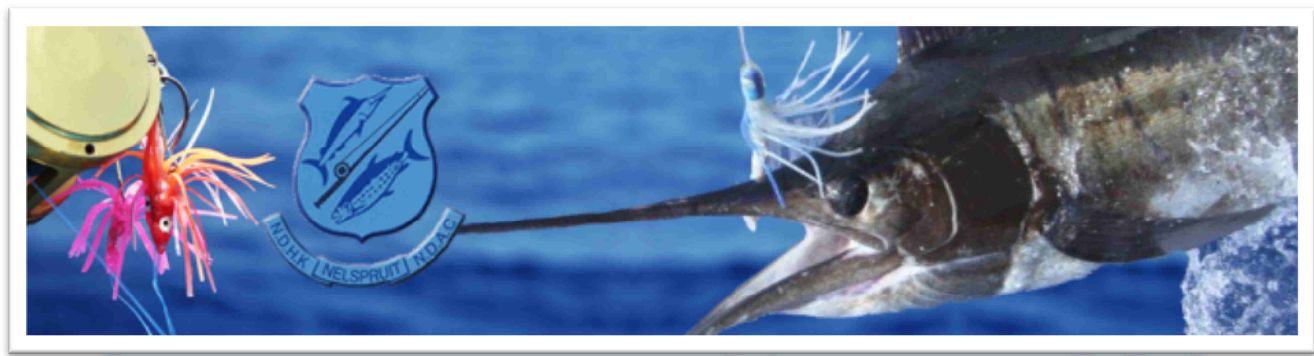




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Newsletter / Nuusbrief: December/Desember 2017

THE PRESIDENT, NDAC COMMITTEE AND MEMBERS

The past month was very busy with our members fishing in three competitions namely the OET, Billfish 15000 and the SADSAA Billfish Nationals. Eight boats from NDAC entered the prestigious 40th Mercury OET Bill and Gamefish tournament. The scene was set for a great week with good weather and catches. Of the 71 billfish released for the week, our club boats were responsible for 19. Three of our club boats finished in the top ten of the competition, Sea Ducer 8th, Kierie 4th and the 2017 Champions, **Sean Van Veijeren** and his crew Hotline, with 5 billfish releases. Great job, you have done us proud. Congratulations to those members who were elected to represent NDAC and Mpumalanga at the SADSAA Billfish Nationals. **Edwin Freeman** Mpumalanga Heavy

Tackle, **Sam Botha** Mpumalanga Heavy Tackle (Captain), **Renier Slabbert** Mpumalanga Heavy Tackle, **Gert Conradie** Mpumalanga Light Tackle (Captain) and **Johan van Der Walt** Mpumalanga Light Tackle. The Onderberg and Inhaca committees are hard at work to get all the arrangements in place for next year's annual club competitions. The **OSB** held at Barra Mozambique, will take place during **March 2018** and the **Inhaca Challenge** in **May 2018**. I urge all our members to support these special and well organized events. NDAC is in a healthy state with a decent member count and various members who serve on the Mpumalanga Committee. I would like to invite each member to take part in all our club activities and events to ensure a strong and healthy club. To those of you who are traveling during the December holidays, safe travels and may you and your families have a blessed Christmas, and may your fishing hatches be filled to capacity in 2018.

Yours in angling
NDAC Chairman
Sam Botha





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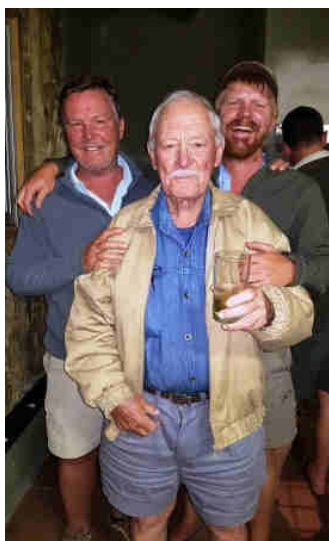
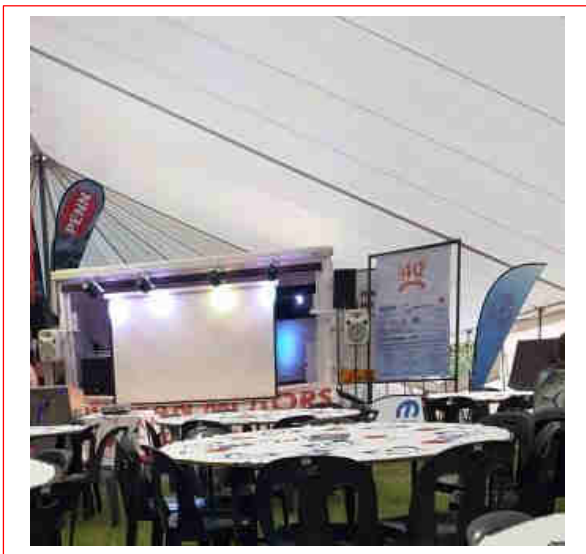




