnancy.

As the swordfish approached the surface, the crew prepared for its appearance, with Hunter ready to assess whether it exceeded the standing World Record. Excitement filled the air as the crew successfully captured the colossal swordfish after a 35-minute fight, fulfilling their dream of securing a world record on the 8kg line class.

Returning to the Whangaroa Weigh Station, the scales confirmed a weight of 168 kg, challenging the existing world record for a female on an 8kg line. Despite some tail damage during the capture, thoroughly documented and shared with relevant authorities, the legitimacy of this historic feat remains undisputed.

BONUS READ

A Tale of Resilience: 65-Year-Old Angler's Epic Battle in New Zealand Sport Fishing Nationals



Anticipation was high as favourable weather and fish reports boosted their hopes for a successful fishing expedition. Waiting for the team's senior member became a recurring theme before departure. Several calls from Sam, with some choice language, eventually summoned a towering figure—over six feet tall, wearing a beanie, a singlet, and his trusty slippers—who ambled along the jetty, engaging in conversations along the way. With a case of Tui beer under one arm and a new-world shopping bag, the legendary "Hoggy" finally boarded, marking the commencement of an adventure.

The crew set their sights north of Mayor, guided by Sam's belief in a promising fishing spot. Bait was abundant, and despite a language mix-up between Australian and local terminology, they steered Valhalla towards a likely hotspot, loaded with excitement and bait. The team geared up, engaged in light-hearted confrontations over fishing equipment, and eventually, the first baits were set, initiating the waiting game.

Several hours into the expedition, the cry of "fish on the starboard side" resonated from the flybridge. heralding an impending thrill. The 10kg line was set, and the battle commenced, a struggle between man and a formidable opponent. Despite a valiant threehour struggle, the beast eluded capture, leaving the team in a mix of disappointment and respect for the fish's strength.

Further into the journey, a sudden snap of a rubber band signified another showdown, with "Senior" at the helm. A moment of sheer excitement and concern unfolded as a test of endurance and skill began. As the fish showed its might, the battle escalated, culminating in an unforgettable five-hour duel, ultimately leading to the triumphant capture of a 144.05kg beast on a 15kg line.

The bond among fishermen is unparalleled, but the familial bond witnessed between Sam and his father, capturing a dream fish on a 15kg line, was a moment of shared joy. Brent's catch propelled the team to victory, securing the Champion line weight/ Striped marlin and, most significantly, the Champion Angler/Striped marlin titles. Moreover, the fish wasn't just a trophy; it was respectfully utilised, providing sustenance for their families, a testament to the reverence for the catch and the sport.





JERRY GARRETT - 2023 IGFA HALL OF FAME

Jerry Garrett - 2023 IGFA Hall of Fame Inductee

Jerry Garrett, the seasoned angler from the Bay of Islands Swordfish Club. can't contain his excitement. "I'm still on cloud nine," he exclaims, reflecting on his recent induction into the prestigious IGFA Hall of Fame. A stalwart in the world of sportfishing, Jerry's journey spans over seven decades, starting in 1946 and taking him across the globe, from Australia to Peru. Mexico to Hawaii, and finally, settling down in the picturesque landscapes of Russell.

Gerald A. "Jerry" Garrett, a name synonymous with dedication to the art of sportfishing, boasts a remarkable history in the field. His exploits include landing a colossal 364.5kg (813lb) swordfish, a feat that secured him the IGFA 37kg (80lb) line class record. With over 50 years as an IGFA member, Garrett's commitment didn't stop at personal accomplishments; in 2012, he was appointed an IGFA representative, a testament to his standing in the sportfishing community.

Beyond the thrill of the catch, Garrett's legacy extends into the realm of conservation. Collaborating with the late John Chibnall and former IGFA President Rob Kramer, he played a pivotal role in advocating for the prohibition of marlin sales in New Zealand. Testifying before the NZ Ministry of Fisheries, Jarrett argued that the value of marlin in the sportfishing industry far outweighs any potential commercial gains. His dedication to marine conservation further manifested in his role as the Director of the National Coalition for Marine Conservation's Pacific Region. Jerry often said that his father told him that "you only take what you can use" and he has followed that mantra all his life.

Jerry's connection with the Bay of Islands Swordfish Club (BOISC) runs deep. As a life member and the current patron, he has been an integral part of the club's fabric for decades. Alongside his wife Vicki, Gerry has called Russel home for 25 years, contributing not only to the sport but also to the local fishing community.

One of Garrett's longstanding partnerships was with the late Geoff Stone, a collaboration that led to the duo clinching the NZSFC's 'Old Man and the

Sea' Trophy twice. Aboard the charter vessel Major Tom II, the dynamic duo showcased their prowess, setting records that stood as a testament to Garrett's stamina, patience, and Stone's boat-handling skills.

The first of their victories, a world record claim, involved a colossal broadbill weighing 369.0kgs. The battle against this behemoth took an impressive 14 hours and 20 minutes, all while using 37kg tackle. Seven years later, lightning struck twice as Gerry and Geoff secured the 'Old Man and the Sea' Trophy again with a 272.4kg catch, this time taking a mere 8 hours and 10 minutes.

Jerry Garrett's story transcends the thrill of the catch: it's a narrative of dedication, conservation, and camaraderie. His contributions to the sportfishing community, both locally and globally, have left an indelible mark. As he stands among the esteemed members of the IGFA Hall of Fame, Gerry can undoubtedly look back on a lifetime of achievements and the countless memories created on the open seas.



Angler Jerry Garrett and skipper the late Geoff Stone with the NZSFC's Old Man and the Sea Trophy. which they teamed up to win twice.





AFFILIATED CLUBS

Northland Region - Zone 1

AHIPARA GAME	FISH CLUB INC	
Club Weighstati	on:	
32 Koroa Street		Data of Dagaraina Incomparated Manchau
Ahipara		Date of Becoming Incorporated Member of Council - 20.09.18, First an unincorporated
Northland 0449		club in 27.01.15 300 members as at the end of last membership year
Postal Address:		
P.O. BOX 17		
Ahipara		
President:	Andrew Morrogh	
Contact:	Andrew Morrogh 027 447 1138	
Email:	ahiparagamefishclub@gmail.com	
Delegates:	Robbie Matthews 021 527 496 - robbie@ahipara@gmail.com	
Website:	ahiparagamefishclub.co.nz	

Weigh station is at 32 Korora St, Ahipara Contact Ginty Morrogh 021 409 471, Josh McPherson 027 499 5125 or Dave King 021 109 8995 to be arranged. Weigh station at 471 Kaitaia-Awaroa Road Kaitaia (No Marlin weighs) contact Leighton Matthews 021 2032992 or Kerrod Neho 021 1829060. Auckland contact Craig Butt 027 56155558 or Ken Poulton 027 2474231 - Channel 10 boat to boat - 2 to call up - \$50 for non members

PO Box 31	Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 03.05.57	
25 The Strand	1547 members as at end of last membership year	
Russell 0242	1047 Members as at end of last membership year	
President:	Jeff Douglas 021 302 700 - jeffd@douglas.co.nz	
Contact:	Ross Brljevich, Annette Hardcastle, Erin Rogers and Maddy	
	Club – 09 403 7857 Or 027 408 8804	
Email:	swordfish@xtra.co.nz	
Secretary:	Angela Greenhalgh 027 478 8542 - horawainui@xtra.co.nz	
Website:	www.swordfish.co.nz	
Delegates:	Jennifer Troup 021 078 0767, troup_j@yahoo.co.nz	
	Andrew Johnson 027 942 6657 andrew@iohnsonbros.co.nz	

Weigh Stations: Russell, Paihia and Kerikeri. Contact: CH 3 - Club 09 403 7857. Weighing Times - 4 pm -6 pm unless otherwise arranged. Channel 3

Russell - Carl Pullan 09 4038446 or 027 614 3834, Paihia - Dick Sheridan 09 402 6097 or 027 436 2351 & Kerikeri - Bill Atwell 027 629 7507. Charge for Courtesy Weighs of \$50 for non-members. Membership cards or proof of membership must be provided before any courtesy weighs proceed

DOUBTLESS B	AY SPORTFISHING CLUB INC	
PO Box 411		Data of December Full Marchage of Council 10.07.00
Mangonui		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 13.07.96 140 Members as at end of last membership year
Northland 0442		140 Members as at end of last membership year
Treasurer:	Nick Ryan 021 376 540	
Contact:	Brooke	
Email:		
Delegates:	Evan Mackay 0274 527 60	08 - emackay@xtra.co.nz, Annette Hall 027 206 7139
	Miss5kittv1@vahoo.co.nz	

Weigh Stations: Mill Bay Wharf Mangonui Coopers Beach Sports Shop - by appointment Keith Kelly - 0276 594 975: lan Griggs 027 290 6363, Phil Raxworthy 027 321 0989, Pete Smith 021 254 3073 Weigh times 5 - 7pm Rangiputa - by appointment - Reel Rods, 1032 Inland Road, Karikari Peninsula

Courtesy Weighs: All members of clubs affiliated to the NZSFC are free provided that their current membership card is presented before courtesy weighs proceed. All non-members will be charged \$30. VHF Channel - VHF 60, 61





HOKIANGA BIG GAME & SPORT FISHING CLUB INC		
PO Box 81		Date of December Full Manchaus of Council 01 11 00
Omapere 0444		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 21.11.98 110 Members as at end of last membership year
South Hokianga		To Members as at end of last membership year
President:	John Pattinson 021 973 936	
Contact:	Linda Pattinson - 09 405 8889 or 021 811 286	
Email:	lpattinson@xtra.co.nz	
Delegates:	Linda Pattinson 021 811 2	86 & Marina Stewart lesandmarina@xtra.co.nz 021 185 4581

Weigh Station: Omapere Boat Ramp: Weighmaster - Les Stewart 027 475 4234 Weighing Times - on request. Channel 65. Charge for Courtesy Weighs \$50 for non NZSFC-members

HOUHORA BIG	GAME & SPORTS FISHING C	LUB INC
4036 Far North F	Road	
Pukenui		
RD 4, Kaitaia		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 28.09.91
PO BOX 20		405 members as at end of last membership year
Pukenui		
HOUHORA 0460)	
President:	Tracey Mold 09-409 7755 - President.houhora@gmail.com	
Contact:	Club: 09 409 7755	
Secretary	Amy Kernot	
Email:	admin@houhorafishingclub.co.nz	
Delegates:	Justin Kernan 09 408 7949, d.kernan@xtra.co.nz	

Weigh Stations: Houhora at Club Jetty. Weighing by negotiation. Weighmasters:- Contact Wayne and Vicki Black 027 161 1497 / 09-409 7811 Debbie Bunn 027 226 5751 Lisa Lilly 027 245 5517 VHF Channels 60 (east coast) 61 North Cape, 3 kings 02 (West Coast). Charge for Courtesy Weighs \$20 for non-members of NZSFC.

PO Box 202		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 12.07.15	
Ruakaka 0150		302 members as at end of last membership year	
President:	Gary Read 0274 202 002	Gary Read 0274 202 002	
Secretary	Aimee Spinley 021 148 24	Aimee Spinley 021 148 2479	
Email:	marsdencovefishingclub@g	marsdencovefishingclub@gmail.com	
Delegates:	David O'Brien 0274 588 043, david.OB883@gmail.com		

Weigh Stations: Marsden Cove Marina. Weighmasters: Dave O'Brien 0274 588 043. Times Thurs/Fri/Sat from 4.30pm by appointment. \$20 non member courtesy weigh charge

WHANGAREI D	EEP SEA ANGLERS CLUB IN				
Marina Road Rd 3 Whangarei 0173		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 03.05.57 1145 members as at end of last membership year			
			President:	Cliff Metcalfe 021 191 5872, clifford.metcalfe@police.govt.nz	
			Contact:	Sharleen Witton 021 027 41326 or 09 434 3818	
Email:	office@sportfishing.co.nz				
Secretary	Sharleen Witton 021 027 41326 or 09 434 3818				
Delegates:	Brenda Saul 0274 720 733 or 09 434 3753				

Weigh Stations: Tutukaka - Contact - Club - 09 434 3818. VHF 07. Weighing times 5 pm to 7 pm or by prior arrangement. \$20 for non-members or those without a membership card. Membership cards or proof of membership must be provided before any courtesy weighs proceed





WHANGAROA S	SPORT FISHING CLUB INC	
573 Whangaroa Road Rd 1		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 03.05.57 908 members as at end of last membership year
President:	Darryl Bradley - darryl@darlin.co.nz - 027 237 8809	
Email:	wsfc@xtra.co.nz or Christinafishing@xtra.co.nz	
Contact:	Carmen McIntyre 09-405-0399, 021 181 6070	
Email:	wsfc@xtra.co.nz	
Delegates:	Tony Allan - allan.tony@yahoo.co.nz 022 370 0419,	
	Kelvin Mowat 0274 933 45	58; kelvinmowat@xtra.co.nz

Weigh Stations: Whangaroa Foreshore. Contact Laurie Stephens - Phone 021 882 605 or Luke Stephens 021 306 858. VHF 64-8am to call new member and 4pm to call fish being weighed. \$50 fee for Courtesy Weigh Charge

Auckland Region - Zone 2

BAYS FISHING	CLUB INC				
PO Box 35 157 Browns Bay, Auckland 0753		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 12.04.03 25 Members as at end of last membership year			
			President:	Brian Cross 021 750 161 briancross@xtra.co.nz	
			Contact:	Cliff Solomon 027 292 3424	
Email:	kepa.wsale@xtra.co.nz				
Delegates:	Cliff Solomon 027 292 342	24			

Weigh Station: At Bays Club, 6 Anzac Road, Browns Bay. Contact Person: Cliff Solomon 027 292 3424 or Bays Club - 09 478 8177. Weigh Times - on request

BIG FISH FISHI	NG CLUB INC				
141 Cascades Road Pakuranga 2010 Auckland		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 09.02.00 72 Members as at end of last membership year			
			President:	Tony Gyde	
			Contact:	David Allinson 027 461 7052	
Secretary:	David Allinson				
Email:	fishingclub@thebigfish.co.	.nz			
Delegates:	Phil Appleyard 027 273 0	500, Andrew Coffey, Lisa Appleyard 027 265 1294			
Weigh Stations: I	Big Fish Bait and Tackle 141 Ca	scades Rd. Weigh times 0800 - 1800 hrs.			

Contact Weigh persons; All Staff at Big Fish Bait and Tackle; 09 576 2764.

Weighmaster - Phil Appleyard- Courtesy weigh - by donation.

CLEVEDON GA	MEFISHING CLUB INC	
PO Box 207		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 13.04.02
Clevedon 2248		226 Members as at end of last membership year
President:	Jason DeGraaf 021 859 547 - presidentcgfc@gmail.com	
Secretary:	Arna Neems - clevedongfc@hotmail.com	
Treasurer:	Robert Cashmore	
Delegates:	Nick Blasé 021 0824 3054	4; Brad Kilgour 021 316 317;

Weigh Station: Hallertau, Clevedon Weighperson - Jason DeGraff By appointment with a committee member or delegate. Courtesy weigh charge \$30.00







COUNTIES SPORTS	FISHING CLUB INC				
PO Box 83 Waiuku 2341 South Auckland		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 30.11.91 475 members as at end of last membership year			
			President:	Mathew Douglas 027 575 7411 - fishdougie@hotmail.com	
			Secretary/Contact:	Barbara Prescott 027 693 8431 - The.prescotts@slingshot.co.nz	
Delegates:	Delegates: Stephen Harper 021 373 334 sharperuku@gmail.com Darin Burns 027 222 4538; darin.laura@hotmail.com				

Weigh Stations: Te Toro Ramp (Manukau Harbour), Hoods Landing Pt Waikato; DKM Marine, (Belgium St, Waiuku). Ph Steve Watts, Weighmaster 021 033 5145 or Channel 5 VHF. No charge to affiliated members. Non members \$40 charge

HAURAKI GULF SE	PORTFISHING CLUB INC		
100A Taikata Road		Data of Danasian Full Manakana of Oassasil 00 00 00	
Te Atatu Peninsula		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 28.09.96	
Auckland 0610		72 members as at end of last membership year	
President:	Lance Pattullo 021 956 527 - president@haurakigulf-sfc.co.nz		
Contact:	James Pattullo 021 227 1023 - secretary@haurakigulf-sfc.co.nz		
Delegates:	Peter Stewart 0274 926 259 peter@ppservices.co.nz		
Weigh Stations: Hibi	ecus Coast Boat Club - Stan	more Ray: Contact: Phil Wilton 09 424 0794 Channel 03	

Weigh Stations: Hibiscus Coast Boat Club - Stanmore Bay: Contact: Phil Wilton 09 424 0794. Channel 03 Hibiscus Sport. Top Catch Half Moon Bay. Contact: Tania 09 534 9083

MANGAWHAI BO	ATING & FISHING CLUB INC	
PO Box 162 Mangawhai 0540		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 25.09.98 302 members as at end of last membership year
President:	Mark Newbold - mark.newbold31@gmail.com	
Email:	club@mangawhaiboatingfishing.co.nz	
Secretary:	club@mangawhaiboatingfishing.co.nz	
Website:	www.mangawhaifishingclub.org027	
Facebook:	Mangawhai Fishing Club	
Delegates:	Buck Buchanan 09 431 4194 - Buchanan_buck@hotmail.com	

Weigh Stations: at clubrooms Alamar Crescent, Mangawhai. Or Top Catch Mangawhai Wood Street (bus hours). Weighmaster: Matt Jackson 021 418 203. Weighing times; by arrangement. Free to affiliated members. Non members \$20

32r Kiwi Esplanade		
Mangere Bridge	Auckland 2022	D. (D. E. (O. 0.404.00
PO Box 59029		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 24.04.93 95 members as at end of last membership year
Mangere Bridge		
Auckland 2151		
Contact:	Sue Sprong 027 289 0305	
Email:	mangereboating@xtra.co.nz	
Secretary:	Sue Sprong 027 289 0305 - Get.it.right@xtra.co.nz	
	Phone 09 636 4673	
Commodore:	Clem Fortes 021 921 175	
Website:	www.mangereboatingclub.com	
Delegates:	Clem Fortes clem.fortes2126@gmail.com	





PO Box 60379		Data of Bassasia a Full Manalasus of Occupatily 05 00 00
Titirangi		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 25.09.98 99 members as at end of last membership year
Waitakere 0642		33 members as at end of last membership year
President:	Bryan Walker - 021 239 1921	
Email:	club@msfc.org.nz	
Phone:	022 657 8028	
Contact/Secretary:	Lisa Walker - 022 657 8028, club@msfc.org.nz	
Delegates:	Mark Kelly 027 481 2726	
	Huia. Weighmaster – Peter 760 780 – channel 63 Co	Jackson 027 484 1445, Owen Strawbridge 027 563 9578, urtesy weigh \$20

MURIWAI SPORTS FISHING CLUB INC		
PO Box 282		
Kumeu 0841		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 25.09.98
c/- 100 Jack Butt Lane		354 members as at end of last membership year
Muriwai 0881		
President:	Stanley Phillips 027 274 1929 - stanleyphillips@hotmail.com	
Contact:	Hayley Nowell 021 203 3624	
Email:	secretary.msfc@hotmail.com	
Delegates:	Spencer Roff 021 0250 9088 - Spencer.roff@muriwaisportfishing.co.nz	
Weigh Stations	: Gantry and scales at Muriwai and	d South Head Muriwai – 17 Oaia Road, Muriwai.

Glen Lloyd 0272 665 632 - South Head 9 Slater Road South Head Greg Ross 027 551 8487 or under 50kg 7 Kaipara Lakes Road South Head Robbie Travers 027 290 2329.

Kumeu under 50KG - 69 Weza Lane Kumeu Brett Godfrey 027 270 6383 Nil charge for NZSFC Affiliated members (with proof of membership). Non member - \$25

NZ LAND BASED G	AMEFISHING CLUB INC	
7/306 Oneriri Road		Data of Recoming Full Members of Council 19,07,00
Rd 2		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 18.07.92 37 members as at end of last membership year
Kaiwaka 0573	•••••	37 members as at end of last membership year
Contact/Secretary:	Scott Bradley 022 350 2527 - scottyb2013@actrix.co.nz	
President:	Todd Michell 021 525 689	
Email:	statesmanhomes@xtra.co.nz	
Delegates:	Richard Baker 021 869 889 & Scott Bradley 022 359 4139	
Mainh Ctation, 00 Cu	in Dood Morantai Contact	Todd Michall 001 E0E 600 or 7/206 Operiri Dood Kaiwaka

Weigh Station: 82 Craig Road, Maraetai. Contact Todd Michell - 021 525 689 or 7/306 Oneriri Road, Kaiwaka contact Scott Bradley on 022 350 2527. Mobile Scales are used during the Nationals. For weighs (including courtesy weighs) please phone during daylight hours

THE PIHA DEE	SEA FISHING CLUB INC	
PO Box 88		Data of December Full Manchaus of Council 10 0F 0F
Piha Waitakere City 0772		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council -13.05.95 136 members as at end of last membership year
	pihadeepseafishingclub@outlook.com	
Secretary:	Mel Becroft	
Email:	pihadeepseafishingclub@outlook.com	
Delegates:	Ben Arkle 021 750 859 - benjamin@radiant-health.co.nz	
Weigh Station: Pi	iha RSA, 3 Beach Valley Road, P	iha, West Auckland: Weighmaster: Ben Arkle 021 750 859,

benjamin@radiant-health.co.nz or Sue Taylor 021 172 2835 courtesy weight charge \$20.00





WARKWORTH GAMEFISH CLUB INC 1287 Sandspit Road Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 11.02.87 Rd₂ 292 members as at end of last membership year Warkworth 0982

Email: warkworthgamefish@gmail.com Contact: Cindy Buchs 021 024 99332 Email: warkworthgamefish@gmail.com **President:** Rob Southey 027 2754 306 Cindy Buchs 021 024 99332 - warkworthgamefish@gmail.com Secretary: Website: www.wwgfc.co.nz Terry Creagh 021 644 686 - terry@autowatchinterlock.co.nz **Delegates:**

Weigh Stations: Omaha: 021 206 3136: Sandspit 021 886 289 Gt Barrier: 09 429 0124: Warkworth Hunting & Fishing: 09 422 2308.

Courtesy weigh for all current members of clubs affiliated to NZSFC all others \$50 per fish

WHAKATAKATAKA BAY SPORT FISHING CLUB INC		
7 Tamaki Drive, Orakei, Auckland		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council 14.07.12 42 Members as at end of last membership year
Po Box 42056, Orakei		
Auckland 1745		
President:	Bill McGarry 0274 790 162 - bill@platinumpm.co.nz	
Contact:	Dierdre Gibbs 021 199 3697	
Email:	fishing@wbsfc.co.nz	
Secretary:	James MacQueen 021 649 345 - james.macqueen@bdo.co.nz	
Delegates:	Bill McGarry 0274 790 162 - bill@platinumpm.co.nz	

Weigh Stations: At the OBC, 7 Tamaki Drive. Contact Weighmaster: Bill McGarry 0274 790 162 or Jack Laity 021 041 3314

WORLD SPORT	S FISHING FEDERATION (NE	W ZEALAND CHARTER) - UNINCORPORATED
24 St Stephens	Avenue	Date of Becoming Unincorporated
Parnell		Member of Council - 30.9.18
Auckland	•	20 Members as at end of last membership year
President:	Leon Pogoni 022 165 960	
Secretary:	Robert Shelley 027 901 17	792
Delegates:	Leon Pogoni 022 165 960	5
Weighstation not	available at this stage	

Coromandel - Zone 3

MATARANGI BOAT & FISHING CLUB INC

C/- 138 Rangiora Crescent		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 14.07.12 209 Members as at end of last membership year
Matarangi		
WHITIANGA 3592		
President:	Howie Taylor hdt58@icloud.com	
Email:	matarangifishing@gmail.com	
Secretary:	Wayne Davis 027 458 9544 - matarangifishing@gmail.com	
Delegates:	Steve Clay – 027 778 8836, Sue Sinclair – mbfcevents@gmail.com	
Weigh Station: M	latarangi Fire Station, Weighing t	imes to be arranged. Phone Wayne Davis 027 458 9544 by

appointment only







MERCURY BAY GAME FISHING CLUB INC		
(12 The Esplanade, Whitianga 3510) PO Box 150 Whitianga 3542		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 03.05.57 3131 members as at end of last membership year
Contact:	Caroline Franklin 07 866 4121 - office@mbgfc.co.nz	
Club Manager:	John East 07-866-4121	
Website:	www.gamebase.co.nz	
Delegates:	Warren Harris 0274 992895, Gordon McIvor 0274 979 737	
Weigh Station: At th	ne rear of the Clubrooms, 12 T	he Esplanade, Whitianga. Weighperson 021 0256 2849

Weigh Times: 4.30pm – 7.30 pm and as required. VHF Channel 65			
TAIRUA-PAUAN	UI SPORTS FISHING CLUB II	NC	
12 The Marina, Ta	airua	Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 22.11.81	
Po Box 62		1696 members as at end of last membership year	
Tairua 3508			
President:	Tim Evans 027 473 4247, tim.j.a.evans@hotmail.com		
Contact:	Cie Robinson-Bates 021 448 168		
Email:	tairuafishingclub@gmail.com		
Secretary:	Cie Robinson-Bates		

Warren Maher 0274 734 835, Tim Evans 027 473 4247, Kevin Robinson 021 286 1636

Weigh Stations: Clubrooms - 12 The Marina -Cie Robinson-Bates 021 448 168. Anytime after 3.30pm or by prior appointment. Club Contact Phone No: 07 864 8361 At Club from 4pm each day. Courtesy weight \$20Please be respectful of our weighmaster if you are arriving late in the evening as our weighmaster is a volunteer.

WHANGAMATA O	CEAN SPORTS CLUB INC	
(1100 Port Road)		Date of December Full Manchage of Council Of 10.00
PO Box 84 Whangamata 3643		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 01.12.90 7110 members as at end of last membership year
Contact:	Club Manager - Gary Smith 07 865 8704 or 027 446 8961	
Email:	manager@oceansports.co.nz	
Secretary:	Lynette Blair 027 555 1790 - The.winters@xtra.co.nz	
Delegates:	Phil Keogh 027 322 5536 - pj.nl.keogh@gmail.com	
	Mark James 021 053 8379 mark@aquaticsciences.co.nz	

Weigh Stations: Clubrooms 1100 Port Road, by the Wharf. Weigh in time from 4.30 pm to 7pm daily. VHF CH 3, No charge to affiliated members. Non members \$40 charge. Weighmasters: Kelly Meads 027 633 1942 or Contact Club - 07 865 8704

Zone 4 - Central BOP

Delegates:

MT MAUNGANUI SPORTFISHING CLUB INC		
Salisbury Wharf		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 18.11.89 1777 members as at end of last membership year
PO Box 5131		
Mt Maunganui 3150		
President:	Dean Tiriana 027 605 4205, carolineanddean@xtra.co.nz	
Contact:	Michelle Reed 029 125 3755, mtfish@actrix.co.nz	
Delegates:	Mark Hemingway 027 205 2429, Vance Fulton 027 329 6328,	
Ross Lucas 027 283 0523		3
Weigh Station: Salisbury Wharf Pier and Clubrooms. Weighmaster: Cody 027 222 8768 Weighing Times: By		



arrangement.



TAUPO FISHING CLUB INC (Hickling Reserve, AC Baths Avenue) Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 24.09.94 PO Box 910 83 members as at end of last membership year Taupo 3351 **President:** Graham Vowles 027 282 013 Secretary: taupofc@gmail.com Contact: Chris Pritt 027 487 7971 Website: www.taupofishingclub.co.nz Delegates: Russell Graham

Weigh Stations: Taupo Fishing Club Clubrooms AC Baths Ave. 8 - 5pm 7 days

Weighperson: By appointment

TAURANGA S	PORT FISHING CLUB INC	
66 Keith Allen Drive, Sulphur Point, Tauranga 3110		
PO BOX 13095		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 03.05.57 2684 members as at end of last membership year
Tauranga 3141		2004 members as at end of last membership year
President:	Doug Stewart 0274 992 718	
Contact:	Lizz Parsons - 07 578 6203 or 022 344 1397, manager@tsfc.co.nz	
Manager:	Lizz Parsons	
Email:	doug@highersafe.co.nz	
Website:	www.tsfc.co.nz	
Delegates:	Deryk Nielsen 021 620 634, Nick Shearman 027 471 6587 - nick@glassartnz.co.nz	
	Tony Kinzett 027 544 5550, Brian Grey 027 448-8272 brian@decoro.co.nz,	
	Nathan Kilgour 027 291 6700 kilgourelectrical@gmail.com	

Weigh Stations: Clubhouse - 66 Keith Allen Drive, Sulphur Point, Tauranga. Channel 3. Contact: - Nick Shearman 027 471 6587 or 07 578 6203 24 hours/7 days a week Charge - \$20 for non NZSFC Club members.

THE TE AROHA	ANGLING CLUB INC				
c/- Marie Kleuskens 74 Otway Road RD 3 Te Aroha 3393		Date of Becoming Full Members - 14.04.07 104 members as at end of last membership year			
			President:	Greg Shanley - shanley@slingshot.co.nz 027 657 5527	
			Contact:	Marie Kleuskens 021 136 3779	
Email:	kleuskens5859@gmail.com				
Treasurer:	Marion Edgecombe 07-884 4288 or 021 242 2022, edgies@gmail.com				
Delegates:	Steve Cox 029 770 0848 Greg Shanley 027 657 5527				
Weigh Stations: (Cox Residence, 148 Stanley Ave	, Te Aroha - 07 884 8776 or 029 770 0848			

Zone 5 - Lower North Island

AKITIO BOATING CLUB INC					
53 Akitio Esplanade RD 2 Akito Beach		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 24.09.99 362 members as at end of last membership year			
			President:	Bruce Johnson 027 277 7774 - b.a.johnson@xtra.co.nz	
			Contact:	Delwyn Eriksen 027 545 1545	
Secretary:	Delwyn Eriksen 027 545 1545 - akitioboatclub@xtra.co.nz				
Treasurer:	Simon Brown akitiobc.simon@gmail.com				
Delegates:	Robin Beales 06 376 8432 robinbeales@hotmail.com				
Weigh Station: Si	tuated underneath Clubrooms.	Weighmaster Graeme Evans 06 374 6180			





GISBORNE TATAPOURI SPORTS FISHING CLUB INC		
PO Box 693		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 01.02.69
Gisborne 4040		5032 members as at end of last membership year
President:	Roger Faber 0274 406 555, roger.faber@pb.co.nz	
Contact:	Olivia Trafford 06-868 4756	
Email:	manager@gistatapouri.co.nz	
Website:	www.gtsfc.co.nz	
Delegates:	Roger Faber 0274 406 555	

Weigh Stations: No. 2 Wharf Shed, Esplanade, Gisborne; 2- Tatapouri Ramp, Tatapouri; 3 Lottin Point, Bert Ireland CH63. Weighperson: Dean Quinn 027 867 4786. Weighing times by arrangement. CH 60

HAWKES BAY SPORTS FISHING CLUB		
30 Nelson Quay		
Napier		Data of December Full Managers of Council Of 05 71
PO Box 12073		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 01.05.71 575 members as at end of last membership year
Ahuriri		575 members as at end of last membership year
Napier 4144		
President:	Lance Young 027 200 6497 lanceyoung 144@gmail.com	
Contact:	Neil Price 021 577 905; nueseil@hotmail.com	
Secretary:	Sally Burch 022 088 5298 Clubrooms - 06 835 8911, Salyburch87@gmail.com	
Email:	manager@hbsfc.co.nz	
Website:	www.hbsfc.co.nz	
Delegates:	Wayne Bicknell 027 521 1001; wayneos55@gmail.com	

Weigh Station: At Club House - 30 Nelson Quay, Napier. Weighing Times - Club opening hours - Thursday to Sunday 11am to close or by arrangement. Channel 62 (Coastguard) - courtesy weigh non-members \$60.00 Weighperson - 021 577 905

MANA AQUATIC DIVERS CLUB INC		
C/- 5 Postgate Drive		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 01.01.2022 45 Members as at end of last membership year
Whitby, Porirua		
Wellington 5024		
President:	Vince Langford 027 332 6631	
Secretary:	Allan Davidson	
Contact:	Allan Davidson 021 267 3508, allan@envirogroup.co.nz	
Weighstation not	available at this stage	

PORANGAHAU	FISHING CLUB INC				
C/- 860 Farm Road RD 4 WAIPUKURAU 4242		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 19.01.02 113 Members as at end of last membership year			
			President:	Steve Kingston - 027 763 7791	
			Email:	fourkings2010@outlook.com	
Contact:	Scott Kyle				
Email:	porangahaufishing@gmail.com				
Delegates:	Ben Wilson 0274 429 108, bhwilsn@gmail.com				
	Wayne McDonald 021 494 672				

Weigh Stations: Blackhead Beach, Whangaehu Beach, Porangahau Beach. Weighmaster Warwick Slingsby Porangahau and Margaret Meads Whangaehu 027 711 4753 Channel 2. No Weigh Charge





WAIRARAPA SPORTS FISHING CLUB INC PO Box 213 Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 25.09.93 174 members as at end of last membership year Masterton 5180 President: Trent Oakley 027 343 7733 Email: wsportfc@amail.com Contact: Debbie James 021 036 5977 Email: wsportfc@gmail.com Ed Beetham 027 446 4660 - edward@brancepath.co.nz **Delegates:** & David Cameron 027 448 8135 - de cameron@xtra.co.nz

Weigh Stations: WSFC Club Rooms, 38 Jetty Road, Castlepoint. Contact Weighmaster: Dave Cameron - Ph: 027 448 8135; VHF Channel 3: Castlepoint and Orui. Weighing Times - by arrangement as weighmasters not permanently based at Castlepoint

WELLINGTON SURFCASTING & ANGLING CLUB INC		
PO Box 14-321		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council 12.11.11 182 members as at end of last membership year
Kilbirnie		
Wellington 6241		
President:	Nick Polak 029 770 6112	
Email:	nick.polak@outlook.co.nz	
Secretary:	Barry - 027 247 7897, barry@88curtis.com	
Delegates:	Gary Whitaker 027 240 1685 - gary@whitaker.nz	
Dave Pye 027 299 6666 - dave.pye@xtra.co.nz		dave.pye@xtra.co.nz

Weigh Stations: Evans Bay Yacht & Motor Boat Club, Evans Bay.

Contact: Barry Craig 027 247 7897

Zone 6 Waikato / Taranaki

CAPE EGMONT BOAT CLUB INC.		
PO Box 5		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 14.09.17
Okato 4348		278 members as at end of last membership year
President:	Michael Lawn 027 452 9696	
Contact:	Samatha Goodin 027 570 7017	
Email:	capeegmontboatclub@outlook.com	
Delegates:	Tom Goodin 027 444 3585, Phillip Barrett 027 448 4363	
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Weigh Station: at Cape Egmont Boat Club. Contact Michael Lawn 027 452 9696 Weighing Times - open by arrangement

KAWHIA BOATI	NG & ANGLING CLUB INC	
124 Omimiti Street		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 26.09.92 641 members as at end of last membership year
PO Box 82		
Kawhia 3843		
President:	Charlie Smart 027 483 9134	
Contact:	Kim Tautari-Scott 021 515121	
Email:	secretary@kbac.co.nz	
Delegates:	Cecil Hickman 0274 958 705 dianne.hickman@xtra.co.nz,	
	Doug Taucher 021 264 5318 dougt50@hotmail.com	

Weigh Station: 124 Omimiti Street; Doug Taucher 021 264 5318; Peter Marguand 027 543 9596 Weighing Times - open by arrangement. Non-members \$20.00. Channel 2 coastguard.







NEW PLYMOUTH SPORTFISHING & UNDERWATER CLUB INC

PO Box 97 Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 17.11.84 1203 members as at end of last membership year New Plymouth 4340 President: lan Steele 027 688 1441

Contact: Robyn Cox - npsuc@xtra.co.nz Email: npsuc@xtra.co.nz - Club Phone 06 758 3901 **Delegates:** Pete Saunders 021 231 3565, Lee Drummond 027 471 2315

Weigh Stations: Clubrooms. Lee Breakwater, Port Taranaki - Contact - the Club 06 758 3901. Weighing Times 4 pm - 7 pm and by arrangement - Radio frequency/Channel - 3 & 61 VHF.

Free to NZSFC affiliated anglers. \$100 to non-affiliated which can be converted to a senior membership.

RAGLAN SPORT FISHING CLUB INC PO Box 48 Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 28.09.00 Raglan 3225 540 members as at end of last membership year **President:** Matt Hassard 027 493 9502 Contact: Courtney Petrie 027 801 1578 Email: info@raglansportfishing.co.nz **Delegates:** Ken Barry kgbee@xtra.co.nz, Courtney Petrie countney.petrie@fonterra.com

Weigh Stations: - shared with Waikato SFC - Raglan Club 22 Bow Street, Raglan.

Contact: refer to website. Weighing Times by arrangement. VHF Channel 2. Call sign - Raglan Sport. Full list of weighmasters details is on the Weigh Station door. Courtesy Weigh - \$70.00 NZSFC affiliated members no charge

WAIKATO SPORT FISHING CLUB INC		
PO Box 9036		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 06.07.91
Hamilton 3240	•	102 members as at end of last membership year
President:	Brian Mellow - president@waikatosportfishing.co.nz	
Secretary:	Kerrie Pollock - secretary@waikatosportfishing.co.nz	
Treasurer:	Ant Higgs 027 240 5825	
Delegates:	Bob Gutsell - 021 750 562 - bob_gutsell@yahoo.com, Brian Cornish	

Weigh Stations: Fish City, Kahikatea Drive, Hamilton; Raglan Club, Bow Street, Raglan, W. Swetman Residence, Dominion Road, Hamilton. Weighing Times: Fish City: Mon to Fri: 8 am - 5.30 pm, Saturday: 9 am - 4 pm, Sunday: 10 am - 4 pm. No Courtesy Weigh Charge for NZSFC Affiliated Club members

Zone 7 South Island

Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 15.01.05
26 members as at end of last membership year
or 027 433 0679 - john-bruce@xtra.co.nz
or 0274 327 485
ligh Streets, Ashley. Weighmaster John Bruce 0274 33 0679

MARLBOROUGH REC FISHERS ASSOCIATION		
PO Box 384		Date of becoming Full Members of Council - 16.07.16
Blenheim		31 Members as at the end of last membership year
Secretary:	Tony Orman 027 362 0075	
Alternative Contact:	Tony Orman 03 577 7875	
Treasurer:	Liz Stevenson - liz.stevenson1@yahoo.co.nz	
Email:	botonz@icloud.com	
Delegates:	Proxy Delegate Mark Connor	





Email: **Delegates:**

KAIKOURA BOATING & RECREATIONAL FISHING CLUB PO Box 98 Date of becoming Full Members of Council - 21.11.20 488 Members as at the end of last membership year Kaikoura **President:** Marty Sullivan Robyn Eggers - 0274 076 898 Secretary:

info@kaikouraboatingclub.org.nz

Weigh Stations: Weighperson John Tully 027 276 1738. Weighing times - by arrangement

Marty Sullivan

PEGASUS BAY GAM	ME FISHING CLUB	
PO Box 1928		
Christchurch		
C/o John Tully		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 18.01.03
56 Mauger Drive		19 Members as at end of last membership year
Heathcote		
Christchurch 8022		
President:	Craig Woods 027 555 8877 - Craig.woodscarriers@xtra.co.nz	
Contact/Secretary:	John Tully - Phone 027 276 1738	
Email:	tullyman@xtra.co.nz	
Delegates:	Peter van Eekelen 021 333 978 - peterve@xtra.co.nz	

SOUTHERN SPORT FISHING CLUB INC			
C/o lan Carrick 11 Windsor Street Invercargill 9810		D-t	
		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 13.04.02 18 members as at end of last membership year	
		to members as at end of last membership year	
Contact:	lan Carrick 027 490 8226	& 03 221 7010 Pvt - ian@windsorphysio.co.nz	
President:	Grenville Caughey 027 30	0 0624 - gbcaughey@xtra.co.nz	
Delegates:	lan Carrick 0274 908 226, Grenville Caughey 03 215 7178		
Weigh Stations: N	No fixed site - Ian Carrick Ph 027	74 908 226: Weigh times: To be arranged	

TAUTUKU FISHING CLUB DUNEDIN & HAAST INC			
PO Box 1488	PO Box 1488 Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 22.09.79		
Dunedin 9054	Dunedin 9054 64 members as at end of last membership year		
Contact:	Brett Bensemann 021 456 772 or 03 455 7592 - brettbensemann@gmail.com		
Delegates: Brett Bensemann 021 456 772 or 03 455 7592			
Weigh Stations: Tautuku Fishing Clubhouse at Smaills Beach, Dunedin - Channel 62/64: Weighmaster - Mike			

Todd 021 042 2300. Weighing times - by Agreement. South Westland - manned during Nationals only

Zone 8 - Eastern BOP

TE KAHA SPORT FISHING CLUB INC				
PO Box 173		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 24.09.94		
Opotiki 3162	••••••	183 members as at end of last membership year		
President/Contact:	Kane Walsh 0274 980 993 - kane.walsh@pedersen-group.co.nz			
Contact:	Julie Penney 027 361 5323 - juliepenney@yahoo.com			
Email:	tekahasfc@gmail.com			
Delegates:	Dave Murie 0274 725 746 - waklincars@xtra.co.nz			
Weigh Stations: 6803 SH 35, Te Kaha. Contact weighmasters Jim Moncur 07 325 2220, Mike Scott 027 481 7021 or Julie Penney 027 361 5323. VHF 65. No charge for Affiliated Members. Weighing times by arrangement				





WAIHAU BAY SPORTS FISHING CLUB INC				
C/o Waihau Bay	Pdc	Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 29.09.73		
Opotiki 3199		546 members as at end of last membership year		
President:	Ben Muir 027 286 1574 - Muir.ben01@gmail.com			
Contact:	Christine Elmiger 021 108 8817			
Email:	waihau10356@gmail.com			
Delegates:	Clyde Fraser 021 0293 9515. Christine Elmiger & Ben Muir			

Weigh Station: At Waihau Boat Ramp - Contact: Debra Bromwich - 027 333 6434 or 021 1088817 Weighing Times - on demand as arranged via Coastguard on Channel 65 - non member \$20.00 courtesy weigh

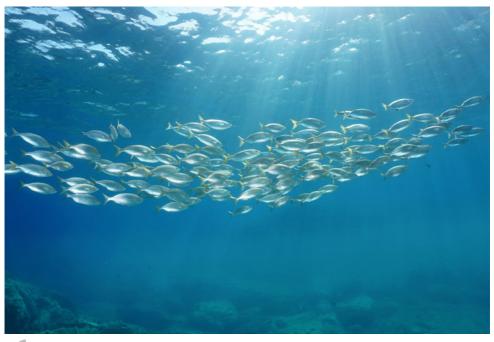
Muriwai Drive			
Whakatane 3120		Date of Becoming Full Members of Council - 28.09.68	
PO BOX 105		3067 members as at end of last membership year	
WHAKATANE 3158			
President:	Heyden Johnston 027 483 3823		
Contact:	Sarah-Lee Sisson 07 307 0334		
Email:	office@wsfc.co.nz		
Club Manager:	Sarah-Lee Sisson 07 307 0334		
Secretary:	Caroline Dalton 07 307 0334 - office@wsfc.co.nz		
Delegates:	Dennis Davey 07 308 4374, Heyden Johnston 027 483 3823, Milton Davey		

Weigh Stations: Wharf, Muriwai Drive, Whakatane - 07 308 4085.

For weighing please call channel 18/60 fishing channel. Please be respectful of our weighmasters if you are arriving late in the evening as our weighmasters are volunteers. No charge to affiliated members (Proof of membership required). \$10.00 non-member fee.

Non members courtesy weigh charge, 8.00am to 5.00pm (\$10), after hours by arrangement (\$50)

NB: Clubs with fewer than 25 members will pay a minimum fee of 25 members.







PAST MEMBER CLUBS WHICH HAVE RESIGNED OR DISESTABLISHED	
Fiordland Game Fishing Club Inc	1975 - 1995
Waikanae Game Fishing Club Inc	1992 - 1995
Ohinemuri Fishing Club Inc	1988 - 1997
Whangamata Sportfishing Club Inc	1983 - 1999
Kerikeri Game & Sports Fishing Club Inc	2000 - 2002
Bay of Whales Fishing Club Inc	1997 - 2003
NZ Sportfishing Inc	2003 - 2004
Ferrymead Fishing Club Inc	1998 - 2005
Coromandel Recreational Fishing Club Inc	2002 - 2005
Tairua Boating & Game Fishing Club Inc	2000 - 2006
Light Anglers Association of NZ Inc	2003 - 2005
West Harbour Fishing Club Inc	2002 - 2009
Cape Egmont Boat Club Inc* - Club rejoined Council in 2017	1990 - 2010
Pukemanu Boating & Fishing Club Inc	1998 - 2010
Twin Harbours Fishing Club Inc	1998 - 2012
Ngawi Sports Fishing Club Inc	1992 - 2012
Tangimoana Boating Club Inc	1998 - 2012
Dinsdale No 1 Fishing Club Inc	2003 - 2012
Wanganui Manawatu Sea Fishing Club Inc	2003 - 2013
Chalmers Recreational/Sports Fishing Club Inc* - Club was in recess for 3 years prior	2000 - 2013
Tokoroa Sports Fishing Club	2005 - 2015
Prospect Fishing Club	2014 - 2015
Hawkes Bay Sports Fishing Club* - Club rejoined Council in 2016	1971 - 2015
Hibiscus Coast Sports and Leisure Club	2007 - 2015
Hopin	2001 - 2016
Bay of Islands Sports Fishing Club	2013 - 2016
Napier Fishing Club	2015 - 2016
Albany Sportfishing Club	1996 - 2017
RNZYS/Auckland Sportfishing Club	1961 - 2017
Mahia Boating & Fishing Club	1991 - 2020
Bowentown Boating & Sportfishing Club	1996 - 2022
Maraetai Boating Club – Fish and Dive	2013 - 2023
Canterbury Sport Fishing Club	1992 - 2023
Manukau Cruising Club	1993 - 2023
Demon Anglers Catching Club	2014 - 2023











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1958		<u>V</u>	Auckland
1959	LW Waldron*	Whangarei	Auckland
1960	RG Chitty*	Tauranga	Auckland
1961	RH Barnsley*	Bay of Islands	Auckland
1962	A St C Belcher	Tauranga	Auckland
1963	CD Thomas	Whangarei	Auckland
1964	FJ Webber*	Whangaroa	Whangaroa
1965	JP Crawford*	Mercury Bay	Mercury Bay
1966	NR Brady*	Bay of Islands	Bay of Islands
1967	AD Baldwin*	Kawau Island	Kawau Island
1968	RH Barnsley*	Whangarei	Whangarei
1969	GS Traill*	Tauranga	Tauranga
1970	P Crawford*	Mercury Bay	Mercury Bay
1971	FJ Webber*	Whangaroa	Whangaroa
1972	CR Mason*	Kawau Island	Kawau Island
1973	AD Baldwin*	Kawau Island	Whakatane
1974	RK Morpeth*	Whakatane	Hawkes Bay
1975	RK Morpeth*	Whakatane	Bay of Islands
1976	NC Hudspith*	Bay of Islands	Gisborne
1977	NC Hudspith*	Bay of Islands	Tauranga
1978	AG Eastgate*	Gisborne	Whangarei
1979	AG Eastgate*	Gisborne	Waihau Bay
1980	RC Dinsdale*	Whangarei	Whangaroa
1981	EK Wiig	Napier	Mercury Bay
1982	EK Wiig	Napier	Auckland
1983	GR Cranston*	Tauranga	Whakatane
1984	GR Cranston*	Tauranga	Bay of Islands
1985	TR Woolliams	Whakatane	Hawkes Bay
1986	TR Woolliams	Whakatane	Gisborne
1987	TR Wooliams	Whakatane	Tautuku
1988	ME Godfrey	Tauranga	Tauranga
1989	JR Chibnall*	Bay of Islands	Whangarei
1990	JR Chibnall*	Bay of Islands	Auckland
1991	JR Chibnall*	Bay of Islands	New Plymouth

1992	PL Short*	New Plymouth	Whakatane
1993	PL Short*	New Plymouth	Whangaroa
1994	PL Short*	New Plymouth	Warkworth
1995	RF Gildon*	Whakatane	Tautuku
1996	RF Gildon*	Whakatane	Hawkes Bay
1997	J Hough*	Gisborne	Whangarei
1998	J Hough*	Gisborne	Cape Egmont
1999	J Hough*/W Marshall*	Gisborne/Tauranga	Bay of Islands
2000	J Romeril	Warkworth	Gisborne
2001	J Romeril	Warkworth	Tauranga
2002	J Romeril	Warkworth	Kawhia
2003	J Romeril	Warkworth	Te Kaha
2004	J Romeril	Warkworth	Whangamata
2005	J Romeril	Warkworth	Tautuku
2006	J Romeril	Warkworth	Mercury Bay
2007	J Romeril	Warkworth	Whakatane
2008	R Baker	NZ Land Based	Hawkes Bay
2009	R Baker	NZ Land Based	Hokianga
2010	R Baker	NZ Land Based	Bay of Islands
2011	R Baker	NZ Land Based	New Plymouth
2012	M Connor	Ashley	Whangarei
2013	M Connor	Ashley	Counties
2014	M Connor	Ashley	Gisborne
2015	P Appleyard	Ashley	Christchurch
2016	P Appleyard	Big Fish	Whangamata
2017	P Appleyard	Big Fish	Tauranga
2018	B Gutsell	Waikato	Auckland
2019	B Gutsell	Waikato	Mana Wellington
2020	B Gutsell	Waikato	Bay of Islands
2021	B Gutsell	Waikato	New Plymouth
2022	l Steele	New Plymouth	Maraetai
2023	l Steele	New Plymouth	Tairua-Pauanui
*Deceased			



NZSFC TROPHIES

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	ed Fish of the Season			
1986-87	F Hayward	Whangarei	23 Fish	
1987-88	F Hayward	Whangarei	42 Fish	
Most Tagge	ed Fish 1989 Nationals			
	R Mayo	Hawkes Bay	24 Fish	
1989-90	W Hall	Bay of Islands	15 Fish	
1990-91	J Lark	Hawkes Bay	52 Fish	
1991-92	J Lark	Hawkes Bay	63 Fish	
1992-93	K Pollock	Whakatane	30 Fish	
1993-94	J Brownlie	Bay of Islands	16 Fish	
1994-95	J Bryant	Kawhia	43 Fish	
1995-96	K Pollock	Te Kaha & Whakatane	24 Fish	
1996-97	W Lewis	Tautuku	75 Fish	
1997-98	W Lewis	Tautuku	307 Fish	
1998-99	W Lewis	Tautuku	86 Fish	
1999-00	W Lewis	Chalmers	124 Fish	
2000-01	W Lewis	Chalmers	79 Fish	
2001-02	W Lewis	Chalmers	64 Fish	
2002-03	J Angus	Whangaroa	58 Fish	
2003-04	R Hart	Raglan	46 Fish	
2004-05	R Hart	Raglan	79 Fish	
2005-06	S Young	Whangaroa	39 Fish	
2006-07	R Hart	Raglan	58 Fish	
2007-08	R Hart	Raglan	64 Fish	
2008-09	A Honeybone	Tairua-Pauanui	60 Fish	
2009-10	S Hartstone	Raglan	42 Fish	
2010-11	R Hart	Raglan	27 Fish	
2011-12	R Hart	Raglan	46 Fish	
2012-13	J Gregory	Whangaroa	73 Fish	
2013-14	J Gregory	Doubtless Bay	66 Fish	
2014-15	R Hart	Raglan	33 Fish	
2015-16	D Pascoe	Houhora	25 Fish	
2016-17	Baily McIntyre	Whangaroa	32 Fish	
2017-18	J Gregory	Doubtless Bay	74 Fish	
2018-19	S Mackay	Whangaroa	18 Fish	
2019-20	M Candy	Whangaroa	33 Fish	
2020-21	M Candy (Tie)	Whangaroa	13 Fish	
2021-22	A Langdon (Tie)	Muriwai	13 Fish	
	Matthew Gilligan	Ahipara Gamefish Club	37 Fish	
2022-23	Tony Croft	Mercury Bay Game Fish Club	13 Fish	
FIRST MA	RLIN OF THE SEASON			
1979-80	A Mitchell	Bay of Islands	S/Marlin	29.12.79
1980-81	P Conning	Bay of Islands	S/Marlin	25.12.80
1981-82	A Conner	Bay of Islands	S/Marlin	30.12.81
982-83	T Fuller	Bay of Islands	S/Marlin	02.01.83
983-84	E Lunjevich	Whangaroa	S/Marlin	29.12.83
984-85	I Smith (Mrs)	Whangarei	S/Marlin	29.12.84
985-86	G Brown	Bay of Islands	S/Marlin	27.12.85
986-87	R Going (Mrs)	Whangarei	S/Marlin	29.12.86
987-88	P Crush	Bay of Islands	S/Marlin	23.12.87
988-89	W Lloyd	Bay of Islands	S/Marlin	10.12.88
018-19	J Nicholson	Mercury Bay GFC	S/Marlin	16.12.18
019-20	D Hikuwai	Whangaroa	S/Marlin	24.12.19
2020-21	Kane Spiers	Mt Maunganui	S/Marlin	04.07.20
2021-22	Sven Petersen	Bay of Islands	Blue Marlin	21.12.21
022-23	Melita Dean	Tairua Pauanui Sports Fishing	S/Marlin	03.07.22
IRST MA	RLIN OF THE SEASON - W	EIGHED (Over 90 kg)		
989-90	B King	Bay of Islands	03.12.89	
990-91	P Potter	Whangarei	17.12.90	
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2006-07	C Pille	Bay of Islands	04.01.07
2007-08	L Matthews	Houhora	29.12.07
2008-09	S Smith	Whangamata	27.12.08
2009-10	M Mcdowell	Mercury Bay	24.12.09
2010-11	V Muldrock	Whangaroa	30.12.10
2011-12	G Sutherland	Bay of Islands	04.01.12
2012-13	S Angus	Doubtless Bay	28.12.12
2013-14	T Fathers	Bowentown	28.12.13
2014-15	K Ridling	Whangarei	01.07.14
2015-16	K Ridling	Whangarei	01.07.15
2016-17	K Ridling	Whangarei	03.07.16
2017-18	C Riley	Whangarei	08.07.17
2018-19	J Nicholson	Mercury Bay GFC	16.12.18
2019-20	D Hikuwai	Whangaroa	24.12.19
2020-21	Kane Spiers	Mt Maunganui	04.07.20
2020-21	Ken Lousley	Ahipara Gamefish Club	01.12.21
2022-23	Melita Dean	Tairua Pauanui Sports Fishing	
	R & NOELINE SHORT MEMORIAL		
1995-96	R Fleming	Bay of Islands	14 Fish
1996-97	C Reed	Bay of Islands	27 Fish
1997-98	C Reed	Bay of Islands	9 Fish
1998-99	M Elliott	Houhora	7 Fish
1999-00	S Matheson	Whangarei	21 Fish
2000-01	C Scott & C Mcintyre	Whangaroa	10 Fish
2001-02	J Angus	Whangaroa	12 Fish
2002-03	J Angus	Whangaroa	50 Fish
2003-04	J Angus	Whangaroa	22 Fish
2004-05	C Mcintyre	Whangaroa	22 Fish
2005-06	C Mcintyre	Whangaroa	17 Fish
2006-07	L Duvivier	Whangaroa	19 Fish
2007-08	M Marchandise	Whangaroa	14 Fish
2008-09	F Nilsen	Whangaroa	24 Fish
2009-10	T Batson	Tauranga	17 Fish
2010-11}	J Gregory	Whangaora	12 Fish
2010-11}	J Gigger	Whangaroa	12 Fish
2010-11}	P Berolzheimer	Whangaroa	12 Fish
2011-12	J Gregory	Whangaroa	41 Fish
2012-13	J Gregory	Whangaroa	62 Fish
2013-14	J Gregory	Doubtless Bay	64 Fish
2014-15	G Peake	Raglan	19 Fish
2015-16	D Pascoe	Houhora	16 Fish
2016-17	D Pascoe	Houhora	11 Fish
2017-18	J Gregory	Doubtless Bay	66 Fish
2018-19	R Haines	Bay of Islands	11 Fish
2019-20	M Gilligan	Whangaroa	12 Fish
2020-21	Alan Langdon	Muriwai	13 Fish
2021-22	Matthew Gilligan	Whangaroa	36 Fish
2022-23	Tony Coft	Mercury Bay Game Fish Club	
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2000-01	T Flood	Whangarei	
2000-01	T Franich	Warkworth	
2002-03	Z Roderick	Tauranga	
2003-04	J Angus	Whangaraa	
2004-05	R Angus R Corden	Whangaroa	
2005-06		Whangaroa	
2006-07	S James	Whangaroa	
2007-08	D Woolhouse	Hawke's Bay	
2008-09	G Sutherland	Bay of Islands	
2009-10	S Marsh	Bay of Islands	
2010-11	B Batterton	Bay of Islands	
2011-12	M Angus	Bay of Islands	
2012-13	T Hemingway	Mt Maunganui	
2013-14	H Scott	Bay of Islands	





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2004-05 D Barlow Mercury Bay 172.80 kg				
2005-06 Peter Bush Manukau Sport 188.70 kg				
2006-07 M Jones Kawhia 178.00 kg				
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2008-09 B Hunniford Big Fish 168.60 kg		•	·	
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2012-13 L Robertson Whangaroa 186.70 kg				
2013-14 K Manning Whangamata 200.15 kg				
2014-15 D Holmberg Tauranga 173.00 kg			······································	<u>.</u>
2015-16 M Cowan Whangaroa 211.6 kg				
2016-17 C Wilson Mt Maunganui 196.6kg				
2017-18 S Mccully Marsden Cove 201.4 kg	∠U17-18	S IVICCUITY	Marsden Cove	201.4 Kg





2018-19	J Mawer	Bay of Islands	191.50kg	
2019-20	K Gentry	Whangarei	160kg	
2020-21	Mike Pamment	Tauranga	179.80kg	
2020-21	Matt Crawford	Counties	199.2kg	
2021-22	Marlon Harris	Whangarei Deep Sea		
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1966-67	No Award			
1967-68	W Bannister	Whangaroa		
1968-69	No Award			
1969-70	J Hannah	Whangarei		
1970-71	No Award			
1971-72	A Clark (Mrs)	Bay of Islands		
1972-73	N Massey (Mrs)	Tauranga		
1973-74	L Blomfield	Bay of Islands		
1974-75	L Going	Whangarei		
1975-76	Sir William Stevenson	Whangarei		
1976-77	A Stevenson	Whangarei		
1977-78	R Campbell	Bay of Islands		
1978-79	K Beale (Miss)	Bay of Islands		
1979-80	J Going (Miss)	Whangarei		
1980-81	B Hill	Bay of Islands		
1981-82	B Ovenden	Whangarei		
1982-83	A Mollard	Whangarei		
1983-84	L Goebel	Whakatane		
1984-85	G Flett	Hawkes Bay		
1985-86	W Gardiner	Taranaki		
1986-87	K Oyler (Miss)	Whangaroa		
1987-88	B Urwin	Taranaki		
1988-89	F (Pop) Looney	Taranaki		
1989-90	M Shanaghan	Hawkes Bay		
1990-91	W Simpson	Whakatane		
1991-92	S Irvine	Whangaroa		
1992-93	R Civil	Whangaroa		
1993-94	S Powell	Kawhia		
1994-95	M Mckeown	Kawhia		
1995-96	A Jorion	Waihau Bay		
1996-97	L Stone	Bay of Islands		
1997-98	S Mossman	Auckland		
1998-99	D King	Ngawi		
1999-00	G Sinclair	Bay of Islands		
2000-01	M Clerke	Tauranga		
2001-02	A Jorion	Gisborne-Tatapouri		
2002-03	J Garrett	Bay of Islands		
2003-04	E Jacobsen	Houhora		
2004-05	C Angus	Tautuku		
2005-06	P Jackson	Waihau Bay		
2006-07	A Carey	Houhora		
2007-08	R Meade	Waihau Bay		
2008-09	M Armistead	Tauranga		
2009-10	J Garrett	Bay of Islands		
2010-11	M Ellwood	Mercury Bay		
2011-12	S Dobson	Mt Maunganui		
2012-13	T Royal	Bay of Islands		
2012-13	S Smith	Whangarei		
2014-15	G Yukich	Manukau		
2015-16	C Johnson	Whangarei		
2016-17	N Sinden	Ahipara		
2017-18	W Going	Whangarei		
2017-10	A Langdon	Muriwai		
2010-19	L Randrup	Waihau Bay		
2020-21	Jarryd Craven	Tauranga		
2020-21	Richard Newcomb	Whangarei		
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966-67	W Gasquoine	Tauranga	Tiger Shark	357.08 kg
967-68	R Greig	Bay of Islands	Pacific Blue Marlin	461.30 kg
968-69	M Larsen	Tauranga	Mako Shark	425.02 kg
969-70	J Penwarden	Tauranga	Mako Shark	481.26 kg
970-71	N Brady	Bay of Islands	Mako Shark	312.98 kg
971-72	J Bloomfield	Whakatane	Black Marlin	413.68 kg
972-73	N Russ	Whangaroa	Mako Shark	346.09 kg
973-74	J Gerulaitis	Whangarei	Black Marlin	287.12 kg
974-75	B Galvin	Whangarei	Thresher Shark	335.20 kg
975-76	B Anson	Tauranga	Pacific Blue Marlin	340.19 kg
976-77	A Barclay	Bay of Islands	Black Marlin	342.46 kg
977-78	D Hague	Whakatane	Black Marlin	444.00 kg
978-79	F Wright	Whangaroa	Mako Shark	305.00 kg
979-80	J Mildenhall	Whakatane	Mako Shark	302.50 kg
980-81	D North (Mrs)	Whangarei	Thresher Shark	363.80 kg
981-82	S Clayden	Bay of Islands	Black Marlin	383.00 kg
82-83	D Hannah	Bay of Islands	Thresher Shark	348.00 kg
983-84	R Deans	Whakatane	Mako Shark	463.00 kg
984-85	G Flett	Hawkes Bay	Mako Shark	385.00 kg
985-86	J Clements (Mrs)	Whangarei	Mako Shark	316.02 kg
986-87	C Smellie	Whangaroa	Mako Shark	344.04 kg
987-88	B Urwin	Taranaki	Mako Shark	379.05 kg
188-89	J Hardstaff	Whangarei	Blue Marlin	412.00 kg
989-90	M Shanaghan	Hawkes Bav	Mako Shark	463.08 kg
990-91	W Simpson	Whakatane	Black Marlin	373.60 kg
991-92	S Hardwidge	Bay of Islands	Mako Shark	416.60 kg
992-93	J Harrison (Mrs)	Whangarei	Mako Shark	313.00 kg
993-94	I Bowden	Te Kaha	Blue Marlin	317.80 kg
94-95	T Emerson	Wairarapa	Mako Shark	348.00 kg
995-96	G Cleary	Bowentown	Blue Marlin	301.20 kg
996-97	G Walton	Bay of Islands	Mako	350.20 kg
			Blue Marlin	
997-98	T Harding	Bay of Islands		456.80 kg 418.60 kg
998-99	C Garland	Hawkes Bay	Mako	418.60 kg
999-00	A Connor	Whangarei	Black Marlin	430.00 kg
000-01	J Moncur	Te Kaha	Blue Marlin	420.60 kg
001-02	A Jorion	Gis-Tatapouri	Black Marlin	473.20 kg
002-03	S Eden	Mt Maunganui	Mako Shark	377.90 kg
003-04	N Barton	Manukau Sport	Tiger Shark	376.20 kg
04-05	D Haddon	Waihau Bay	Blue Marlin	301.00 kg
005-06	G Van Hellemond	Whangamata	Blue Marlin	329.70 kg
006-07	L Melody	New Plymouth	Blue Marlin	354.20 kg
007-08	R Meade	Waihau Bay	Blue Marlin	442.80 kg
008-09	G Bee	Hawke's Bay	Mako	384.20 kg
009-10	S Keefe	Waihau Bay	Blue Marlin	366.60 kg
010-11	M Ellwood	Mercury Bay	Blue Marlin	393.80 kg
011-12	J Gigger	Whangaroa	Broadbill	404.40 kg
012-13	M Coffin	Whakatane	Broadbill	309.40 kg
013-14	D Pascoe	Houhora	Pacific Bluefin Tuna	411.60 kg
)14-15	D Ngarama	Te Aroha	Blue Marlin	315.00 kg
015-16	C Johnson	Whangarei	Black Marlin	362.8 kg
016-17	W Wilson	Muriwai	Blue Marlin	466 kg
)17-18	C Markov	Tauranga	Blue Marln	350.2 kg
018-19	A Langdon	Muriwai	Broadbill	335.20kg
)19-20	L Randrup	Waihau Bay	Blue Marlin	492.4kg
)20-21	Jarryd Craven	Tauranga	Black Marlin	434.5kg
021-22	Warren George	Mercury Bay	Blue Marlin	380kg
)22-23	Ross Tudor	Bay of Islands	Black Marlin	464.5kg
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	M Van Der Wal		Club	
003-04		Manukau Sport Fishing		
004-05	M Hemingway	Mt Maunganui Sportfish	ning Ciub	
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2005-06	W Joyce	Tautuku Fishing Club Dunedin & Haast Inc
2006-07	A Saunders	Counties Sports Fishing Club
2007-08	S Hemingway	Mt Maunganui Sport Fishing Club
2008-09	J Headley	Mahia Boating & Fishing Club
2009-10	J Mclaren (Aged 9)	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club
2010-11	R Malone	Hawkes Bay Sports Fishing Club
2011-12	R Malone	Hawkes Bay Sports Fishing Club
2012-13	Team Bosca	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club
2013-14	N Browne	Whakatakataka Bay Sport Fishing Club
2014-15	J Tombleson	Tauranga
2015-16	K Bennetto	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club
2016-17	A Greenhalgh	Bay of Islands Swordfish Club
2017-18	I Steed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club
2018-19	B Rhodes	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club
2019-20	Not Awarded	
2020-21	Not Awarded	
2021-22	Frank Watkins	Tairua – Pauanui Sports Fishing Club
2022-23	Geoff Flyger	Tairua - Pauanui Sports Fishing Club

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2016-17	Guy Jacobsen	Bay of Islands Swordfish Club					
2017-18	John Gregory	Doubtless Bay Sportfishing Club					
2018-19	Alan Langdon	Muriwai Sport Fishing Club					
2019-20	Cody Matthews	Houhora Big Game & Sports Fishing Club					
2020-21	Not awarded						
2021-22	Brooke Shanley	Whangamata Ocean Sports Club					
2022-23	Blake Hay	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club					
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2016-17	Christine Elmiger	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club			
2017-18	Paul Batten	Mangawhai Boating & Fishing Club			
2018-19	Ray McIntyre	Tairua-Pauanui Sports Fishing Club			
2019-20	Linda Hosking and Christine Pritt	Taupo Fishing Club			
2020-21	Brenda Saul	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club			
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2016-17	Whangamata Ocean Sports Club
2017-18	Whangamata Ocean Sports Club
2018-19	Not Awarded
2019-20	Tairua-Pauanui Sports Fishing Club
2020-21	Tairua-Pauanui Sports Fishing Club
2021-22	New Plymouth Sportfishing and Underwater Club
2022-23	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club







Billfish Slam - Alain Jorion

473.20 kg Black Marlin; 235.20 kg Blue Marlin; 145 kg Striped marlin; 116 kg Broadbill; 23.80 kg Spearfish. All the above were caught on stand-up gear.

Presented at the AGM 29-30 September 2006

Tuna Slam Alain Jorion

5.60 kg Skipjack; 10.91 Albacore; 265 kg Northern/Pacific Bluefin; 52.76 kg Bigeye & 54 kg Yellowfin Presented at the AGM held 28 - 29 September 2007

Inshore Slam - Scott Tindale

10.27 kg Snapper, 32 kg Yellowtail; 3.052 kg Kahawai; 5.362 kg Trevally and 3.10 kg John Dory

Presented at the AGM held 25 - 26th September 2009

Tuna Slam - Wayne Bicknell

Albacore 18.2kg on 10kg; Skipjack 5.340kg on 4kg; Pacific Bluefin 302.5kg on 60kg; Bigeye 60.45kg on 24kg; Yellowfin 66.7kg on 15kg

Presented at the AGM held 16 - 17th September 2016

Inshore Slam - Scott Tindale

Snapper 11.63 kg, Kingfish 31.00 kg, Kahawai 3.710 kg, John Dory 2.090 kg, Trevally 5.055 kg Presented at the AGM held 15th - 16th of September 2017

Billfish Slam - Mitchell Tombleson

Blue Marlin 180.20kg, Black Marlin 150 kg, Striped Marlin 150.10 kg, Spearfish 30.4kg, Swordfish 175 kg Presented at the AGM held 15th - 16th of September 2017

Billfish Tagging Slam - Donna Pascoe

26 February 2015 Shortbilled Spearfish, 20 February 2016 Black Marlin, 20 February 2016 Striped Marlin, 4 June 2017 Broadbill, 1 February 2017 Blue Marlin

Presented at the AGM held 15th - 16th of September 2017

Inshore Slam - Mark Hemingway

01 November 1992 Snapper 17.20kg on 10kg line; 24 February 1992 Kingfish 37.2kg on 24kg line; 20 November 1993 Kahawai 3.49kg on 10kg line; 07 December 1997 John Dory 2.170kg on 10kg line; 15 December 2018 Trevally 5.562kg on 8kg line

Presented at the AGM held 29 - 21st September 2019

Billfish Tagging Slam - Campbell Carter

22 February 2020 Shortbill Spearfish, 18 February 2019 Black Marlin, 21 February 2018 Blue Marlin, 16 April 2016 Broadbill, 18 February 2013 Striped Marlin

Presented at the AGM held 18 - 19th September 2020

Billfish Tagging Slam - Greg Haliday

21 March 2020 Shortbill Spearfish est 10kg, 11 March 2021 Black Marlin est 150kg, 21 March 2021 Blue Marlin est 200kg, 26 March 2021 Striped Marlin Est 120kg, 4 June 2021 Broadbill Swordfish est 80kg.

Presented at the AGM held 15 - 16th October 2021

Billfish Tagging Slam - Hunter Scott - Junior

17 February 2022 Broadbill Swordfish 112.6kg, 23 January 2018 Shortbill Spearfish 14.5kg, 28 April 2016 Striped Marlin 133.4kg, 10 January 2015 Blue Marlin 179.3kg, 11 January 2014 Black Marlin 250.8kg

Presented at the AGM held 23 - 24th September 2022

Billfish Tagging Slam - David McIntyre

02 March 2022 Broadbill Swordfish 112.2kg, 20 January 2019 Shortbill Spearfish 26.3kg, 13 March 2019 Striped Marlin 140.1kg, 27 January 2018 Blue Marlin 179.1kg, 28 February 2017 Black Marlin 152.2kg

Presented at the AGM held 23 – 24th September 2022





2023 NZSFC NATIONALS































ENTRY FORM: 2024 NATIONALS

All angler details must be filled out and angler class indicated. Entry Fee \$25	per angler.
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Club:							Please	L	Local Team
Team Name):						Tick:		Overseas Team
1st Angler -	The p	person wh	o is res	ponsible f	or the team				
Full Name:									
Email:									
Phone:					Class:	Ser	nior Male		Senior Female
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Signature of 1	1st An	gler:							
Club Secreta	ry:				T	otal numbe	r of anglers	:	
Date:					Т	otal entry fe	e enclosed	l:	

This entry form is to be forwarded to the Secretary of the club you will represent together with the applicable entry fees.

NEW ZEALAND SPORT FISHING COUNCIL INC





NZSFC NATIONALS: 17TH - 24TH FEBRUARY 2024

Please note the following rule changes for the 2024 Nationals.

- 1. Fish should be weighed from the boat they were caught from, whether on their boat trailer or in the water. Fish can't be transferred to another boat any time for the purpose of weighing the catch except in exceptional circumstances. For safety reasons only, a fish maybe transferred to take to a weigh station as long as the boat on which the fish is caught is in sight of weigh station, or within one nautical mile of the weigh station. The only other exceptions are if the angler or anglers as a team are changing boat because of availability, or in an emergency i.e. a breakdown.
- 2. Tag cards must be sighted either physically or electronically by the Club the team is fishing for, within 36 hours of being tagged, noting that the closing time for all submissions is 4 pm on the final dav.
- 3. The minimum weight for Yellowtail Kingfish is
- 4. The measure and release section for kingfish of the rules has been discontinued.

NOTE

In all situations if any aggregate points category is tied at the end of the tournament, the angler or team to boat/release their last fish first is deemed to be the winner, date and time of boating or release must be recorded on the catch card (if no time is stated then it will default to 11:59pm Therefore it is imperative that catch or tag times are noted.

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The New Zealand "Nationals" shall form the arena in which anglers from throughout New Zealand compete, club against club, team against team and angler against angler for the honour of winning various trophies and titles that have been offered for this tournament.

The 'Council' will determine the rules and conditions that will apply to this tournament.

The 'Council' will determine the dates and hours of fishing the tournament.

In addition to the NZSFC Nationals Tournament Rules and Conditions, the following will also apply:

- 1. The NZSFC Fishing Rules and Regulations are incorporated as tournament rules. Only fish caught in accordance with these Fishing Rules and regulations and within the intent of these rules will qualify for the tournament.
- All current New Zealand Laws and Regulations regarding the taking of fish in New Zealand territorial waters.

The New Zealand Sport Fishing Council reserves the right to use any information received by it through results sheets of the NATIONAL TOURNAMENT for publicity, statistical, or other purposes that may be beneficial to the Council or it's membership.

1. JUDICIAL COMMITTEE

A Judicial Committee will be appointed prior to the tournament starting. The Judicial Committee's decisions shall be final on all matters pertaining to the contest, and any controversy arising over interpretation of these rules. Any dispute relating to the weight of a fish must be lodged with the weighmaster prior to the fish being removed from the weigh station. All other disputes must be lodged in writing and emailed to the tournament secretary within 48 hours of the tournament endina.

The judicial committee may delay the final results if any dispute requires further investigating. Final results will then be announced, with no subsequent protests or disputes being accepted.

2. SAFETY

Although the Tournament has been arranged for 8 days, it is the skipper's responsibility to determine that on any one day, the sea conditions and weather forecasts are safe for his/her boat to put to sea. The Tournament is being run nationwide and the fact that boats may be fishing in one area, is not to be taken as an indicator that it is safe to fish in any other area. It is each Skipper's responsibility to ensure that the boat they intend to participate in is capable of putting to sea safely.

It is the Skipper's responsibility to ensure that the boat carries minimum legal safety equipment and flotation





aids, including the requirements of local Coastguard/ Harbour Board, or any other local body that has assumed control over the waterways and ocean that the team intend to fish in.

Each boat must have a reliable means of communication, with the expectation that they can make contact, or be contacted at all times. Each Boat must return to port, or report to their base each day. Any club who is made aware of a Skipper who has put to sea against the advice or directions of one of the authorities named above, or who has not met minimum safety requirements in equipment must report the matter to the Tournament Secretary, and the Judicial Committee will consider the complaint and can disqualify the team. Any such disqualification will also disqualify any catches previously weighed by that team for the Tournament.

Land Based, Kayak, and personal Watercraft teams will suffer the same penalties if they are found to have ignored advice from officers of surf lifesaving clubs operating in the area.

3. INFRACTIONS

Any person, club, boat skipper or crew, guilty of infraction of the rules could be disqualified from participation in this or any other NZ Sport Fishing Council contest.

4. ELIGIBILITY AND CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

All team members must be financial members of an affiliated club. Team members that enter as a day member must pay the day membership fee for each and every day (8 days), irrespective of how many days the team member actually fishes.

All clubs being represented in the National Tournament must be affiliated to, and be financial members of the New Zealand Sport Fishing Council Inc. For the Club to be considered financial their fees must be paid and in the NZSFC account prior to the Tournament commencina.

Junior anglers must be under the age of 17 years at the conclusion of the tournament.

All teams must have access to a copy of the rules for the National Tournament.

All teams must nominate a member who will be responsible for the receiving of information for that team, and for certifying that the above conditions have been met.

All information given to the nominated member shall be deemed to have been given to the whole team.

A signed entry form, accompanied by the appropriate entry fees for the whole team must be lodged with the club the team is fishing for, before an entry is valid.

5. REGISTRATION

A registration fee of \$25 per angler (inclusive of GST) must accompany the official entry form and be paid to the club the angler is representing.

All teams must register at the headquarters of the club they are going to represent in the tournament. Correct registration is the team's responsibility through their nominated member.

All team members must be registered, and registration fees paid **before** they commence fishing. New teams. and additional team members can register after the tournament has started but registrations must be completed, registration fees paid, and the Tournament Secretary notified **before** they commence fishing.

When members of unincorporated clubs are entering the Nationals and fishing for Council trophies, they must prove they are a separate club in their own right and not part of another club, as indicated in the Bylaws.

6. CLUB RESPONSIBILITIES

All participating clubs must have a nominated recorder, who will be the official contact for the Tournament Secretary for all matters relating to the tournament.

For the 2022 Nationals the preferred method of receiving and transmitting results will be by email. Council would expect all clubs to make a serious attempt to comply with this preference.

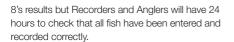
All participating clubs must have an email address to receive and transmit results and other information. between the club and tournament secretary.

All catches must be relaved to the tournament secretary on the day the fish is weighed or tagged. A day being 6 am to 6 pm (see rule 9).

Daily catch results must be transmitted to the Tournament Secretary not later than 7.30 pm each day and be certified as true and correct. (Certifying will eliminate the need to send catch certificates in) Nil returns are just as important as positive returns!

Final catch results must reach the Tournament Secretary prior to 8 pm on the last fishing day of the tournament. The results for Day 8 will be sent as Day





Tagged fish must be reported as soon as possible after the fish has been tagged but must not be notified to the Tournament Secretary until such times as the card has been sighted electronically or physically by the Club the team is fishing for unless prior arrangements have been made. All tagged fish must be reported by the club to NZSFC by 8 pm on the final day.

All affiliated clubs must provide courtesy weighing and email/fax reporting to all anglers fishing in the tournament in line with Rule 13.

Clubs who have teams fishing away from their home base should make every effort to make sure they are aware of their obligations under Rule 13.

Clubs must provide competent weighmasters to officiate during the clubs weighing times.

Clubs should hold a pre-tournament briefing to make teams aware of their responsibilities as regards all aspects of the tournament - Local Coastguard/Harbour rules, radio frequencies and weigh station times.

Clubs must have available copies of the Council booklet for teams to purchase or copies of the rules so there is no excuse for teams to be ignorant of the rules

7. TEAMS

Teams will be identified by a team name as well as a team number. The Council will, through the clubs, allocate the team number.

All members of the team must fish for the same club. and at least one member of the team must belong to the club they are fishing for. A team must comprise not less than two (2) and not more than ten (10) persons. There must not be less than two members of the same team on the boat at any one time and in the interests of safety at least one person on the boat should be over the age of 18 years.

If for any reason the responsible member is changed, the tournament secretary must be notified as soon as possible.

MORE THAN ONE team may fish on the same boat, but all teams must be fishing the Nationals tournament.

Teams may change boats during the tournament but must retain the same team name and number. At any

one time, all members of the team who are fishing must be on the same boat.

No substitute of a team may be made after registration without the consent of the tournament secretary (generally it should not be expected to have substitutes approved after the tournament has commenced).

In the case of land based anglers, at any one time, all members of the team who are fishing must, be on a stretch of uninterrupted foreshore, must be in sight of one another, and without the use of aids, be close enough together to be able to call to one another. Or if fishing from a structure, (such as a wharf or jetty) all members must fish from the structure.

In the case of Kayak and Watercraft anglers, at any one time, all members of the team who are fishing must be in sight of one another, and without the use of aids, be close enough together to be able to call to one another. They must have all prescribed safety equipment deemed appropriate for Kavak and Watercraft users. As per team numbers rule, minimum of two anglers (that may fish on one kayak or watercraft, or individual watercrafts) and no more than 10 anglers allowed.

With the exception of the rule regarding the catching of bait, only team members may fish from the boat during the tournament, and only team members may catch any of the fish as listed under Rule 15 Species. Guests, spectators and crew on the boat who are not team members may assist with the boating of tournament fish. When no game fishing tackle is in the water, they may assist with the catching of baitfish but may not catch any of the tournament species.

Fish should be weighed from the boat they were caught from, whether on their boat trailer or in the water. Fish can't be transferred to another boat any time for the purpose of weighing the catch except in exceptional circumstances. For safety reasons only, a fish maybe transferred to take to a weigh station as long as the boat on which the fish is caught is in sight of weigh station, or within one nautical mile of the weigh station. The only other exceptions are if the angler or anglers as a team are changing boat because of availability, or in an emergency i.e. a breakdown. In both these situations their catch when weighed will have to be ratified by the disputes committee. This rule does not apply to Land based Anglers. Catch cards for weighed fish and Tag cards for tagged fish should also be handed in or reported from the boat the team is fishing





from by a representative of the team.

It is the team's responsibility to make themselves familiar with the rules.

Teams will nominate a responsible member on the registration form. Any official information given to the responsible member shall be deemed to have been given to the whole team.

8. ANGLERS

Anglers may change teams but must not start fishing from the new team until the tournament secretary has been notified of the change.

Anglers who change teams shall leave all team points behind but will take individual points with them.

9. FISHING DAYS AND TIMES

The tournament will run for eight days, finishing on the last Saturday in February. Teams can start fishing at 6 am on the first day. All catch cards must sighted by a weighmaster or recorder by 4pm on the final day.

There is no lines out of the water time, an angler may fish until such time as they believe that if they land a fish they can have their catch card for weighed fish sighted by a weighmaster of the club weighing the fish by 4pm on the final day. There is no playing out of fish after 4pm on the final day. All fish must be reported to NZSFC by the Club the team is fishing for by 8 pm on the final day.

10. AREA

The tournament will be fished in that area of water bounded by a line 200 miles from New Zealand's two main islands. The provisions of Rule 14 reporting of catches, Rule 11 Weighing, and Rule 2 Safety, must be adhered to.

11. WEIGH Station and Equipment

All fish must be caught on rod and reel only (handlines are permitted only for the catching of bait). All fish must be weighed in the line class of the line manufacturers rating of the line used. All tackle must comply with NZSFC Fishing Rules and Regulations. Only nonoffset circle hooks can be used targeting Billfish when using live and dead natural baits.

All fish must be weighed or Tag cards presented at the official weigh stations for the tournament i.e. weigh stations are as listed in the front of the NZSFC yearbook, plus any others notified to and accepted by the tournament secretary prior to the tournament.

All tackle and equipment used in the capture of the fish shall be presented to the weighmaster for inspection. The timing of the presentation/inspection is dependent on if the fish is weighed or Tagged (refer below to Section 11a and 11b). In the event that any of the tackle or equipment is incomplete or cannot be presented to the weighmaster, (exception-please see note in 11b Tag & Release regarding hooks cut free) the catch will be deemed incomplete and the fish will not qualify for the tournament.

Any matters where the weighmaster cannot make a final decision on, they are to notify the tournament secretary in writing within 24 hours explaining the situation, so the judicial committee can make a final call on the eligibility of the catch for the tournament.

11a. Weighing

All fish must be weighed within 36 hours of being cauaht.

All tackle and equipment used in the capture of the fish shall be presented to the weighmaster for inspection at the time of weighing.

Weighmasters have the right to inspect any gear on the boat at any time of weighing.

11b. Tag and Release (T & R)

Tag cards must be sighted either physically or electronically by the Club the team is fishing for, (this can be replayed via VHF if no electronic coverage is available), within 36 hours of being tagged, noting that the closing time for all submissions is 4 pm on the final day.

All tackle and equipment used in the capture of a T & R fish MUST be presented to a weighmaster or IGFA Rep for inspection when the hardcopy Tag card is submitted. For all Billfish, Large Tuna and Sharks - in the event the hook cannot be safely removed or in the best interests of fish welfare, it is acceptable to cut the leader as close as practically possible to the hook and release the fish, the trace must still be presented to the weighmaster for inspection / measuring along with all other tackle and equipment.

Where Tags have been submitted electronically, the original Hardcopy card must be submitted (including equipment inspection) within 24 hours of the tournament ending. Failure to hand in any tag card within this timeframe will result in the tagged fish being removed from the tournament.

All Tag cards must be accompanied by photographic evidence of the Tag clearly inserted into the caught fish.





This may be a still photo or video. Failure to provide photographic evidence which confirms the placement of the Tag and species of the fish will result in the tagged fish being removed from the tournament.

and intending to use courtesy weigh facilities must inform prospective hosts in advance and make their intentions known.

12. FORMULA BASIS

Weigh sheets used for courtesy weighing must be from the club providing the courtesy weigh. Two forms must be filled in, prior to weighing of the fish. One weigh sheet is for the club providing the courtesy weigh, and the other is for the angler to take back to their club for their records. This is the angler's responsibility.

The formula is the weight of the fish times 100 divided by the line weight for weighed fish.

> If the words > courtesy, consideration, and common sense < are kept to the fore courtesy weighing should not present a problem.

Tagged and released points are as follows:

13. REPORTING OF CATCHES

Blue & Black Marlin, Broadbill & Striped Marlin - 600 points

These tag and release points are regardless of line

weight (but must be within the line weights referred to in

All fish (Species Section 1 only) must be reported as soon as possible after being boated, to the weigh station or club where the fish is expected to be weighed, giving the following details: Angler, Team Number, Team Name, Species and the time boated.

All fish tagged and released must be reported daily as soon as possible after the release to the weigh station or club and to the Tournament Secretary. The tag card must be sighted either physically or electronically by the club the team is fishing for (this can be relayed via VHF if no electronic coverage is available). Please refer to rule 11b Tag & Release for final handing in of tag cards and tackle and equipment checking for tag

Spearfish - 100 points

& released fish.

Blue & Black Marlin Broadbill

Shark - 100 points

Shortbill Spearfish

Mahimahi

Tuna (yellowfin, bluefin, bigeye, butterfly) 150 points Yellowtail - 25 points

shark, thresher shark, tiger shark, porbeagle).

Points are gained by:

15 (Species Section 1).

(yellowfin, bluefin, bigeye, butterfly).

For Blue & Black Marlin, Broadbill, Striped Marlin, Shortbill Spearfish, Tuna, Shark and Yellowtail all tagged fish will score points along with the top 3 scoring fish weighed. Only the top 3 scoring Mahimahi, Albacore, (Skipjack, & Slender Tuna combined), Snapper, Kahawai, and Trevally will count in their sections.