Sodwana- OET 2017



MERCURY OET BILL- & GAMEFISH TOURNAMENT



Die NDHK was goed verteenwoordig by die 2017 OET op Sodwana Baai. Wat hierdie jaar so uniek gemaak het was dat dit die 40ste verjaardag was van die Kompetisie. Die Snael vis was redelik bedrywig tydens die toernooi week en n' totaal van 73 Snael vis is gemerk en weer vrygelaat. Drie bote was baie naby aan mekaar tot op die laaste dag maar HOTLINE het met die finale punte stand die 40ste OET gewen wat ons Klub baie trots maak want dis n' lokale boot van Komatipoort. Wat ook die jaar se OET uniek gemaak het was dat van die stigters lede van die Kompetisie ook daar was. Oom Jimmy De Pradines wat n' stigterslid van die Kompetisie is, was die hele week teenwoordig en het almal gaande gehad oor sy stories van die begin jare op Sodwana.

The NDAC was well represented at this year's 40th OET- Sodwana Bay. The weather wasn't the greatest but 73 Billfish was tagged and released safely during the event. Three boats competed hard to be the top boat but it was HOTLINE who was crowned the winners of the 40th OET. We are all very proud of our local team from Komatipoort!! What made this year even more special that the founder members was present at the event and from our club the legend "Oom" Jimmy De Pradines was there with his son Henry and grandson Henry Jnr , three generations of fisherman... Oom Jimmy entertained everyone with tales about the good old days at Sodwana.....



Angler of the month / Hengelaar van die maand:

Piet Van Dyk is our angler of the month with his Marlin that he caught (T&R) in Mozambique

Well done Piet!

Piet Van Dyk is ons hengelaar van die maand met sy Marlyn wat hy gevang het in Mosambiek
Baie geluk Piet!!



Junior Angler of the month!!

Angling & Outdoor World is going to sponsor our **NEW JUNIOR ANGLER** of the month prize!! Any member's child under 19 years old is eligible for the monthly R150 voucher. ...simply send in your child's pictures with their catches to qualify. Fresh water catches for juniors will also be allowed to enter! **Winners will be announced in the Newsletter and can collect their voucher from Angling & Outdoor World.** Take your children fishing and please send in your images to ndac.angling@nashuaisp.co.za today!!!

Angling & Outdoor World gaan ons **NUWE JUNIOR HENGELAAR** van die maand prys borg!! Dis eenvoudig, stuur net foto's van julle kinders met hulle vangste in om te kwalifiseer. Vars water vangste sal ook aanvaar word vir juniors. **Wenners sal in die Nuusbrief aangekondig word en kan hulle geskenbewys ter waarde van R150 by Outdoor & Angling World gan af haal.** Vat julle kinders om te gaan visvang en stuur asseblief julle foto's vandag nog na ndac.angling@nashuaisp.co.za!!!



Aiden is our junior angler of the month he caught 12 Tilapia during the Kwanyoni development day.
Well done Aiden!

Aiden is ons junior hengelaar van die maand hy het 12 kurpers gevang gedurende die Kwanyoni ontwikkelings dag..
Baie geluk Aiden!!



Any paid up member of the NDAC is eligible for the "Angler of the month" award which is a R200 gift voucher sponsored by Solly's Anglers Corner Nelspruit...simply send in your pictures to qualify. Winners will be announced in the Newsletter and collect their vouchers from Solly's. All pictures received will be published in the Newsletter under the new "Members photos" section so please send in your images to ndac.angling@nashuaisp.co.za today!!!

Enige lid van die NDHK wie se ledegedelde opbetaal is kan in aanmerking kom vir die "Hengelaar van die maand" toekenning wat 'n R200 geskenkbewys is geborg deur Solly's Anglers Corner Nelspruit...dis eenvoudig, stuur net julle foto's in om te kwalifiseer. Wenners sal in die Nuusbrief aangekondig word en die geskenkbewys kan af gehaal word by Solly's. Alle foto's wat ontvang word sal in die Nuusbrief geplaas word onder 'n nuwe afdeling "Lede se foto's so stuur asseblief julle foto's vandag nog na ndac.angling@nashuaisp.co.za!!!



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