Capped shark points - The maximum points for a weighed shark is 1250 points plus 1 point per kilo

14. SPECIES

COURTESY WEIGHING

SECTION 1

All clubs must provide courtesy weighs for all anglers fishing the Nationals. They must also provide recording and reporting of catches to the angler. It is the Angler's / Team's responsibility to ensure that the copy of the weighsheet is submitted to the club that they are fishing for. (The general rule should be that visiting anglers should have available to them, the same hours of weighing and reporting services, as a local angler).

To be fished in the following line classes: 60 kg, 37kg, 24kg, 15kg, 10kg, 8kg, 6kg, 4kg, 3kg, 2kg, 1kg

All participating anglers wishing to use the courtesy weigh facility of another club must abide by the rules and conditions for weighing at the host club as though they were a member of that club. It is the visiting teams' responsibility to ensure that their team is familiar with any such rules and conditions.

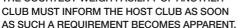
Striped Marlin

Shark

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SECTION 2

To be fished in the following line classes: 10kg, 8kg. 6kg, 4kg, 3kg, 2kg, 1kg

Tuna

Slender & Skipjack Albacore

Albacore

Snapper

Kahawai

Trevally

15. CATCH RESTRICTIONS

Each angler can weigh a maximum of 3 fish per species per day for the Tournament apart from Sharks - Each angler may weigh one shark per angler per day. The 3 fish restriction applies to Length for Points fish also. Where weighed and flyfishing are referred too, there are respective sections/categories with tippet referring to flyfishing.

Minimum weights and lengths for fish in all sections are:

Blue & Black Marlin

Weighed incl. Fly Fishing - Must equal or exceed 90 kg Tag & Release - No minimum

Broadbill

Weighed incl. Fly Fishing- Must equal or exceed 90 kg Tag & Release - No minimum

Striped Marlin

Weighed incl. Fly Fishing - Must equal or exceed 90 kg Tag & Release - No minimum

Shortbill Spearfish

Weighed incl. Fly Fishing - Must equal or exceed 10 kg Tag & Release - No minimum

Mahimahi

Weighed incl. Fly Fishing - Must equal or exceed 4 kg on line weights 15kg and above. On line/tippet weights 10 kg and below there is no minimum fish weight. No Tag & Release

Shark

(all species as listed under No14. Species) Only 1 shark per angler per day may be weighed

Weighed incl. Fly Fishing - Must equal or exceed 40 kg Tag & Release - 122 cm or 4 feet

Tuna - Bluefin, Bigeye and Butterfly

Weighed incl. Fly Fishing - Must equal or exceed line/ tippet weight

Tag & Release - No minimum

Yellowfin Tuna

Weighed incl. Fly Fishing - Minimum weight is 15 kg on line 15 kg and above. On line/tippet weights 10 kg and below the fish must equal or exceed the line weight. Tag & Release - No minimum

Yellowtail

Weighed incl. Fly Fishing - Must equal or exceed Line/ tippet weight and must meet/ exceed 75 cm in length

SECTION 1

TEAM TROPHIES

Will be awarded to the team with the most points from the three top scoring fish from each of the 13 species.

Blue & Black Marlin - Air New Zealand Trophy Broadbill - Moutere Magic Trophy

Striped Marlin - John Hough Memorial Trophy Shortbill Spearfish - Waihau Bay Trophy

Mahimahi - The Dennis Davey Trophy

Shark - NZI Trophy

Tuna - City of Auckland Trophy

Yellowtail - Westpac Trophy

Albacore - Hickey Sports Trophy

Skipiack & Slender Tuna - Wasabi Trophy & Tautuku Fishing Club Trophy - (Slender Tuna only)

Snapper - Sheryl Hart Trophy

Kahawai - Black Magic Trophy

Trevally - Pursuit Trophy

Each species may be fished for on line weights as Tippet classes are as follows: 1kg: 2kg: 3kg: 4 kg: 6 kg: 8 kg: 10kg

allocated for that species in RULE 15 on the formula basis.

Points are gained by:

For Blue & Black Marlin, Broadbill, Striped Marlin, Shortbill Spearfish, Tuna, Shark and Yellowtail all tagged fish will score points along with the top 3 scoring fish weighed. Only the top 3 scoring Mahimahi, Albacore, (Skipjack, & Slender Tuna combined), Snapper, Kahawai, and Trevally will count in their sections.

NOTE

In all situations if any aggregate points category is tied at the end of the tournament, the angler or team to boat/release their last fish first, is deemed to be the winner. Date and time of boating or release must be recorded on the catch card (if no time is stated then it will default to 11:59pm Therefore it is imperative that catch or tag times are noted





SECTION 2

CHAMPION NEW ZEALAND ANGLERS -INDIVIDUAL ANGLERS

The most meritorious catch on the formula basis for a fish scoring the highest points.

SECTION 3

NZ CHAMPION LINE WEIGHT ANGLERS -WEIGHED FISH

The winner will be the angler with the heaviest single fish in each line weight and each game fish species.

NZ CHAMPION LINE WEIGHT ANGLERS -**TAGGED FISH**

The winner will be the angler with the most fish in each line weight in the following species:- Blue & Black Marlin, Broadbill & Striped Marlin, In the event of the same number of fish being tagged and released on one line weight the angler who tags his last fish first will be deemed the winner.

SECTION 4

NZ CHAMPION BLUE & BLACK MARLIN ANGLER

The winner will be the angler with the most accumulated points (landed and tagged fish). The points to come from the top 3 scoring fish weighed plus all fish tagged and released

NZ CHAMPION BROADBILL ANGLER

The winner will be the angler with the most accumulated points (landed and tagged fish). The points to come from the top 3 scoring fish weighed plus all fish tagged and released

NZ CHAMPION STRIPED MARLIN ANGLER

The winner will be the angler with the most accumulated points (landed and tagged fish). The points to come from the top 3 scoring fish weighed plus all fish tagged and released

NZ CHAMPION SHORTBILL SPEARFISH ANGLER

The winner will be the angler with the most accumulated points (landed and tagged fish). The points to come from the top 3 scoring fish weighed plus all fish tagged and released.

SECTION 5

CAROL ATWOOD MEMORIAL TROPHY

This trophy will be awarded for the most meritorious tuna caught during the tournament (tuna scoring most points).

SECTION 6

TAG AND RELEASE SECTION

The winner will be the angler tagging and releasing the most fish in each of the seven species sections, namely Blue & Black Marlin, Broadbill, Striped Marlin, Shortbill Spearfish, Shark, Yellowtail & Tuna, In the event of more than one angler tagging and releasing the same number of fish, the winner will be the angler who tagged his last fish first.

Only fish tagged with the Council approved tags will count.

Released fish not tagged do not count.

SECTION 7

OVERSEAS TEAM

The winning team will be the one scoring the highest aggregate points in the thirteen species sections.

To qualify as an Overseas Team, one member must reside overseas. Only the top three scoring fish will count.

SECTION 8

CHAMPION NEW ZEALAND JUNIOR ANGLERS -INDIVIDUAL ANGLERS

The most meritorious catch by a Junior Angler on the formula basis for a weighed fish scoring the highest points in each of the thirteen species sections, namely Albacore, Blue & Black Marlin, Broadbill, Striped Marlin, Shortbill Spearfish, Mahimahi, Shark, Tuna, Skipjack & Slender Tuna (combined), Yellowtail, Snapper, Kahawai, and Trevally

SECTION 9

NEW ZEALAND JUNIOR CHAMPION BLUE & **BLACK MARLIN ANGLER**

The winner will be the angler with the most accumulated points (landed and tagged fish).

The points to come from the top 3 scoring Blue & Black Marlin weighed plus all Blue & Black Marlin tagged and released.

NEW ZEALAND JUNIOR CHAMPION BROADBILL ANGLER

The winner will be the angler with the most accumulated points (landed and tagged fish). The points to come from the top 3 scoring Broadbill weighed plus all Broadbill tagged and released.



NEW ZEALAND JUNIOR CHAMPION STRIPED MARLIN ANGLER

The winner will be the angler with the most accumulated points (landed and tagged fish). The points to come from the top 3 scoring Striped Marlin weighed plus all Striped Marlin tagged and released.

NEW ZEALAND JUNIOR CHAMPION SHORTBILL SPEARFISH ANGLER

The winner will be the angler with the most accumulated points (landed and tagged fish). The points to come from the top 3 scoring Shortbill Spearfish weighed plus all Shortbill Spearfish tagged and released.

SECTION 10

FLY FISHING SECTION

The winner will be the angler with the heaviest single fish in each tippet class and each game fish species.

SECTION 11

INTERCLUB COMPETITION

An Interclub competition is to be held in conjunction with the tournament. The following rules relate to the Interclub:

There will be 13 Interclub Champions.

The winning club/s will be the club/s scoring the highest number of points from the top 5 scoring fish from each club for each of the thirteen species.

Interclub Trophies are:

Blue & Black Marlin

The Penn Tackle Trophy Broadbill - Big Fish Bait & Tackle Trophy

Striped Marlin

The Gordon Traill Memorial Trophy Shortbill Spearfish - The Webb Family Trophy Mahimahi - The Maui Jim Trophy

Shark

Stuart Morrison Trophy Yellowtail - NZ Fishing News Trophy Tuna - Composite Development Trophy

Albacore

Kilwell Trophy

Skipjack & Slender Tuna Wasabi

Trophy & Canterbury - Sport Fishing Club Trophy -(Slender only)

Snapper

The Penn Tackle Trophy Kahawai - The Black Magic Trophy Trevally - The Dave White Memorial Trophy

SECTION 12

VARTA CUP NORTHERN

Will be awarded to the Northern club scoring the most points. Only the top 3 scoring fish will count.

AUCKLAND REGION TROPHY

Will be awarded to the Auckland Region Zone 2 club scoring the most points. Only the top 3 scoring fish will count.

We also recommend other regions consider sourcing a similar trophy for their Zone.

SECTION 13

VARTA CUP

Will be awarded to the overall Club scoring the most points. Only the top 3 scoring fish will count.

REGIONAL SECTION

Clubs will be split into regional winners and certificates will be awarded for first placings. Zones can purchase their own trophies to present if they wish.

SECTION 14

TOP TEAM FROM EACH CLUB

Will be awarded to the team with the most points from the top scoring fish from each of the 13 species.

REGIONAL SECTION

Teams will be split into regional winners and certificates will be awarded for first placings. Zones can purchase their own trophies to present if they wish.

TOP TEAM - NEW ZEALAND WIDE

CD Rods Top Team Trophy

Will be awarded to the team with the most points from the top scoring fish from each of the 13 species.





NOTES FOR RECORDERS

NUMBER ONE RULE: PLEASE READ THE RULES

No Braid to be used in this event except when used as backing, as defined in the NZSFC Fishing Rules and Regulations

- All Clubs must appoint a Recorder who is willing to check the results each evening especially those clubs with anglers fishing away from home
- Entry Numbers' and a 'Team Details Form' along with a 'Results Schedule Form' will be sent to each Club prior to the contest. You will need a Results Schedule form for each of the days.
- Please remember that **Teams must** register with the Club they will **represent.** If they intend to fish from another location/Club they must still register with their club they intend to represent. Each Club will forward the results for the Teams fishing for them.
- The Team Details sheet needs to be emailed to the Tournament Secretary as soon as details are to hand. Results must be sent on the day the fish are weighed. Results for Tagged fish should be sent when the card has been sighted either electronically or physically by the Club the team is fishing for unless prior arrangements have been made.
- The Daily Results Schedule needs to be emailed to the Tournament Secretary prior to 7.30 pm each evening. All fish weighed. and tag cards sighted (physically or electronically) that day must be written on this sheet. Results after 7.30 pm will go into the next day's tally (except on the final night of course). A 'Nil' return by phone or email speeds up the results - very necessary on the final night.

- Result Sheets are certified correct by the Recorder, it is therefore important that the Recorders check all results as they come out each night. All Tag cards must be sighted by the Club the team is fishing for and reported only when they have been sighted either physically or electronically.
- Teams and anglers can be added at any 7. stage during the contest. Please ensure the 'extras' are emailed to the Tournament Secretary on a Team Details Sheet - please send the 'additions' only or mark very clearly where the additional teams and anglers start..
- To make life simple if you have any further entries, additions to teams, or other queries it would be appreciated if these were dealt with during the day to leave the evening free for results to be processed.
- 9. Once the tournament has ended, each club will be invoiced based on their number of entries. There is a \$6 deduction for club administration. This payment is to be forwarded to the Secretary, NZSFC, PO Box 54242, The Marina, Half Moon Bay, Auckland 2144, or paid by direct payment to NZSFC bank account as soon as possible after the club has received an invoice from the Secretary.
- 10. Recorders and Anglers have 24 hours after the Tournament finishes to check that all their fish have been entered and are correct.







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2023 Nationals - Catch and Tagged Totals

CATCH TOTALS						
The total number of fish caught						
(landed) overall by species	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,					
Blue Marlin	9					
Black Marlin						
Broadbill	7					
Striped Marlin	13					
Shortbill Spearfish	8					
Blue Shark						
Hammerhead Shark						
Bronze Whaler	3					
Mako Shark						
Thresher Shark						
Yellowfin	20					
Bluefin	2					
Bigeye	2					
Slender	1					
Skipjack	63					
Albacore	51					
Yellowtail Kingfish	11					
Kahawai	180					
Snapper	225					
Trevally						
Mahimahi	50					
Mahimahi	23					
Total	645					

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TAGGED TOTALS	
The total number of fish tagged and released overall by species	
Blue Marlin	12
Black Marlin	1
Broadbill	30
Striped Marlin	224
Shortbill Spearfish	13
Blue Shark	3
Bronze Whaler	6
Hammerhead Shark	3
Mako Shark	10
Thresher Shark	1
Yellowtail Kingfish	13
Yellow fin	9
Total	325





Numbers & Comparison with 2022 year



	2022 20		023	
Club	Anglers	Teams	Anglers	Teams
Ahipara	28	5	14	4
Akitio				
Albany		<u>.</u>	:	
Ashley Bank		.		÷·····
Bays				
Big Fish		:	5	2
Boi Swordfish	15	4	25	6
Canterbury	10		20	
Cape Egmont	10	2		
Clevedon	35	12	155	43
Counties	143	42	148	44
Demon Anglers	140		140	
Doubtless Bay	4	1	3	1
	21	5	8	2
Gis-Tat Hauraki Gulf	4	1	8	2
	69	17	0	
Hawkes Bay			14	4
Hokianga	16	5	17	
Houhora	5	2	å	5
Kawhia	9	2	8	2
Mangawhai		<u>:</u>	<u> </u>	<u>.</u>
Mangere				
Manukau Cruising		÷	<u>;</u>	
Manukau Sport		<u>.</u>	<u>.</u>	
Maraetai				
Marsden Cove				:
Matarangi	16	6	9	3
Mercury Bay	179	61	161	55
Mt Maunganui	40	12	45	12
Muriwai	33	9	40	11
New Plymouth	112	35	106	30
Nz Land Based	4	2	2	1
Pegasus	6	2	14	5
Piha				
Porangahau				
Raglan	26	8	21	8
Southern Sport	7	2	9	3
Tairua-Pauanui	75	22	80	25
Taupo		**************************************	:	:
Tauranga	81	21	46	14
Tautuku	4	1		:
Te Aroha	8	2	3	1
Te Kaha	58	14	37	10
Waihau Bay	159	45	146	38
Waikato				
Wairarapa		.		.
Warkworth	12	5	12	4
Wellington	7	3	6	2
Whakatakataka	4	1	3	1
Whakatane	37	11	31	9
	54	15	26	9
Whangamata Ocean	38	11	∠o 44	11
Whangarei		<u>.</u>	·	
Whangaroa	63	19	62	17
Whangaroa	42	14	63	19
Total:	1382	405	1308	384



No. of Anglers Participating over the past years:

2014 - 1,488
2015 - 1,667
2016 - 1,647
2017 - 1,548
2018 - 1,483
2019 - 1,623
2020 - 1,400
2021 - 1,559
2022 - 1,382
2023 - 1,308



2012 - 1,378 **2013** - 1,534



2023 NZSFC NATIONALS - FINAL RESULTS

CD Rods Overall Team Chan	npions	
1 Mercy	Mercury Bay Game Fishing	2,213.33
2 Brutus	Tauranga Sport Fishing Club	1,825.00
3 Team Kyca Kola	Counties Sports Fishing Club	1,824.54
Section 1 - Team Champio	ns	
Albacore - Hickey Sports Tro	pphy	
1 Kaizen	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	923.00
2 Fish 2 Thrill	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	755.50
3 Bluey	New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	398.78
Blue & Black Marlin - Air Ne	w Zealand Trophy	
1 5 Shades Of Grey	Whangaroa Sport Fishing Club	1,200.00
2 Ata Rangi	Bay of Islands Swordfsh Club	1,152.43
3 Kahlua	Whangaroa Sport Fishing Club	1,200.00
Broadbill - Motutere Magic 1		
1 Trailer Trash	Muriwai Sports Fishing Club	3,600.00
2 Brenda L	Warkworth Gamefishing Club	2,400.00
3 Team Kyca Kola	Counties Sports Fishing Club	1,800.00
Kahawai - Black Magic Trop	hy	
1 Blackout	Hauraki Gulf Sportfshing Club	790.00
2 H.p.b	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	775.00
3 Rons Boat	Tairua- Pauanui Sports Fishing Club	585.00
Mahi Mahi - The Dennis Dav		000.00
1 Mabel	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	207.33
2 Scorpious	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	131.33
3 Reefer	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	103.88
Shark - NZI Trophy	TValida Bay oporto Floriling Glab	100.00
1 Joint Venture	Te Kaha Sport Fishing Club	1,622.83
2 Family Jewels	Bay of Islands Swordfsh Club	300.00
3 Mad Max	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	300.00
Shortbill Spearfish - Waihau	. , , ,	900.00
1 Hard N Up	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	234.59
2 Ocean Pacific	Tauranga Sport Fishing Club	100.00
	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	100.00
3 Glory Days Skipjack & Slender Tuna - W	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	100.00
1 Fish 2 Thrill	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	634.00
2 Kaizen	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	615.00
3 Team Oarsim	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	366.25
Snapper - Sheryl Hart Trophy	······································	4 000 00
1 Sea Witch	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	1,262.00
2 Mercy	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	1,115.00
3 Froma Distance	Counties Sports Fishing Club	1,102.00
Striped Marlin - John Hough	-	0.005
1 Mad Max	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	9,000.00
2 Diesel	Counties Sports Fishing Club	7,200.00
3 G3	Bay of Islands Swordfsh Club	6,000.00





1 Sea Witch	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	707.00
2 Marlena	Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	622.00
3 Sandbagger	NZ Land Based Gamefshing Club	363.50
Tuna - City Of Auckland Trophy		
1 Escapade Nz Whangarei	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	765.95
2 Marlena	Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	508.60
3 5 Shades Of Grey	Whangaroa Sport Fishing Club	300.00
Yellowtail - Westpac Trophy		
1 Forever Young	Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	326.00
2 Marlena	Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	294.88
3 Late Starters	Whangaroa Sport Fishing Club	289.50

Section 2 - Champion New Zealand Angler

Albacore		
1 Dave Pye	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	345.50
2 Peter Van Eekelen	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	321.00
3 Peter Van Eekelen	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	320.00
Blue & Black Marlin		
1 Syd Morrow	Mt Maunganui Sportfshing Club	743.24
2 Lee Johnston	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	611.89
3 Tim Fathers	Whangamata Ocean Sports Club	600.00
Broadbill		
1 Troy Owen	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	600.00
2 Nicola Candy	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	600.00
3 Daniel Wilson	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	600.00
Kahawai		
1 Ethan Brierly	Hauraki Gulf Sportfshing Club	280.00
2 Bruce Hunter	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	273.00
3 Ethan Brierly	Hauraki Gulf Sportfshing Club	260.00
Kingfish		
1 Terry King	Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	187.80
2 Brandon Young	Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	186.00
3 Jeanette Franks	Whangaroa Sport Fishing Club	160.50
Mahi Mahi		
1 Shane Harvey	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	131.33
2 Melissa Ford	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	108.83
3 Daniel Ford	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	98.50
Shark		
1 Jim Tamblin	Te Kaha Sport Fishing Club	822.00
2 Scott Tamblin	Te Kaha Sport Fishing Club	413.33
3 Brendon Scott	Te Kaha Sport Fishing Club	387.50
Shortbill Spearfish		
1 Bill Lowe	Tauranga Sport Fishing Club	100.00
2 Jack Williams	Mt Maunganui Sportfshing Club	100.00
3 Sandra Taylor	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	100.00
Skipjack & Slender Tuna		
1 Bruce Murdoch	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	310.00
2 Mike Wessels	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	298.00
3 Jeremy Waterer	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	218.00





Snapper		
1 Felix Wenzel	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	487.00
2 Jeremy Waterer	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	483.00
3 Brent Milesi	Counties Sports Fishing Club	402.00
Striped Marlin		
1 Brent Hogg	Tauranga Sport Fishing Club	960.33
2 Jeremy Waterer	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	662.67
3 Peter Ridley	Raglan Sportfshing Club	620.83
Trevally		
1 Felix Wenzel	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	263.00
2 Gary Whitaker	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	254.00
3 Rick Pollock	Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	195.33
Tuna		
1 Josh Armstrong	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	765.95
2 Terry King	Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	508.60
3 Chloe Roberts	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	401.47

Section 3 - NZ Champion Line Weight Anglers

Albacore	•		
1KG	Peter Van Eekelen	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	3.21
	Craig Woods	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	2.65
	John Tully	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	2.63
2KG	Dave Pye	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	6.91
	John Tully	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	4.94
	Craig Woods	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	4.93
3KG	Ryan Steele	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	4.10
	lan Carrick	Southern Sport Fishing Club	3.12
	Tim Dennison	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	3.05
4KG	Warren Towers	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	8.46
	Stephen Mourie	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	7.3
	Vinnie Van Deventer	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	6.02
6KG	Alix Hay	Hauraki Gulf Sportfshing Club	8.45
	Sam Penberth	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	6.62
	Mike Kingi	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	6.08
8KG	Sara Thorby	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	8.80
	Warren Towers	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	2.98
10KG	Karina Hedges	Tauranga Sport Fishing Club	12.70
	Sara Thorby	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	8.35
	Oliver Penberth	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	6.42
Blue & I	Black Marlin		
24KG	Steve Isted	Whangaroa Sport Fishing Club	126.40
37KG	Syd Morrow	Mt Maunganui Sportfshing Club	275.00
	Lee Johnston	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	226.40
	Kurtis Baird	Bay of Islands Swordfsh Club	211.20
60KG	Sarah Adamson	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	225.40
Broadbil			
37KG	Paul Chapman	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	186.60
	Karl Daniel	Ahipara Game Fishing Club	183.50
	Phil Mohan	Counties Sports Fishing Club	135.31





60kg	James Cutfield	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	240.80
	Daniel Wilson	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	154.70
	Shane Mcbarron	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	142.80
Kahawai			
1KG	Ethan Brierly	Hauraki Gulf Sportfshing Club	2.80
	Bruce Hunter	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	2.73
	Alix Hay	Hauraki Gulf Sportfshing Club	2.50
2KG	Kevin Steele	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	2.18
	Harry Sharples	Clevedon Game Fishing Club	2.10
	Shane Hartstone	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	2.05
3KG	Boyd Quinn	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	2.49
	Thomas Emery	Counties Sports Fishing Club	2.33
	Carl Hanna	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	2.20
4KG	Garry Commerer	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	2.54
	Isabelle Penberth	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	2.37
	Mike Davis	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	2.30
6KG	Garry Commerer	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	3.39
	lan Williams	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	2.57
	Cooper Markham	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	2.56
8KG	Robin Maindonald	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	2.74
	John Aiken	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	2.66
	Charlotte Gibson	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	2.38
10KG	Todd Hagan	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	2.54
10110	Justin Brien	Raglan Sportfshing Club	2.53
	Peter Ridley	Raglan Sportfshing Club	2.38
Mahi Mal		riagian oportioning diab	2.00
3KG	Chris Chitty	Counties Sports Fishing Club	1.74
	Jeremy Waterer	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	1.70
4KG	Ethan Taylor	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	1.66
6KG	Shane Harvey	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	7.88
or to	Melissa Ford	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	6.53
	Daniel Ford	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	5.91
10KG	Alex Chitty	Counties Sports Fishing Club	1.68
TORG	Mike Weck	······································	1.54
	···· } ·····	Counties Sports Fishing Club	
151/0	David Burns	Counties Sports Fishing Club	1.52
15KG	Brad Kilgour	Clevedon Game Fishing Club	6.60
	Scott Adamson	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	5.67
	Tony Noble	Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	5.16
24KG	Brook Evans	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	9.77
	Rodney Thomsen	Tairua- Pauanui Sports Fishing Club	9.47
	Mitchell Kingi	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	6.78
37KG	Sam Grouby	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	10.64
	Lori Tanner-Somers	Whangaroa Sport Fishing Club	10.00
	Brandon Young	Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	9.20
60KG	Nerina Boyle	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	9.77
	Rod Way	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	7.00
	Shaun Braithwaite	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	6.49
Shark			
10KG	Jim Tamblin	Te Kaha Sport Fishing Club	82.20
15KG	Scott Tamblin	Te Kaha Sport Fishing Club	62.00
	Donner de la Oceatt	Te Kaha Sport Fishing Club	93.00
24KG	Brendon Scott Spearfish	Te Naria oport i isriirig Olab	00.00





37KG	Carleen Olsen	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	19.00
	Paul Chapman	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	18.44
	Brent Rogers	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	15.22
Skipjack	& Slender Tuna		
1KG	Bruce Murdoch	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	3.10
	Mike Wessels	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	2.98
	Jeremy Waterer	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	2.18
2KG	Mike Wessels	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	3.41
	Jamie Davidson	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	3.37
	Emily Steele	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	3.21
3KG	Vinnie Van Deventer	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	3.22
	Emily Steele	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	3.17
	Warren Towers	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	3.17
4KG	Rowan Yandle	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	3.32
	Gordon Kirkham	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	2.78
	Michelle Coffin	Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	2.14
6KG	Mark Casey	Southern Sport Fishing Club	4.45
	Sara Thorby	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	3.58
	Graham Coombe	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	3.05
8KG	Graham Coombe	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	2.85
	Sara Thorby	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	2.52
	Rachel Johnstone	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	2.29
10KG	Oliver Penberth	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	4.10
10110	Daniel Ford	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	2.60
	Gary Bernasconi	Counties Sports Fishing Club	2.22
Snapper	cary Derriaceerii	Sociation operate instanting order	
1KG	Felix Wenzel	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	4.87
	Jeremy Waterer	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	4.83
	Brent Milesi	Counties Sports Fishing Club	4.02
2KG	Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	5.33
	Shane Hartstone	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	4.71
	Dalesha Cunniffe	Counties Sports Fishing Club	3.93
3KG	Carey Walters	Counties Sports Fishing Club	6.61
	Phil Nicklin	Counties Sports Fishing Club	4.19
	Jody Hann	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	4.08
4KG	Jim Nicholson	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	6.79
	Jai Hann	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	6.12
	Michael Nicholson	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	5.57
6KG	Rob Mcclune	Tairua- Pauanui Sports Fishing Club	10.66
	Paul Morgan	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	8.75
	Allan George	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	5.66
8KG	Jan Lee	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	7.46
	Liam Zame	Clevedon Game Fishing Club	6.27
	Trish Lewis	Tauranga Sport Fishing Club	6.27
10KG	Dan Grey	Counties Sports Fishing Club	9.65
	Brett Dormer	Clevedon Game Fishing Club	8.55
	Tony Banham	Clevedon Game Fishing Club	7.86
Striped N			
15KG	Brent Hogg	Tauranga Sport Fishing Club	144.05
	Jeremy Waterer	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	99.40
24KG	Peter Ridley	Raglan Sportfshing Club	149.00
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24110	Oliver Roux	Counties Sports Fishing Club	126.60





37KG	Vinnie Van Deventer	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	143.40
	Jason Kemble	Clevedon Game Fishing Club	140.00
	Aaron Lee	Muriwai Sports Fishing Club	120.00
60KG	Tia Huddart	Hokianga Big Game and Sport Fishing Club	90.00
Trevally			
1KG	Felix Wenzel	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	2.63
	Gary Whitaker	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	2.54
	Steve Reed	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	1.90
2KG	Tony Noble	Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	3.46
	Terry King	Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	2.78
	Scott Bradley	NZ Land Based Gamefshing Club	2.53
3KG	Rick Pollock	Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	5.86
	Terry King	Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	4.26
	Tony Noble	Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	2.98
4KG	Mark Allen	NZ Land Based Gamefshing Club	2.67
	Bob Segetin	Matarangi Boat and Fishing Club	2.29
8KG	Scott Bradley	NZ Land Based Gamefshing Club	2.70
10KG	Brett Dormer	Clevedon Game Fishing Club	6.62
	Mark Allen	NZ Land Based Gamefshing Club	2.78
Tuna			
10KG	Terry King	Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	50.86
15kg	Chloe Roberts	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	60.22
	Graham Sharp	Southern Sport Fishing Club	15.26
37KG	Josh Armstrong	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	283.40
	Mitchell Kingi	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	103.20
	Jonathan Boyle	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	65.00
60KG	Jamie Boocock	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	62.80
	Cody Matthews	Houhora Big Game and Sports Fishing Club	46.40
Yellowtai	il		
6KG	Harry Sharples	Clevedon Game Fishing Club	8.80
	Anne Sharples	Clevedon Game Fishing Club	8.10
8KG	Eric Smith	Clevedon Game Fishing Club	11.60
10KG	Terry King	Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	18.78
	Brandon Young	Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	18.60
	Jeanette Franks	Whangaroa Sport Fishing Club	16.05
24KG	Tony Noble	Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	25.70

Section 4 - NZ Champion

ıe & Black Marlin		
Brendon Hosken	Whangaroa Sport Fishing Club	1,200.00
Syd Morrow	Mt Maunganui Sportfshing Club	743.24
Lee Johnston	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	611.89
iped Marlin		
Tony Croft	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	6,600.00
Robbie West	Counties Sports Fishing Club	3,600.00
Bradie Wilson	Hokianga Big Game and Sport Fishing Club	3,600.00
oadbill		
Josh Holmes	Muriwai Sports Fishing Club	3,600.00
Daniel Wilson	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	1,457.83
Kylie Phillips	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	1,200.00
	Syd Morrow Lee Johnston riped Marlin Tony Croft Robbie West Bradie Wilson Dadbill Josh Holmes Daniel Wilson	Brendon Hosken Whangaroa Sport Fishing Club Syd Morrow Mt Maunganui Sportfshing Club Lee Johnston Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club riped Marlin Tony Croft Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club Robbie West Counties Sports Fishing Club Bradie Wilson Hokianga Big Game and Sport Fishing Club Dadbill Josh Holmes Muriwai Sports Fishing Club Daniel Wilson Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club





Sh	Shortbill Spearfish				
1	Thomas Refoy- Butler	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	141.08		
2	Jack Williams	Mt Maunganui Sportfshing Club	134.59		
3	Bill Lowe	Tauranga Sport Fishing Club	100.00		

Section 5

Ca	Carol Atwood Memorial Trophy				
1	Josh Armstrong	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	765.95		
2	Terry King	Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	508.60		
3	Chloe Roberts	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	401.47		

Section 6 Tag and Release

Blue & Black Marlin		
1 Hosken, Brendon	Whangaroa Sport Fishing Club	2
2 Fathers, Tim	Whangamata Ocean Sports Club	1
3 Laing, Stewart	Whangamata Ocean Sports Club	1
Broadbill		
1 Holmes, Josh	Muriwai Sports Fishing Club	6
2 Wilson, Daniel	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	2
3 Rathe, Cam (Brenda L)	Warkworth Gamefishing Club	2
Kingfish		
1 Hay, Alix	Hauraki Gulf Sportfshing Club	2
2 Lucas, Connor	Mt Maunganui Sportfshing Club	2
3 Hamilton, Grant	Warkworth Gamefshing Club	1
Shark		
1 Elliott, Karl	Bay of Islands Swordfsh Club	3
2 Hemingway, Mark	Mt Maunganui Sportfshing Club	2
3 Marriner, Colin	Counties Sports Fishing Club	2
Shortbill Spearfish		
1 Lowe, Bill	Tauranga Sport Fishing Club	1
2 Williams, Jack	Mt Maunganui Sportfshing Club	1
3 Taylor, Sandra	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	1
Striped Marlin		
1 Croft, Tony	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	11
2 Bremner, Ben	Bay of Islands Swordfsh Club	6
3 West, Robbie	Counties Sports Fishing Club	6
Tuna		
1 Hoseason, James	Whangaroa Sport Fishing Club	2
2 Groome, Dan	Hokianga Big Game and Sport Fishing Club	2
3 Ritchie, Dean	Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	1

Section 8 - Champion New Zealand Junior Anglers

Alb	Albacore					
1	Ryan Steele	New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	136.67 4.10	3KG		
2	Oliver Penberth	New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	64.20 6.42	10KG		
Striped Marlin						
1	Tia Huddart	Hokianga Big Game and Sport Fishing Club	150.00 90.00	60KG		





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	awai	·			
1	Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	206.00	2.06	1KG
2	Ryan Steele	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	185.50	1.86	1KG
3	Ryan Steele	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	173.50	1.74	1KG
Skip	jack & Slender Tuna				
1	Emily Steele	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	160.25	3.21	2KG
2	Emily Steele	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	105.67	3.17	3KG
3	Ryan Steele	New Plymouth Sportfshing & Underwater Club	100.33	3.01	3KG
Sna	pper				
1	Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	266.25	5.33	2KG
2	Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	266.00	2.66	1KG
3	Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	247.50	2.48	1KG
Mah	ni Mahi				
1	Cayden De Graaf	Clevedon Game Fishing Club	21.67	5.20	24KG
Tuna	3				
1	Cody Matthews	Houhora Big Game and Sports Fishing Club	77.33	46.40	60KG
Trev	ally				
1	Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	110.50	1.11	1KG

Section 9 - New Zealand Billfish Junior Champion

Stripe	Striped Marlin					
1 L	yle Murtagh	Counties Sports Fishing Club		600.00		
2 D	ylan Hull	Counties Sports Fishing Club		600.00		
3 Ta	ayla Peters	Tairua- Pauanui Sports Fishing Club		600.00		
Striped Marlin						
1 B	reanna Fraser	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club		100.00		

Section 10 - Flyfishing

Kahawai				
1	Mark Allen	NZ Land Based Gamefshing Club	1.81	
2	Steve Lee	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	1.72	

Section 11 - Interclub - Top 3 Scoring Clubs

Alk	pacore	
1	Pegasus Game Fishing Club	1,451.00
2	New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	905.54
3	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	345.50
Βlι	ıe & Black Marlin	
1	Whangaroa Sport Fishing Club	2,926.67
2	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	2,320.81
3	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	2,175.67





Broadbill	
1 Muriwai Sports Fishing Club	3,000.00
Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	3,000.00
3 Warkworth Gamefishing Club	2,400.00
Kahawai	
Hauraki Gulf Sportfishing Club	1,215.00
Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	1,203.00
Tairua- Pauanui Sports Fishing Club	969.50
Mahi Mahi	
Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	436.04
Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	160.87
Counties Sports Fishing Club	105.40
hark	
Te Kaha Sport Fishing Club	1,622.83
Counties Sports Fishing Club	400.00
Bay Of Islands Swordfish Club	400.00
hortbill Spearfish	
1 Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	500.00
Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	234.59
Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	142.32
kipjack & Slender Tuna	
Pegasus Game Fishing Club	1,102.50
Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	652.50
New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	578.92
napper	
Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	1,902.00
Counties Sports Fishing Club	1,637.00
Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	1,542.00
Striped Marlin	
Tauranga Sport Fishing Club	3,360.33
Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	3,062.67
Raglan Sportfishing Club	3,020.83
revally	<u>,</u>
Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	1,012.00
Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	763.33
Tairua- Pauanui Sports Fishing Club	598.25
una	
Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	861.74
Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	809.26
Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	765.95
ellowtail	
Clevedon Game Fishing Club	426.67
Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	326.00
Whangaroa Sport Fishing Club	314.50





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1	Warkworth Gamefishing Club	1,800.00
	Muriwai Sports Fishing Club	1,800.00
	Clevedon Game Fishing Club	1,800.00
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1	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	1,965.95
2	Ahipara Game Fishing Club	1,800.00
	Bay Of Islands Swordfish Club	1,800.00

Section 13 - Varta Cup Overall

Var	Varta Cup Overall			
1	Tauranga Sport Fishing Club	2,160.33		
2	Te Kaha Sport Fishing Club	2,022.00		
3	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	1,965.95		

Varta Cup Regional Winners

Zone 1 - Northland	
1 Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	1,965.95
2 Ahipara Game Fishing Club	1,800.00
3 Bay Of Islands Swordfish Club	1,800.00
Zone 2 - Auckland Region	
1 Warkworth Gamefishing Club	1,800.00
2 Muriwai Sports Fishing Club	1,800.00
3 Clevedon Game Fishing Club	1,800.00
Zone 3 - Coromandel	
1 Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	1,874.56
2 Whangamata Ocean Sports Club	1,800.00
3 Tairua- Pauanui Sports Fishing Club	1,800.00
Zone 4 - Central Bay Of Plenty	
1 Tauranga Sport Fishing Club	2,160.33
2 Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	944.49
Zone 5 - Lower North Island	
Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	1,262.00
Zone 6 - Waikato & Taranaki	
1 Raglan Sportfishing Club	1,820.83
2 Kawhia Boating And Angling Club	1,800.00
New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	1,800.00
Zone 7 - South Island	
1 Pegasus Game Fishing Club	951.00
2 Southern Sport Fishing Club	279.90
Zone 8 - Eastern Bay Of Plenty	
1 Te Kaha Sport Fishing Club	2,022.00
2 Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	1,800.00
3 Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	1,800.00





Section 14 - Top Team From Each Club

Ahipara Game Fishing Club	Moet	723.78
Bay of Islands Swordfish Club	Ata Rangi	1,337.84
Big Fish Fishing Club	Team Poseiden	700.00
Counties Sports Fishing Club	Team Kyca Kola	1,824.54
Doubtless Bay Sport Fishing Club	Marlena	1,526.13
Hauraki Gulf Sportfishing Club	Blackout	851.67
Hokianga Big Game and Sport Fishing Club	Tennessee Whiskey	750.00
Houhora Big Game and Sports Fishing Club	Profile 1	288.65
Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	Early Bird	600.00
Matarangi Boat and Fishing Club	Segees Boys	193.35
Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	Mercy	2,213.33
Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	Escapade	743.24
Muriwai Sports Fishing Club	Trailer Trash	1,200.00
New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	Team Trokar	1,214.25
NZ Land Based Gamefishing Club	Sandbagger	399.50
Pegasus Game Fishing Club	Kaizen	826.00
Raglan Sportfishing Club	Brutus	1,825.00
Te Kaha Sport Fishing Club	Joint Venture	1,544.16
Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	No Doubt	1,007.15
Warkworth Gamefishing Club	Brenda L	1,225.00
Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	H.p.b	990.50
Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	Forever Young	810.86
Whangamata Ocean Sports Club	Mad Fish	600.00
Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	Escapade Nz Whangarei	1,465.95
Whangaroa Sport Fishing Club	5 Shades Of Grey	1,375.00





Section 14 - Top Team By Region

Zone 1 - Northland	
1 Marlena	1,526.13
2 Escapade NZ Whangarei	1,465.95
3 5 Shades of Grey	1,375.00
Zone 2 - Auckland Region	
1 Team Kyca Kola	1,824.54
2 Brenda L	1,225.00
3 Trailer Trash	1,200.00
Zone 3 - Coromandel	
1 Mercy	2,213.33
2 Basecamp	1,749.66
3 Fyssher	1,626.33
Zone 4 - Central Bay Of Plenty	
1 Brutus	1,825.00
2 Vallhala Tauranga	960.33
3 Ocean Pacific	850.00
Zone 5 - Lower North Island	
1 H.p.b	990.50
2 Sea Witch	947.00
3	
Zone 6 - Waikato & Taranaki	
1 Team Trokar	1,214.25
2 Simanu	920.54
3 Game Player	735.63
Zone 7 - South Island	
1 Kaizen	826.00
2 Fish 2 Thrill	575.00
3 Kina 4 Dinner	297.00
Zone 8 - Eastern Bay Of Plenty	
1 Joint Venture	1,544.16
2 No Doubt	1,007.15
3 Ballistic	818.97



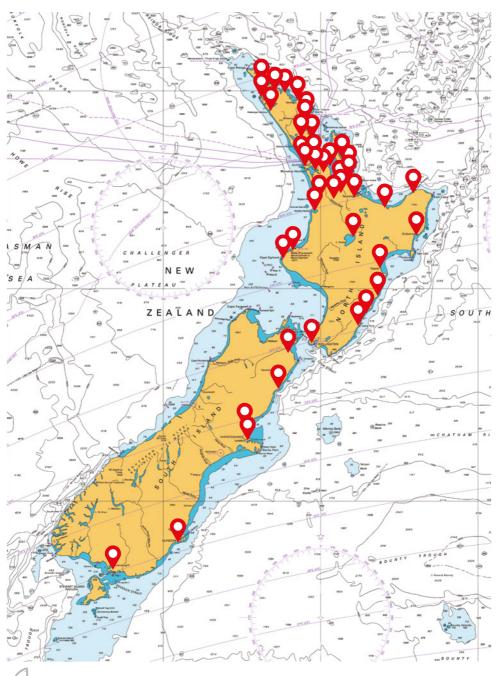




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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The New Zealand "Youth Nationals" shall form the arena in which young anglers from throughout New Zealand compete, club against club and angler against angler for the honour of winning various trophies and titles that have been offered for this tournament. The emphasis is on participation and friendly competition within a set of rules.

The 'Council' will determine the rules and conditions that will apply to this tournament.

The 'Council' will determine the dates and hours of fishing the tournament.

In addition to the NZSFC Youth Nationals Tournament Rules and Conditions, the following will also apply:

- The NZSFC Fishing Rules and Regulations are 1. incorporated as tournament rules. Only fish caught in accordance with these Fishing Rules and regulations and within the intent of these rules will qualify for the tournament, except as explicitly stated otherwise.
- 2. All current New Zealand Laws and Regulations regarding the taking of fish in New Zealand territorial waters.

The New Zealand Sport Fishing Council reserves the right to use any information received by it through results sheets of the YOUTH NATIONALS TOURNAMENT for publicity, statistical, or other purposes that may be beneficial to the Council or it's membership.

1. JUDICIAL COMMITTEE

A Judicial Committee will be appointed prior to the tournament starting. The Judicial Committee's decisions shall be final on all matters pertaining to the contest, and any controversy arising over interpretation of these rules. Any dispute relating to the weight of a fish must be lodged with the weighmaster prior to the fish being removed from the weigh station. All other disputes must be lodged in writing and emailed to the tournament secretary within 48 hours of the tournament ending. The judicial committee may delay the final results if any dispute requires further investigating. Final results will then be announced, with no subsequent protests or disputes being accepted.

2. SAFETY

A Parent/Guardian is responsible for the safety and wellbeing of each entrant and must act in the best interests of the entrants at all times during the tournament to ensure the suitable care and protection of the young people. A responsible person (such as a skipper) can be delegated to care for entrants - this person must be over the age of 18 and approved by the Parent/ Guardian for each entrant.

Although the Tournament has been arranged for 2 weeks, it is the Guardian and skipper's responsibility to determine that on any one day, the sea conditions and weather

forecasts are safe for fishing, including for his/her boat to put to sea or fishing location. The Tournament is being run nationwide and the fact that boats / fishing, may be in one area/region, is not to be taken as an indicator that it is safe to fish in any other area. It is each Guardian / Skipper's responsibility to ensure that the boat they intend to participate in is capable of putting to sea safely, and that any fishing location is safe for the entrants to fish that they are responsible for.

It is the Skipper's responsibility to ensure that the boat carries minimum legal safety equipment and flotation aids, including the requirements of local Coastguard/Harbour Board, or any other local body that has assumed control over the waterways and ocean that the angler intends to

Each boat must have a reliable means of communication. with the expectation that they can make contact, or be contacted at all times. Each Boat must return to port, or report to their base each day. Any club who is made aware of a Skipper who has put to sea against the advice or directions of one of the authorities named above. or who has not met minimum safety requirements in equipment must report the matter to the Tournament Secretary, and the Judicial Committee will consider the complaint and can disqualify the angler. Any such disqualification will also disqualify any catches previously weighed by that angler for the Tournament.

Land Based, Kavak, and personal Watercraft anglers will suffer the same penalties if they are found to have ignored advice from officers of surf lifesaving clubs operating in the area.

3. INFRACTIONS

Any person, club, boat skipper or crew, guilty of infraction of the rules could be disqualified from participation in this or any other NZ Sport Fishing Council contest.

4. ELIGIBILITY AND CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

Entrants may or may not be members of an affiliated Club.

All clubs being represented in the Youth Nationals Tournament must be affiliated to, and be financial members of the New Zealand Sport Fishing Council Inc. For the Club to be considered financial their fees must be paid and in the NZSFC account prior to the Tournament commencing.

There are two age categories in this Tournament:

- Primary ages 0 12 years (under the age of 13 at the conclusion of the tournament)
- High School ages 13 17 years (under the age of 18 at the conclusion of the tournament)

All anglers must have access to a copy of the rules for the Youth Tournament and it is the responsibility of each Angler (and associated caregiver as appropriate) to ensure that rules are followed at all times. Guardians must also help with this as appropriate.





A signed entry form and disclaimer accompanied by the appropriate entry fees must be lodged with the club the angler is fishing for, before an entry is valid.

5. REGISTRATION

A registration fee of \$5 per angler (inclusive of GST) for affiliated members (and non-members entering with affiliated members), must accompany the official entry form and be paid to the club the angler is representing.

All anglers must register at the headquarters of the club they are going to represent in the tournament. Correct registration is the angler's responsibility.

All anglers must be registered, and registration fees paid before they commence fishing. New anglers can register after the tournament has started but registrations must be completed, and registration fees paid, and the Tournament Secretary notified **before** they commence fishing.

6. CLUB RESPONSIBILITIES

All participating clubs must have a nominated recorder, who will be the official contact for the Tournament Secretary for all matters relating to the tournament.

For the 2023 Youth Nationals the preferred method of receiving and transmitting results will be by email. Council would expect all clubs to make a serious attempt to comply with this preference.

All participating clubs must have an email address to receive and transmit results and other information between the club and tournament secretary.

All catches must be relayed to the tournament secretary within 48 hours of the catch. A day being 5 pm to 5 pm (see rule 9).

Daily catch results must be transmitted to the Tournament Secretary not later than 5.00 pm each day and be certified as true and correct. (Certifying will eliminate the need to send catch certificates in) Nil returns are just as important as positive returns!

Final catch results must reach the Tournament Secretary prior to 8 pm on the last fishing day of the tournament. The results for the last day will be sent as the last day results but Recorders and Anglers will have 24 hours to check that all fish have been entered and recorded correctly (by 8pm the following day).

Tagged fish must be reported as soon as possible after the fish has been tagged but must not be notified to the Tournament Secretary until such times as the card has been sighted electronically or physically by the Club the angler is fishing for unless prior arrangements have been made. All tagged fish must be reported by the club to NZSFC by 8 pm on the final day.

All affiliated clubs must provide courtesy weighing and email reporting to all anglers fishing in the tournament in line with Rule 13.

Clubs who have anglers fishing away from their home base should make every effort to make sure they are aware of their obligations under Rule 13.

Clubs must provide competent weighmasters to officiate during the clubs weighing times.

Clubs should hold a pre-tournament briefing to make anglers and skippers aware of their responsibilities as regards all aspects of the tournament - Local Coastquard/Harbour rules, radio frequencies and weigh station times.

Clubs must have available copies of the Council booklet for Skippers / anglers to purchase or copies of the rules so there is no excuse for anglers to be ignorant of the rules.

In the case of land-based anglers, at any one time, all members of the group who are fishing together must, be on a stretch of uninterrupted foreshore, must be in sight of a parent/guardian or responsible person, and without the use of aids, be close enough together to be able to call to one another.

In the case of Kayak and Watercraft anglers, They must have all prescribed safety equipment deemed appropriate for Kayak and Watercraft users, and be supervised by the Parent/Guardian or responsible person over the age of 18.

Fish should be weighed from the boat they were caught from, whether on their boat trailer or in the water. Fish can't be transferred to another boat any time for the purpose of weighing the catch except in exceptional circumstances. For safety reasons only, a fish maybe transferred to take to a weigh station as long as the boat on which the fish is caught is in sight of weigh station, or within one nautical mile of the weigh station. The only other exceptions are if the angler(s) are changing boat because of availability, or in an emergency i.e. a breakdown.

It is the angler's responsibility to make themselves familiar with the rules.

Anglers must nominate a responsible person **over** the age of 18 years on the registration form who is responsible for their care and wellbeing.

7. ANGLERS

Anglers nominate a Club that they are representing and cannot change Clubs they represent during the Tournament once registered.

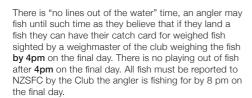
There must not be less than two people on the boat/shore at any one time and in the interests of safety at least one person should be over the age of 18 years – this person must be a responsible person for the care and safety of the anglers with them.

8. FISHING DAYS AND TIMES

The tournament will run for 16 days (Due to Easter Friday being included), finishing on the last Saturday of the April School Holidays. Anglers can start fishing at 6 am on the first day. All catch cards must sighted by a weighmaster or recorder by 4 pm on the final day.

Daily results will be first published on the Monday after the start of the competition and going forward every 48 hours until the end of the competition.





9. AREA

The tournament will be fished in that area of water bounded by a line 200 miles from New Zealand's two main islands. The provisions of Rule 14 reporting of catches, Rule 11 Weighing, and Rule 2 Safety, must be adhered to.

10. WEIGH STATION AND EQUIPMENT

All fish must be caught on rod and reel only (handlines are permitted only for the catching of bait). All fish must be weighed in the line class of the line manufacturers rating of the line used, noting that for Section B and C 'All Tackle', there are no line classes. Where no line class is recorded, it will be assumed to meet the requirements of 'All tackle' and only be eligible in Section B and D. For all other sections, all tackle must comply with NZSFC Fishing Rules and Regulations. Only non-offset circle hooks can be used targeting Billfish when using live and dead natural baits.

All fish must be weighed, or Tag cards presented at the official weigh stations for the tournament i.e. weigh stations are as listed in the front of the NZSFC yearbook, plus any others notified to and accepted by the tournament secretary prior to the tournament.

All tackle and equipment used in the capture of the fish shall be presented to the weighmaster for inspection. The timing of the presentation/inspection is dependent on if the fish is weighed or Tagged (refer below to Section 11a and 11b). In the event that any of the tackle or equipment is incomplete or cannot be presented to the weighmaster, (exception- please see note in 11b Tag & Release regarding hooks cut free) the catch will be deemed incomplete, and the fish will not qualify for the tournament.

Any matters where the weighmaster cannot make a final decision on, they are to notify the tournament secretary in writing within 24 hours explaining the situation, so the judicial committee can make a final call on the eligibility of the catch for the tournament.

11 a Weighing

All fish must be weighed within 36 hours of being caught.

All tackle and equipment used in the capture of the fish shall be presented to the weighmaster for inspection at the time of weighing.

Weighmasters have the right to inspect any gear on the boat at any time of weighing.

11b. Tag and Release (T & R)

Tag cards must be sighted either physically or electronically by the Club the angler is fishing for, within 36 hours of being tagged, noting that the closing time for all submissions is 4 pm on the final day.

All tackle and equipment used in the capture of a T & R fish MUST be presented to a weighmaster or IGFA Rep for inspection when the hardcopy Tag card is submitted. For all Billfish and Sharks - in the event the hook cannot be safely removed or in the best interests of fish welfare, it is acceptable to cut the leader as close as practically possible to the hook and release the fish, the trace must still be presented to the weighmaster for inspection / measuring along with all other tackle and equipment.

All Tag cards must be accompanied by photographic evidence of the Tag clearly inserted into the caught fish. This may be a still photo or video. Failure to provide photographic evidence which confirms the placement of the Tag and species of the fish will result in the tagged fish being removed from the tournament.

Where Tags have been submitted electronically, the original Hardcopy card must be submitted (including equipment inspection) within 24 hours of the tournament ending. Failure to hand in any tag card within this timeframe will result in the tagged fish being removed from the tournament.

11. FORMULA BASIS

The formula is the weight of the fish times 100 divided by the line weight for weighed fish.

Tagged and released points are as follows:

Blue & Black Marlin, Broadbill & Striped Marlin 600 points

Spearfish - 100 points Shark - 100 points

Tuna (yellowfin, bluefin, bigeye, butterfly) - 150 points

Yellowtail - 25 points

These tag and release points are regardless of line weight (but must be within the line weights referred to in 15 (Species Section 1).

Points are gained by:

For Blue & Black Marlin, Broadbill, Striped Marlin, Shortbill Spearfish, Tuna, Shark and Yellowtail all tagged fish will score points along with the top 3 scoring fish weighed. Only the top 3 scoring Mahimahi, Albacore, (Skipjack, & Slender Tuna combined), Snapper, Kahawai, Trevally, Gurnard and Blue Cod will count in their sections.

Capped shark points - The maximum points for a weighed shark is 1250 points plus 1 point per kilo weighed

12. COURTESY WEIGHING

All clubs must provide courtesy weighs for all anglers fishing the Youth Nationals. They must also provide





recording and reporting of catches to the angler. It is the Angler's responsibility to ensure that the copy of the weighsheet is submitted to the club that they are fishing for. (The general rule should be that visiting anglers should have available to them, the same hours of weighing and reporting services, as a local angler).

All participating anglers wishing to use the courtesy weigh facility of another club must abide by the rules and conditions for weighing at the host club as though they were a member of that club. It is the visiting anglers' responsibility to ensure that they are familiar with any such rules and conditions.

ALL PARTICIPATING ANGLERS WISHING TO USE THE COURTESY WEIGH FACILITY OF ANOTHER CLUB MUST INFORM THE HOST CLUB AS SOON AS SUCH A REQUIREMENT BECOMES APPARENT.

Any anglers intending fishing away from their home base and intending to use courtesy weigh facilities must inform prospective hosts in advance and make their intentions known.

Weigh sheets used for courtesy weighing must be from the club providing the courtesy weigh. Two forms must be filled in, prior to weighing of the fish. One weigh sheet is for the club providing the courtesy weigh, and the other is for the angler to take back to their club for their records. This is the angler's responsibility.

If the words > courtesy, consideration, and common sense < are kept to the fore courtesy weighing should not present a problem

13. REPORTING OF CATCHES

All fish (Species Section 1 only) must be reported as soon as possible after being boated, to the weigh station or club where the fish is expected to be weighed, giving the following details: Angler, Species and the time boated.

All fish tagged and released must be reported as soon as possible after the release but must not be reported to the Tournament Secretary until such time as the tag card has been sighted either physically or electronically by the club the angler is fishing for. Please refer to rule 11b Tag & Release for final handing in of tag cards and tackle and equipment checking for tag & released fish.

14. SPECIES PART 1

To be fished in the following line classes: 60 kg, 37kg, 24kg, 15kg, 10kg, 8kg, 6kg, 4kg, 3kg, 2kg, 1kg

Blue & Black Marlin

Broadbill - 90kg or larger

Striped Marlin

Shortbill Spearfish

Mahimahi

Shark - (blue shark, bronze whaler, hammerhead shark, mako shark, thresher shark, tiger shark, porbeagle).

Tuna - (yellowfin, bluefin, bigeye, butterfly).

Yellowtail

SPECIES, PART 2

To be fished in the following line classes

- i) All tackle (any line Class) Section B Heaviest fish and Section D Length only
- ii) 10kg, 8kg, 6kg, 4kg, 3kg, 2kg, 1kg All Sections A - G inclusive

Tuna Slender & Skipjack

Albacore

Snapper

Kahawai

Trevally

Gurnard

Blue Cod

15. CATCH RESTRICTIONS

Each angler can weigh a maximum of 3 fish per species per day for the Tournament apart from Sharks - Each angler may weigh one shark per angler per day. The 3 fish restriction applies to Length for Points fish also.

Minimum weights and lengths for fish in all sections

Blue & Black Marlin

Weighed - Must equal or exceed 90 kg Tag & Release - No minimum

Broadbill

Weighed - Must equal or exceed 90 kg Tag & Release - No minimum

Striped Marlin

Weighed - Must equal or exceed 90 kg Tag & Release - No minimum

Shortbill Spearfish

Weighed - Must equal or exceed 10 kg Tag & Release - No Minimum

Mahimahi

Weighed - Must equal or exceed 4 kg on line weights 15kg and above. On line/tippet weights 10 kg and below there is no minimum fish weight No Tag & Release

Shark (all species as listed under 15. Species) Only 1 shark per angler per day may be weighed Weighed - Must equal or exceed 40 kg Tag & Release - 122 cm or 4 feet

Tuna - Bluefin, Bigeye and Butterfly

Weighed - Must equal or exceed line/tippet weight Tag & Release - No minimum

Yellowfin Tuna

Weighed - Minimum weight is 15 kg online 15 kg and above. On line weights 10 kg and below the fish must equal or exceed the line weight

Tag and Release - No minimum

Yellowtail

Weighed - 75 cm in length or greater Tag & Release - 75 cm in length or greater

Albacore, Snapper, Kahawai, Skipjack & Slender, Trevally, Gurnard and Blue Cod

(No Tag and Release)

Minimum MPI legal length (where applicable)





Released fish not tagged do not count.

SECTION F

TOP CLUB - INTERCLUB COMPETITION

An Interclub competition is to be held in conjunction with the tournament. The following rules relate to the Interclub:

There will be 1 Interclub Champion and age categories are merged into one.

The winning club will be the club scoring the highest aggregate number of points from the scoring fish from each club for each of the fifteen species (maximum 15 fish, 1 per species). IGFA Line Classes Apply.

SECTION G

CLUB CHAMPION ANGLER

There will be 1 Champion Angler per club (One for each Age Category).

The winning angler will be the angler scoring the highest aggregate number of points from the scoring fish for each of the fifteen species (maximum 15 fish, 1 per species) within each Club. IGFA Line Classes Apply.

SECTION H

FUN OR FUNNY PHOTO - best still photo or video taken by or with an entered angler included during the tournament showing fun or a funny moment. (One for each Age Category). Entries to be submitted by the NZSFC application. If the app is not available, then to secretary@nzsportfishing.org.nz and judged by the panel of judges.

SECTION J

MARINE PHOTO – best Marine still photo or video taken by an entered angler during the tournament. Photos to include the marine environment. (One for each Age Category). Entries to be submitted by the NZSFC application. If the app is not available, then to secretary@nzsportfishing.org.nz and judged by the panel of judges.

Where an angler has not used equipment that is in accordance with NZSFC Rules and Regulations (such as an undetermined line class or non-conforming leader/hook configuration) then fish weighed will remain eligible for Section B (Heaviest Fish) and Section D (Length) (only). The Youth Nationals are intended to encourage participation.

All other fish sections (Sections A, C,E, F and G) MUST follow NZSFC Rules and Regulations.

Note: Shark (All Species as listed) - Tagged - 122 cm or 4 ft (it is not intended that anglers or crew should risk injury trying to measure sharks to the millimetre but should use the best possible estimate using any practical aid eg a mark on a gaff handle or length of cord).

SECTION A

CHAMPION NEW ZEALAND YOUTH ANGLERS -INDIVIDUAL ANGLERS

The most meritorious catch on the formula basis for a fish scoring the highest points. This is for weighed fish only, tagged fish not included. (15 Champions for each age category). IGFA Line Classes Apply.

SECTION B

NZ CHAMPION HEAVIEST FISH YOUTH ANGLER -WEIGHED FISH

The winner will be the angler with the heaviest single fish for each of the fish species. (15 Champions for each age category).

SECTION C

OVERALL CHAMPION ANGLER

There will be 1 Champion Angler (One for each Age Category).

The winning angler will be the angler scoring the highest aggregate number of points from the scoring fish from each of the fifteen species (maximum 15 fish, 1 per species) - NZ Wide. Tagged fish included IGFA Line Classes Apply.

SECTION D

LENGTH SECTION

The winner will be the angler with the longest fish in each of the following species:

Albacore, Kahawai, Snapper, Skipjack, Trevally, Yellowtail, Gurnard and Blue Cod

- Fish in this section will remain in this section only
- Fish must be released so they can't be kept and weighed in for another section in the Youth NationalsAny fish that qualifies as a NZ Record will be added to the NZ Record section.
- (8 Champions for each age category)

SECTION F

TAG AND RELEASE SECTION

The winner will be the angler tagging and releasing the most fish in each of the seven species sections, namely Blue & Black Marlin, Broadbill, Striped Marlin, Shortbill Spearfish, Shark, Yellowtail & Tuna. (7 Champions for each age category). In the event of more than one angler tagging and releasing the same number of fish, the winner will be the angler who tagged his last fish first. IGFA Line Classes Apply.





NOTES FOR RECORDERS

NUMBER ONE RULE: PLEASE READ THE RULES

- 1. All Clubs must appoint a Recorder who is willing to check the results each evening especially those clubs with anglers fishing away from home
- Please remember that **Anglers must** register with the Club they will represent. If they intend to fish from another location/ Club they must still register with their club they intend to represent.
- The Angler Details sheet needs to be emailed 3. to the Tournament Secretary as soon as details are to hand.
 - Results must be sent within 48 hours of the fish being weighed. Results for Tagged fish should be sent when the card has been sighted either electronically or physically by the Club the angler is fishing for unless prior arrangements have been made.
- 4. The Results Schedule needs to be emailed to the Tournament Secretary prior to 5 pm. All fish weighed, and tag cards sighted (physically or electronically) that day must be written on this sheet. Results after 5 pm will go into the next day's tally (except on the final night of course). A 'Nil' return by phone or email speeds up the results - very necessary on the final night.
- Result Sheets are certified correct by the Recorder: it is therefore important that the Recorders check all results as they come out each night. All Tag cards must be sighted by the Club the angler is fishing for and reported only when they have been sighted either physically or electronically.

- Anglers can join the Tournament at any stage 7. during the contest. Please ensure the 'extras' are emailed to the Tournament Secretary on a Details Sheet.
- To make life simple if you have any further entries, or other queries it would be appreciated if these were dealt with during the day to leave the evening free for results to be processed.
- 9. Once the tournament has ended, each club will be invoiced based on their number of entries. This payment is to be forwarded to the Secretary, NZSFC, PO Box 54242, The Marina, Half Moon Bay, Auckland 2144, or paid by direct payment to NZSFC bank account as soon as possible after the club has received an invoice from the Secretary
- 10. Recorders and Anglers have 24 hours after the Tournament finishes to check that all their fish have been entered and are correct.



PHOTOS FROM THE YOUTH NATIONALS 2023

































2023 Youth Nationals - Catch and Tagged Totals

CATCH TOTALS	
The total number of fish caught	
(landed) overall by species	
Blue Marlin	`
Black Marlin	
Broadbill	
Striped Marlin	
Shortbill Spearfish	
Blue Shark	
Hammerhead Shark	
Bronze Whaler	
Mako Shark	
Thresher Shark	
Yellowfin	
Bluefin	
Bigeye	
Slender	
Skipjack	7
Albacore	
Yellowtail Kingfish	18
Kahawai	171
Snapper	186
Trevally	65
Mahimahi	1
Gurnard	46
Blue Cod	7
Total	501

TAGGED TOTALS	
The total number of fish tagged and	
released overall by species	
Blue Marlin	
Black Marlin	
Broadbill	
Striped Marlin	2
Shortbill Spearfish	
Blue Shark	
Bronze Whaler	8
Hammerhead Shark	
Mako Shark	1
Thresher Shark	
Yellowtail Kingfish	3
Yellow fin	
Blue Cod	
Total	14

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Club	Anglers	Anglers
Ahipara		
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Albany		1
Ashley Bank		······································
Bays		
Big Fish		
Boi Swordfish	1	
Bowentown	2	
Canterbury		
Cape Egmont	15	12
Clevedon	4	14
Counties	8	45
	0	40
Demon Anglers		I
Doubtless Bay		
Gis-Tat		
Hauraki Gulf		
Hawkes Bay	1	1
Hibiscus Coast		
Hokianga		
Houhora	2	
Kawhia	24	36
Mahia		
Mangawhai		
Mangere		
Manukau Cruising		
Manukau Sport		
Marsden Cove		
Matarangi	2	
Mercury Bay	34	25
Mt Maunganui	7	3
Muriwai	4	
New Plymouth	3	14
Nz Land Based		
Pegasus		
Piha		
Porangahau		
Raglan		
Southern Sport		
Tairua-Pauanui	40	34
Taupo		
Tauranga	1	10
Tautuku		
Te Aroha		
Te Kaha		
Waihau Bay	17	6
Waikato		1
Wairarapa	1	1
Warkworth		
Wellington	1	9
Whakatakataka	!	ع
Whakatane	16	13
	6	10
Whangamata Ocean	13	3
Whangarea	ان 4	2
Whangaroa		
Total:	206	217





2023 NZSFC YOUTH NATIONALS RESULTS

Section A	۱ - ۱	Champion	New	Zealand	Youth A	Anglers	High	School

Albacore		
1 Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	100.20
2 Hayden Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	98.47
3 Emily Steele	New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	56.55
Blue Cod		
1 Jade Lawn	Cape Egmont Boating Club	0.00
Gurnard		
1 Hayden Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	74.20
2 Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	53.50
3 Max Honiss	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	26.50
Kahawai		
1 Hayden Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	187.00
2 Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	176.00
3 Hayley Pye	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	167.00
Kingfish		
1 Hayden Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	160.38
2 Riley Gibson	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	77.00
Mahi Mahi		
1 Summer Korkie	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	15.09
Shark		
1 Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	570.00
Skipjack & Slender Tu	ına	
1 Hayden Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	194.70
2 Emily Steele	New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	138.50
3 Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	59.42
Snapper		
1 Hayden Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	362.80
2 Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	322.00
3 Regan Dickson	Counties Sports Fishing Club	257.00
Trevally		
1 Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	170.00
2 Regan Dickson	Counties Sports Fishing Club	108.00
3 Hayden Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	61.60

Section A - Champion New Zealand Youth Anglers Primary School

Alk	pacore		
1	Ryan Steele	New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	106.50
Blι	ie Cod		
1	Maddison Slobbe	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	44.60
2	Charlotte Gibson	New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	0.00
Gu	rnard		
1	Tyler Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	43.40
2	Rafa Osullivan	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	22.50
3	Indy La Franchi	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	21.33





Levi Nicholson	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	169.0
Tyler Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	162.6
George Karl	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	143.
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Tyler Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	131.9
Hunter Nicholson	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	90.
Koby Maxwell	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	77.
ahi Mahi		
Isaac Thomsen	Tairua- Pauanui Sports Fishing Club	40.
Riley Bird	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	40.
Cooper Thomsen	Tairua- Pauanui Sports Fishing Club	34.
ripjack & Slender Tuna		
Tyler Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	142.
Ryan Steele	New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	119.
Benny Holwerda	Tairua- Pauanui Sports Fishing Club	74.
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Tyler Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	360.
Austin Pask	Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	155.
Hunter Nicholson	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	123.
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Maddison Slobbe	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	88.
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Counties Sports Fishing Club

Counties Sports Fishing Club



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Hayden Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	3.89
Summer Korkie	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	3.67
Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	3.57
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Blake Hay	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	9.97
Jak Lawn	Cape Egmont Boating Club	9.32
Blake Hay	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	7.61
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Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	3.40
Blake Hay	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	3.02
Regan Dickson	Counties Sports Fishing Club	2.16
ction B - NZ Champion A	All Tackle Youth Angler Primary School	
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Ryan Steele	New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	8.47
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Charlotte Gibson	New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	0.90
Maddison Slobbe	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	0.89
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Theo Rein	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	0.85
Layla Craven	Counties Sports Fishing Club	0.85
Tyler Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	0.79
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Theo Rein	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	2.30
Rafa Osullivan	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	2.08
Ella Gibson gfish	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	2.00
Tyler Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	10.55
Ella Gibson	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	9.80
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Isaac Thomsen	Tairua- Pauanui Sports Fishing Club	9.71
Riley Bird	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	9.69
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Tyler Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	4.26
Riley Bird	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	3.61
Reuben Percival	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	3.44
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Riley Bird	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	10.72
Jade Davies	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	6.03
Carter Chitty	Counties Sports Fishing Club	4.37
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Cameron Murray	Tairua- Pauanui Sports Fishing Club	2.75
Nixon Leigh	Tairua- Pauanui Sports Fishing Club	1.80
Maddison Slobbe	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	1.77
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Section C - Overall Champion Angler High School

1	Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	1,451.12
2	Hayden Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	1,157.52
3	Summer Korkie	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	651.79

Section C - Overall Champion Angler Primary School

	Tyler Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	90	8.77
	Chloe Vincent	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	63	3.65
	Rvan Steele	New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	46	5.92

Section D - Longest High School

Albacore		
1 Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	77cn
Blue Cod		
1 Jed Jackson	Akito Boating Club	33cm
Gurnard		
1 Hayden Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	43.50cm
2 Josh La Franchi	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	43cm
3 Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	37cm
Kahawai		
1 Josh La Franchi	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	55.50cm
2 Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	54cm
3 Jed Jackson	Akito Boating Club	53cm
Kingfish		
1 Hayden Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	104cm
2 Olliver Pask	Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	77.50cm
3 Harlan Goodin	Cape Egmont Boating Club	75cm
Skipjack Tuna		
1 Hayden Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	58.50cm
2 Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	55cm
Snapper		
1 Blake Hay	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	71cm
2 Jaxon Bell	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	68.50cm
3 Harlan Goodin	Cape Egmont Boating Club	60.50cm
Trevally		
1 Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	68cm
2 Blake Hay	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	67cm
3 Regan Dickson	Counties Sports Fishing Club	55cm

Section D - Longest Primary School

Blu	ie Cod		
1	Maddison Slobbe Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club		38cm
Gu	rnard		
1	Tyler Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	43.50cm
2	Ella La Franchi	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	42.50cm
3	Austin Pask	Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	31.50cm





Kahawai				
1 Maddison Slobbe	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	58.50cm		
2 Indy La Franchi	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	51.50cn		
3 Austin Pask	Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	49cn		
Kingfish				
1 Tyler Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	92cn		
2 Austin Pask	Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	76cn		
Skipjack Tuna				
1 Tyler Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	57cn		
2 Ryan Steele	New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	50cn		
Snapper				
Bobby Faquahar-Doyle	Cape Egmont Boating Club	74.50cn		
2 Jamieson Goodin	Cape Egmont Boating Club	63.50cn		
3 Tyler Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	58cn		
Trevally				
1 Ardyn Holwerda	Tairua- Pauanui Sports Fishing Club	40cn		
2 Austin Pask	Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	36cn		
Section E - T&R High School		***************************************		
Shark				
1 Blake Hay	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	4.00		
2 Jaxon Bell	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club	2.0		
3 Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	2.0		
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1 Summer Korkie	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	1.00		
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1 Olliver Pask	Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	2.00		
Section E - T&R Primary Sch				
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1 Issac Thomsen	Tairua-Pauanui Sports Fishing Club	1.00		
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1 Chloe Vincent	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	1.00		
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1 Austin Pask	Whangaroa Sport Fishing Club	1.00		
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1 Counties Sports Fishing Club		1,451.12		
2 Mt Maunganui Sportfishing C	lub	1,164.72		
3 Kawhia Boating And Angling	Club	1,029.5		
Section G Club Champion An	ngler High School			
Brock Johnston	Counties Sports Fishing Club	1,451.12		
Hayden Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	1,157.52		
Summer Korkie	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	651.79		
Emily Steele	New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	384.30		
Jaxon Bell	Waihau Bay Sports Fishing Club			
·····	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	343.90 317.50		
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Hayley Pye	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	293.00
Jed Jackson	Akito Boating Club	152.17
Jak Lawn	Cape Egmont Boating Club	93.20
Brady Ruthe	Tairua- Pauanui Sports Fishing Club	54.92
Dekyn Parker	Tauranga Sport Fishing Club	0.00

Section G Club Champion Angler Primary School

Tyler Speed	Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club	908.77
Riley Burch	Kawhia Boating and Angling Club	633.65
Ryan Steele	New Plymouth Sportfishing & Underwater Club	465.92
Hunter Nicholson	Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club	389.63
Maddison Slobbe	Wellington Surfcasting & Angling Club	292.60
Austin Pask	Whakatane Sport Fishing Club	252.38
Benny Holwerda	Tairua- Pauanui Sports Fishing Club	175.83
Ella Gibson	Whangarei Deep Sea Anglers Club	145.30
Indi Harper	Counties Sports Fishing Club	99.67
Jamieson Goodin	Cape Egmont Boating Club	0.00

Section H Marine Photo Competition

Senior Section



Hayden Speed Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club -Life Kingfish release - Second



Olliver Pask Whakatane Sport Fishing Club -Whale Island Scene Third



Underwater Club - Underwater School - Winner

Primary Section



Tyler Speed Mt Maunganui Sportfishing Club -Albatross eating the bait - Winner



Cooper and Issac Thomsen Tairua-Pauanui Sports Fishing Club - Shark tagged - Second



Indie Harper Counties Sports Fishing Club -Channel Marker with Shags - Third



Section I Marine Photo Competition - Funny

Senior Section



Brock Johnson Counties Sports Fishing Club - Still Fishing - Winner



Regan Dickson Counties Sport Fishing Club - Burlie Fishing - Third

....It will make your catch look huge!



Primary Section



Austin Pask Whakatane Sport Fishing Club -Clown Fish - Winner



Levi Nicholson Mercury Bay Game Fishing Club -Action Figures - Third





FISHCARE



FishCare Principles

- Reduce wastage by protecting small and juvenile fish from capture and incorrect handling.
 Best Practice: Move location if you are consistently catching undersized fish. Use lures, soft baits and slow jigs, to lip hook fish and catch legal size fish.
- 2. Maximise the survival rate of fish released after capture.

 Best Practice: Crush the hook's barb so fish can be released easily, with minimal handling. Retain the fish in the water or use a rubber mesh net.
- Maximise the use of all fish caught and kept.
 Best Practice: Quickly kill your fish then keep it in a thin ice slurry (1 part salt ice to 2 parts sea water). Utilise the whole fish or give away what you don't need via www.freefishheads.co.nz
- 4. Minimise the impacts of fishing on marine life and the environment. Best Practice: Avoid attracting or snagging sea birds, drive slowly around whales and dolphins. Properly dispose of any waste plastic or rubbish.
- 5. Return home safely. Maximise your safety while fishing on or near the water.

 Best Practice: Always check the weather conditions before fishing. Any doubt, do not go out. When you do go out, where a lifejacket, tell people where you are going, when you will be home and how

many are in your party. If boating, log a trip with Coastquard.

"Let's be the first generation to give our kids a better fishery than the one we inherited."

Matt Watson - ITM Hook Me Up





FishCare - The school of best practice is an educational initiative to help people think about the way they fish and how we can all minimise our impact on the marine environment.

LegaSea continues to develop the FishCare programme so all New Zealanders can contribute to reducing the impacts on our precious marine environment.

New Zealand's marine fisheries resources are highly valued and unique, and people expect them to be well managed and sustained long-term.

Recreational fishers shall exercise a duty of Care to ensure our marine fisheries and environment are protected for future generations.



SCHOOL OF BEST PRACTICE

FishCare promotes best practice techniques to help people contribute to fishery and environmental sustainability.

Our vision is an abundant fishery enjoyed by today's and future generations.





NZ & WORLD RECORDS

NB: We have amalgamated our Saltwater Fly Rod Records with Angling & Casting to ensure we have one set of NZ Records - those in italics have been updated to show the heaviest fish overall.

Please also note there are additional species listed on Angling & Castings Website

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CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	RECORE WEIGHT
Men	All Tackle	27.6	M Oxley	White Island	23/01/09	40
Women	All Tackle	23.8	J Brown	Tutukaka	18/05/96	n/a
Men	1	9.75	J Millar	Jackson Bay	21/02/08	9.75
Women	1	5.8	Kathy Malone	Hawkes Bay	21/02/13	5.8
Women 11 through 16	1	2.17	S Beaufill	Whale Island	19/02/12	
Men	2	10.64	Peter van Eekelen	Jackson Bay	18/02/17	22.68
Women	2	7.52	Emily Steele	Urenui	2/01/22	9.07
Men up to 11	2	3.8	Aiden Matchett	New Plymouth	10/03/14	n/a
Women 11 through 16	2	7.52	Emily Steele	Urenui	2/01/22	n/a
Women up to 11	2	2.33	Nikita Keoghan	Cape Brett	8/01/18	n/a
Men 11 through 16	2	3.22	Campbell Clayton	Off Waihi Beach	19/02/11	n/a
Men	3	14.26	K Nyhon	Jackson Bay	21/02/06	21
Women	3	9.6	J Cotton	Manukau Harbour	3/01/98	12.5
Men up to 11	3	5.375	Ryan Steele	New Plymouth	25-02-022	n/a
Men 11 through 16	3	11.38	D Baird	Fiordland	24/02/06	n/a
Women 11 through 16	3	6.68	A Towers	Oakura	19/02/08	n/a
Men	4	21	A Stokes	White Island	3/09/04	27.55
Women	4	10.39	M Danks	Hawkes Bay	25/02/05	19.5
Men up to 11	4	9.23	Ryan Steele	New Plymouth	26/03/22	n/a
Men 11 through 16	4	10.2	G Field	Manukau Harbour	23/02/99	N/A
Women 11 through 16	4	7.86	A Towers	Oakura	21/02/05	n/a
Men	6	22.4	M Savell	Whakatane	7/07/91	31.18
Women	6	14	C Fitness	Tauranga	17/09/95	26.19
Men up to 11	6	10.59	J Kerr	Whitianga	7/01/06	n/a
Men 11 through 16	6	17.4	D Cooney	Tauranga	4/09/95	N/A
Women 11 through 16	6	7.1	M Jones	North Taranaki	8/03/04	n/a
Men	8	22.8	S Field	Kaikoura	11/03/95	32.54
Women	8	22.47	Michelle Danks	Hawkes Bay	24/02/09	27.2
Men up to 11	8	12.64	Todd Hemingway	Penguin Rise	25/10/10	n/a
Women up to 11	8	9.8	A Smith	White Island	26/10/04	n/a
Men 11 through 16	8	11.2	K Pollock	Whakatane	23/02/94	N/A
Women 11 through 16	8	2.43	Libby Clayton	Waihi Beach	21/02/16	n/a
Men	10	24	B Sedcole	Whakatane	11/12/88	34.47
Women	10	23.6	Lynda Randrup	Waihau Bay	11/07/20	34.01
Men up to 11	10	13.26	Todd Hemingway	Penguin Rise	25/10/10	n/a
Men 11 through 16	10	22.2	J Tatton	Mayor Island	8/09/07	n/a
Women 11 through 16	10	20.4	Sarah Beaufill	White Island	30/03/13	n/a
Men	15	25	L Carter	Whakatane	8/02/90	36.74
Women	15	22	S Hope	Whakatane	14/02/93	32.65
Men up to 11	15	21.6	J Haddock	White Island	28/09/04	n/a
Women up to 11	15	11	A Smith	White Island	26/10/04	n/a
Men 11 through 16	15	21.4	J Tatton	Mayor Island	13/09/07	n/a





Women 11 through 16	15	15.8	A Padlie	Mayor island	4/09/94	*
Men	24	27.6	M Oxley	White Island	23/01/09	38
Women	24	23.8	J Brown	Tutukaka	18/05/96	32.5
Men up to 11	24	15.1	Boyd Ingle	Waihua Bay	5/07/18	n/a
Women up to 11	24	7.2	M Crewe	Bay of Islands	29/12/07	n/a
Men 11 through 16	24	23	Levi Thomas	Waihau Bay	2/07/22	*
Women 11 through 16	24	17.9	Phoebe Burling	Waihau Bay	16/07/17	n/a
Men	37	25.8	S Freeman	Whale Island	16/07/07	40
Women	37	23.2	Kacey Bennett	Waihau Bay	14/07/20	29
Men up to 11	37	26.4	Marlin Walling	Mayor Knolls	14/07/20	n/a
Women up to 11	37	7.53	K Randrup	Waihau Bay	12/01/05	n/a
Men 11 through 16	37	21	Lachlan Kidd	Mayor Island	23/07/21	n/a
Women 11 through 16	37	19.5	T Ross	Tauranga	13/09/97	Vacant *
Men	60					
Women	60					
F-Junior	WORLD	}	Ashley Starn	USA	3/10/04	25.4
F-Smallfry	WORLD	}	lanna Gilbert	Mexico	5/08/04	16.87
M-Junior	WORLD	}	Terence de Stadler	South Africa	27/04/01	33.05
M-Smallfry	WORLD	}	Tom de Kock	South Africa	30/03/97	28.3

Fly Records								
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG		
Men up to 11	3	4.78	J Robertson	Hawkes Bay	9/02/09	6.44 *		
Men	4	5.61	Tony Hildesheim	Hawkes Bay	26/02/09	9.85		
Men	6	9.2	Frank Lux	Whakatane	23/02/94	15.87		
Men	8	7.73		Hawkes Bay	24/01/09	19.59		
Men	10	10.4	Sam Mossman	Whakatane	20/03/93	21.31		

 $^{^{\}star}$ NB: If a particular lineweight is not displayed, the record is vacant for this section.

BASS/SEABASS (NZ) Scientific Name – Polyprion americanus							
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG	
Men	All Tackle	86.2	T Price	Ranfurly Bank	2/03/10	86.2	
Women	All Tackle	69.9	D Newton	Mayor Island	9/04/14	n/a	
Men	8	12.1	Dave Howes	King Bank	22/04/10	n/a	
Men	10	14.2	Jason Clark	Raglan	26/03/13	n/a	
Men	15	53	L Magon	Ranfurly Bank	13/10/01	n/a	
Women	15	46.6	S Beadle	Aldermans	20/11/04	n/a	
Men	24	76.6	A Ackland	Whangamumu	4/04/07	n/a	
Women	24	50.6	A Candy	Whangaroa	21/08/02	n/a	
Men 11 through 16	24	51.1	Z Rutledge	Cavalli Is	15/09/07	n/a	
Men up to 11							
Men	37	80	J Duffield	Ranfurly Bank	20/05/02	n/a	
Women	37	76.4	Diane Newton	Mayor Island	9/05/14	n/a	
M – up to 11	37	45.66	Aiden Gerrard	Whangaroa	1/01/19	n/a	
M - 11 through 16	37	29.8	Scott Godfrey	North Cape	6/03/19	n/a	
W – up to 11	37	5.56	Brooke Laws	Raglan	16/12/18	n/a	
Men	60	46.4	N Shaw	Three Kings	26/05/03	n/a	
Women	60	71.7	Jill Gray	Mayor Island	9/09/11	n/a	
Men up to 11	60	45.6	L Gregory	Three Kings	9/06/06	n/a	





Men 11 through 16 Joe Clark Raglan 26/04/17 n/a

 * NB: If a particular lineweight is not displayed, the record is vacant for this section.

DOLPHIN (MAHIMAHI)
Scientific Name - Coryphaena hippurus

CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	All Tackle	21.36	Tony Fox	Mercury Bay	27/03/15	39.46
Women	All Tackle	20.44	Serena Shine	Mercury Bay	5/04/16	n/a
Men	1	2.4	T King	Cape Karikari	24/03/03	26.39
Women	1	1.25	M Ross	Raglan	15/03/08	20.35
Men	2	3.3	G McMillan	Cape karikari	6/04/03	24
Women	2	3.05	G E Cooksey	Whakatane	7/03/85	21.21
Women 11 through 16	2	2.475	Emily Steele	New Plymouth	16/04/22	n/a
Men	3	11.99	Malcolm Boyes	White Island	25/02/15	26.3
Women	3	3.7	Monique Vujcich	Whangaroa	8/03/14	24.72
Women 11 through 16	3	2.08	Emily Steele	New Plymouth	20/02/22	n/a
Men	4	12.72	Tony Noble	White Island	22/02/11	24.04
Women	4	16.2	Anita Syben	White Island	14/03/11	29.25
Men	6	13	Mitchell Durie	Off White Island	14/03/11	34.98
Women	6	6.53	Melissa Ford	Mercury Bay	19/02/23	25
Men 11 through 16	6	2.8	P Randrup	Waihau Bay	9/04/07	n/a
Men up to 11	6	2.995	Ryan Steele	New Plymouth	20/02/22	n/a
Men	8	9.62	P Blick	Cape Karikari	17/04/02	29.25
Women	8	14.2	Pauline Rouse	White Island	14/03/11	25.74
Men	10	12.15	G Wilson	Whitianga	9/02/04	34.7
Women	10	10.4	K Kerr	Cape Karikari	29/03/02	37.81
Men 11 through 16	10	4.65	Hadley Greenhalgh	Bay of Islands	2/05/14	n/a
Women 11 through 16	10	4.68	B Flaus	Whakatane	13/02/01	n/a
Men	15	13.4	B Bailey	Tutukaka	1/04/91	36
Women	15	13.92	R Bridger	Tutukaka	5/03/08	33.42
Men 11 through 16	15	12	Marley Orr	Cape Runnaway	18/02/18	n/a
Men up to 11	15	3.67	Hunter Scott	Bay of Islands	9/01/18	N/A
Women 11 through 16	15	12.18	K Stewart	Tauranga	19/02/06	n/a
Women up to 11	15	5.25	Samantha Thomas	Bay of Islands	6/01/19	n/a
Men	24	18.6	Martin Kay	Cape Brett	30/01/16	39.46
Women	24	14.62	G Henderson	Rangitera Reef	8/02/04	34.01
Men up to 11	24	10.48	A Peters	Tutukaka	13/04/03	n/a
Men 11 through 16	24	12.55	Hadley Greenhalgh	Cape Brett	9/03/14	n/a
Women 11 through 16	24	14.62	G Henderson	Rangitera Reef	8/02/04	n/a
Men	37	21.36	Tony Fox	Mercury Bay	27/03/15	38.55
Women	37	20.44	Serena Shine	Mercury Bay	12/02/16	37.25
Men up to 11	37	14.6	Sean Mackay	Whangaroa	9/04/12	n/a
Men 11 through 16	37	14.84	Miller Varney	Tutukaka	16/03/19	n/a
Women 11 through 16	37	13.7	Y Lovell	Lottin Point	7/02/04	n/a
Men	60					
Women	60					
M-Junior	World		Hunter James Keel	USA	31/08/20	29.48
F-Junior	World		Anne Salow	Panama	26/12/03	24.76
M-Small Fry	World		Thomas A Hollihan	Ecuador	25/02/01	24.94
F-Small Fry	World		Elise Flynn	Australia	4/01/19	24.6

F-Small Fry						
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	2	0.68	S Ross	Raglan	28/02/10	14.71





Men	3	1.4	K Pollock	Cape Karikari	29/03/02	15.42
Men	6	1.8	J McMahon	North Cape	30/03/03	26.3
Men	8	2	J McMahon	Cape Karikari	1/04/03	24.26

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KAHAWAI Scientific Name - Arripis trutta WORLD LINE RECORD WEIGHT CLASS CLASS DATE **ANGLER** LOCATION [KG] WEIGHT KG KG Men All Tackle 9.75 R McIntyre North Shore 27/12/81 8.74 Women All Tackle 5.77 S Newman North Cape 3/05/86 n/a Men 3.8 P Daniels Rodney 6/07/92 5.8 Women 1 2.83 Kathy Malone Hawkes Bay 24/02/17 4.87 Men up to 11 1 2.65 T Hemingway Papamoa Beach 13/07/08 n/a Women up to 11 1 1.54 Kaci Pulham Tutukaka 27/04/22 n/a Men 11 through 16 1 2.145 Hayden Speed Motiti Island 18/09/21 n/a Women 11 through 16 1 1.975 Emily Steele New Plymouth 29/02/20 n/a 2 Men 3.64 S Foreman Wellington 3/02/91 5.79 Women 2 3.05 E M Feldman Mangonui 26/11/84 4.65 Men up to 11 2 2.34 T Hemingway Mt Maunganui 28/01/01 n/a Women up to 11 2 2.33 Nikita Keoghan Cape Brett 8/01/18 n/a Men 11 through 16 2 3.64 S Foreman Wellington 3/02/91 n/a 2 Women 11 through 16 2.594 M Dixon Cape Brett 17/01/10 n/a 3 3.89 B lorns Mahia 21/02/05 6.8 Women 3 3.2 Shona Aukett Cape Brett 18/11/18 5.45 Men up to 11 3 2.66 Tyler Speed Penguin Shoals 21/11/20 n/a 3 Women up to 11 2.44 Hannah Hope Whale Island 9/01/10 n/a Men 11 through 16 3 2.77 T Morris New Plymouth 5/01/96 n/a Women 11 through 16 3 2.734 A Towers New Plymouth 20/02/08 n/a 4 4.59 A Carlton Wairarapa 20/12/95 6.25 Women 4 3.25 J Thomson Whakatane 12/03/87 5.45 Men up to 11 4 2.908 K Clark Cape Brett 17/01/10 n/a Women up to 11 4 2.3 Sophia Keoghan Cape Brett 20/10/18 n/a Men 11 through 16 4 3.3 D Fouhy Wellington 25/02/96 n/a Women 11 through 16 4 3.07 J Dick Raglan 22/02/03 n/a Men 6 8.46 O Kapetanakos Spirits Bay 19/03/90 8.46 Women 6 3.53 N Smeal Whakatane 9/05/99 6.1 Men up to 11 6 2.9 T Ingham Kawau Island 17/07/97 n/a Women up to 11 6 3.53 N Smeal Whakatane 9/05/99 n/a Men 11 through 16 6 3.52 R Mahood New Plymouth 1/01/96 n/a Women 11 through 16 O Masfen-Yan CAPE BRETT 11/01/15 6 3.4 n/a Men 8 4 W Ezard Strayliners 12/02/95 4.99 Women 8 5.77 S Newman North cape 3/05/86 5.77 Men up to 11 8 3.1 P Whyte Whakatane 4/01/04 n/a Men 11 through 16 8 4 W Fzard Strayliners 12/02/95 n/a Women up to 11 2.67 A Smith Whakatane 4/01/04 n/a Women 11 through 16 8 3.06 Jovanna Pillav Tauranga 28/12/16 n/a Men 10 7.3 J Kidd Tom Bowling Bay 7/03/97 8.74 Women L Butler 3.76 10 3.76 Nelson 22/01/86 Men up to 11 3.15 Scott Godfrey Ninety Mile Beach 29/12/11 n/a Women up to 11 10 3.05 L Papuni Matata 7/12/97 n/a Men 11 through 16 10 3.54 I Skinner Otamatea 20/05/88 n/a Women 11 through 16 10 2.855 Jovanna Pillay Tauranga 9/01/16 n/a





Men	15	4.5	P Tolley	Rodney	26/12/92	7.5
Women	15	3	l Ratford	Kiwi	21/01/06	2.98
Men up to 11	15	2.66	B McIntyre	Whangaroa	26/02/09	n/a
Men 11 through 16	15	3.34	T Ross	Tauranga	13/12/03	n/a
Women up to 11	15	2	Charlotte Speed	Matakana Island	27/10/19	n/a
Women 11 through 16	15	3.04	Jovanna Pillay	Tauranga	27/12/16	n/a
F-Junior	World		Ophelia Masen-Yan	Cape Brett	11/01/15	3.4
M-Junior	World		Luke Egger	Australia	13/12/03	5.67
F-Small Fry	World		Nicola Smeal	Whakatane	9/05/99	3.53
M-Small Fry	World		Max Grasso	Australia	12/05/17	4.54

Fly Records								
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG		
Men	1	2.6	P Lovell	Coromandel	31/12/89	2.6		
Women	1	2	Sue Tindale	Port Fitzroy	7/04/11	2		
Men	2	2.44	C Angus	Dunedin	31/12/91	4.8		
Women	2	2.15	Sue Tindale	Ti Point	19/06/12	2.15		
Men	3	3.25	Gerson Kavamoto	Bay of Islands	22/01/02	4.31		
Men up to 11	3	2.6	Liam Dodd	Taiharuru	8/01/20			
Women	3	2.74	Sue Tindale	Cape Colville	10/10/12	2.74		
Men	4	2.96	Mick Turner	Gt Barrier Island	16/03/15	5.2		
Women	4	2.52	Sue Tindale	Cape Colville	10/06/12	2.52		
Men	6	2.98	W Hobson	Kawau Island	4/01/99	5.15		
Women	6	3.02	Sue Tindale	Hauraki Gulf	25/10/12	3.02		
Men 11 through 16	6	2.69	L Ross	Bay of Plenty	10/01/04	n/a		
Men	8	3.03	David Adams	Flat Rock	12/10/12	6.3		
Women	8	4.53	J Ryder	Bay of Islands	21/04/01	2.66		
Women up to 11	8	2.03	Jovanna Pillay	Tauranga	4/05/14	n/a		
Men 11 through 16	8	1.3	R Turner		13/04/82	n/a		
Men	10	3	G Sinclair	Castle Point	6/02/97	4.74		
Women	10	2.7	S Chaffin		21/04/81	2.68		

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CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	All Tackle	473.2	A Jorion	Gisborne	9/02/02	707.61
Women	All Tackle	383.74	E Brownson	BOI	14/02/50	
Men	1					72.7
Women	1					15.1
Men	2					69
Women	2					29.5
Men	3					333.5
Women	3					73
Men	4					209.56
Women	4					108.4
Men	6					334.5
Women	6					160.11
Men	8					286.21
Women	8					201.85





Men	10					476.73
Women	10					452.69
Men	15	200.4	M Patterson	Tutukaka	25/02/86	489.5
Women	15					369.22
Men	24	287.58	G Young	Bay of Islands	12/03/76	509.84
Women	24	315.2	L Coombes	Whangaroa	2/04/95	504
Women up to 11	24	152.4	A Hamilton	Tutukaka	1/04/97	*
Men 11 through 16	24	181.9	l Walker	Doubtless Bay	30/12/95	*
Men	37	473.2	A Jorion	Gisborne	9/04/02	611
Women	37	370.5	Brooke Shanley	Whangamata	23/01/22	600.1
Men up to 11	37	315.8	D McAinsh	Whangaroa	3/03/96	*
Women up to 11	37	138.6	C Wood	Tutukaka	13/04/98	n/a
Men 11 through 16	37	364	Wyatt Johnston	White Island	29/12/20	n/a
Men	60	464.5	R Tudor	Cavalli Islands	19/12/22	707.61
Women	60	383.74	E Brownson	Bay of Islands	14/02/50	691.73
F – Junior	World		Lily Sims	Cairns Aust.	14/10/21	322.5
F – Small Fry	World		Abbie Hamilton	Tutukaka, NZ	1/04/97	152.4
M – Junior	World		Alexander Johnston	Cairns, Aust.	26/11/06	496
M – Small Fry	World		Robbie Angus	Ribbon Reef, Aust.	16/10/05	256.27

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MARLIN – BLUE Scientific Name – Makaira nigricans								
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG		
Men	All Tackle	483.4	R Jameson	North Cape	16/04/09	624.14		
Women	All Tackle	492.4	Lynda Randrup	Cape Runaway	12/03/20	n/a		
Men	1							
Women	1							
Men	2					64		
Women	2					73.66		
Men	3					114.56		
Women	3					78.5		
Men	4					142.88		
Women	4					81.64		
Men	6					179.93		
Women	6	181.8	Eryn Jacobsen	North Cape	20/02/11	181.8		
Men	8	215.3	Guy Jacobsen	Bay of Islands	6/01/11	215.3		
Women	8					287.01		
Men	10					348.67		
Women	10	238.6	E Jacobsen	Middlesex Bank	21/03/04	291.2		
Men	15	252	S Pollock	Bay of Islands	16/03/18	500.54		
Women	15	302	Madison Ross	Tutukaka	13/01/19	302		
Women 11 through 16	15	302	Madison Ross	Tutukaka	13/01/19	302		
Men up to 11	15	226.6	Brad Batterton	Bay of Islands	26/12/10	n/a		
Men 11 through 16	15	166.2	J Mason	North Cape	20/02/00	N/A *		
Men	24	364	T Hickey	Te Kaha	7/02/88	528.89		
Women	24	325	l Jamieson	Bay of Islands	11/03/85	428		
Men up to 11	24	209	Charlie Rowe	Bay of Islands	3/01/19	n/a		
Men 11 through 16	24	243.6	Scott de Bruyn	Whangaruru	11/01/18	n/a		
Women 11 through 16	24	127.6	Lola Scott	Bay of Islands	31/12/21	n/a		
Men	37	483.4	R Jameson	North Cape	16/04/09	561.5		





Women	37	354.2	L Melody	Cavalli Island	2/03/07	452.2
Men up to 11	37	242.8	M Oliveira	Mercury Islands	23/01/20	242.8
Men 11 through 16	37	292.6	A Havill	Bay of Islands	7/01/99	n/a
Women 11 through 16	37	212.2	Lucy Jensen	Mayor Island	25/01/15	n/a
Men	60	461.31	R Greig	Bay of Islands	13/03/68	624.14
Women	60	492.4	Lynda Randrup	Cape Runaway	12/03/20	492.4
M-Junior	World		Bill Reilly	Honolulu, Hawaii, USA	12/08/00	454.05
F – Junior	World	302	Madison Ross	Tutukaka, New Zealand	13/01/19	302
M – Smallfry	World	242.8	Mitchell Oliveira	Mercury Is. New Zealand	23/01/20	242.8
F – Smallfry	World		Georgina Dobinson	Gold Coast, Aust.	7/02/21	115.8

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CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	All Tackle	224.1kg	W Boniface	Tutukaka, New Zealand	16/01/86	
Men	1	105	G Jacobsen	Middle Sex Bank	9/03/08	105
Women	1					50.5
Men	2	112.6	G Jacobsen	Middlesex Bank	7/03/10	112.6
Women	2	95	Eryn Jacobsen	Three Kings	28/03/09	95
Men	3	174.8	G Jacobsen	Poor Knights Islands	30/04/10	174.8
Women	3	74.8	Eryn Jacobsen	Bay of Islands	10/05/15	102.73
Men	4	133.6	G Jacobsen	Three Kings	26/04/05	133.6
Women	4	119.2	Eryn Jacobsen	North Cape	23/02/11	119.2
Men	6	168.4	G Jacobsen	King Bank	17/03/09	168.4
Women	6	142	A Martin	Middlesex Bank	6/06/97	142
Men	8	171.2	R Masfen	King Bank	25/04/05	171.2
M – 11 Through 16	8	104.8	S Yendell	Tutukaka	14/04/18	n/a
Women	8	160.4	Kylie Jacobsen	Bay of Islands	17/04/17	160.4
W 11 through 16	8	81.6	L Farmer	King Bank	15/04/04	
Men	10	182.6	R Newcombe	North Cape	12/03/22	182.6
Women	10	154.22	R Hall	Bay of Islands	21/01/77	154.22
Women 11 through 16	10	98	Jessie Anne Lawrie	Tutukaka	9/01/21	n/a
Men up to 11	10	133.4	Hunter Scott	Bay of Islands	28/04/16	n/a
Men 11 through 16	10	136.8	B Rowe	Whangaroa	9/05/99	n/a
Men	15	180.4	R Sheard	Cavalli Islands	29/05/96	180.4
Women	15	166.2	B Woodill	Mayor Island	15/02/98	174.8
Men up to 11	15	tie	Marshall Jackson		29/01/18	n/a
		124.8	Jack Hay		14/08/18	
		125.2				
Women up to 11	15	132.6	A Poulter	Bay of Islands	4/04/02	n/a
Men 11 through 16	15	147.4	Austin Crowe	Mayor Island	23/04/23	n/a
Women 11 through 16	15	151.6	E Percy	Cape Karikari	31/12/94	,
Men	24	224.1	W Boniface	Tutukaka	16/01/86	224.1
Women	24	192	R Hall	Bay of Islands	6/05/83	192
Men up to 11	24	150.5	Declan Loveridge	Mercury Bay	28/03/15	n/a
Women up to 11	24	133.1	Lola Scott	Whangaroa	24/04/19	n/a
Men 11 through 16	24	184.7	Z Roderick	Tauranga	30/03/03	n/a
Women 11 through 16	24	142.4	J Troup	Bay of Islands	1/01/97	*
Men	37	211.6	Mikhail Cowan	Pandora Bank	26/03/16	211.6





Women	37	188	J Main	Tutukaka	1/05/81	188
Men up to 11	37	170.8	L Bodman	Mercury Bay	13/04/21	n/a
Women up to 11	37	122.8	Madeleine Green	Whangaroa	20/02/21	n/a
Men 11 through 16	37	170.5	M McKeown	Kawhia	6/04/95	*
Women 11 through 16	37	152.8	Lexi Cowan	Doubtless Bay	17/03/10	n/a
Men	60	180.53	J Boyle	Mayor Island	30/12/74	180.53
Women	60	170.55	J Collie	Bay of Islands	23/03/64	144.8
Men 11 through 16	60	127.7	N Cowdrey	Mayor Island	16/03/19	n/a
Women 11 to 16	60	149.6	P Ockwell	Mayor Island	2/04/23	n/a
Men up to 11	60	138.8	Jarvis Baker	near Taranaki	8/03/23	n/a
Women up to 11	60	90	Tia Huddart	North Cape	23/02/23	n/a
F Junior	WORLD	152.8	Lexi Cowan	Doubtless Bay, NZ	17/03/10	152.8
M – Junior	WORLD	184.7	Zane Roderick	Tauranga, New Zealand	30/03/03	184.7
F – Small Fry	WORLD		Kaitlyn Schofield	Bermagui, Aust.	5/06/17	174.8
M – Small Fry	WORLD	170.8	Lewis Bodman	Mercury Bay, NZ	13/04/21	170.8

Fly Records						
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	10	109.3	Thomas M Evans, Jr	Whangaroa	19/03/13	109.3
Women	10	3.72	Sarah Adamson	Waihau Bay	22/02/16	n/a

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SHARK - BLUE Scientific Name - Prionace glauca								
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG		
Men	All Tackle	198.1	G Smith	Tauranga	8/02/93	239.49		
Men	1	57.4	G Jacobsen	Bay of Islands	31/05/08	57.4		
Women	1	48.6	Oksana Kahlenberg	Whale Island	31/12/10	67.39		
Men up to 11	1	45.4	Bailey Beaufill	Whale Island	25/02/12	n/a		
Women 11 through 16	1	50.8	Sarah Beaufill	Whale Island	17/02/13	n/a		
Men	2	53.2	S Smith	Tutukaka	27/11/93	178.5		
Women	2	70	C Dreifuss	Whakatane	26/03/89	70		
Men up to 11	2	45	Bailey Beaufill	Whale Island	25/02/12	n/a		
Men 11 through 16	2	43.8	Zane Kinder	Hawkes Bay	20/02/13	n/a		
Men	3	76	H Lewis	Kaikoura	9/03/96	113.85		
Women	3	41	O Kahlenberg	Off Whale Island	30/12/10	95		
Men 11 through 16	3	47.8	Bailey Beaufill	Off Whale Island	13/01/14	n/a		
Women 11 through 16	3	48.4	Sarah Beaufill	Off Whale Island	24/12/10	n/a		
Men	4	101.8	T Lay	Hawkes Bay	23/02/92	115.5		
Women	4	51	P Burt	Hawkes Bay	28/12/87	161.6		
Men up to 11	4	33.2	Bailey Beaufill	Whale Island	25/04/10	n/a		
Women up to 11	4	28.4	S Beaufill	Whale Island	5/06/10	n/a		
Men 11 through 16	4	48	Nathan Saul	Tutukaka	7/01/11	n/a		
Men	6	133.5	S Belworthy	Wairarapa	17/02/96	197.6		
Women	6	64.6	L Payne	Hawkes Bay	20/02/88	184.4		
Men up to 11	6	39.4	Bailey Beaufill	Whale Island	24/12/11	n/a		
Women up to 11	6	44.4	Sarah Beaufill	Whale Island	6/02/10	n/a		
Men 11 through 16	6	49.9	Jack Todd	Otago Heads	28/02/15	n/a		
Women 11 through 16	6	16	A Cairns	Okains Bay	29/01/95	*		
Men	8	142	W Hall	Bay of Islands	8/01/84	189		





Women	8	96.6	D Cairns	Okains Bay	6/02/94	149
Men up to 11	8	41	Marlin Candy	Whangaroa	12/01/14	n/a
Women 11 through 16	8	19.5	G Cairns	Lebons Bay	29/01/95	*
Men	10	115	D Cairns	Kaikoura	23/02/95	188.4
Women	10	112.5	S Richardson	Mercury Bay	23/02/81	167
Men up to 11	10	62	B McIntyre	Whangaroa	14/01/07	n/a
Men 11 through 16	10	57	Baily McIntyre	Whangaroa	22/05/11	n/a
Women 11 through 16	10	62	Hayley Hope	Off Whale Island	12/01/14	n/a
Men	15	146	P Searle	Gisborne-Tat	21/02/81	198.22
Women	15	191.8	M Walker	Te Kaha	23/02/94	191.8
Men up to 11	15	77	Baily McIntyre	Whangaroa	12/12/10	n/a
Men 11 through 16	15	75.2	D Cooney	Tauranga	31/08/96	*
Women 11 through 16	15	41.4	A Cairns	Banks Peninisula	15/01/95	*
Men	24	198.1	G Smith	Tauranga	8/02/93	198.1
Women	24	170.6	B Brown	Tutukaka	19/03/84	170.6
Men up to 11	24	29.3	L Doyle	Cape Egmont	8/12/97	*
Men 11 through 16	24	145	D Cushing	Hawkes Bay	3/02/96	*
Women 11 through 16	24	151.8	C Ure	Whangaroa	13/01/02	n/a
Men	37	165	P Tocker	Whakatane	11/05/86	239.49
Women	37	136.9	L Marshall	Tutukaka	22/03/86	185.97
Men up to 11	37	73.4	W Hona	Mangonui	17/01/98	n/a
Men 11 through 16	37	135	S Robinson	Alderman Is	8/01/96	*
Men	60	87	D Holland	Whangaroa	13/01/80	181.43
Women	60	0	T Sexton	USA	6/08/06	175.08
F – Junior	WORLD		Makira Wright	Australia	6/09/13	168.5
M – Junior	WORLD		Riley Page	Australia	5/10/14	141.2
F – Smallfry	WORLD		Tayla Killmore	Kiama Canyons, NSW	15/09/12	172.3
M – Smallfry	WORLD		Jye McDonough	Kiama Canyons, NSW	20/10/19	156.5

Fly Records									
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG			
Men	1	33.15	Scott Tindale	Little Barrier Island	25/02/16	33.15			
Women	1	12.85	Sue Tindale	Manukau Heads	23/02/13	12.85			
Men	2	11	H Lewis	Kaikoura	6/02/95	41.27			
Women	2	4.29	D Sands	Matapouri	5/12/98	4.29			
Men	3	12.6	G Wilson	Kaikoura	15/03/98	52.05			
Men	4	40.7	Scott Tindale	Simpson Rock	28/01/16	40.7			
Women	4	22.85	Sue Tindale	Manukau Heads	23/02/13	22.85			
Men	6	28.8	G Case	Tutukaka	6/12/97	83.46			
Men	8	68.4	S Mossman	Tutukaka	7/12/97	68.4			
Women	8	31.2	D Sands	North Reef	8/02/98	31.2			
Men	10	57.8	M Kitteridge	Tutukaka	7/12/97	75.2			
Women	10	23.4	J Wilson	Kaikoura	4/11/98	23.4			
Men 11 through 16	10	4.81	J Hubbard	Whakatane	19/01/94	Vacant *			
* NB: If a particular line	weight is not di	splayed, the recor	d is vacant for this section	n.					

SHARK – BRONZE WHALER		

Scientific Name - Carch	narhinus spp					
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG





Men	All Tackle	302	D Kajavala	Whakatane	24/03/89	335
Women	All Tackle	242	G Harrison-Armstrong	Cape Karikari	9/01/93	
Men	1	2.52	Scott Tindale	Kaipara Harbour	4/12/08	12.25
Women	1					31.75
Men	2	4.09	Scott Tindale	Kaipara Harbour	3/01/13	43.54
Women	2	2.6	Sue Tindale	Kaipara Harbour	23/12/10	31.75
Men	3	53	Guy Jacobsen	Bird Rock, Bay of Islands	30/03/09	149
Women	3	2.4	Sue Tindale	Kaipara Harbour	26/01/11	36.29
Men	4	183.4	Dave Kahlenberg	Whakatane	31/12/10	183.4
Men	6	134	S Griffiths	Whakatane	12/01/86	122.47
Women	6	162.2	Oksana Kahlenberg	Whakatane	6/02/11	162.2
Men	8	214.2	R Masfen	Bay of Islands	8/02/05	214.2
Women	8	147.3	M Angus	Kerikeri Inlet	17/01/12	147.3
Women up to 11	8	93.6	Maria Angus	Bay of islands	18/01/10	n/a
Women 11 through 16	8	54.2	Sarah Beaufill	Whale Island	6/01/12	n/a
Men	10	208	S Sowerby	Manukau	20/02/94	180.53
Women	10	129.8	J Lawrie	Bay of Islands	26/02/21	129.8
Men up to 11	10	128.1	Baily McIntyre	Whangaroa Harbour	5/02/09	n/a
Men 11 through 16	10	67.2	J Hadley	Manukau Harbour	17/02/03	n/a
Men	15	205	Mike Lourie	Astrolabe Reef	23/02/10	335
Women	15	217.2	H Stone	Whangaroa	23/01/03	238
Men up to 11	15	145.6	Baily McIntyre	Whangaroa	23/02/10	n/a
Men 11 through 16	15	169	H Haig	Whangarei	21/01/95	n/a
Women 11 through 16	15	167	C Teague	Manuaku Harbour	17/02/01	n/a
Men	24	276	R Ludwig	Whakatane	24/02/87	217.6
Women	24	224.6	M Goodhew	Whakatane	28/01/99	159
Men 11 through 16	24	200.2	J Avison	Manukau harbour	25/01/97	n/a
Women 11 through 16	24	146.2	A Boustred	Manukau harbour	27/01/96	n/a
Men	37	302	D Kajavala	Whakatane	28/03/89	324
Women	37	242	G Harrison-Armstrong	Cape Karikari	9/01/93	147.87
Men 11 through 16	37	154.6	Z Monteith	Manukau Harbour	26/01/97	n/a
Men up to 11	37	65.6	Cooper Bradley	Tutukaka	22/01/23	n/a
Men	60	199.6	Finn Vezey	Bay of Islands	19/08/18	316.50
Women	60	140.6	Donna Pascoe	Whangaroa	22/02/13	185.9
Men 11 through 16	60	199.6	Finn Vezey	Bay of Islands	19/08/18	n/a
F – Junior	WORLD	167	Corinna Teague	Manukau Harbour, NZ	17/02/01	
F – Smallfry	WORLD	93.6	Maria Angus	Bay of Islands, NZ	18/01/10	
M – Junior	WORLD		Alexander Johnston	Linden Bank, Cairns, Aust	11/10/05	234
M - Smallfry	WORLD		Zachary Dudas	Biscayne Bay Florida USA	26/03/04	180.53

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CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG	
Men	3	4.66	Scott Tindale	Army Bay	8/12/11	n/a	

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SHARK - DUSKY Scientific Name - Carcharhinus obscurus								
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG		
Men	24	287.4	P Barrow	Whale Island	28/02/96	n/a		





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SHARK - HAMMERHEAD

CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	All Tackle	211.83	A Paul Jnr	BOI	18/12/77	
Women	All Tackle	185	S Foster	BOI	14/01/82	
Men	1	4.05	J Fraser	Bay of Islands	22/11/87	1
Women	1	0.88	Sue Tindale	Kaipara Harbour	8/02/12	0.88
Women	1	0.9	Sue Tindale	Kaipara	10/02/14	0.9
Men	2	6.52	T Williams-King	Hauraki Gulf	19/02/12	14.2
Women	2					17
Men	3	9.2	Angus Johnson	Bay of Islands	19/01/10	46.2
Women	3	2	Sue Tindale	Kaipara Harbour	8/02/12	2
Men 11 through 16	3	9.2	Angus Johnson	Bay of Islands	19/01/10	n/a
Men	4	15.25	Jo Waka Lang	Tutukaka	15/12/19	154.8
Women	4					15.08
Men 11 through 16	4	15.25	Jo Waka Lang	Tutukaka	15/12/19	*
Men	6	127	D McWilliam	Bay of Islands	6/02/84	151.95
Women	6	139	R Curin	Bay of Islands	29/12/86	139
Men	8	153.8	G Stone	Takau Bay	7/04/92	153.8
Women	8	111	V Johnson	Bay of Islands	1/02/85	111
Men	10	148.1	T Hill	Hawkes Bay	24/02/94	184
Women	10	86.18	R Hall	Bay of Islands	13/04/74	189
Men	15	170.55	S Mahood	Tutukaka	12/01/85	358
Women	15	160.12	R Hall	Bay of Islands	6/01/74	185
Men	24	189.5	M Boyle	Lottin Point	18/02/90	246.98
Women	24	168.74	V Johnson	Bay of Islands	28/01/80	340.19
Men up to 11	24	166.4	M Haraldsson	Tutukaka	16/01/94	*
Men 11 through 16	24	180.4	K Williams	Tutukaka	19/01/03	n/a
Men	37	211.83	A Paul jnr	Bay of Islands	18/12/77	281.23
Women	37	185	S Foster	Bay of Islands	14/01/82	210.01
Men up to 11	37	131.2	H Wright	Tutukaka	21/03/04	n/a
Men 11 through 16	37	205	S Young	Whangaroa	15/01/94	Vacant *
Women 11 through 16	37	140.9	K Randrup	Waihau Bay	2/02/08	n/a
Men	60	203.21	A Brown	Bay of Islands	14/01/76	580.59
Women	60	184.16	H Wood	Gisborne-Tatapouri	24/05/74	184.16
F – Junior	WORLD	140.9	Kelsey Marie Randrup	Waihau Bay, New Zealand	2/02/08	140.9
F – Smallfry	WORLD		Brielle Bennett	Key West Florida USA	21/01/11	53.86
M – Junior	WORLD		Alexander Johnston	Cairns, Aust.	29/02/04	233
M – Smallfry	WORLD	133.4	Kevin Brasting	Tutukaka, New Zealand	3/01/04	133.4

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SHARK - MAKO

Scientific Name - Isuru						
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	All Tackle	481.26	J Penwarden	Mayor Island	17/02/70	555.84
Woman	All Tackle	389.18	R Beaver	Whangaroa	14/04/51	
Men	1	159.6	Guy Jacobsen	Poor Knights Rise	15/05/16	159.6





Women	1	44.2	Oksana Kahlenberg	Opotiki	13/01/13	44.2
Men	2	156.2	Guy Jacobsen	Bay of Islands	14/02/17	156.2
Women	2	28	O Kahlenberg	Off Opotiki	13/01/10	57.49
Men 11 through 16	2	55	Bailey Beaufill	Motu	16/02/13	n/a
Women 11 through 16	2	37.4	Sarah Beaufill	White Island	20/12/11	n/a
Men	3	76	Guy Jacobsen	North Cape	6/04/09	155.13
Women	3	51.2	Eryn Jacobsen	Houhora	18/02/12	57
Men 11 through 16	3	54	Nathan Saul	Tutukaka	15/01/12	n/a
Women 11 through 16	3	78.8	Sarah Beaufill	White Island	16/02/13	n/a
Men	4	115.5	B Firman	Hawkes Bay	22/02/02	195.7
Women	4	108.6	E Jacobsen	Three Kings	24/02/10	108.6
Men up to 11	4	64.4	Marlin Candy	Whangaroa	25/04/18	n/a
Men 11 through 16	4	50.6	D Cushing	Hawkes Bay	22/02/96	*
Women 11 through 16	4	48.9	T Henderson	Hawkes Bay	18/02/97	*
Men	6	175.4	Guy Jacobsen	Off Stephenson Island	20/03/11	296
Women	6	70	R Hall	Bay of Islands	4/04/92	144
Men up to 11	6	64.4	Marlin Candy	Whangaroa	25/04/18	n/a
Women up to 11	6	40.6	Sarah Beaufill	Whale Island	9/01/10	n/a
Men 11 through 16	6	51.4	L Sosich	Te Kaha	27/02/98	n/a
Women 11 through 16	6	44.6	Sophie Macmillan	Whale Island	17/03/12	n/a
Men	8	175	H Lewis	Kaikoura	23/02/00	321.7
Women	8	147.1	T Batson	Astrolabe Reef	29/01/05	150.5
Men up to 11	8	51.5	Baily McIntyre	Off Whangaroa	2/04/11	n/a
Women up to 11	8	42.8	Sarah Beaufill	White Island	10/04/10	n/a
Men 11 through 16	8	115.4	C Lambert	Whakatane	28/03/05	n/a
Women 11 through 16	8	76	Sarah Beaufill	off Whale Island	12/01/14	n/a
Men	10	324.4	Dean Pollock	Bay of Islands	5/02/11	329
Women	10	173	P Davis	Te Awhiti	23/02/05	181
Men up to 11	10	72.3	Baily McIntyre		1/03/10	n/a
	10	47.6	Sarah Beaufill	Whangaroa Whale Island	12/01/10	n/a
Women up to 11 Men 11 through 16	10	100	S Collings	Kaikoura	24/02/00	N/A *
	·	49.6		off Whale Island		
Women 11 through 16 Men	10 15	385	Sarah Beaufill G Flett	Hawkes Bay	4/04/11 25/02/85	n/a 443.5
Women	15	197.3	L Whitford	Aldermen Island	1/03/03	300
Men up to 11	15	103.4	Baily McIntyre	Whangaroa	4/12/10	n/a
Men 11 through 16	15	128	Marlin Candy	Whangaroa	27/02/20	n/a
Women 11 through 16	15	141.4	Miah Dixon	Bay of Islands	17/01/10	n/a
Men	24	462	R Deans	Whakatane	23/02/84	489.88
Women	24	316.2	J Clements	Tutukaka	2/02/86	327.2
Women up to 11	24	110.4	H Brasting	Hen & Chicks	7/01/01	n/a
Men 11 through 16	24	231.2	T Merry	Whakatane	10/01/00	N/A *
Women 11 through 16	24	230.6	M Mansel	Mayor Island	1/02/03	n/a
Men	37	463.8	M Shanahan	Hawkes Bay	17/02/90	488
Women	37	338.4	P Davis	Ngawi	17/02/01	399.16
Men 11 through 16	37	281.6	A Anderson	Hawkes Bay	5/02/04	n/a
Men up to 11	37	96.4	K Brasting	Tutukaka	7/01/01	n/a
Women 11 through 16	37	239.8	A Rowe	Bay of Islands	6/01/02	n/a
Men	60	481.26	J Penwarden	Mayor Island	17/02/70	553.84
Women	60	389.18	R Beaver	Whangaroa	14/04/51	413.56
F-Junior	WORLD		A Lamond	Australia	7/10/19	300
M – Junior	WORLD		John Paton	Broken Bay NSW, Aust.	23/01/11	324.77
F – Smallfry	WORLD		Rhiannon Halling	Kiama Canyons, NSW	7/11/09	118.1
M – Smallfry	WORLD		Lincoln Philpott	St Helens, Aust.	5/01/19	231.8





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SHARK - PORBEAGLE Scientific Name - Lamna nasus									
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG			
Men	2					48.75			
Men	3	62.9	D Carr	Otago Heads	24/05/98	62.9			
Men	4	76.9	D Carr	Otago Heads	21/02/01	98.43			
Men	6	63.6	W Lewis	Otago Heads	19/02/01	111.58			
Women	6	60.9	F Joyce	Otago Heads	23/02/01	60.9			
Men	8	70.4	D Carr	Otago Heads	23/05/99	173.27			
Men	10	85	S Hill	Otago Heads	19/05/98	152.4			
Men	15	110	S Wilson	Otago Heads	28/06/98	188.69			
Women	15					100.92			
Men	24	125.8	D Carr	Dunedin	3/01/98	188			
Women	24	67.3	F Joyce	Otago Heads	18/02/01	108.18			
Men	37	119.8	T Hurring	Dunedin	27/12/97	230			
Women	37	68.7	R Joyce	Otago Heads	30/03/02	107.04			
Women 11 through 16	37	68.7	R Joyce	Otago Heads	30/03/02	n/a			
Men	60					210.92			
Women	60					167.37			
M-Junior	WORLD		B Delzingo	USA	1/07/18	115.2			
M-Smallfry	WORLD		Brady Johnson	Hyannis Massachusetts	26/10/19	69.57			

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CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	3	61.7	Dave Carr	Otago Heads	7/06/98	61.7

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SHARK - THRESHER Scientific Name - Alopias spp								
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG		
Men	All Tackle	348	D Hannah	Bay of Islands	26/02/83	348		
Women	All Tackle	363.8	D North	Tutukaka	08.02.81	363.8		
Men	1					8.42		





Men	2	8.8	B Rowe	Bay of Islands	15/07/01	33.48
Women	2					
Men	3					42.98
Women	3					20.86
Men	4	10.6	M Graves	Motuihe Channel	26/02/09	72
Women	4	26.40	N Rackham	Whale Island	07/01/2007	43.09
Women 11 – 16	4	26.4	N Rackham	Whale Island	7/01/07	
Men	6	118.1	W Lewis	Otago Heads	22/02/01	118.1
Women	6					62.59
Men	8	23.6	W Scott	Bay of Islands	22/07/97	97.52
Women	8	18	S Hart	Raglan	21/01/95	63.95
Women up to 11	8	10.05	Lucy Metcalfe	Coromandel	14/11/09	n/a
Men	10	73.2	D Harrington	Bay of Islands	28/05/88	119
Women	10	160.4	F Joyce	Otago Heads	21/02/01	160.4
Women up to 11	10	11.49	A Romeril	Tiritiri Channel	1/08/99	Vacant *
Men	15	189.4	D Lewis	Otago Heads	20/02/99	220
Women	15	136.07	A Clark	Bay of Islands	23/06/72	136.98
Men 11 through 16	15	47	M Wheatley	Whakatane	29/01/95	*
Men	24	348	D Hannah	Bay of Islands	26/02/83	348
Women	24	166.01	A Semmens	Bay of Islands	6/05/72	203.21
Men 11 through 16	24	57.6	C Reynolds	Whakatane	17/11/96	*
Men	37	335.2	B Galvin	Tutukaka	17/02/75	335.2
Women	37	363.8	D North	Tutukaka	8/02/81	363.8
Men	60	306.62	R Faulkner	Mayor Island	23/02/78	327.94
Women	60	330.67	V Brown	Mayor Island	6/03/59	330.67
F – Junior	WORLD		Melissa Ciolek	Marthas Vineyard, USA	29/07/07	67.81
F – Smallfry	WORLD	10.05	Lucy Nicole Metcalfe	Coromandel, NZ	14/11/09	10.05
M – Junior	WORLD		Jack Leverone	Kona- Hawaii, USA	4/05/14	248.28
M – Smallfry	WORLD		Reece Cokun	Browns Mountain, Aust.	9/08/14	151.4

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SHARK - TIGER Scientific Name - Galeocerdo cuvier							
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG	
Men	1					85.05	
Women	1					121	
Men	2					106.3	
Women	2					81.2	
Men	3					238.4	
Women	3					110.2	
Men	4					192.05	
Women	4					221.55	
Men	6					260.6	
Women	6					122.25	
Men	8					416.1	
Women	8					163.29	
Men	10					412	
Women	10					194	
Men	15					625.5	
Women	15					548	
Men	24					579.5	
Women	24					497	





Men	37	376.2	N Barton	Cape Karikari	21/03/04	810
Women	37					532.06
Men	60	429.55	D Brophy	Mayor Island	21/02/79	807.4
Women	60					596.02
M-Smallfry	WORLD					314

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SHARK - WHITE - NOW PROTECTED IN NZ WORLD LINE WEIGHT RECORD CLASS **CLASS** LOCATION DATE **ANGLER** [KG] WEIGHT KG KG Men 15 71 C Hull Manukau harbour 20/03/93 699.5 Women 15 364.23 24 263.4 D Akast 850.94 Men Manukau Harbour 21/02/93 Women 24 68.4 C Smith Manukau Harbour 19/02/97 363.33 Men 37 111.6 C Hill Manukau Harbour 9/02/07 1063.23 Women 37 193 Jessica Clemow Kaipara Harbour 19/02/01 413.68

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	LINE					WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
CLASS	CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	
Men	All tackle	17.2	M Hemingway	Motiti Island	2/11/92	17.2
Women	All tackle	16.35	D Irvine	Slipper Island	11/04/98	n/a
Men	1	7.7	James Farley	Muriwai Beach	15/10/19	7.7
Women	1	4.5	N Benson	Parengarenga Harbour	3/04/06	5.15
Men up to 11	1	3.27	Tyler Speed	Whakatane	15/04/22	n/a
Women up to 11	1	2.12	Kaci Pulham	Tutukaka	27/04/22	n/a
Men 11 through 16	1	5.32	Hayden Speed	Opotiki	9/10/20	n/a
Women 11 through 16	1	3.54	Emily Steele	New Plymouth	5/04/20	n/a
Men	2	11.02	l Jury	New Plymouth	28/03/98	11.4
Women	2	10.3	Anne Sharples	Firth of Thames	15/12/18	10.3
Men up to 11	2	5.62	Caleb Drury	Whangaroa	5/01/20	n/a
Women up to 11	2	6.81	Tammy Plumpton	Great Barrier Island	18/02/15	n/a
Men 11 through 16	2	8.1	Jag Vezey	Bay of Islands	26/11/17	n/a
Women 11 through 16	2	7.2	B Dickson	Bay of Islands	1/01/03	n/a
Men	3	11.32	A Dodd	New Plymouth	27/10/97	15
Women	3	9.23	Kim Curtis	Bay of Plenty	9/06/17	9.23
Men up to 11	3	9.43	Hunter Nicholson	Mercury Bay	17/12/22	n/a
Women up to 11	3	9.08	Mila Pulham	Tutukaka	21/12/22	n/a
Men 11 through 16	3	8.25	Finn Vezey	Bay of Islands	23/11/17	n/a
Women 11 through 16	3	7.464	Evelyn Crawford	Firth of Thames	3/10/20	n/a
Men	4	14.4	S Waters	Hen & Chickens	11/11/94	15.2
Women	4	10.76	S Dobson	Bay of Plenty	28/01/01	10.76
Men up to 11	4	9	Callum Wall	Cape Karikari	22/11/13	n/a
Women up to 11	4	4.857	Zara Crawford	Firth of Thames	18/10/20	n/a
Men 11 through 16	4	9.72	P Wilson	Leigh	26/10/93	n/a
Women 11 through 16	4	7.432	Evelyn Crawford	Firth of Thames	18/10/20	n/a
Men	6	15	K Ikegami	Bay of Islands	27/01/94	16.2





Women	6	12.34	Alex Naismith	off Muriwai	25/10/21	12.35
Men up to 11	6	10.59	J Kerr	Whitianga	7/01/06	n/a
Women up to 11	6	9.08	Amber Warren	Bay of Islands	7/11/21	n/a
Men 11 through 16	6	13.1	A Prosser	Pania	11/04/01	n/a
Women 11 through 16	6	12.34	Alex Naismith	off Muriwai	25/10/21	12.34
Men	8	14.75	N Gorringe	Little Barrier Island	13/11/15	14.25
Women	8	*15.84	Danielle Hamilton		22.4.17	12.6
Men up to 11	8	10.8	Baily McIntyre	Cavalli Islands	24/02/10	n/a
Women up to 11	8	7.61	Zara Crawford	Firth of Thames	3/10/20	n/a
Men 11 through 16	8	12.2	J Moselen	Gt Barrier Island	24/02/97	n/a
Women 11 through 16	8	10.94	P Wairua	Te Kaha	10/12/94	n/a
Men	10	14.98	Wayne Fleming	Cape Egmont	23/06/14	15
Women	10	15.84	Danielle Hamilton	Ahipara	22/04/17	15.84
Men up to 11	10	9.76	J Flude	Tauranga	18/10/98	n/a
Men up to 11	10	9.81	Tyler Cox	Alderman Islands	13/04/09	n/a
Women up to 11	10	9.11	Brooke Laws	Raglan	10.10.17	n/a
Men 11 through 16	10	13.8	R Maessen	Bay of Islands	26/11/94	*
Women 11 through 16	10	10.08	Evelyn Crawford	Port Jackson	5/03/19	n/a
Men	15	16.5	J Hay	Rodney	28/07/90	15.4
Women	15	16.35	D Irvine	Slipper Island	11/04/98	16.35
Men up to 11	15	11.96	J Robertson (Tie with C Wall)	Tauranga	14/01/97	n/a
Men up to 11	15	12	Callum Wall (Tie with J Robertson)	Cape Karikari	23/11/13	n/a
Women up to 11	15	8.91	P Ellwood	Mercury Bay	24/04/07	n/a
Men 11 through 16	15	14.2	M Dalton	Mayor island	2/12/00	n/a
Women 11 through 16	15	11.93	N Keith	Bay of Plenty	1/10/01	n/a
Men	24					
M-Junior	WORLD	15.6	Kupu-John Amoamo	Te Kaha, New Zealand	23/10/21	15.6
F – Junior	WORLD	12.34	Alex Nasmith	Muriwai Beach, NZ	25/10/21	12.34
M – Smallfry	WORLD		Shaun Polley	Outer Harbour, Adelaide	22/09/97	15.2
F - Smallfry	WORLD	9.11	Brooke Olivia Laws	Raglan, New Zealand	10/10/17	9.11

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Men	1	1.04	Scott Tindale	Kaipara Flats	16/03/12	1.13		
Women	1	0.83	Sue Tindale	Kaipara harbour	16/03/12	0.83		
Men	2	2.62	G Little	Hauraki Gulf	11/03/02	2.62		
Women	2	1.12	Sue Tindale	Kawau Island	12/11/12	1.12		
Women up to 11	2	0.82	Jovanna Pillay	Tauranga	28/03/14	n/a		
Men	3	6.55	Trevor Clark	Bay of Islands	18/07/94	4.75		
Women	3	3.28	Sue Tindale	Army Bay	12/11/11	3.28		
Men	4	13.38	J Kalman	Waitangi	23/04/99	13.38		
Women	4	2.13	Sue Tindale	Kawau Island	12/11/12	2.13		
Men	6	3.08	G Little	Great Barrier	11/01/04	3.08		
Women	6	2.87	Sue Tindale	Army Bay	12/11/11	2.88		
Men	8	3.21	A Fagan	Mercury Bay	4/10/10	3.21		
Women	8	3.11	Sue Tindale	Army Bay	12/11/11	3.11		
Men	10	5.9	P Gates	Whangaroa	26/11/00	5.9		
Women	10	9.52	C Day	Waitangi	23/04/99	9.52		





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CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	All Tackle	44.2	Chad Haines	Barrier Bank	27/02/16	50
Women	All Tackle	33.8	L Patterson	Bay of Islands	16/03/99	
Men	1					16.10
Women	1					
Men	2					15.65
Women	2					14.28
Men	3					28.12
Women	3					14.28
Men	4					19.76
Women	4					17.91
Men	6					19.95
Women	6					17.69
Men	8	20.66	G Jacobsen	Garden Patch	13/01/20	20.66
Women	8					18.14
Men	10	17.8	Dr E Ashley Hankinson	Bay of Islands	14/01/11	30
Women	10	16.52	Julie Pirie	Mercury Bay	29/12/14	29
Men 11 through 16	10	11	R White	Bay of Islands	6/01/03	n/a
Men	15	32.2	G Murdie	Bay of Islands	13/04/02	32.2
Women	15	28.4	G Knox	Gisborne	19/02/95	28.4
Men up to 11	15	19.4	Charlie Finn Rowe	Bay of Islands	8/01/17	n/a
Men 11 through 16	15	21.3	R Carmichael	Mercury Bay	12/01/08	n/a
Men	24	38.05	Hamish Carmichael	Gisborne	25/01/19	38.05
Women	24	26.2	C Goldie	Cape Karikari	24/03/95	32.5
Men 11 through 16	24	34.5	Ezra Keenan	Alderman Rise	23/03/19	34.5
Men under 11	24	20.4	Cohen Snell	Waihau Bay	8/01/22	20.4
Men	37	44.2	Chad Haines	Barrier Bank	27/02/16	44.2
Women	37	33.8	L Patterson	Bay of Islands	16/03/99	33.8
Men 11 through 16	37	30.1	M Stewart	Alderman Rise	24/04/07	n/a
Women 11 through 16	37	28.4	M Mills	Gisborne	13/02/04	n/a
Men	60	41.6	Mike Endres	Poverty Bay	11/02/16	n/a
Women 60						
Women 11 to 16	60	25.60	Lauren Ashby	Three Kings	24/04/2019	n/a
Men 11 to 16	60	23.7	Draydon Layne	White Island	6/03/19	n/a
Men up to 11	60	17.8	Jarvis Baker	Waihau Bay	4/02/23	n/a
F- Junior	WORLD	28.4	Morgan Mills	Gisborne	13/02/04	28.4
F- Smallfry	WORLD	16.47	Laurel David	Kona	3/08/12	16.47
M-Junior	WORLD	34.5	Ezra Keenan	Alderman Rise	23/03/19	34.5
M-Smallfry	WORLD	20.4	Cohen Snell	Waihau Bay	8/01/22	20.4

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SWORDFISH - BROADBILL Scientific Name - Xiphias gladius								
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG		
Men	All Tackle	404.4	Jim Gigger	Cape Karikari	9/04/12	536.19		
Women	All Tackle	361	Nicky Sinden	Whangaroa	22.03.17	n/a		





Men	2					33.11
Women	2					
Men	3					48.3
Women	3					23.27
Men	4					49.44
Women	4					58.33
Men	6	94.2	G Jacobsen	King Bank	22/03/10	94.2
Women	6					120.35
Men	8	134.6	G Jacobsen	King Bank	19/03/09	134.6
Women	8					78
Men	10	269.00	G Jacobsen	Cape Karikari	30/03/17	269
Women	10					128.4
Men	15	252.8	G Jacobsen	Cape Karikari	29/03/17	252.8
Women	15	218	Angela Greenhalgh	BOI	1/03/23	218
Men	24	291.9	I O'Brien	Mercury Bay	2/04/98	291.9
Women	24	221.8	M Clerke	Tauranga	25/02/01	223.3
Women 11 through 16	24	152.8	Hayley Hope	White Island	22/04/17	n/a
Men 11 through 16	24	176.2	Marshall Jackson	off Manukau Harbour	23/04/21	
Men	37	404.4	Jim Gigger	Cape Karikari	9/04/12	404.4
Women	37	263.8	L Stone	Cape Karikari	2/04/97	350.17
Men up to 11	37	47.4	Sam Dyer	Mayor Island	4/05/14	n/a
Men 11 through 16	37	307	T Franich	Great Barrier	2/01/02	n/a
Women 11 through 16	37	247	Jessie Anne Lawrie	Tutukaka	18/04/21	n/a
Men	60	358.2	Alan Langdon	East Northland	22.04.2021	536.15
Women	60	361	Nicky Sinden	Whangaroa	22.3.2017	361
Men 11 through 16	60	212.6	Sam Yendell	Tutukaka	8/07/17	212.6
Women 11 through 16	60	178.4	Ella Ryburn	Tutukaka	18/06/17	n/a
M – Junior	WORLD	282.8	D Wilson	Mayor Island, NZ	25/05/21	282.8
F – Junior	WORLD		India Thompson	St Helens Tasmania, Aust.	11/04/16	267.4
F – Smallfry	WORLD		Kaitlyn Schofield	Lakes Entrance, Aust.	14/05/17	172
M – Smallfry	WORLD		Jake Dudas	Miami, Florida, USA	2/09/07	59.87

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Scientific Name – Galeorhinus galeus								
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG		
Men	All Tackle	32.5	T Martens	Parengarenga Harbour	4/01/91	32.5		
Women	All Tackle	33	M Feldman	Parengarenga Harbour	19/12/86	33		
Men	1	22.3	M Fieldman	Parengarenga Harbour	14/01/90	22.3		
Women	1	21.67	Sue Tindale	Kaipara Harbour	15/01/12	21.67		
Men	2	25.1	M Feldman	Parengarenga Harbour	14/01/90	28.12		
Women	2	22.71	Sue Tindale	Kaipara Harbour	3/01/12	22.71		
Men	3	22.6	Scott Tindale	Kaipara Harbour	3/01/12	26.58		
Women	3	23.87	Sue Tindale	Kaipara Harbour	14/01/16	23.87		
Men up to 11	3	18.98	Joshua Dodd	North Cape	15/11/19			
Men 11 through 16	3	6.7	D Thompson	Raglan	13/06/04	n/a		
Men	4	26.7	M Feldman	Parengarenga Harbour	16/12/86	26.7		
Women	4	24.4	L Martens	Parengarenga Harbour	3/12/87	24.4		
Men up to 11	4	3	Ethan Rendall	Raglan	31/03/12	n/a		
Men	6	29	M Feldman	Parengarenga Harbour	16/12/86	29		





Women	6	31	H Morton	Parengarenga Harbour	20/12/87	31
Men 11 through 16	6	18.1	Angus Johnson	Bay of Islands	11/06/13	n/a
Men	8	32.5	T Martens	Parengarenga Harbour	4/01/91	32.5
Women	8	28.4	J Sutton	Parengarenga Harbour	29/11/87	28.4
Men 11 through 16	8	22.8	R Elliott	Takou Bay	16/06/10	n/a
Men	10	23.6	Brad Pulham	Tutukaka	7/11/08	28.12
Women	10	27.5	I Cummins	Parengarenga Harbour	12/12/87	27.5
Men 11 through 16	10	21.4	B Johnston	Manukau Harbour	9/04/23	n/a
Women 11 through 16	10	14.6	Isabel Johnson	Bay of Islands	17/01/09	n/a
Men	15	26.12	Marlin Candy	Whangaroa	9/10/18	29.48
Women	15	24	M Feldman	Parengarenga Harbour	3/12/85	24
Women	15	24.05	Sue Tindale - Tied with M Feldman	Kaipara	8/02/14	30.56
Men 11 through 16	15	23	S Matthews	Cavalli Islands	13/01/05	n/a
Men up to 11	15	26.12	Marlin Candy	Whangaroa	9/10/18	n/a
Women 11 through 16	15	9.62	Tiana Smith	Mercury Bay	12/07/15	n/a
Men	24	17.4	F Van Vroonhoven	Raglan	25/11/17	32.5
Women	24	33	M Feldman	Parengarenga Harbour	19/12/86	33
Men 11 through 16	24	15.27	L Burgess	Red Mercury Island	3/02/07	n/a
Men	37	30.25	W Martens	Parengarenga Harbour	1/01/87	30.25
Men 11 – 16	37	24.2	Brock Johnston	Manukau Harbour	19/08/23	
Women	37	30.5	J Lightband	Parengarenga Harbour	28/11/87	30.5
Men 11 through 16	37	24.2	Brock Johnston	Manukau Harbour	19/08/23	n/a
M-Junior	WORLD	23	Seth Mathews	Cavalli Islands	13/01/05	23
W-Junior	WORLD	14.6	Isabel Johnson	Bay of Islands	17/01/09	14.6
M-Smallfry	WORLD	26.1	Marlin Candy	Whangaroa	9/10/18	26.12

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CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG			
Men	6	14.9	Scott Tindale	Kaipara Harbour	14/01/16	14.9			
Men	8	20.94	Scott Tindale	Kaipara	26/02/14	20.94			
Men	10	18.4	Scott Tindale	Kaipara	14/01/16	18.4			

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CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Women	All Tackle	7.1	Glenda Wellwood	Port Charles	2/06/13	n/a
Men	1	4.2	Marty Benson	Far North	24/05/17	n/a
Women	1	2.4	Rochell Emerson	Waitemata Harbour	2/04/18	n/a
Women 11 to 16	1	0.715	Alexis Ogle	Whakatane	26/03/23	n/a
Women up to 11	1	1.49	Charlotte Speed	Papamoa Beach	27/03/22	
Men up to 11	1	1.445	Tyler Speed	Papamoa Beach	28/04/22	n/a
Men 11 through 16	1	2.18	Brody Ruthe	Tairua Harbour	24/02/21	n/a
Men	2	5.74	M Boyes	Three Kings	23/02/18	n/a
Women	2	2.14	K Dunn	Parengarenga Harbour	17/06/07	n/a
Men up to 11	2	1.6	Shaun Kelsey	Papamoa Beach	26/04/14	n/a
Women up to 11	2	1.74	Jovanna Pillay	Tauranga	13/06/14	n/a
Men 11 through 16	2	4.65	Hayden Speed	Papamoa Beach	9/10/21	n/a
Women 11 through 16	2	1.02	K Ross	Bay of Islands	25/01/02	n/a
Men	3	6.82	T Noble	Three Kings Is	23/02/18	n/a
Women	3	3.76	Alicia Smith	White Island	25/01/11	n/a
Men up to 11	3	4.27	Tyler Speed	White Island	19/02/22	





Men 11 through 16	3	5.21	S Hannah	Whakatane	24/01/00	N/A *
Women 11 through 16	3	3.76	Alicia Smith	White Island	25/02/11	n/a
Men	4	6.965	Marlin Williams-King	Three Kings	31/03/19	n/a
Women	4	5.93	K Kerr	Whakatane	3/03/98	
Men up to 11	4	6.965	Marlin Williams-King	Three Kings	31/03/19	n/a
Women up to 11	4	4.22	Hayley Hope	White Island	2/01/11	n/a
Men 11 through 16	4	5.9	Joel Bringans	Three Kings	31/03/19	n/a
Women 11 through 16	4	4.05	J Wood	Whakatane	21/01/00	N/A *
Men	6	7.22	M Arnold	90 Mile Beach	11/11/90	n/a
Women	6	6.03	B Hannah	Whakatane	24/01/00	n/a
Men up to 11	6	6.5	Tyler Davey	Three Kings Is	15/01/23	n/a
Women up to 11	6	6.03	B Hannah	Whakatane	24/01/00	N/A *
Men 11 through 16	6	6.49	Jimi Plumpton	Gt Barrier Island	5/06/11	n/a
Women 11 through 16	6	3.4	S Dickson	Three Kings	22/02/99	n/a
Men	8	8.91	D Managh	Kawau Island	3/06/02	n/a
Women	8	5.63	A Syben	White Island	4/03/00	N/A
Men up to 11	8	5.9	Tyler Davey	Three Kings Is	14/01/23	*
Women up to 11	8	5.28	Hayley Hope	White Island	30/01/10	n/a
Men 11 through 16	8	6.515	Cameron Browne	Three Kings	31/03/19	n/a
Women 11 through 16	8	5.45	L Herlihy	White Island	7/01/08	n/a
Men	10	9.5	G Gower	North Shore	9/05/91	n/a
Women	10	6.12	Maree Allen	White Island	10/10/15	n/a
Men up to 11	10	7.75	Jimi Plumpton	Great Barrier Island	21/02/02	n/a
Women up to 11	10	4.46	Jovanna Pillay	Tauranga	12/04/14	n/a
Men 11 through 16	10	6.1	Shaun Braithwaite	White Island	5/01/09	n/a
Women 11 through 16	10	4.53	Sarah Beaufill	White Island	10/01/11	n/a

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CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG	
Men	1	0.9	M Heath	NZ Angling	28/04/00	n/a	
Men	2	3.91	G Jacobsen	Whakatane	5/12/00	n/a	
Women	2	1.83	S Tindale	Mokohinau Islands	3/04/11	n/a	
Men	3	4.91	G Jacobsen	Whakatane	4/12/00	n/a	
Women	3	1.34	S Tindale	Mokohinau Islands	3/04/11	n/a	
Men	4	5.2	John Rae	Whakatane	25/01/00	Vacant	
Women	4	1.21	S Tindale	Mokohinau Islands	3/04/11	n/a	
Men	6	6.5	T Williams-King	Three Kings Is.	7/04/17	Vacant	
Women	6	1.52	S Tindale	Mokohinau Islands	3/04/11	n/a	
Men	8	6.9	Nick Whitby	Three King Islands	2/06/15	n/a	
Women	8	4.76	Bindy Hannah	Whakatane	25/01/00	N/A	
Men	10	5.29	Kydd Pollock	Whakatane	6/02/00	n/a	
Women	10	1.28	S Tindale	Mokohinau Islands	3/04/11	n/a	

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TUNA - PACIFIC BIGEYE Scientific Name - Thunnus obesus										
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG				
Women	All Tackle	136.8	Lori Somers	Whangaroa	24/02/20	n/a				
Men	All Tackle	139.6	Gary Beckham	Cape Karikari	22/02/20	197.31				
Men	1					4.08				





Women	1					1.13
Women	2					2.25
Men	2					9.97
Men	3					15.87
Women	3					6.54
Men	4					37.64
Women	4					10.88
Men	6	12.24	L Dyer	Tutukaka	17/03/78	65.09
Women	6	12.5	K Ellison	Whakatane	11/03/84	22.9
Men	8					71.57
Women	8	49.6	E Jacobsen	North Cape	26/02/10	49.6
Men	10					66.22
Women	10					71.21
Men	15	136.2	Todd Evers	North Cape	25/02/11	136.2
Women	15	40	P Hansen	Waihau Bay	17/01/85	61.91
Men	24	133	J Van Der Leden	Whakatane	4/02/88	137.89
Women	24	85.1	Colleen Payne	South Rock	22/02/09	108.86
Men up to 11	24	63.4	Marley Orr	Waikawa Trench	9/01/15	n/a
Men 11 through 16	24	70.85	Taylor Howatson	Tatapouri	20/02/10	n/a
Men	37	139.6	Gary Beckham	Cape Karikari	22/02/20	170.09
Women	37	136.8	Lori Somers	Whangaroa	24/02/20	151.95
Men 11 through 16	37	129.1	Ben Shaw	Waihau Bay	1/01/17	129.10 *
Men	60	120.2	S Barradell	Tutukaka	11/02/06	197.31
Women	60	86.4	Trish Atkinson	Alderman Knolls	25/02/11	152.4
M – Junior	WORLD		Ben Shaw	Waihau Bay	01.01.17	129.1
F – Junior	WORLD					13.78
M – Smallfry	WORLD					97.06
F – Smallfry	WORLD					2.83

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CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	All Tackle	352.5	Kevin Baker	Greymouth	14/09/13	352.5
Women	All Tackle	411.6	Donna Pascoe	Three Kings	19/02/14	411.6
Men	37	335.4	Nathan Adams	Houhora	17/02/12	335.4
Women	37	239	Caroline Fulton	Westport	9/08/09	239
Men	60	352.5	Kevin Baker	Greymouth	14/09/13	352.5
Women	60	411.6	Donna Pascoe	Three Kings	19/02/14	411.6
Men 11 through 16	60	260	Andrew Randrup	WESTPORT	3/01/16	n/a

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Scientific Name - I	Katsuwonus pelam	nis				
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	All Tackle	12.01	Josh Van Lieshout	Whangamata	31/12/20	21
Women	All Tackle	14.35	Carolynn Greenhalgh	Bay of Islands	30/06/19	14.35
Men	1	4.91	Tony Beare	Hawkes Bay	20/03/11	6.01
Men up to 11	1	1.1	J Kerr	Mercury Bay	18/03/06	n/a





Men 11 through 16	1	3.62	Nathan Bath	Hawkes Bay	22/02/11	n/a
Women	1	3.59	Kathy Malone	Hawkes Bay	24/02/12	3.59
Women 11 through 16	1	1.65	Emily Steele	New Plymouth	16/04/22	n/a
Men	2	5.48	A Edmonds	Hawkes Bay	27/02/04	9.79
Women	2	5.1	Louise Wilson	Mercury Bay	27/01/21	4.42
Men up to 11	2	2.92	L Ross	Bay of Islands	18/01/00	N/A *
Women up to 11	2	1.08	Tiana Smith	Mercury Bay	28/03/09	n/a
Men 11 through 16	2	3.6	Bailey Beaufill	Whale Island	17/02/14	n/a
Women 11 through 16	2	3.89	N Anderson	Hawkes Bay	30/03/03	n/a
Men	3	6.06	Jeremy Waterer	Mercury Bay	21/01/17	10.5
Women	3	5.36	Renee Moffitt	Hawkes Bay	25/02/16	6.57
Men up to 11	3	5.305	Ryan Steele	Mokau	26/02/20	n/a
Women up to 11	3	3.89	A Smith	Whakatane	20/02/06	n/a
Men 11 through 16	3	4.72	Marley Orr	Whale Island	2/04/17	n/a
Women 11 through 16	3	4.735	Emily Steele	Mokau	28/02/20	n/a
Men	4	6.63	K Laurent	Hawkes Bay	26/02/04	11.4
Women	4	5.41	K Kerr	Ranfurly Bank	15/03/04	11.33
Men up to 11	4	4.46	Levi Nicholson	Mercury Bay	2/04/23	n/a
Women up to 11	4	4	Nikita Keoghan	Bay of Islands	10/01/20	*
Men 11 through 16	4	5.88	Marley Orr	Whale Island	2/04/17	n/a
Women 11 through 16	4	3.98	Anahera Bridger	Hawkes Bay	19/02/11	n/a
Men	6	8.95	G Hill	Whakatane	13/04/89	15.04
Women	6	14.35	Carolynn Greenhalgh	Bay of Islands	30/06/19	14.35
Men up to 11	6	4.79	Carter Cushing	Napier	28/02/20	n/a
Women up to 11	6	2.8	L Myers	Tutukaka	18/01/98	*
Men 11 through 16	6	6.77	Marley Orr	Whale Island	23/03/17	n/a
Women 11 through 16	6	3.75	Hayley Hope	Whale Island	2/01/14	n/a
Men	8	7.4	S Tindale	Whangaroa	4/04/08	15
Women	8	8	T Garnett	Whangaroa	18/03/87	10.89
Men up to 11	8	5.92	P Page	Raglan	26/04/96	Vacant *
Women up to 11	8	3.41	Brooke Weir	off Motu River	18/01/14	n/a
Men 11 through 16	8	8	J Haddock	Cape Runaway	3/01/07	n/a
Women 11 through 16	8	4.68	Ella Pirie	Mercury Bay	23/02/17	n/a
Men	10	8.86	I Hay	Cape Runaway	17/06/02	17.8
Women	10	8.6	D Sands	Whangaruru	17/02/03	15.08
Men up to 11	10	6	R Angus	Whangaroa	10/01/04	n/a
Women up to 11	10	4.17	K Randrup	Waihau Bay	28/01/05	n/a
Men 11 through 16	10	6.86	M Randrup	Waihau Bay	26/01/04	n/a
Women 11 through 16	10	4.49	Danielle Gordon	Raglan	27/02/15	n/a
Men	15 Tie	10.6	G Delatour	Bay of Islands	3/04/02	19
Men	15 Tie	10.61	B Taylor-Mackie	Bay of Islands	7/06/17	19
Women	15	7.67	R Hollings	Whakatane	9/03/02	16.05
Men up to 11	15	5.92	William Yeeles	Mercury Bay	17/12/16	n/a
Women up to 11	15	7.4	Ella Pirie	Mercury Bay	23/04/16	n/a
Men 11 through 16	15	6.2	S Nielsen	Bay of Islands	18/01/01	n/a
Women 11 through 16	15	5.6	T Keith	Plate Island	16/02/02	n/a
M-Junior	WORLD		M Kelly	North Carolina, USA	31.08.14	14.51
F – Junior	WORLD		Annie Simpson	US Virgin Islands	4/06/06	11.53
M – Smallfry	WORLD		Kurt Nocelli	Port Macquarie, NSW	2/09/06	10
F – Smallfry	WORLD		Natsuki Ishida	Susami, Wakayama	21/03/03	11.4





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1/05/01	12.24
25/04/13	n/a
9/05/98	n/a
28/09/15	
5/06/16	n/a
20/04/93	
8/10/23	
12/04/94	
19/04/93	
4/06/01	N/A
1/05/01	n/a
25/04/13	n/a
5/10/95	*
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	12/04/94 19/04/93 4/06/01 1/05/01

Fly Records						
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	10	7.84	Howard Lewis	Otago Heads	25/04/13	n/a

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TUNA - SOUTHERN BLUEFIN Scientific Name - Thunnus Maccoyii						
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	All Tackle	173.6	Charles Baty	White Island	7/08/22	173.6
Women	All Tackle	135.6	Amy Horscroft	Waihau Bay	11/02/20	n/a
Men	1					8
Women	1					4.2
Women	2					6.6





Men	3					20.5
Women	3					16.89
Men	4					24.1
Women	4					17.1
Men	6	26.6	Michael Randrup	Waihau Bay	18/08/23	36.5
Women	6					31.34
Women	8					28.08
Men	8	41.2	Jack Roche	Alderman Knoll	17/07/22	41.2
Men 11-16	8	22.4	Blake Hay	Waihau Bay	30/07/23	
Men	10	81.8	Hadley Greenhalgh	Cape Runaway	30/07/20	103
Men 11 – 16	10	81.3	D Brasco Layne	Rangatira Knoll	5/08/20	n/a
Women	10	52.2	Kelly Troughton	Waihau Bay	4/07/21	52.2
Men	15	103.8	Scott Arnold	Waihau Bay	24/06/22	107.5
Men up to 11	15	37.65	Cooper Thomsen	Tairua	27/06/22	n/a
Women	15	134	Kelly Troughton	Waihau Bay	7/07/21	
Men	24	158	R Wood	Whakatane	16/01/81	158
Women	24	106.8	Linda Randrup	Waihau Bay	22/06/22	124.8
Men up to 11	24	85.6	Riley Bird	Waihau Bay	23/06/21	n/a
Men 11 through 16	24	97.3	Zach Pennell	Waihau Bay	1/07/18	n/a
Men	37	155.1	Phil Roycroft	Waihau Bay	6/07/18	167.5
Tie	37	155.8	Andrew Church	Cape Runaway	21/07/20	167.5
Men 11 through 16	37	130.2	Cole Gaskill-Walsh	Cape Runaway	4/07/21	n/a
Men Up to 11	37	74	Lachlan Sargent	Cape Runaway	16/07/21	n/a
Women	37	135.6	Amy Horscroft	Waihau Bay	11/07/20	141.6
Women 11 – 16	37	80.2	Paris McConnell	Mayor Island Knoll	9/08/20	n/a
Women Up to 11	37	101.6	Georgia Roberts	Waihau Bay	7/06/18	n/a
Men	60	161.2	Carl Carmody	Waihau Bay	1/07/21	161.2
Men 11 through 16	60	66.2	Dylan Gribben	Waihau Bay	17/07/22	n/a
Women	60	113.4	H Conyngham	Mayor Island	22/02/61	
F – Junior	WORLD		Chloe Hammersley	Australia	10/09/17	112
F-Smallfry	WORLD		Georgia Roberts	Waihau Bay	6/07/18	101.6
M-Junior	WORLD		Tait Missen	Australia	29/04/18	143.4
M-Smallfry	WORLD		Daniel Lazarevski	Australia	1/09/16	116.4

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TUNA – YELLOWFIN Scientific Name – Thunnus albacares						
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	All Tackle	95	D Ireton	Whakatane	29/02/84	193.68
Women	All Tackle	92.1	Shirley Waterhouse	Rangitira Reef	12/02/16	n/a
Men	1					8.16
Women	1					6.35
Men 11 through 16	All Tackle	42	C Wheeler	Red Mercury Is	28/12/07	n/a
Men	2					29.14
Women	2					9.07
Men	3					28.91
Women	3					18
Men	4	29.6	W Bicknell	Mahia	6/01/01	39.5
Women	4	14.9	K Kerr	Ranfurly Bank	16/03/04	28.43
Men	6	37	T Stokes	Whakatane	12/01/89	74
Women	6	31.6	G Brown	Bay of Islands	8/01/91	53
Men 11 through 16	6	31	R Meade	Whakatane	26/02/98	*





Men	8	54	B Firman	Hawkes Bay	21/02/99	86.5
Women	8	38.5	C Dreifuss	Whakatane	5/03/89	60.33
Women up to 11	8	14.8	R Papuni	Whakatane	20/02/00	N/A *
Men up to 11	8	18.8	Charlie Rowe	Bay of Islands	12/12/20	n/a
Men 11 through 16	8	31.4	C Hill	Manukau Harbour	6/01/98	*
Women 11 through 16	8	15.4	L Papuni	Whakatane	20/02/00	N/A *
Men	10	72.5	M Savell	Whakatane	9/01/85	106.75
Women	10	54.5	J Kramer	Whakatane	9/12/84	92.3
Men up to 11	10	29.65	S Faber	Gisborne	20/01/01	n/a
Men 11 through 16	10	40	G Van Der Werff	Whakatane	9/01/97	*
Women 11 through 16	10	49.4	S Chapman	Whakatane	6/01/98	*
Men	15	83.2	Roger Ayers	Whakatane	1/05/21	153.5
Women	15	66.2	Yvette Wells	Whangaroa	25/04/21	111.13
Men up to 11	15	42	Z McCall	Whakatane	5/12/98	n/a
Men 11 through 16	15	59.6	M McCarron	Te Kaha	13/01/95	*
Women 11 through 16	15	31.8	D Chapman	Whakatane	5/01/98	Vacant *
Men	24	86	l Van Houtte	Whangaroa	24/04/85	175
Women	24	79.6	N Blakeman	Whangaroa	3/03/23	116.12
Men up to 11	24	53.4	M Watson	Tutukaka	16/01/94	*
Women up to 11	24	28.4	Lola Scott	Bay of Islands	28/04/16	n/a
Men 11 through 16	24	69.5	S Robinson	Aldermen Is	11/02/96	*
Women 11 through 16	24	66.4	L Armstrong	Whakatane	16/01/05	n/a
Men	37	95	D Ireton	Whakatane	29/02/84	176.35
Women	37	92.1	Shirley Waterhouse	Rangitira Reef	12/02/16	122.47
Men up to 11	37	23.4	R Angus	Cavalli Isl	20/01/05	n/a
Men 11 through 16	37	83.1	Kaembal Taylor	Whangaroa	14/08/22	n/a
Men	60	80.2	Grant Curtis	Waihau Bay	24/02/18	193.68
Men 11 through 16	60	46.98	Cody Matthews	North Cape	7/01/21	n/a
Women	60	76.6	Donna Pascoe	North Cape	21/02/17	142.42
F – Junior	WORLD		Ashley Eslick	Purerto Vallarta, Mexico	8/07/05	113.39
F – Smallfry	WORLD		Jessica Harvey	Hannibal Bank, Panama	28/02/01	89.81
M – Junior	WORLD		Keith Brandner	Puerto Vallarta, Mexico	7/08/10	109.43
M - Smallfry	WORLD		Christopher Myrtle	Gulf of Mexico Louisiana	20/09/02	76.18

Fly Records						
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	10	37	M Kitteridge	Whakatane	28/02/99	48.6

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WAHOO Scientific Name – Acanthocybium solandri						
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Women	All Tackle	28.3	C Elmiger	Cape Runaway	16/03/05	83.46
Men	15	24.4	J Thomas	Bay of Islands	17/03/99	57.6
Men 11 through 16	15	24.4	J Thomas	Bay of Islands	17/03/99	n/a
Women	15					49.24
Men	24	29.4	J Flavell	Houhora	24/03/99	71.89
Women	24	22.6	J Finlayson	Bay of Islands	3/04/99	69.62
Men 11 through 16	24	23.2	L Parrish	Bay of Islands	15/04/99	n/a
Women 11 through 16	24	20.4	J Milnes	Tauranga	4/04/99	n/a





Men	37	40.4	D Harrap	Parengarenga	19/03/00	70.53
Women	37	28.3	C Elmiger	Cape Runaway	16/03/05	83.46
Women 11 through 16	37	26.2	S Dickson	Cavalli Islands	14/03/99	n/a
Women	60					51.25
F – Junior	WORLD		Sara Hayward	Cabo San Lucas, Mexico	29/07/05	83.46
F – Smallfry	WORLD		Noelle Avazino	West Delta 133, Venice	11/10/06	27.26
M – Junior	WORLD		Bobby Krug	Montauk, New York, USA	23/09/07	51.7
M – Smallfry	WORLD		Anthony Santorufo	Cabo San Lucas, Mexico	25/03/00	48.3
M – Smallfry	WORLD		Anthony Santorufo	Cabo San Lucas, Mexico	25/03/00	48.3

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CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	All Tackle	52 Tie	M Godfrey	Tauranga	5/02/84	
		52	D Lugton	Whakatane	9/01/87	
Women	All Tackle	47	S Ruane	Tauranga	23/02/91	
Men	1	15.22	G Spaabaek	Whangaparaoa	17/01/99	15.22
Women	1					2.25
Men	2	15.5	M Feldman	Mangonui	23/09/84	15.5
Women	2	13.26	Jeanette Franks	Cavalli Islands	7/06/20	13.26
Men 11 through 16	2	4.44	C Reynolds	Whakatane	6/07/97	*
Women 11 through 16	2	6.69	M Thornborough	White Island	4/01/03	n/a
Men	3	20	C Lambert	Cape Karikari	26/05/04	20
Women	3	20.1	H Sheard	Cavalli Islands	29/08/09	20.1
Men 11 through 16	3	7.58	J Lydiard	Tauranga	19/04/06	n/a
Women 11 through 16	3	16.48	A Spaabaek	Hauraki Gulf	19/01/01	n/a
Women up to 11	3	15.4	Lola Scott	Bay of Islands	20/04/19	
Men	4	31.5	W Hobson	Hauraki Gulf	21/02/99	31.5
Women	4	25.4	I Van Der Linden	Auckland	7/06/87	25.4
Men up to 11	4	13.44	Marlin Candy	Whangaroa	22/05/18	n/a
Women up to 11	4	4.94	J Keeber	Whakatane	14/09/02	n/a
Men 11 through 16	4	17.3	Sam Yendell	Cavalli Islands	1/07/16	n/a
Women 11 through 16	4	15.06	Lidija Cowan	Cavalli Islands	14/05/14	n/a
Men	6	37.8	M Smith	Home Point	13/06/07	37.8
Women	6	30.6	Anna Smith	Cavalli Islands	5/06/17	30.6
Men up to 11	6	17.6	Charlie Rowe	Cavalli Islands	28/06/20	n/a
Men 11 through 16	6	24.2	B Robinson	Waihau Bay	12/04/96	*
Women 11 through 16	6	18.7	Shakaya Turner	Cavalli Islands	11/06/09	n/a
Women up to 11	6	17.07	Lindi Rowe	Cavalli Islands	14/08/22	n/a
Men	8	32.9	M MacGibbon	Tutukaka	26/03/87	32.9
Women	8	39.4	Jane Rooke	Cavalli Island	27/07/14	39.4
Men up to 11	8	21	J Winter	Tairua	9/02/08	n/a
Women up to 11	8	13.25	Ella Davey	Cavalli Islands	16/05/21	n/a
Men 11 through 16	8	32.6	Adam Herk	Cape Brett	9/06/13	n/a
Women 11 through 16	8	24.8	K Cates	Cavalli Islands	6/08/98	*
Men	10	44.94	B Renata	Mayor Island	4/02/10	44.94
Women	10	33	D Williamson	Bay of Islands	8/09/87	33
Men up to 11	10	23.7	D Loveridge	Cavalli Islands	10/07/15	n/a
Women up to 11	10	13.2	Ella Davey	Cavalli Islands	16/05/21	n/a
Men 11 through 16	10	33.35	M Peters	Gisborne	9/03/02	n/a
Women 11 through 16	10	17.06	Hannah Hope	White Island	18/02/13	n/a
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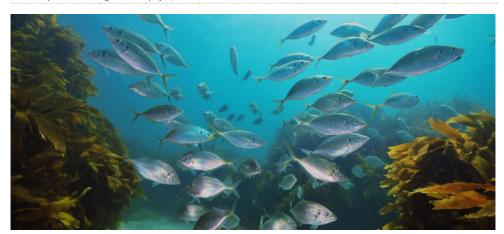




Men	15	52	M Godfrey	Tauranga	5/02/84	52
Women	15	43.8	A Syben	Whakatane	13/12/97	43.8
Men up to 11	15	31.3	Ethan Jones	Mayor Island	30/09/13	n/a
Women up to 11	15	26.4	T Franks	Cavallis Islands	4/05/96	*
Men 11 through 16	15	31.8	L Stephens	Cape Karikari	16/12/96	*
Women 11 through 16	15	18.6	Hayley Hope	White Island	16/02/13	n/a
Men	24	52	D Lugton	Whakatane	9/01/87	52
Women	24	47	S Ruane	Tauranga	23/02/91	47
Men up to 11	24	20.32	M Colville	Kawau Island	12/04/98	Vacant *
Women up to 11	24	26.1	K Randrup	Cape Runaway	1/01/05	n/a
Men 11 through 16	24	32.4	J Barker	Houhora	14/04/96	*
Women 11 through 16	24	28	G Angus	Middlesex Bank	10/04/02	n/a
Men	37	50.6	R Williams	Ranfurly Banks	13/03/10	50.6
Women	37	43.2	P Adams	Whakatane	13/12/93	43.2
Men 11 through 16	37	42.6	Maddy Herlihy	White Island	5/01/09	n/a
Men up to 11	37	16.3	Mason De Raat	Mayor Island	18/09/22	n/a
Women 11 through 16	37	23.2	Hannah Hope	White Island	16/03/13	n/a
Men	60	43.09	J Bayliss	Whakatane	11/04/75	43.09
Women	60	36.74	P Jack	Mayor Island	18/05/60	36.74
F – Junior	WORLD	28	Gemma Angus	Middlesex Bank, NZ	10/04/02	28
F – Smallfry	WORLD	26.1	Kelsey Marie Randrup	Cape Runaway, NZ	11/01/05	26.1
M – Junior	WORLD	42.7	Kieran Pullman	Mimiwhangata, NZ	17/05/08	42.7
M – Smallfry	WORLD	31.6	Ethan Owen Jones	Mayor Island, NZ	29/07/13	31.6

Fly Records						
CLASS	LINE CLASS KG	WEIGHT [KG]	ANGLER	LOCATION	DATE	WORLD RECORD WEIGHT KG
Men	2	2.08	Louie Denolfo	Whakatane	29/12/91	2.32
Men	3	5.16	M Kitteridge	White Island	30/01/01	5.16
Men	4	16.44	K James	Rarawa Beach	25/07/05	16.44
Men	6	14.51	Dr ME Godfrey	Tauranga	12/05/79	14.51
Women	6	6	Dotty Ballantyne	White Island	23/11/17	6
Men	8	19.75	Dr ME Godfrey	Tauranga	8/06/86	19.75
Men	10	25.2	Stephane Uzan	Bay of Plenty	21/01/98	25.2
Women	10	5.89	V Linville	White Island	21/12/07	5.89

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NZSFC FISHING RULES & REGULATIONS



SECTION 1: INTRODUCTION

1.1 Understanding this document

This document contains the Angling Rules and Regulations for the New Zealand Sportfishing Council (NZSFC).

The basis of the rules is the International Game Fish Association International (IGFA) Angling Rules, which are set by IGFA. Where IGFA updates any rule, then that rule automatically supersedes the IGFA sourced wording within this document.

Within Section 2 of this document, the wording sourced from the IGFA Rules is shown as black text. NZSFC additions are shown in Section 2 are in red text. The combination of the two for NZSFC rules and regulations. Any angler wishing to fish strictly by IGFA rules only should refer to that set of rules (only).

NZSFC promotes Tagging and Releasing of Gamefish, and a number of additional NZSFC rules are applied to address this including the definition of when a fish is caught. There are also other NZSFC rules and regulations added to this document that relate to New Zealand specifically, including alignment with NZ angling practices and fisheries management. These rules can only be amended at the NZSFC Annual General Meeting following constitutional requirements.

1.2 Records

There are records kept by IGFA (internationally), NZSFC and NZACA (NZ only). This document includes the IGFA rules. A full list of the IGFA record categories and requirements is available from IGFA.

This document includes a complete list of requirements/categories for NZSFC Records. NZSFC maintains NZ records for all NZ Anglers. Information regarding process and fees payable are included in Section 2.

1.3 NZSFC Awards and Trophies

NZSFC provide awards and trophies for members of NZSFC affiliated clubs. This includes day members.

1.4 General

As these IGFA fishing regulations are for world record claims, these rules have been extended by the NZSFC for better understanding to enable them to be more suited for club trophies and tournaments. Any club who is considering running a fishing tournament with high value prizes should extend these fishing rules further to cover any circumstances pertaining to their club and sponsors requirements.

These fishing rules and regulations must be used for NZSFC National Record Claims. These fishing rules and regulations must be used in the Annual NZSFC National Fishing Tournament.

Any Club or organization using these Rules and Regulations do so at their own risk. The NZSFC does not accept any responsibility in the use of these rules and regulations in any other Tournaments.

SECTION 2: IGFA RULES INCLUDING NZSEC ADDITIONS

Note: In section 2 - Black Text are IGFA sourced Rules, NZSFC additions are shown in Red Text.

The following angling rules have been formulated by the International Game Fish Association (IGFA) to promote ethical and sporting analing practices, to establish uniform regulations for the compilation of world game fish records, and to provide basic angling guidelines for use in fishing tournaments and any other group angling activities.

The word "angling" is defined as catching or attempting to catch fish with a rod, reel, line, and hook as outlined in the IGFA International Angling Rules. There are some aspects of angling that cannot be controlled through rule making, how-ever. Angling regulations cannot insure an outstanding performance from each fish, and world records cannot indicate the amount of difficulty in catching the fish. Captures in which the fish has not fought or has not had a chance to fight do not reflect credit on the fisherman, and only the angler can properly evaluate the degree of achievement in establishing the record.

Only fish caught in accordance with IGFA International Angling Rules, and within the intent of these rules, will be considered for world records. Following are the rules for freshwater and saltwater fishing and a separate set of rules for All-Tackle Length and fly fishina.

RULES FOR FISHING IN FRESHWATER AND **SALTWATER**

(Also see Rules for Fly-fishing)

EQUIPMENT REGULATIONS

A. LINE AND BACKING

- 1. Monofilament, multifilament, and lead core multifilament lines may be used. For line classes. see World Record Requirements.
- 2. Wire lines are prohibited.
- 3. The use of backing is permissible.
- 4. The catch shall be classified under the breaking strength of the first 16.5 feet (5 meters) of line directly preceding the double line, leader, or hook. This section must be comprised of a single, homogeneous piece of line and may not exceed 60 kilogram (130 pound) line class.





B. DOUBLE LINE

The use of a double line is not required. If one is used, it must meet the following specifications:

- 1. A double line must consist of the actual line used to catch the fish.
- 2. Double lines are measured from the start of the knot, braid, roll or splice making the double to the farthermost end of the knot, splice, snap, swivel or other device used for securing the trace, leader, lure or hook to the double line.

Saltwater species: In all line classes up to and including 10 kilograms (20 pounds), the double line shall be limited to 4.57 meters (15 feet). The combined length of the double line and leader shall not exceed 6.1 meters (20 feet). The double line on all classes of tackle over 10 kilograms (20 pounds) shall be limited to 9.14 meters (30 feet). The combined length of the double line and leader shall not exceed 12.19 meters (40 feet).

Freshwater species: The double line on all classes of tackle shall not exceed 6 feet (1.82 meters). The combined length of the double line and the leader shall not exceed 10 feet (3.04 meters).

C. LEADER

If a leader is used, it must meet the following specifications: The length of the leader is the overall length including any lure, hook arrangement or other device, and is measured to the bend of the last hook. The leader must be connected to the line with a snap, knot, splice, swivel or other device. Holding devices are prohibited. There are no regulations regarding the material or strength of the leader.

Saltwater species: In all line classes up to and including 10 kilograms (20 pounds), the leader shall be limited to 4.57 meters (15 feet). The combined length of the double line and leader shall not exceed 6.1 meters (20 feet). The leader on all classes of tackle over 10 kilograms (20 pounds) shall be limited to 9.14 meters (30 feet). The combined length of the double line and leader shall be limited to 12.19 meters (40 feet).

Freshwater species: The leader on all classes of tackle shall be limited to 1.82 meters (6 feet). The combined length of the double line and leader shall not exceed 3.04 meters (10 feet).

D. ROD

- 1. Rods must comply with sporting ethics and customs. Considerable latitude is allowed in the choice of a rod, but rods giving the angler an unfair advantage will be disqualified. This rule is intended to eliminate the use of unconventional rods.
- 2. The rod tip must be a minimum of 101.6 centimeters (40 inches) in length. The rod butt cannot exceed 68.58 centimeters (27 inches) in

length. These measurements must be made from a point directly beneath the center of the reel. A curved butt is measured in a straight line. When the rod butt is placed in a gimbal, the measurement from the center of the reel seat to the pivot point of the gimbal can be no more than 68.58 centimeters (27 inches). (The above measurements do not apply surfcasting rods.)

E. REEL

- 1. Reels must comply with sporting ethics and customs.
- 2. Power driven reels of any kind are prohibited. This includes motor, hydraulic, or electrically driven reels, and any device, which gives the angler an unfair advantage.
- 3. Ratchet handle reels are prohibited.4. Reels designed to be cranked with both hands at the same time are prohibited.

F. HOOKS FOR BAIT FISHING

- 1. For live or dead bait fishing no more than two single hooks may be used. Both must be firmly embedded in or securely attached to the bait. The eves of the hooks must be no less than a hooks length (the length of the largest hook used) apart and no more than 45.72 centimeters(18 inches) apart. The only exception is that the point of one hook may be passed through the eye of the other hook. A hook may not precede bait, lure or bait/lure combo by more than one hooks length.
- 2. The use of a dangling or swinging hook is prohibited. Double or treble hooks are prohibited.
- 3. A two-hook rig for bottom fishing is acceptable if it consists of two single hooks on separate leaders or drops. Both hooks must be embedded in the respective baits and separated sufficiently so that a fish caught on one hook cannot be foul-hooked by the other.
- 4. A photograph or sketch of the hook arrangement must accompany all record applications made for fish caught on two-hook tackle.

G. HOOKS AND LURES

1. When using an artificial lure with a skirt or trailing material, no more than two single hooks may be attached to the line, leader, or trace. The hooks need not be attached separately. The eyes of the hooks must be no less than an overall hook's length (the overall length of the largest hook used) apart and no more than 12 inches (30.48 cm) apart. The only exception is that the point of one hook may be passed through the eye of the other hook. The trailing hook may not extend more than a hook's length beyond the skirt of the lure. A hook may not precede bait, lure or bait/lure combo by more than





- one hook's length. A photograph or sketch showing the hook arrangement must accompany a record application.
- 2. Gang hooks are permitted when attached to plugs and other artificial lures that are specifically designed for this use. Gang hooks must be free swinging and shall be limited to a maximum of three hooks (single, double, or treble, or a combination of any three). Baits may not be used with gang hooks. A photograph or sketch of the plug or lure must be submitted with record applications.
- 3. Assist hooks or other such single hooks that are attached to a lure with a lead constructed of monofilament, multifilament, wire or other such material must conform to the following: When using assist hooks on any artificial lure, other than a skirted lure, the lead cannot be more than 1 1/2 hook's length and the bend of the hook may not be more than 4 inches (101mm)whichever is less, from the closest point of attachment on the lure. Double and treble hooks may not be used as assist hooks.
- 4. Only one lure containing hooks may be used at a time.

H. OTHER EQUIPMENT

- 1. Fighting chairs may not have any mechanically propelled devices that aid the angler infighting a
- 2. Gimbals must be free swinging, which includes gimbals that swing in a vertical plane only. Any gimbal that allows the angler to reduce strain or to rest while fighting the fish is prohibited.
- 3. Gaffs and nets used to boat or land a fish must not exceed 8 feet (2.44 meters) in overall length. In using a flying or detachable gaff the rope may not exceed 30 feet (9.14 meters). The gaff rope must be measured from the point where it is secured to the detachable head to the other end. Only the effective length will be considered. If a fixed head gaff is used, the same limitations shall apply and the gaff rope shall be measured from the same location on the gaff hook. Only a single hook is permitted on any gaff. Choke ropes must not exceed 30 ft (9.14 meters) including the wire or chain on one end. Harpoon or lance attachments are prohibited. Tail ropes are limited to 30 feet (9.14 meters). (Once the catch is alongside and under control and the crew are unable to lift the fish on board, an anchor rope or block and tackle may be attached to the tail or gaff rope to bring the catch on board as long as the crew can verify it was not used in the fight of the fish). (When fishing from a bridge, pier or other high platform or structure, this length limitation does not apply).
- 4. Entangling devices, either with or without a hook, are prohibited and may not be used for any purpose including baiting, hooking, fighting or

- landing the fish.
- 5. Outriggers, down riggers, spreader bars and kites are permitted to be used provided that the actual fishing line is attached to the snap or other release device, either directly or with some other material. The leader or double line may not be connected to the release mechanism either directly or with the use of a connecting device. Spreader bars are also acceptable when used strictly as a teaser.
- 6. Daisy chains, birds, floats and similar devices may only be used if they do not unfairly hamper or inhibit the normal swimming or fighting ability of the fish, thereby giving the angler or crew an unfair advantage in fighting, landing or boating the fish.
- 7. A safety line may be attached to the rod, reel or harness provided that it does not in any way assist the angler in fighting the fish.
- 8. Tag poles must not exceed 12 feet (3.66 meters) in length.

ANGLING REGULATIONS

- 1. From the time that a fish strikes or takes a bait or lure, the angler must hook, fight, and land or boat the fish without the aid of any other person, except as provided in these regulations.
- 2. If a rod holder is used once the fish is hooked, the angler must remove the rod from the holder as quickly as possible.
- 3. In the event of a multiple strike on separate lines being fished by a single angler, only the first fish fought by the angler will be considered for a world record.
- 4. If a double line is used, the intent of the regulations is that the fish will be fought on the single line most of the time that it takes to land the fish.
- 5. A harness may be attached to the reel or rod, but not to the fighting chair. The harness maybe replaced or adjusted by a person other than the
- 6. Use of a rod belt or waist gimbal is permitted.
- 7. When angling from a boat, once the leader is brought within the grasp of the mate, or the end of the leader is wound to the rod tip, more than one person is permitted to hold the leader. Anyone assisting a shore-bound or wading angler must be within a rods length of the angler before touching the leader or netting or gaffing the fish.
- 8. One or more gaffers may be used in addition to persons holding the leader. The gaff handle must be in hand when the fish is gaffed
- 9. The angling and equipment regulations shall apply until the fish is weighed.
- 10. In the event of an angler wishing to re-use a successful lure on the same day, the leader must





- be cut on a 45 degree angle at the swivel top or loop end. Both pieces together with the re-rigged lure must be presented to the weighmaster or judge that day.
- 11. Any catch will not be deemed to be complete until after the catch is weighed. In the event of a fish being tagged, the catch will be deemed complete when the tag is inserted in the fish. Subject to verification of weighing or releasing requirements.
- 12. When tagging a fish, the tag pole must be held at all times.
- 13. Only fish tagged with tags supplied or approved by Council will be recognised. Fish are tagged for the purpose of research.
- 14. Tag cards should be handed into weighmasters as soon as possible after the fish are tagged
- 15. Any fish tagged while still in the water should be alongside the boat and under control so the tag can be placed correctly.
- 16. The council strongly recommends that non off-set circle hooks be used when live baiting for any species. This will give fish a better chance of survival when tagged & released.

DEFINITION OF WHEN A FISH IS CAUGHT:

- 1. When landing or boating a fish the leader, if used, should be in hand before it is gaffed.
- 2. Time of Capture For the purposes of competitions or awards, time of capture shall be when the fish is boated or landed (weighed fish) or is successfully tagged and released or released.
- 2a. The catch will not be confirmed as caught until the fish is weighed or the tag card is presented. The intention is that all angling regulations & rules, including equipment used, to entice, hook, fight, land and secure the catch must comply with all IGFA International Angling rules & NZSFC fishing rules until the fish has been weighed or tagged and released. Once a fish is gaffed it cannot be tagged and released.
- 3. In the event of a fish being tagged for releasing the leader should be in hand when the tag is inserted into the fish. When the tag is inserted the catch is deemed complete. The leader then can be intentionally cut as close to the fish as possible, or the hooks removed, or the fish releases itself.
- 4. In the event of a fish being released without tagging the fish is deemed caught and released when the leader is in hand and the leader is intentionally cut as close to the fish as possible, or the hook is removed.
- 5. A fish that has been tagged and the leader in hand still uncut and attached to the fish, maybe gaffed and weighed if the angler considers that it is unlikely to survive or for any other reason. The tag must remain in the fish until it is weighed and then

- removed and returned to the tag card.
- 6. When fly fishing it is not necessary to have the leader in hand and when a fish is released without tagging the fish should be within tagging or gaffing distance when released

The following acts will disqualify a catch:

- 1. Failure to comply with equipment or angling regulations.
- 2. The act of persons other than the angler in touching any part of the rod, reel, or line(including the double line) either bodily or with any device, from the time a fish strikes or takes the bait or lure, until the fish is either landed or released, or in giving any aid other than that allowed in the rules and regulations. If an obstacle to the passage of the line through the rod guides has to be removed from the line, then the obstacle (whether chum, float line, rubber band, or other material) shall be held and cut free. Under no circumstances should the line be held or touched by anyone other than the angler during this process.
- 3. Returning the rod to the rod holder, resting the rod in a rod holder, on the gunwale of the boat, or any other object while playing the fish. The rod being passed to the angler after the fish has taken the bait or lure.
- 4. Handlining or using a handline or rope attached in any manner to the angler's line or leader for the purpose of holding or lifting the fish.
- 5. Shooting, harpooning, or lancing any fish (including sharks and halibuts) at any stage of the catch.
- 6. Chumming with or using as bait the flesh, blood, skin or any part of mammals other than hair or pork rind used in lures designed for trolling or casting.
- 7. Using a boat or device to beach or drive a fish into shallow water in order to deprive the fish of its normal ability to swim.
- 8. Changing the rod or reel while the fish is being
- 9. Splicing, removing, or adding to the line while the fish is being played.
- 10. Intentionally foul-hooking a fish.
- 11. Catching a fish in a manner that the double line never leaves the rod tip.12. Using a size or kind of bait that is illegal to possess.
- 13. Attaching the angler's line or leader to part of a boat or other object for the purpose of holding or lifting the fish.
- 14. If a fish escapes before gaffing, or netting, and is recaptured by any method other than as outlined in the analina rules.
- 15. Holding or touching an angler in a manner that assists them in fighting the fish or takes pressure off the angler. Touching or briefly holding the angler to prevent them from falling does not constitute a disqualification.





- 16. When live baiting and the deckhand or any other person other than the angler is holding the rod when the fish takes the bait.
- 17. If a fish escapes before gaffing, netting, tagging, or deliberately releasing it, it will be considered a free swimming fish and will not be regarded as a catch.
- 18. That any marlin or shark intentionally taken out of the water to be Tagged and released will be disqualified.
- 19. If the tag pole is used in a manner of a Harpoon, when tagging a fish or when it leaves the hand.

The following situations will disqualify a catch:

- 1. When a rod breaks (while the fish is being played) in a manner that reduces the length of the tip below minimum dimensions or severely impairs its angling characteristics.
- 2. Mutilation to the fish, prior to landing or boating the catch, caused by sharks, other fish, mammals, or propellers that remove or penetrate the flesh. (Injuries caused by leader or line, scratches, old healed scars or regeneration deformities are not considered to be disqualifying injuries). Any mutilation on the fish must be shown in a photograph and fully explained in a separate report accompanying the record application.
- 3. When a fish is hooked or entangled on more than one line.
- 4. When a catch violates laws or regulations governing the species or the waters where it was caught.

NZSFC/IGFA WORLD RECORD REQUIREMENTS

Game fish catches can only be considered for record status if they are caught according to the IGFA/NZSFC Angling Rules. Following is information on world record categories, requirements and procedures for filing claims.

All materials submitted as part of the application process become the property of IGFA.

WORLD AND NZ RECORD CATEGORIES

GENERAL INFORMATION

IGFA maintains world records for both freshwater and saltwater game fish in All-Tackle, All-Tackle Length. Line Class, Tippet Class and Junior and Smallfry categories. In order to qualify for a record, a catch must be a minimum of .453 kg. (1 lb.) in weight, and must outweigh the existing record by the required amount or meet the minimum weight requirement for vacant records.

No applications will be accepted for fish caught in hatchery waters, sanctuaries or small bodies of water that are stocked with fish for commercial purposes. The intent of this rule shall prevail and IGFA retains the

right to determine its applicability on a case by case basis. The catch must not be at variance with any laws or regulations governing recreational catch or harvest of the species or waters in which it is caught.

When an additional species of game fish is made eligible for IGFA All-Tackle Length, Line Class, Tippet Class, Junior or Smallfry world records, the effective date will be announced by the IGFA. Fish caught on or after the effective date will be eligible for records. Announcement of an additional species in the World Record Game Fishes book or in other IGFA communications will be considered proper notification in lieu of any other notice.

If an angler submits more than one application for the same record, caught on the same day, only the heaviest or longest of the fish will be accepted.

If claiming a World Record, fees apply - it will automatically become a New Zealand record once ratified as a World Record. For Junior & Smallfry Records the lines need to be tested for NZ Records just as long as it is caught on a line class that IGFA allows for the species and line weight used. IGFA have no line classes for Junior & Smallfry Records.

Where the current NZSFC recognized Line class exceeds the current IGFA line class, then that record shall stand for ongoing competition.

FISH SPECIES RECOGNISED BY NZSFC:

The NZSFC recognises all species of fish that IGFA recognise that can be caught in NZ waters, all line class species selected will be published in our yearbook, and all other species will be published on our website.

ALL-TACKLE

All-Tackle World Records are kept for the heaviest fish of a species caught by an angler in any Line Class up to 60kilogram (130 lb). All-Tackle record claims are considered for all species of fish caught according to the IGFA International Angling Rules.

Applications for All-Tackle species not currently included in the IGFA Line Class and Tippet Class listings must meet the following criteria:

- 1. The fish must represent a valid species with a recognized scientific name.
- 2. The fish must be identifiable based on photos and other supporting data presented with the application.
- 3. The fish must be considered "trophy sized." A rule of thumb is that the weight must fall within the top half of the maximum reported weight for the species. If no maximum weight is available, it must fall within the top half of the maximum reported length for the species. Maximum reported weight and length for species may be found at www.fishbase.org or from other reputable sources.





ALL-TACKLE LENGTH

All-Tackle Length World Records are kept for the longest fish of each eligible species caught according to the IGFA International Angling Rules in any Line Class up to 60 kg. (130 lb.) and released alive.

NATIONAL LENGTH RECORDS

Any measuring devices approved by the NZSFC can be used. Any board other than the IGFA Board will not be allowed for World Records. There are only 5 species that IGFA currently recognise and they are albacore, kahawai, snapper, skipjack tuna and yellowtail kingfish.

Trevally, John Dory & Blue Cod are added for NZ purposes, plus any other species that the NZSFC so nominate from time to time.

JUNIOR

Junior World Records are kept for the heaviest fish of each eligible species in any Line Class up to 60 kg. (130 lb.). Junior records are kept for both male and female anglers ages 11-16. All species recognized for Line Class records and Tippet Class records are also recognized for Junior records. All IGFA International Angling Rules apply, with the exception that fish do not have to be weighed on land.

SMALLFRY

Smallfry World Records are kept for the heaviest fish of each eligible species in any Line Class up to 60 kg. (130 lb.). Smallfry records are kept for both male and female anglers ages 10 and under. All species recognized for Line Class records and Tippet Class records are also recognized for Smallfry records. All IGFA International Angling Rules apply, with the exception that fish do not have to be weighed on land.

LINE CLASS

Line Class world records are kept for each eligible species according to the breaking strength of the first 5 meters (16.5 feet) of line directly preceding the double line, leader or hook. This section must be comprised of a single, homogeneous piece of line. For all Line Class records, the weight of the fish must be at least ½ of the Line Class used to make the catch.

TIPPET CLASS

Tippet Class world records are kept for the eligible species according to the breaking strength of the class tippet. For all Tippet Class records, the weight of the fish must be at least ½ of the Tippet Class used to make the catch. World records are kept in the following Line and Tippet classes:

LINE CLASSES		
Metric (Kilogram)	U.S.(Pound)	
1	2.20	
2	4.40	
3	6.61	
4	8.81	
6	13.22	
8	17.63	
10	22.04	
15	33.06	
24	52.91	
37	81.57	
60	132.27	

LINE TESTING

The IGFA tests all line and tippet samples submitted with world record claims using the metric system, which varies slightly from the imperial measurement system. For example, the imperial measurement system equivalent of 4 kg. is 8.81 lb. Thus, line designated by the manufacturer as 8lb. class line may test up to 8.81 lbs. (4 kg.) to qualify for a 4kg. (8 lb.) Line Class world record. The imperial measurement system equivalents in pounds for the metric Line Classes are as follows:

- Line and tippet samples submitted with record claims are uniformly tested in accordance with IGFA protocols.
- Note: IGFA offers both line and tippet testing service for IGFA members

LINE CLASS	ES
Metric (Kg)	U.S.(Pound)
1	2
2	4
3	6
4	8
6	12
8	16
10	20
15	30
24	50
37	80
60	130

Metric (Kg)	U.S.(Pound)			
1	2			
2	4			
3	6			
4	8			
6	12			
8	16			
10	20			



RECORD CATCH REGULATIONS

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Protested applications or disputed existing records will be referred to the IGFA Rules Committee for review. Rules Committee decisions may be appealed to the IGFA Board of Trustees. IGFA reserves the right to refuse to consider an application or grant a claim for a record application. All IGFA decisions will be based upon the intent of the regulations.
- Any and all claims and/or disputes regarding the IGFA International Angling Rules shall be governed by and construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida without regard to such jurisdiction's conflict of laws principles. In the event that parties are unable to mutually resolve any dispute, controversy or claim arising out of, in connection with, or in relation to the IGFA International Analina Rules, such dispute, controversy or claim shall be resolved by litigation; in that connection, each of the parties to such dispute hereby:
 - (i) irrevocably and unconditionally consents to submit itself to the sole and exclusive personal jurisdiction of any federal or state court located within Broward County, Florida (the "Applicable
 - (ii) waives any objection to the laying of sole and exclusive venue of any such litigation in any of the Applicable Courts,
 - (iii) agrees not to plead or claim in any such court that such litigation brought therein has been brought in an inconvenient forum and agrees not to otherwise attempt to deny or defeat such personal jurisdiction or venue by motion or other request for leave from any such court, and (iv) agrees that it will not bring any action, suit, or proceeding in connection with any dispute, claim or controversy arising out of or relating to the Angling Rules in any court or other tribunal other than any of the Applicable Courts. Nothing in this Section shall prevent enforcement in another forum of any judgment obtained in the Applicable Courts.
 - In the event that it shall become necessary for any party to take action of any type whatsoever to enforce the terms of the IGFA International Angling Rules, the prevailing Party shall be entitled to recover all its costs, including attorneys' fees, costs, and expenses, including all out of pocket expenses that are not taxable as costs, incurred in connection with any such action, including any negotiations, mediations, arbitrations, litigation, and appeal.
- The IGFA will not recognize or approve any IGFA World Record application where a financial award is offered for obtaining the record.

NEW ZEALAND RECORD CLAIMS

The Council will keep a Register of National records caught by its anglers.

To qualify for New Zealand record claims:-

- (a) Fish must be caught in NZSFC waters (b) All NZSFC fishing rules and angling regulations must be complied with at the time of catch
- To qualify for New Zealand records, all claims must be in the hands of the NZSFC records officer within sixty (60) days of the catch.
- New Zealand Sport Fishing Council adopt the IGFA minimum fish weight policy for the qualification of New Zealand record fishes. providing that fish meeting this minimum weight also exceed the minimum size regulations prescribed by the New Zealand Government
- A sample of the line used must accompany the claim. NZSFC to follow the same line samples requirements as IGFA. The line sample must be supplied in a form that can be easily unrolled for testing without tangling. In regard to Braid or any other IGFA permitted type line, if two lines are attached then both must be submitted for testina.
- The following photographs are required to accompany the claim:
 - (a) The full length of the fish, the rod & reel used to make the catch.
 - (b) The angler photographed with the fish.
 - (c) In the event of a Big Eye Tuna claim, a photo must also be submitted of the liver of the fish.
 - (d) A photo of the fish lying on its side with a tape or rule laying alongside the fish.
- All NZ Record Claims are open to all anglers in NZ. If the angler is not a member of a national body (NZSFC or Angling & Casting) at the time of capture there will be a fee of \$150 for the claim to be processed. If the angler is a non-member the fish will only qualify for a national record and no other trophies.
- Anglers with disabilities claiming record. Any angler with a disability will contest NZ records as listed. They may due to their disability make special procedures to enable them to angle a fish safely and mitigate a disability to enable them to fish. They will as far as physically possible fish within NZSFC and IGFA rules. Any departure from these rules is to be noted on the record application and the reason given. The award of the record in this special circumstance will need to pass the records officer requirements and assessment of a special panel of judges appointed from time to time by the Board. The record will be recorded in the appropriate category in the NZ records book





In some instances, an IGFA officer, IGFA representative or a representative from a local IGFA member club may be asked to recheck information supplied on a record application. Such action is not to be regarded as doubt of the formal affidavit, but rather as evidence of the extreme care with which IGFA investigates and maintains its records.

SPECIES IDENTIFICATION

- Photographs must be submitted by which 1. positive identification of the exact species can be made. Read the photographic requirements at the end of this section. Applications without photographs will not be accepted.
- If there is the slightest doubt that the fish cannot be properly identified from the photographs and other data submitted, the fish should be examined by an ichthyologist or qualified fishery biologist before a record application is submitted to IGFA. The scientist's signature, title and qualifications should appear on the IGFA record application form or on a separate document confirming the identification of the species.
- If a scientist is not available, the fish should be retained in a preserved or frozen condition until a qualified authority can verify the species or until notified by IGFA that the fish no longer needs to be retained.
- If no decision can be made from the photographs and the angler can provide no further proof of the identification of the species, the record claim will not be considered.

WITNESSES TO CATCH

On all record claims, witnesses to the catch are highly desirable. It is important that the witnesses can attest to the angler's compliance with the IGFA International Angling Rules and Equipment Regulations.

MINIMUM WEIGHT REQUIREMENTS

For all Line Class and Tippet Class categories, the catch must weigh at least ½ as much as the Line Class or Tippet Class. For example, a fish entered for the 6 kg. (12 lb.) Line Class or Tippet Class category must weigh a minimum of 2.72 kg. (6 lb.).

WEIGHTS NEEDED TO DEFEAT OR TIE RECORDS

- To replace a record for a fish weighing less than 11.33 kg. (25 lb.), the replacement must weigh at least 56.69 grams (2 ounces) more than the existing record.
- To replace a record for a fish weighing 11.33 kg. (25 lb.) or more, the replacement must weigh at least one half of one percent more than the existing record. For an existing record weighing 45.35 kg. (100 lb.), the additional weight required to defeat the record would be 226.7 grams (8 ounces).
- A catch that matches the weight of an existing

record or exceeds the weight by less than the amount required to defeat the record will be considered a tie. In the case of a tie claim involving more than two catches, the weight must be compared with the original record (i.e., the first fish caught). No catch weighing less than the original record will be considered. In the event of an angler tying an existing record they currently hold: the catch must weigh at least 28.35 grams (1 ounce) greater than their current record to qualify for a tie.

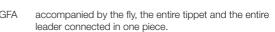
TIME LIMITS ON CLAIMS

With the exception of AllTackle World Records, claims for record fish caught in U.S. continental waters must be received by IGFA within 60 days of the date of catch. Claims for record fish caught in other waters must be received by IGFA within 90 days of the date of catch.

WEIGHING REQUIREMENTS

- All fish submitted for record consideration must be weighed on scales that have been certified for accuracy by government agencies or other qualified and accredited organizations within the past 12 months. Disinterested witnesses to the weight should be used whenever possible. If at the time of weighing the fish the scale has not been properly certified within the past twelve months, it must be checked and certified for accuracy as quickly as possible, and an official report stating the findings of the inspection prior to any adjustment of the scale must be included with the record application. A copy of the test certificate must be forwarded to the Secretary of the NZSFC before January 1 of each season.
- The weight of the sling, platform or rope (if one is used to secure the fish on the scales) must be determined and deducted from the total weight.
- No estimated weights will be accepted. With the exception of Junior and Smallfry records, fish must be weighed on land.
- Only weights indicated by the graduations on the scale will be accepted. Visual fractionalizing of these graduations is not allowed. Any weights that fall between two graduations on the scale must be rounded to the lower of the two.
- NZSFC/IGFA reserves the right to require any scale to be recertified for accuracy if there are any indications that the scale might not have weighed correctly.
- 7. All fish must be weighed by the person/s nominated by the club as the weighmaster of the club or on scales for which a current certification of accuracy is available.
- 8. NZSFC Clubs should set their own rules to cover the trucking of fish to weigh stations within their own recognised waters.





Note: IGFA offers a scale certification service for IGFA members at a fee of \$40 USD.

PREPARATION OF CLAIMS

To apply for a world record, the angler must submit a complete IGFA application form, the mandatory length of line and terminal tackle (described below) used to catch the fish, and acceptable photographs of the fish, the rod and reel used to catch the fish, the scale used to weigh the fish, and the angler with the fish.

APPLICATION FORM

A current, official IGFA world record application form must be used for record claims. This form may be found on the www.igfa.org website or in the World Record Game Fishes book. No other version of the application form will be accepted.

When making any record claim, the angler must indicate the specified strength of the line or tippet used to catch the fish. In the cases of Line Class and Tippet Class records, this will place the claim in an IGFA Line or Tippet Class category (see Line Class and Tippet Class categories). All lines and tippets will be examined by IGFA to verify the specified strength of the line. If the line or tippet over tests its class, the application will be considered in the next highest class. If the line or tippet under tests into a lower Line or Tippet Class, the application will not be considered for the lower Line Class or Tippet Class. The heaviest Line Class permitted for both freshwater and saltwater records is 60 kg. (130 lb.). The heaviest Tippet Class permitted for Tippet Class records is 10 kg. (20 lb.). If the line or tippet over tests these maximum strengths. the claim will be denied.

Extreme care should be exercised in measuring the fish, as the measurements are often important for weight verification and scientific studies. See the measurement diagram on the record application to be sure the fish is measured correctly.

The angler is responsible for obtaining the necessary signatures and correct addresses of the boat captain (where applicable), weighmaster (where applicable) and witnesses on the application. If an IGFA officer or representative, or an officer or member of an IGFA club is available, he or she should be asked to witness the claim. The angler must appear in person before a qualified authority to have an application notarized. In locations where notarization is not possible or customary, the signature of a government official, a member of an embassy, legation or consular staff or an IGFA officer or representative may replace notarization. Applications delivered to the IGFA Headquarters in person do not require notarization.

Any deliberate falsification of an application will disqualify the applicant for any future IGFA World Record and any existing records will be nullified.

LINE OR TIPPET SAMPLE

All applications caught on fly fishing tackle must be

All applications caught on conventional tackle must be accompanied by the entire leader (including the hook or hooks), the double line and at least 5 meters (16.5 feet) closest to the double line, leader or hook. All line samples and the leader (if one is used) are to be submitted in one piece. Broken or incomplete line samples must be accompanied by a full explanation. The IGFA reserves the right to reject applications with broken line samples that prevent it from testing the breaking strength and/or verifying the length of the double line and leader. If a lure is used with the leader, the leader should be cut at the eve attachment to the lure. Each line sample must be submitted in a manner that it can be easily unwound without damage to the line. A recommended method is to take a rectangular piece of stiff cardboard and cut notches in two opposite ends. Secure one end of the line to the cardboard and wind the line around the cardboard through the notched areas. Secure the other end. and write your name and the specified strength of the line on the cardboard. Any line sample submitted that is tangled or cannot be easily unwound will not be accepted.

PHOTOGRAPHIC REQUIREMENTS

Photographs showing the full length of the fish, the rod and reel used to make the catch, and the scale used to weigh the fish must accompany each record application. A photograph of the angler with the fish is also required.

For species identification, the clearest possible photos should be submitted. This is especially important in the cases of hybrids and fishes that may be confused with similar species. Shark applications should include a photograph of the shark's teeth and of the head and back taken from above in addition to the photographs taken from the side. Whether the shark has or does not have a ridge between the dorsal fins should be clearly evident in this photograph for identification purposes.

For best results, photograph the fish broadside to the camera so that no part of the fish is obscured. The fins should be fully extended and not obscured with the hands in cases where the number of spines and rays need to be counted. When photographing a fish lying on its side, the surface beneath the fish should be smooth and a ruler or marked tape placed beside the fish if possible. Photographs from various angles are most helpful. An additional photograph of the fish on the scale with actual weight visible is also helpful.

It is important that we have clear, publishable photographs of the fish and the angler, including action shots, if available. Original, high resolution digital files are preferred and will assist the IGFA in publicizing the world record catch. The IGFA encourages anglers to release record fish whenever





possible and we prefer to see photos of fish carefully being held horizontally, and not vertically, to prevent harming the fish.

FORMULAS FOR WEIGHTS & MEASURES

Persons submitting world record claims are required to provide the weights and measurements of the fish in the units in which they were taken. The following formulas are provided for your information.

WEIGHTS				
Ounces	Х	28.349	=	Grams
Ounces	Х	.02835	=	Kilograms
Pounds	Х	453.59	=	Grams
Pounds	Х	.45359	=	Kilograms
Grams	Х	.0353	=	Ounces
Grams	Х	.002	=	Pounds
Kilograms	Х	35.2736	=	Ounces
Kilograms	Х	2.2046	=	Pounds

MEASURES				
Inches	Χ	25.4	=	Millimeters
Inches	Χ	2.54	=	Centimeters
Feet	Х	30.48	=	Centimeters
Feet	Χ	0.3048	=	Meters
Millimeters	Х	.03937	=	Inches
Centimeters	Χ	.3937	=	Inches
Centimeters	Χ	.0328	=	Feet
Meters	Χ	39.27	=	Inches

NZSFC/IGFA FLYFISHING RULES

Equipment Regulations

A. LINE

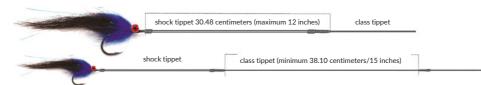
Any type of fly line and backing may be used. The breaking strength of the fly line and backing are not restricted.

B. LEADER

Leaders must conform to generally accepted fly fishing customs. A leader includes a class tippet and, optionally, a shock tippet. A butt or taper section between the fly line and the class tippet shall also be considered part of the leader and there are no limits on its length, material, or strength. A class tippet must be made of nonmetallic material and either attached directly to the fly or to the shock tippet if one is used.

The class tippet must be at least 38.10 centimeters (15 inches) long (measured inside connecting knots). With respect to knotless, tapered leaders, the terminal 38.10 centimeters (15 inches) will also determine tippet class. There is no maximum length limitation. A shock tippet, not to exceed 30.48 centimeters (12 inches) in length, may be added to the class tippet and tied to the fly. It can be made of any type of material, and there is no limit on its breaking strength. The shock tippet is measured from the eye of the hook to the single strand of class tippet and includes any knots used to connect the shock tippet to the class tippet. In the case of a tandem hook fly, the shock tippet shall be measured from the eye of the leading hook.

Shock tippet is not to exceed 30.48 centimeters (12 inches) in length measured from the eye of the hook to the single strand of class tippet and includes any knots used to connect the shock tippet to the tippet.



The class tippet must be at least 38.10 centimeters (15 inches) long (measured inside connecting knots). With respect to knotless, tapered leaders, the terminal 38.10 centimeters (15 inches) will also determine tippet.

C. ROD

Regardless of material used or number of sections. rods must conform and cast according to generally accepted fly fishing customs and practices. A rod shall not measure less than 1.82 meters (6 feet) in overall length and any rod that gives the angler an unsporting advantage will be disqualified. Overall butt length (including any extensions) may not exceed 15.24 centimeters (6 inches) when measured from the center of the reel foot to the end of the butt. Overall butt length for two handed or spey rods longer than 3.35 meters (11 feet) may not exceed 25.4 centimeters (10

inches) when measured from the center of the reel foot to the end of the butt.

D. REEL

The reel must be designed expressly for fly fishing. There are no restrictions on gear ratio or type of drag employed except where the angler would gain an unfair advantage. Electric or electronically operated reels are prohibited.

E. HOOKS

A conventional fly may be dressed on a single or double hook or two single hooks in tandem. The





second hook in any tandem fly must not extend beyond the wing material. The eyes of the hooks shall be no farther than 15.24 centimeters (6 inches) apart. Treble hooks are prohibited.

F. FLIES

The fly must be a recognized type of artificial fly, which includes streamer, bucktail, tube fly, wet fly, dry fly, nymph, popper and bug. The use of any other type of lure or natural or preserved bait, either singularly or attached to the fly, is expressly prohibited. The fact that a fly can be cast with a fly rod is not evidence in itself that it fits the definition of a fly. The use of any fly designed to entangle or foul hook a fish is prohibited. No scent, either natural or artificial is allowed on flies. The use of scented material in a fly is prohibited. Only a single fly is allowed with the exception of dropper flies that may be used only in the circumstances described below.

Dropper flies are permissible only for fishing for Salmonid species (e.g., trout, grayling, salmon, etc.) under the following configuration:

- Dropper flies may consist of no more than two flies fished in tandem that are surface flies. subsurface flies or a combination of the two.
- 2. The material connecting the two flies must be equal to or less than the breaking strength of the class tippet material connecting the lead fly to the fly leader.
- 3. Catches will be categorized by the breaking strength of the class tippet preceding the lead fly. no matter which fly the fish is caught on.







G. GAFFS AND NETS

Gaffs, tail snares and nets used to boat or land a fish must not exceed 2.44 meters (8 feet) in overall length. In the case of tail snares, overall length is defined as the distance from the beginning of the handle to the apex of the snare when loaded. This limitation does not apply when fishing from a bridge, pier or other

high stationary structure. The use of a flying gaff is not permitted. Only a single hook is permitted on any gaff. Harpoons or lances are prohibited. A rope or any extension cannot be attached to the gaff.

ANGLING REGULATIONS

- The angler must cast, hook, fight, and bring the fish to gaff or net unaided by any other person. No other person may touch any part of the tackle during the playing of the fish or give aid other than taking the leader for gaffing or netting purposes. Anyone assisting a shorebound or wading angler must be within a rods length of the angler before touching the leader or netting or gaffing the fish.
- 2. Casting and retrieving must be carried out in accordance with normal customs and generally accepted practices. The major criterion in casting is that the weight of the line must carry the fly rather than the weight of the fly carrying the line. Trolling a fly behind a moving water craft is not permitted. The craft must be completely out of gear both at the time the fly is presented to the fish and during the retrieve. The maximum amount of line that can be stripped off the reel is 36.75 meters (120 feet) from the fly.
- 3. Once a fish is hooked, the tackle may not be altered in any way, with the exception of adding an extension butt. A harness cannot be attached to the fly rod.
- 4. Fish must be hooked on the fly in use. If a small fish takes the fly and a larger fish swallows the smaller fish, the catch will be disallowed.
- 5. One or more people may assist in gaffing or netting the fish.
- 6. The angling and equipment regulations shall apply until the fish is weighed.

THE FOLLOWING ACTS WILL DISQUALIFY A CATCH:

- 1. Failure to comply with equipment or angling regulations.
- 2. The act of persons other than the angler in touching any part of the rod, reel, or line either bodily or with any device during the playing of the fish, or in giving any aid other than that allowed in the rules and regulations. If an obstacle to the passage of the line through the rod guides has to be removed from the line, then the obstacle shall be held and cut free. Under no circumstances should the line be held or touched by anyone other than the angler during this process.
- 3. Resting the rod on any part of the boat, or on any other object while playing the fish.
- 4. Handlining or using a handline or rope attached in any manner to the angler's line or leader for the purpose of holding or lifting the fish.
- 5. Intentionally foul hooking or snagging a fish.





- Shooting, harpooning, or lancing any fish (including sharks and halibut) at any stage of the catch.
- Chumming with the flesh, blood, skin, or any part of mammals.
- 8. Using a boat or device to beach or drive a fish into shallow water in order to deprive the fish of its normal ability to swim.
- 9. Attaching the angler's line or leader to part of a boat or other object for the purpose of holding or lifting the fish.
- 10. If a fish escapes before gaffing or netting and is recaptured by any method other than as outlined in the angling rules.
- 11. When a rod breaks (while the fish is being played) in a manner that reduces its length below minimum dimensions or severely impairs its analina characteristics.
- 12. When a fish is hooked or entangled on more than one line.
- 13. Mutilation to the fish, prior to landing or boating the catch, caused by sharks, other fish, mammals, or propellers that remove or penetrate the flesh. Injuries caused by leader or line, scratches, old healed scars or regeneration deformities are not considered to be disqualifying injuries. Any mutilation on the fish must be shown in a photograph and fully explained in a report accompanying the record application.
- 14. Holding or touching an angler in a manner that assists them in fighting the fish or takes pressure off of the angler. Touching or briefly holding the angler to prevent them from falling does not constitute a disqualification.

ALL-TACKLE LENGTH CATEGORY RULES

Catch-and-Release Only

GENERAL INFORMATION

All fish entered for All-Tackle Length World Records must be measured by anglers at the site of capture and released so that they swim away on their own and in good condition. Fish should be revived by moving them forward in the water to ensure a healthy release. Fish caught and entered for length records are not eliaible for weighing and submission for other record categories.

RULES AND EQUIPMENT REGULATIONS

All IGFA rules and equipment regulations stipulated for fishing with conventional and fly tackle in fresh and saltwater shall apply with the exceptions below. All angling and equipment regulations shall apply until the fish is measured and released alive.

A. Gaffs and nets

- The use of gaffs to land fish is prohibited.
- 2. Nets used to boat or land a fish must not exceed 2.44 meters (8 feet) in overall length. When fishing from a bridge, pier or other high stationary structure, this length limitation does not apply.
- 3. The use of knotless, rubber coated nets or other similarly designed nets that minimize slime and scale removal is strongly recommended.

B. Measuring device

- 1. All fish must be measured using the official IGFA measuring device.
- 2. The measuring device mat may be shortened by cutting it, but it may not be rejoined after it has been shortened.

ANGLING REGULATIONS

The following acts will disqualify a catch:

- 1. Failure to comply with IGFA equipment or angling rules.
- 2. If the fish dies during the documentation process, or does not swim away on its accord after release.

LENGTH RECORD REQUIREMENTS

All fish entered for All-Tackle Length World Records are subject to the same requirements stipulated for other record categories with the following additions and exceptions. Species eligible for All-Tackle Length World Records may be found in the World Record Game Fishes book or online at www.igfa.org.

Measuring requirements

- Fish must be measured using the official IGFA measuring device on a flat surface.
- The fish's snout must be touching the nose stop and free of lures or lifting devices.
- With the fish lying on top of the measuring device. measurements must be taken from the most forward part of the fish's snout to the rear center edge of the tail.
- 4. All measurements must be made in centimeters.
- 5. Fish that measure between centimeter increments shall be recorded at the lower of the two increments. For example, a fish that measures between 45 and 46 centimeters will have a recorded length of 45 centimeters.

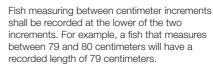
Order your IGFA Official Measuring Device at nzsportfishing.co.nz/shop



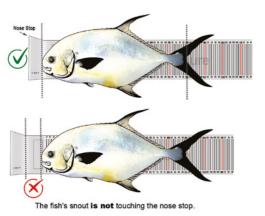


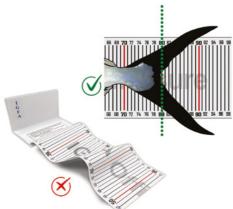


- With the fish lying on top of the measuring device, measurements must be taken from the most forward part of the fish's snout to the rear centre edge of the tail.
- The fish's snout must be touching the nose stop and be free of hands, flies or lifting devices.
- All measurements must be made in centimeters.



The fish must be measured using the official IGFA measuring device on a flat surface. There must be no wrinkles or overlaps in the device when measuring the permit.





NZSFC recommends that where a fish entirely covers the first portion of the measure mat fully obscuring the measure ruler numbers, then the fish should be photographed with the nose towards the upper or lower section of the stop to reveal measurement in full

B. Minimum length requirements for vacant records

Fish entered for vacant record categories must measure within the top half of that species maximum recorded length.

C. Minimum length requirements needed to defeat or tie existing records

- To defeat an existing record, the fish must measure at least two (2) centimeters longer than the existing record.
- 2. A catch that matches the length of an existing record or exceeds the length by less than two centimeters will be considered a tie. In the case of a tie claim involving more than two catches, length must be compared with the original record (first fish to be caught). Nothing measuring less than the original record will be considered. In the event of an angler tying an existing record they currently hold; the catch must measure at least one centimeter greater than their current record to qualify for a tie.

D. Photographic requirements

Photographs included with applications must contain the following:

- The full length of the fish on the measuring device clearly showing the position of the mouth and tail. The fish may be held in position, but must be done in a manner that does not obscure the view of the fish on the tape.
- 2. A close up showing the position of the fish's nose and tail on the measuring device.
- 3. The angler with the fish.
- The rod and reel used to make the catch.

GENERAL BEST HANDLING PRACTICES

To remove your fish from the water to document it for record purposes, anglers should use either hands or a knotless, rubberized landing net to minimize slime and scale loss. Lip gripping devices may be used to help subdue fish.





However, large fish should not be hoisted vertically out of the water, as this can cause damage to jaw muscle and bone as well as to internal organs. The best method for removing fish from the water by hand is to grip the fish or the lower law and support the fish's underside. Again, the point is always to hold fish horizontally and not vertically.

DOCUMENTATION

IGFA World Records require pictures and measurement and/or weighing of the catch. All of this takes time, so you should have the necessary equipment ready before landing the fish. If the documentation process takes longer than a minute, periodically place the fish back in the water or place in a live well to allow it to breathe.

RELEASING

Considerable care should be exercised when releasing fish. Fish should be placed in the water and held by the base of the tail. If the fish does not swim away from your grasp on its own, gently move it forward in the water to get water flowing over the gills. For best results, move the fish in the forward direction only instead of back and forth. Moving the fish in a slow circle or gently towing it.

SECTION 3: NZSFC REGULATIONS

These NZSFC regulations are provided to address New Zealand specific practices.

3.1 SPORT NZ (FORMERLY SPARC)

Appeals can be taken to the Sports Tribunal in respect of disciplinary matters or breaches of NZSFC fishing rules and regulations. Any appeals must be submitted within 28 days

3.2 NZSFC FISHING WATERS

To be eligible for NZSFC Awards/Trophies or New Zealand Records fish must be caught in the waters within 200 miles of the coasts of the two main islands of New Zealand including the Chatham Islands

3.3 CATCH SUMMARY SHEETS:

These must be completed and sent to the Council Secretary on a regular basis. They should include all fish weighed by the Club and all Tag Cards handled by the Club.

3.4 IGFA & NZSFC RULES

- When clubs are conducting their own tournaments - and visiting clubs are involved. they must make their own rules of entry.
- b) When members of unincorporated clubs are entering the Nationals and fishing for Council trophies they must prove they are a separate club in their own right and not part of another club.
- Clubs may conduct fishing tournaments for sustenance reasons without complying with NZSFC fishing rules and regulations (Section 7.5

of the constitution refers). Fish caught for these reasons will not qualify for any present Council awards or prizes.

3.5 COURTESY WEIGHING:

- All clubs are required to courtesy weigh fish (at no charge) for anglers of affiliated clubs within the recognised hours of the weigh stations operation of the club. A fee may only be charged to nonaffiliated fishers requesting a courtesy weigh. Clubs intending to charge for courtesy weighs for non-affiliates must advise Council of their intention and the fee to be charged at the beginning of the
- Anglers requiring a courtesy weigh or courtesy Tag & Release must present two completed weigh sheets /catch cards to the weighmaster (either on sheets / cards from the club providing the courtesy weigh, or their own club's sheets / cards prior to the fish being weighed. For Tag& Release, the weighmaster shall sight and check the completed Tag Card. The weighmaster shall retain / forward the Tag.

All club weigh sheets/catch cards shall have three additional tick boxes easily distinguishable near the particular Club's heading.

- i. Courtesy Weigh non-member
- ii. Copy
- iii. Courtesy Weigh NZSFC Affiliated Member. There shall be a line beside this box (suitably headed) to record the fishers Club and Membership No.
- When a fish is courtesy weighed the fish will be accredited for statistical purposes to the angler's club.
 - i. An inland club can negotiate with a coastal club to use their facilities as a satellite weigh station. This must be notified to the NZSFC Secretary. The tally goes to the inland club and the coastal club must be aware they can't count them in their own tally as well.
- d) The recognition of the angler weighing this fish is at the discretion of the anglers club.
- e) Courtesy weighs must be used where practical to ensure fish are recorded to the weigh stations within the area of catch.

3.6 PERMANENT WEIGH STATIONS:

As included with Club information in the NZSFC Yearbook.

3.7 CATCH FLAGS:

Catch flags are a symbolic and optional gesture to communicate a boat's catch.

ALBACORE - White Flag with Red Fish BROADBILL - Yellow flag with Black fish



MARLIN - Blue Flag with White Fish

TUNA - White Flag with Blue Fish

SHARK - Red flag with Black fish

YELLOWTAIL

KINGFISH - White Flag with Green Fish

WAHOO - White Flag Orange Fish

OTHER SPECIES - Yellow Flag

TAGGED FISH - Red with White T

Generally these flags measure 70 cm x 35 cm

Individual Club's should make their own arrangements with regard to the flying of flags whilst playing a fish.

3.8 MARLIN

a). It is recommended for all clubs affiliated to the NZSFC that the minimum weight for marlin is 90kg. The minimum weight should apply for award or contest purposes and is recommended as a guide to encourage tagging of marlin, with the exception of b) below.

It should not discourage any marlin landed being weighed even if it is assessed as being under the recommended 90 kg weight. All marlin presented to a club for weighing should be recorded and details forwarded to the NZSFC for statistical recording purposes.

- b). All club, NZ or world record claims will be recognised regardless of marlin weight if ratified.
- c). The NZSFC is to seek and provide regular information to clubs on tagging of marlin. This should include recommended techniques and equipment to enhance the initial placement of tags, the recovery of the fish and ultimately improved recapture rates of tagged marlin.

3.9 SHARKS

White Sharks are now protected in New Zealand so the records we have are 'historical' only. No Awards will be aiven.

3.10 TAGGING PROGRAMME

Species in the tagging programme:

- Broadbill
- All marlin species (excluding spearfish)
- Blue and Mako sharks
- Yellowtail Kingfish Kingfish in particular should be measured before letting them go
- Tuna

Tags (each) \$6.90 inclusive of GST

Tags - Nylon (Billfish) \$6.90 inclusive of GST

Please check nzsportfishing.co.nz for current pricing.

3.11 NEW ZEALAND SPORT FISHING COUNCIL **CALENDAR**

Last 8 days in February ending on the last Saturday NZSFC Nationals

April School holidays

Youth Nationals

1st July each year

Fish Tallies

Membership Details

Total number of members as at 30th June

7th July each year

Final day for Nominations for Council Trophies

Apart from the first marlin weighed and tagged when the weigh sheet must be forwarded within 24 hours of the fish being weighed or tagged

30th December each year

Last day for payment of affiliation fees Last day for Scales Certificates

SECTION 4: AWARDS AND TROPHIES

4.1 REQUIREMENTS FOR TROPHIES & AWARDS

To qualify for NZSFC Trophies:-

- 1. Fish must be caught in NZSFC waters
- 2. All NZSFC fishing rules and angling regulations must be complied with at the time of the catch
- 3. All anglers must be financial members of Clubs affiliated to the NZSFC at the time of capture. For the Photo competition the photographer must be a financial member of a Club affiliated to the NZSFC. Photos become the property of the NZSFC and can be used in whatever publications they so choose.
- 4. With the exception of the first marlin of the season trophies, nominations must be received by the Secretary no later than July 7 each year. With regard to the First Marlin these nominations must be notified to the Council Secretary by emailing the weigh sheet within 24 hours of the fish being weighed or tagged.
- 5. For each Annual Trophy, NZSFC will present a suitable miniature which will NOT include Council plagues. 6. Judging of the Old Man and the Sea Cup will be by such persons as the Board decide
- 7. Weighed marlin must exceed 90 kg
- 8. Nominations for trophies and awards must come from Clubs
- 9. A Club may put in more than one nomination

4.2 RECOMMENDATION TO CLUBS FOR RECORD PIN AWARDS:

(NB This recommendation is for those Clubs who award Pins)

For a New Zealand Record =

a Silver Pin with a Ruby coloured Eye

For a World Record =

a Gold Pin with a Ruby coloured Eye





Clubs to make their own arrangements regarding purchase and distribution of these pins at their own cost.

4.3 GRAND SLAM CLUBS:

The NZSFC has introduced grand slam clubs for its anglers fishing in New Zealand. They are unique to New Zealand and serve as a supreme award for a lifetime of angling. To qualify for a slam club an angler must catch one of each type specified for each of the awards and meet the minimum weight requirements for each fish. All fish to be eligible to qualify towards your grand slam must be caught in accordance with angling rules for IGFA and NZSFC. You must have proof of capture (certificate, club yearbook, or photo of your fish with weigh board information included). All claims must be endorsed and verified by your club secretary. Your club must have been affiliated at the time of capture. These are lifetime awards and retrospective captures count provided the requirements are met. There are 5 different slam clubs.

THE BILLFISH SLAM	Minimum Weights
STRIPED	100 kg
BLUE	150 kg
BLACK	90 kg
BROADBILL	110 kg
SPEARFISH	10 kg
THE SHARK SLAM	Minimum Weights
THRESHER	120 kg
WHALER	120 kg
MAKO	160 kg
HAMMERHEAD	100 kg
BLUE	100 kg
THE TUNA SLAM	Minimum Weights
YELLOWFIN	35 kg
BIGEYE	25 kg
BLUEFIN (Southern or Pacific)	70 kg
ALBACORE	10 kg
EITHER PACIFIC	70 kg
SKIPJACK	5 kg

Tuna slams claims the fish must also exceed the line weight.

THE INSHORE SLAM	Minimum Weights
SNAPPER	10 kg
KINGFISH	25 kg
KAHAWAI	3 kg
TREVALLY	5 kg
JOHN DORY	2 kg

The Inshore Slam includes a land-based section.

THE SOUTHERN SLAM	Minimum	Weights
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BLUE SHARK 50 kg **PORBEAGLE** 80 kg MAKO 150 kg THRESHER 130 kg

ALBACORE exceed lineweight SLENDER exceed lineweight **KINGFISH** exceed lineweight

AI/III exceed lineweight

(Northern Pacific or Southern Bluefin)

BILLFISH 90 ka

Catch 6 of the 8 fish to claim the Grand Slam

These fish must be caught in the South Island fishing grounds.

Any meritorious fish caught ie. World Record, unusual fish of note, be considered by Council on a one-off basis to count towards part of the slam.

This came into effect 1 July 2010 BILLFISH TAGGING SLAM

STRIPED MARI IN **BLUE MARLIN** BLACK MARLIN BROADBILL SPEARFISH

To qualify the following criteria will apply;

- a) All fish must be caught and tagged in New Zealand Waters
- b) The slam must be applied for, the application must be endorsed and verified true and accurate by the club secretary whom the applicant belongs to and endorsed by the appropriate Fishing Committee (if applicable) of that club.
- c) Proof will be by an official catch card recognized by the NZSFC, by verification from a club year book or magazine. The club must have been affiliated to the NZSFC at the time of capture.
- d) IGFA & NZSFC rules are to be observed.
- e) A plaque or certificate will be issued if the slam is awarded.
- The recipient is to be honoured in the Council's annual yearbook.

To apply send details of your qualifying fish to the NZSFC secretary at PO Box 54242, The Marina, Auckland, 2144. Enquiries can be made to secretary@ nzsportfishing.org.nz.





DOUBLE LINES AND LEADERS



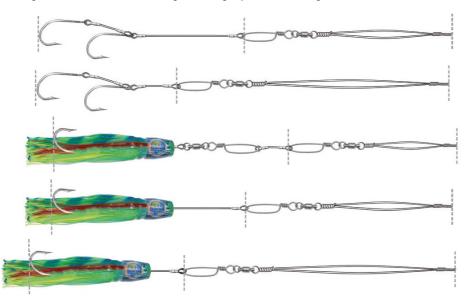
Double lines are measured from the start of the knot, braid, roll or splice making the double line to the farthermost end of the knot, splice, snap, swivel or other device used for securing the trace, leader lure or hook to the double line. A double line must consist of the actual line used to catch the fish. For saltwater species, the double line shall be limited to 4.57 meters (15 feet) for all line classes up to and including 10 kg. (20 lb.); and shall be limited to 9.14 meters (30 feet) for line classes over 10 kg. (20 lb.). For freshwater species, the double line on all classes of tackle shall not exceed 1.82 meters (6 feet).



The leader shall be limited to 4.57 meters (15 feet) for saltwater species in line classes up to and including 10 kg. (20 lb.), and 9.14 meters (30 feet) for all line classes over 10 kg. (20 lb.). For freshwater species, the leader on all classes of tackle shall be limited to 1.82 meters (6 feet).



The length of the leader is the overall length including any lure, hook arrangements or other device.



The combined length of the double line and leader shall not exceed 6.1 meters (20 feet) in line classes up to and including 10 kg, (20 lb.) and 12.19 meters (40 feet) in line classes over 10 kg, (20 lb.) for saltwater species. The combined length of the double line and leader shall not exceed 3.04 meters (10 feet) for freshwater species.

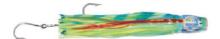




NATURAL BAITS AND ARTIFICIAL



LEGAL if eyes of hooks no more than 45.72 centimeters (18 inches) apart in baits and no more than 30.45 centimeters (12 inches) apart in lures. NOT LEGAL if eyes further apart then these distances.



NOT LEGAL as the second or trailing hook extends more than the hooks length beyond skirt. See also two hook rigs.



NOT LEGAL in bait or lures as eyes of hooks are less than a hooks length (the length of the largest hook) apart.



LEGAL as eyes of hooks are no less than a hooks length apart and no more than 45.72 centimeters (18 inches) in baits and 30.45 centimeters (12 inches) in lures.



LEGAL in baits and lures. The point of one hook is passed through the eye of the other hook.

GAFFS AND SNARFS



FLYING GAFFS - LEGAL on boats if effective rope length does not exceed 9.14 meters (30 feet).



FIXED AND FLYING GAFFS - LEGAL on boats if overall gaff length does not exceed

SNARES - LEGAL overall length of tail snares is defined as the distance from the beginning of the handle to the apex of the snare when loaded. Must not exceed 2.44 meters (8 feet) in overall length.



LEGAL as eyes of hooks are no less than a hooks length apart and no more than 30.45 centimeters (12 inches) apart, and the trailing hook does not extend more than a hooks length beyond the skirt.



LEGAL as hook is contained within the skirt.



NOT LEGAL as the single hook extends more than its length beyond the skirt.



NOT LEGAL as back hook is not firmly imbedded in or securely attached to bait and is dangling or swinging hook.



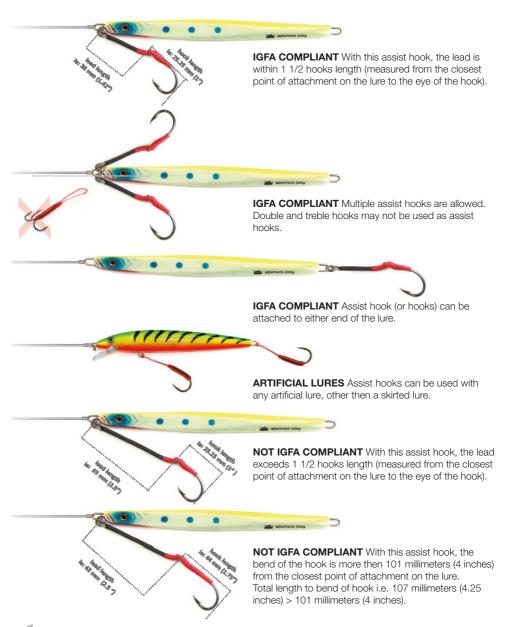
LEGAL as both hooks are firmly imbedded or securely attached to bait. Would not be legal if eyes of hooks were more than 45.72 centimeters (18 inches) apart.

ASSIST HOOKS



Assist hooks or other such single hooks that are attached to a lure with a lead constructed of monofilament, multifilament, wire or other such material must conform to the following: When using assist hooks on any artificial lure, other than a skirted lure, the lead cannot be more than 1 1/2 hook's length and the bend of the hook may not be more than 101 millimeters

(4 inches), whichever is less, from the closest point of attachment on the lure. A maximum of three assist hooks can be used. Double and treble hooks may not be used as assist hooks.







APPENDIX 1 - LIST OF AWARDS AND TROPHIES

Annual Trophies:

- 1. The NZSFC will present a Trophy for the first tagged Marlin of the season, each year.
- 2. The NZSFC will present a Trophy for the first Marlin weighed exceeding 90 kg, each year.

3. The Rob Dinsdale Memorial Trophy:

The Rob Dinsdale Memorial Trophy will be presented annually to the angler who tagged and released or weighed the first marlin of each season in accordance with NZSEC rules.

4. Saul Trophy:

The Saul Trophy will be presented annually to the angler who tags and releases the most recognised NZ Game Fish Species (that are in the tagging programme) in New Zealand waters in a season. Each Club must forward their nomination to the Secretary prior to July 7 each year.

5. The Old Man and the Sea Cup:

Will be awarded annually to the angler who catches the most meritorious catch of the season. It is not necessary for the fish to score the most points (ie fish x 100 divided by the breaking strain). Each club must forward their nomination, including a description about how the catch was achieved and what makes it meritorious, to the Secretary prior to July 7 each year.

6. **Lord Norrie Gold Cup:**

Will be presented to the angler who catches the heaviest Striped Marlin of the season. Each club must forward their nomination to the Secretary prior to July 7 each year.

7. Fisherman of the Year:

Will be awarded to the angler who catches the heaviest recognised Game fish of the season. Each club must forward their nomination to the Secretary prior to July 7 each year.

8. The Peter & Noeline Short Memorial Trophy:

Will be awarded for the most Tagged Billfish of the Season. Each Club must forward their nomination to the Secretary prior to July 7 each year.

9. The Top Junior Angler Cup:

Will be awarded annually to the junior angler who catches the most meritorious catch of the season. It is not necessary for the fish to score the most points. Each club must forward their nomination including a description about how the catch was achieved and what makes it meritorious, to the Secretary prior to July 7 each year.

- 10. The Hart Trophy: For the best live Marine photograph taken by an amateur photographer
- 11. Angler of the Year: Open to all anglers that have competed successfully at Club, National and

International level, and contributed to the sport of Sport Fishing.

- 12. The Volunteer of the year: Open to all volunteers who have contributed to the sport of fishina.
- 13. The Club of the Year: Open to all clubs that have competed successfully, shown an outstanding ability to provide for its members and contributed to the community.
- Certificates will be awarded for all line class 14. species and other species that the Council chooses

These Certificates will be awarded for the -

- First Fish of the Season Weighed or Tagged
- Heaviest Fish of the Season
- 5. 10. 15 & 20 -1 Club

Clubs should forward their nominations to the Council Secretary as soon as possible after the fish is weighed or tagged.

National Tournament Trophies:

Air New Zealand Trophy: 1)

Will be awarded to the individual team scoring the most points in the Blue and Black Marlin section of the National Tournament.

2) **Moutere Magic Trophy:**

Will be awarded to the individual team scoring the most points in the Broadbill section of the National Tournament

3) John Hough Memorial Trophy:

Will be awarded to the individual team scoring the most points in the Striped Marlin section of the National Tournament.

4) Waihau Bay Spearfish Trophy

Will be awarded to the individual team scoring the most points in the Shortbill Spearfish Section of the National Tournament

Westpac Trophy: 5)

Will be awarded to the individual team scoring the most points in the Yellowtail Kingfish section of the National Tournament.

6) **NZI Trophy:**

Will be awarded to the individual team scoring the most points in the Shark section of the National Tournament.

7) City of Auckland Trophy:

Will be awarded to the individual team scoring the most points in the Tuna section of the National Tournament.

8) The Hickey Sports Trophy:

Will be awarded to the team scoring the most points in the Albacore Tuna section of the National Tournament.



9) The Wasabi Trophy:

Will be awarded to the team scoring the most points in the Skipjack Tuna section of the National Tournament.

10) The Tautuku Fishing Club - Slender **Tuna Trophy:**

Will be awarded to the team scoring the most points in the Slender Tuna section of the National Tournament.

11) The Sheryl Hart Snapper Trophy:

Will be awarded to the team scoring the most points in the Snapper section of the National Tournament.

12) The Black Magic Trophy:

Will be awarded to the team scoring the most points in the Kahawai section of the National Tournament.

13) The Pursuit Trophy:

Will be awarded to the team scoring the most points in the Trevally section of the National Tournament.

14) Carol Atwood Memorial Trophy:

Will be awarded to the angler scoring the most points on the meritorious system for a Tuna caught during the National Tournament each year.

15) The Varta Cup Northern:

Will be awarded to the Northern club scoring the most points in the National Tournament. The clubs that are eligible for this trophy are: Ahipara, Bay of Islands Swordfish Club, Bay of Islands Sports and Fishing Club, Doubtless Bay, Hokianga, Hopin, Houhora, Whangarei, Whangaroa

16) The Varta Cup:

Will be awarded to the club scoring the most points in the National tournament.

17 The Penn Tackle Trophy:

Will be awarded in the Interclub Section of the National Tournament to the Club winning the Blue & Black Marlin Section.

18) The Big Fish Bait & Tackle Trophy:

Will be awarded in the Interclub Section of the National Tournament to the Club winning the **Broadbill Section**

19) The Gordon Traill Memorial Trophy:

Will be awarded in the Interclub Section of the National Tournament to the Club winning the Striped Marlin Section.

20) **Stuart Morrison Trophy:**

Will be awarded in the Interclub Section of the National Tournament to the Club winning the Shark Section.

21) The NZ Fishing News Trophy:

Will be awarded in the Interclub Section of the National Tournament to the Club winning the Yellowtail Section.

22) The Composite Development Trophy:

Will be awarded in the Interclub Section of the National Tournament to the Club winning the Tuna Section.

The Kilwell Trophy: 23)

Will be awarded in the Interclub Section of the National Tournament to the Club winning the Albacore Tuna Section.

The Wasabi Trophy: 24)

Will be awarded in the Interclub Section of the National Tournament to the Club winning the Skipjack Tuna Section.

The Canterbury Sportsfishing Club 25) Slender Tuna Trophy:

Will be awarded in the Interclub Section of the National Tournament to the Club winning the Slender Tuna Section.

26) The Penn Tackle Snapper Trophy:

Will be awarded in the Interclub Section of the National Tournament to the Club winning the Snapper Section.

27) The Black Magic Trophy:

Will be awarded in the Interclub Section of the National Tournament to the Club winning the Kahawai Section.

28) The Dave White Memorial Trophy:

Will be awarded in the Interclub Section of the National Tournament to the Club winning the Trevally Section.

29) The Webb Family Trophy:

Will be awarded in the Interclub Section of the National Tournament to the Club winning the Shortbill Spearfish Section

30) The Maui Jim Trophy:

Will be awarded in the Interclub Section of the National Tournament to the Club winning the Mahimahi Section

31) The Dennis Davey Trophy:

Will be awarded in the Team Champions Section of the National Tournament to the Team winning the Mahimahi Section

32) **Auckland Region Trophy**

Will be awarded to the Auckland Region Club scoring the most points in the Nationals.





SEABIRDS

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SEABIRDS

Seabirds are a crucial part of the marine ecosystem. As fishers, we have a unique responsibility to ensure the well-being of all marine life. Seabirds, in particular, face numerous challenges and it's essential that we adopt these best practices to prioritise seabird conservation.

Minimise Seabird Interactions:

- Don't attract seabirds.
- Keep bait and fish waste concealed in closed containers.
- Sink bait and burley quickly. Don't leave baited hooks on the rocks or side of the boat.
- Use a washdown hose or bucket of water to scare birds away.
- Fish with larger hooks or recurve hooks. Avoid catching undersized fish that need to be released.
 This encourages birds to hang around for an easy feed

Safe Release Practices:

- If a seabird is inadvertently caught, don't cut the line. The nylon won't break down and will ultimately cause its demise.
- Gently reel the bird in to untangle and remove any nylon fishing line from its body.
- Use a dry towel and place it over the bird's head.
 This will calm the bird down and reduce the chances of it pecking you.

Hook Removal Techniques:

 If a seabird is hooked, use pliers to gently flatten the hook barb or cut the hook in half and thread out the hook. Be gentle and, allow the bird to recover before release.

Ingested Fish Hooks:

- If a seabird has swallowed a fish hook, place it in a quiet, dark space on board and contact the Department of Conservation (DOC).
- For shore-based fishing, take the bird to the nearest wildlife hospital or vet clinic for immediate handover, as ingested fish hooks require urgent surgical removal.
- Refrain from attempting to feed seabirds with ingested fish hooks, as food solids can force the hook to migrate further into the digestive tract.

Cleanup:

 If you find discarded fish hooks, nylon (or any rubbish) on beaches, pick them up and properly dispose of them. Help keep our shorelines free from hazardous fishing debris





2024 NZSFC NATIONALS PHOTOS























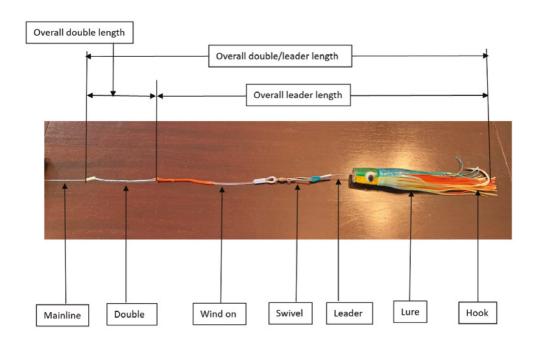




- If a top shot is used a minimum of 5m of main line directly preceding the double line, leader or
- If using 10kg line and under, the maximum double line or leader is 4.57m
- If using 10kg and under the combined double line and leader length must not exceed 6.1m
- If using 15kg line and over, the maximum length of the double line or leader is 9.14m.
- If using 15kg line and over, the combined double line and leader length must not exceed 12.19m
- Max fixed gaff or net length 2.44m
- Max flying gaff overall length 2.44m
- Max effective flying gaff rope / Tail rope / Choke rope length 9.14m
- Max tag pole length 3.66m

WHERE TO MEASURE DOUBLE/LEADER

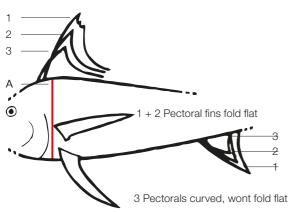
Where to measure a Typical Double/Wind On/Leader Rig







BILLFISH IDENTIFICATION



KEY

- Striped Marlin
- 2. Blue Marlin
- 3. Black Marlin

Dorsal Fin

- 1. About equal to A
- 2. About 2/3 of A
- About 1/2 of A

Anal Fins

- · Each species
- Similar proportion

FEATURES: BILLFISH



STRIPED MARLIN

- Sloped head slender spear
- High dorsel fin prominent lateral line
- Flat relatively straight sided pectoral fins
- · Moderately deep anal fin



- All fins rigid
- · Long flat sided sword
- Curved pectorals



BLUE MARLIN

- Scooped head moderate heavy spear
- · Moderately high dorsal fin
- Flat relatively straight sided pectoral fins
- Deep anal fin



SAILFISH

- Very high dorsal fin (sail)
- Slender spear
- · Flat straight sided pectorals



BLACK MARLIN

- Humped head heavy spear
- Low rounded dorsal fin
- Curved pectoral fins that, in fish up to 60 kgs may be movable but do not sit flat along body
- Pectorals airfoil in section and curved in outline
- Low anal fin

SPEARFISH

- · Relatively high dorsal
- Short spear
- Flat pectorals



SHARK IDENTIFICATION



BLUE IN COLOUR

MAKO

- · Bullet head
- Upper and lower tail lobes almost equal
- · Long gill slits
- · Long narrow pointed teeth
- · short pectoral fin
- · keel on side of body near tail

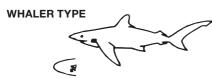
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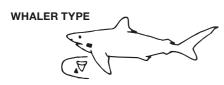
- Pointed head
- Upper lobe of tail much longer than lower lobe
- Very long pectoral fin its length equal to the length from the first gill slit to the tip of the nose

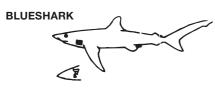
· Short gill slits · Short wide serrated teeth

HAMMERHEAD









LARGE DARK-COLOURED EYES

WHITE POINTER

- Bullet head
- Upper and lower lobes of tail almost equal
- Long aill slits
- Broad triangular serrated teeth
- · Prominent keel on side of body near tail

TIGER

- Blunt head
- Upper lobe of tail much longer than lower
- · Short gill slits
- Curved cockscomb teeth
- · Not true keel but low ridge

YELLOWISH CAT TYPE EYES

WHALERS

- Upper lobe of tail is longer than lower
- · Short gill slits
- First dorsal fin larger, second dorsal fin much
- Broad slightly serrated teeth in upper jaw, narrow slightly serrated teeth in lower jaw
- Head ranges from blunt to pointed

THRESHER



TIGER



MAKO





TUNA & MACKEREL IDENTIFICATION



BIG EYE TUNA

- Liver has dark streaks
- Greatest body depth is MORE than 25% of body length, as X-X on Aust. Record Application Form
- Moderate pectoral fins
- Yellow finlets with broad and blotchy black edge



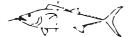
YELLOWFIN TUNA

- Liver is even coloured
- NO dark streaks
- Greatest body depth is LESS than 25% of body length, as X-X on Aust. Record Application Form
- · Long pectoral fins. In adult fish pectoral and anal fins are elongated
- Yellow finlets with well defined black edge



SOUTHERN BLUEFIN TUNA

- Has swim bladder
- Liver has dark streaks
- Short pectoral fins
- Yellow with black edge



DOGTOOTH TUNA

- No scales
- Prominent teeth
- Short pectoral fins
- Greyish to yellowish finlets



LONGTAIL/NORTHERN **BLUEFIN TUNA**

- No swim bladder
- Short pectoral fins
- Yellow blotch on finlets



ALBACORE

- Very long pectoral fins
- Dark or silver finlets



ADULT TUNAS WITH SHORT SECOND DORSAL AND ANAL FINS

KEY

- 1. bluefin tunas
- 2. big eye tuna

Pectoral fin <80% of head length Pectoral fin >80% of head length



KAWA KAWA/MACKEREL TUNA

- Wavy green lines on back
- Spots on belly



NARROW BARRED **MACKEREL**

- Veed tail
- Upper jaw longer than lower
- Gillrakers on aills



WAHOO

- Lower jaw longer than upper
- Straight tail
- No gill rakers on gills



SHARK MACKEREL/SCALEY MACKEREL/LARGE SCALE **TUNA**

Double lateral line



Stripes on belly



BONITO

Stripes on back





CHECK IF CAUGHT WITHIN IGFA FISHING RULES & ANGLING REGULATIONS

	Angler Master	Weigh Sec	Club Name	
CHECK FOR MUTILATIONS (if any full explanations) Mutilation which could effect fighting capabilities will disqualify capture				
LINE: ONE PIECE 16.0 M Including double				
DOUBLE LENGTH OK Including knots, swivels, clips etc				
LEADER LENGTH OK Including hook, lure etc				
HOOK ARRANGEMENT OK				
ROD & REEL OK AND MEASURED GAFFS CHECKED & MEASURED				
WEIGHING To nearest LOWER graduation NETT weight				
SCALE TEST CERTIFICATE OK AND ENCLOSED WITH CLAIM				
PHOTOS 1. Show full length of fish, dorsal fin, pectoral fins, tackle used & scales				
2. Shark's teeth				
3. Any unusual scars etc.				
Lure if not included with claim. Mark length on back of photo.				
FISH IDENTIFICATION POSITIVE				
FEE ENCLOSED				



60 DAYS OF CAPTURE



APPLICATION QUICK-CHECK LISTS

The following check list was designed to assist anglers in the record submittal process. Before submitting a record application, anglers are encouraged to read the NZSFC and IGFA International Angling Rules for a complete list of world record requirements and regulations.

PHOTO DOCUMENTATION

The following photos are required for all NZSFC/IGFA record submissions:

- · Angler with the fish
- · Rod and reel used to weigh fish
- Fish being measured on the IGFA's Official Measuring Device (All-Tackle Length records only).
- Additional photos of fish that may pose some difficulty to identify (fins, teeth etc).
- *Videos can be used in place of photographs

SCALES

All potential world records to be weighed on a scale that has been certified within the past year.

TACKLE

The following items are required for all record submissions:

CONVENTIONAL TACKLE

- Full length of leader/trace including hooks, lures etc. (if used)
- · Full length of double line including knots, swivels, clips, etc (if used)
- Sample of main line (~15 metres/50 feet) immediately following the leader, double line, or hook/lure.
- Sample(s) of backing (~15 metres/50 feet) (if used).

FLY TACKLE

- The full length of fly leader, including:
- Shock tippet (including fly).
- Class tippet.

APPLICATION

- Every applicable section of the record application must be completed.
- Contact information for witnesses to the catch and the weighing are required.
- Every application must be signed by the angler/guardian in the presence of a notary or acceptable substitute.





New Zealand Record (DELETE ONE) IGFA World Record Application

FORM FOR RECORDING FRESHWATER AND SALTWATER GAME FISH CATCHES

Read all IGFA angling rules and world record requirements before completing and signing this application. The angler's signature on the completed form must be witnessed by a notary, Justice of the Peace or other person authorized to witness statutory declarations. This application must be accompanied by line or tippet samples and photographs as specified in the World Records Requirements. Hybrids and other species that may pose a problem of identity should be examined by an ichthyologist or qualified fishery biologist.

I AM SUBMITTING THIS ENTRY FOR:	Daytime phone:
An all-tackle world record.	E-mail:
☐ A NZ/IGFA world record in the following line class: lb / kg	Permanent address- required for certificate mailing (include country and address code):
\square A fly rod world record in the following tippet class:	
kg	
Junior Angler*	Age/birthdate if 16 or under:
☐ M-Smallfry (to 10) ☐ M-Junior (11-16) ☐ F-Smallfry (to 10) ☐ F-Junior (11-16)	Angler's fishing club affiliation (if any):
SPECIES	EQUIPMENT
Common name:	Rod
Scientific name:	Make:
WEIGHT: Fish was weighed in: Ibs kgs.	Tip length (center of reel to end of tip):
lbs: oz: kg:	Butt length (center of reel to lower end of butt):
Digital weight (if weighed on electronic scales, give weight	Reel
exactly as shown):	Make:
DATE OF CATCLL (AMAZED AAA)	Size:
DATE OF CATCLE	Line or tippet
PLACE OF CATCH:	Make:
LENGTH (see measurement diagrams)	Size stated on label:
inches: x to x xx to xx	Mono / Dacron / Braid / GSP line used (please circle)
cm: x to x xx to xx	
GIRTH (see measurement diagrams)	WORLD RECORDS - FEES PAYABLE
inches: cm:	☐ I am an IGFA member, enclosed is \$US50 application fee.
	☐ I am not an IGFA member, enclosed is \$US80 for annual membership and record application fees
XX XX XX X	NB Junior & Smallfry World Record claims are also \$US80 which includes membership. Please enclose US draft for World Record claims OR please charge to my:
	☐ Visa ☐ MasterCard ☐ American Express
G	Account No.
XX	Exp. date:/ Signature:
METHOD OF CATCH (trolling, casting, fly fishing, etc.):	NZ RECORDS - FEES PAYABLE
FIGHTING TIME:	☐ I am a NZSFC member
Was this catch recorded on video? Yes No.	☐ I am an NZACA member
Was this catorifectured off video:	☐ I am not a member of NZSFC or NZACA enclosed is \$150
ANGLER (Print name as you wish it to appear on your record certificate):	





Address: WITNESSES: Witness to weighing (other than angler, captain or weighmaster): Address: Witnesses to catch (other than captain). List two names and
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addresses if possible.
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2
Number of persons witnessing the catch:
VERIFICATION OF SPECIES IDENTITY
(See world record requirements.)
Signature of examining ichthyologist:
Title, degree or qualifications:
Address:
catch. In some cases this may be required. The description are IGFA publication.
scribed in this application was hooked, fought, and brought ffically provided in the regulations; and that it was caught in d with this application is the actual line used to catch the fish application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. procedures. I agree to be bound by any ruling of the IGFA
day of the year
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declaration, signature and and name required:
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days of the catch to be eligible for a record.

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ANGLERS, CREWS, BOAT OWNERS & CHARTER BOAT CAPTAIN'S RESPONSIBILITIES WHEN THEY COME INTO THE WEIGH STATION

- 1. Every angler, crew, boat owner and charter boat captain must make themselves totally familiar with the fishing rules and regulations set down by IGFA. NZSFC and individual clubs and their tournaments.
- 2. The weighperson is in charge of the weighstation. Anglers, crew, boat owners and charter boat captains are required to work in with the weighperson with the handling and the presentation for the weighing of fish.
- 3. The angler must complete the weigh sheet other than the weight before presenting the fish to the weighperson.
- 4. If a fish has any new wounds other than the clean gaffing wound or wounds such as may be inflicted by a propeller or another predator this will disqualify the fish. If this fish is weighed in a mutilated condition it will not qualify for any IGFA, NZSFC, Club or tournament trophies or prizes.

- 5. Parties are requested to co-operate with the weighperson to check any relevant equipment related to this catch.
- 6. The angler or their representative must be on hand to make sure the scales are zeroed before weighing the fish. Also the angler or representative must be present to verify the weight of the fish when the weighperson has the final weight.
- Parties are requested not to get into any 7. consultation over any disagreement that may occur at the weighstation with the weighperson.
 - Any disagreements should be taken to the appropriate person in charge of fishing regulations within the club for them to adjudicate over.

When the weighperson is the weighmaster and judge they will then adjudicate on the IGFA and NZSFC fishing rules and regulations, along with any club and tournament rules that may apply.

WEIGHPERSON'S RESPONSIBILITIES

- 1. The weighstations are the front door of everyclub. Their procedure and presentation reflect on their club as a whole.
- 2 All weighing scales must have a current certification 12 months of the year. There is no given time when there may be a requirement to weigh a world or National record.
- 3. All weighpersons must make themselves familiar with the operation of the scales they are using. Makes and brands of scales can and do vary from club to club.
- 4 A club must fish under NZSFC and IGFA rules, and regulations as well as their club rules. Weighpersons must make themselves familiar with these rules especially the tackle and species. They will be checking the leaders and the double line and making sure of the line weight and gaffs set down in the IGFA rules as well as species.
- 5. Weighpersons must check for any new wounds in the fish such as propeller or predator inflections etc. Any one of these injuries must be reported to the appropriate person or persons within the club for them to adjudicate over the legality of the catch. The only injury that is acceptable is the clean gaffing wound or wounds.
- Weighpersons must have proof of NZSFC club 6. membership before a courtesy weigh can be performed. There may be a club fee to pay before courtesy weighing. A non member will be charged a fee before weighing any fish.. Weighpersons must receive from the angler the filled in weigh/ catch sheet before weighing the fish, to be

- completed with the weight and their signature verifying the weight after the fish is weighed by the weighperson.
- 7. Weighpersons must make sure that the scale is zeroed and witnessed by the angler or their representative before weighing the fish. Also the angler or representative must be present to verify the weight of the fish when the weighperson has the final weight.
- All fish must be hung by the tail prior to weighing. 8. For consistency all marlin bills (mouths) must be taped before weighing.
- Fish can be weighed by the tail, in a cradle or on a 9. flat platform. The weight of the cradle or tail rope must be deducted from the total weight, or hung from the scales and then zeroed before weighing commences.
- When weighing the fish other than on a platform, 10. it must be allowed to totally settle to ascertain the correct weight. If the scales have a motion sensor this must be used.
- Bait fish that are in the throat or the stomach of the 11. fish are included in the weight of the fish.
- The only weight that is recognised is the first weight 12. of the fish on a recognised weigh station. Any other weight that may be established will not be recognised.
- 13. All lures and traces where practicable must be removed before weighing. Lures are not included in the weight.





- 8. Anglers are requested when courtesy weighing to adhere to the individual clubs requirements, procedures and weighing times which may vary from club to club. Anglers must produce their club membership card or proof of membership before the fish can be courtesy weighed. There may be a courtesy weigh fee required by the club performing the courtesy weigh. Visiting anglers who are non members will be charged a fee before weighing the fish.
 - There should be two weigh sheets filled in for courtesy weighs, one for the club doing the courtesy weigh and one for the angler to take back to their own club. This is the angler's responsibility.
- Parties are requested to make themselves familiar 9. with the weighing hours of the club and the procedure required to weigh fish outside of these times.
- 10 When parties wish to have the tag and release of a fish identified at the weigh station they must adhere to the protocol of the individual club.

- Weighing of fish can be a joyous occasion with a little celebration going on before you get to the weigh station. Parties must appreciate that weighpersons have a big responsibility and not let their exuberance interfere with the serious procedure of weighing of the fish and the possible checking of the equipment and the fish.
- 12. The only weight that is recognised is the first weight of the fish on a recognised weigh station. Any other weight that may be established will not be recognised.
- 13. Tag cards must be checked when handed in. The minimum information required is date, location, species and estimation of size. Other information on the state of the fish's well-being is desirable.
- 14. Anglers and crew should co-operate with the Marine Biologists, Scientists and other Government Officials or Organisations in charge of science and research.

- 14. Weighpersons must not get into consultation with the angler or the crew if there is any discrepancy with the fish or
 - fishing equipment. When there is a discrepancy the weighperson should only notify the angler that he or she has to report the problem to the appropriate person or persons in the club for them to adjudicate over.
 - If the weighperson is the judge as well as weighmaster and has to adjudicate over the IGFA & NZSFC fishing rules and regulations, they must make themselves familiar, not only with the fishing rules and regulations, but the acts that will disqualify a catch, along with the situations that will disqualify a catch. All IGFA and NZSFC fishing rules and regulations are in the IGFA and NZSFC year books.
- 15. Weighpersons must make themselves familiar with the presentation procedure for the identification of tagged and released fish. This may be different from club to club.
- 16 Weighpersons must make themselves familiar with the courtesy weighing requirements of their club. Two weigh sheets should be filled in, one for the club weighing the fish and one for the angler to take back to their club. (Council's policy is that all clubs must courtesy weigh for other affiliated clubs when required).
- 17. Weighpersons must use the IGFA and NZSFC yearbook for species identification for all fish. There are other publications that can be used for the same purposes.

- 18. All clubs must be a member of IGFA.
- 19 Each club will notify the NZSFC of their weighpersons each year.
- 20 Each club should notify its members and the NZSFC of their normal weighing hours and the procedure required to weigh fish outside of these
- 21. Each club should notify its members and neighbouring clubs of their courtesy weighing requirements.
- 22. If in doubt on any detail seek assistance.

NOTES FOR EVERYONE

Recent wounds on a fish that have occurred while the fish is being angled such as shark bites or propeller wounds or anything else other than clean gaffing automatically disqualifies the fish as a mutilated catch.

If a weighperson has a concern over the line weight he must use the club's line tester to identify the breaking strain. It is in the interest of every club to have their own line tester.

The identified weight of a fish is the first time that it is weighed. No other weight that may be identified will be accepted.

To avoid spoiled (decayed) fish they should be all weighed on the day of their catch. It is up to the individual clubs whether they make this mandatory or not.



	2022/23 SEASON TAGGED LISTED REGIONALLY	Striped marlin	Black marlin	Blue marlin	Broadbill	SB Spearfish	Mako	Hammerhead	Thresher	Blue	Porbeagle	Bronze Whaler	7 Gill	Tope	/
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GAMEFISH WEIGHT CALCULATION TABLE

ESTIMATED WEIGHT IN KG

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175	69	27	29	31	33	35	38	40	43	45	48	51	54	57	60	63	66	69	72	76	79	83	87	90
178	70	27	29	31	33	36	38	41	43	46	49	52	54	57	60	64	67	70	74	77	81	84	88	92
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- 1. Measure from tip of lower jaw to V or tail
- 2. Measure girth at widest point.

- Estimated weight in Kg. These tables are based on a well documented formula and give a good estimation of gamefish weight.
- The girth is the total distance around the fish - the line shown in yellow is half the girth. Formula applicable to marlin, tuna and sharks.
- Add up to 10% for a well conditioned fish





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Complete the NZSFC		
crossword puzzle using the clues below	5	7 8 9
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Across

- 1. A fish with a streamlined torpedolike body, five to seven gill openings on each side of the head, and tough skin covered with small toothlike scales.
- 5. Any of several marine billfishes of the genera Makaira and Tetrapturus, popular as game in sport fishing.
- 6. Food placed on a hook and used in the taking of fish.
- 7. Any of various marine bivalve mollusks that attach to hard surfaces in intertidal areas.
- 11. A pier where boats are tied up and loaded or unloaded.
- 12. A type of rock lobster.
- 13. A curved or sharply bent device, usually of metal, used to catch fish.
- 14. To go round and round in a whirling motion.
- 15. To throw or propel a lure or bait at the end of (a fishing line) into the water so as to catch fish.
- 16. A membranous appendage extending from the body of a fish or other aquatic animal, used for propelling, steering, or balancing the body in the water.

Down

- 1. One that sinks, as a weight used for sinking fishing lines or nets.
- 2. A fishing stick that your line passes through
- 3. Something you must wear on a boat to stay safe, and help you float if overboard
- 4. The periodic variation in the surface level of the oceans and of bays, gulfs, inlets, and estuaries, caused by gravitational attraction of the moon and
- 5. Something, such as a machine or an engine, that makes a boat move.
- 6. Blood and offal used by fishermen to attract fish.
- 8. A group of fish
- 9. Something that tempts or attracts fish.
- 10. A marine animal having a soft body, eight arms with suckers, a large distinct head, and a mouth with a strong beak.
- 14. A strip or ridge of rocks, sand, or coral that rises to or near the surface of a body of water.



ENTRY FORM: 2024 NATIONALS

All angler details must be filled out and angler class indicated. Entry Fee \$25 per angler. Club: Local Team Please Tick: Team Name: Overseas Team Full Name: Email: Senior Male Senior Female Phone: Class: Team Members You must have each angler's first name and last name and class - Senior Male, Senior Female, Junior Male or Junior Female. 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 I have read, understood and agree to abide by the Rules of this Tournament. Signed by person responsible for the team, on behalf of his/her team. Anglers listed are financial members of an affiliated club and have paid their contest fees. Anglers have read and understood the Health & Safety Procedures for the competition. Signature of 1st Angler: Club Secretary: Total number of anglers:

This entry form is to be forwarded to the **Secretary of the club you will represent** together with the applicable entry fees.

Total entry fee enclosed:

Date:

73>/\\\/\ 22 FREE SWIMMER BR



BIG SNAPPER ENERGY. Introducing Daiwa's Bite'N'Run technology.

MODEL	BB	CAPACITY	DRAG	RATIO	WEIGHT
22 Free Swimmer BR 8000	5/1	PE 4/300m	10kg	4.7	630g
22 Free Swimmer BR 10000	5/1	PE 5/300m	10kg	4.7	640g



