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Newsletter / Nuusbrief: August/Augustus 2015

THE PRESIDENT, NDAC COMMITTEE AND MEMBERS

The Nelspruit & District Angling Club, AGM date has been set and this will take place at the club on Saturday the 22 August 2015 at 10h00. All members are invited and your attendance will be highly appreciated. Should any member wish to get involved in the club management activities please discuss this with myself or any other current committee member and attend the AGM.

The Mpumalanga Deep Sea Angling Association annual general meeting has also been set and this will be held in Ermelo on the 19th September 2015. Again members wishing to get involved in the province management activities are urged to attend the MDSAA AGM.

Some club juniors travelled to Sodwana and fished in the Hoedspruit Junior Development and some more fortunate juniors competed in the Juniors Nationals for Mpumalanga at Shelly Beach. These juniors had mixed fortunes, but all enjoyed the fishing despite the poor weather conditions at Shelly Beach. Many congrats to all these juniors, you did NDAC proud.

Nominations have been called for Mpumalanga teams for the sailfish interprovincial at Sodwana in October 2015. Should you wish to fish please complete your nomination form and email to me.



9 August / Augustus

Woman's Day



Yours in angling
Edwin Freeman
NDAC Chairman





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SADSAA TOURNAMENT CALENDAR 2015

MONTH	DATE	TOURNAMENT	HOST/VENUE
JANUARY	7 - 10	SODWANA BAY CLUB COMP	SODWANA BAY AC
FEBRUARY	1ST	DURBAN SBC LADIES DAY	DSBC
	9-14	CAPE VIDAL CHALLENGE	
	11-14	PULSATOR BILLFISH CHALLENGE	RICHARDS BAY
	16 - 20	MAPELANE BILLFISH INVITATIONAL CHALLENGE	MAPELANE
	16-20	TWO OCEANS MARLIN TOURNAMENT	STRUISBAAI
	24 - 28	RICHARDS BAY BILLFISH CLASSIC	RBSBC
MARCH	6-9	BILLFISH INTER PROVINCIAL/INTERCLUB	RICHARDS BAY
	8 - 12	ONDERBERG SPESIE BONANZA	NDHK
		ALBATROS CLUB COMP/MYNMANNE	ALBATROS
	16 - 20	SGDSAA ROSEBOWL INTERCLUB CHALLENGE	DURBAN SBC
	21 - 22	DURBAN SBC INTERCLUB	DSBC
	27 - 29	INTERPROVINCIAL/INTERZONAL SHELLY BEACH	SBSBC
APRIL	30/3 - 3RD	LIMPOPA INTERCLUB	LETABA SKI
	3-5	RICHARDS BAY BONANZA	RICHARDS BAY
	3-5	FREE STATE GAME FISH INTERCLUB (CLOSED)	RICHARDS BAY
	5-9	JEFFREYS BAY BOTTOM FISH INTERCLUB (CLOSED)	OFS/J'BAY
	25-26	DURBAN SBC FESTIVAL	DSBC
	30-2 MAY	MARLIN SBC CATCH & RELEASE	PORT EDWARD
MAY	4 - 8	ALL INLAND & MPUMALANGA CLUB COMP	MPUMALANGA DHV
	4 - 8	TARATIBO CLUB COMP	TARATIBO HK
	10TH	DURBAN SBC JUNIORS DAY	DSBC
	10-16	TUNA NATIONALS	ABC/HOUT BAY
	16 - 17	UMHLANGA PRESTIGE INTERCLUB	UMHLANGA
	17 - 22	INHACHA CHALLENGE	NDHK
	30 - 31	INTERCLUB - ZINKWAZI	ZINKWAZI
	29-31	MAPELANE INTERCLUB	MAPELANE
JUNE	31-5 JUNE	GAMEFISH NATIONALS ZULULAND	RBSBC
	6 - 7	INTERCLUB - SHELLY BEACH	SBSBC
	8 - 13	GUINJATA Z-CRAFT MERCURY SPECIES BONANZA	GUINJATA
	19-21	RICHARDS BAY GAME FISH INTERCLUB	RICHARDS BAY
	20-21	ABBOTT VAN ROOYEN MEMORIAL SNOEK DERBY	ST. LUCIA
	27 - 28	GLENMORE SKI BOAT CLUB COMP	
JULY	3-5	MAPELANE JUNIOR INTERCLUB	MAPELANE
	6 - 10	HOEDSPRUIT KLUB COM	HDHK
	8 - 11	MALLARDS MERCURY SKI-BOAT FESTIVAL	SBSBC
	10-12	MEERENSEE 21 SPECIES	MEERENSEE
	20 - 24	JUNIOR GAME FISH NATIONALS - SHELLY BEACH	SBSBC
	13 - 18	SADSAA BOTTOMFISH NATIONALS	EAST LONDON
	25 - 26	INTERCLUB BOTTOM & GAMFISH - WARNER DOONE	WDSBC
AUGUST	4-8	BOTTOMFISH INTERPROVINCIAL	LKEIN BAY
	14-16	RICHARDS BAY BOTTOMFISH INTERCLUB	RICHARDS BAY
SEPTEMBER	24 - 26	JOZINI TIGER FISH BONANZA	SODWANA BAY HK
	26th	ALBATROSS 5 SPECIE BONANZA	
		SEA PIKE KLUB COMP	SEA PIKE
OCTOBER	TBA	NORTHERNS SAILFISH INTERPROVINCIAL	SODWANA
	16 - 18	LABA KLUB COMP	LABA
	26-31	RUMBLY BAY TUNA INTERPROVINCIAL	RUMBLY BAY
NOVEMBER	2 - 6	MERCURY OET BILLFISH & GAMEFISH	MPUMALANGA DHV
	16 - 20	SADSAA BI- FACET BILLFISH NATIONALS	MPUMALANGA DHV
		BILLFISH 15000	

INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENTS

MARCH	29-2 APRIL	FIPS-M WORLD BIG GAME CHAMPIONSHIPS	LOBITO, ANGOLA
MAY	3-5	EFSA CHAMPIONSHIPS	MIAMI, FLAORIDA
JULY		HAWAIIAN INTERNATIONAL BILLFISH	KONA, HAWAII
AUGUST	1 - 8	EUROPEAN BOAT & LINE CLASS CHAMPIONSHIPS	ORKNEY, SCOTLAND
SEPTEMBER	24 - 30	62ND IINTERNATIONAL BILLFISH TOURNAMENT	PUERTO RICO



Competition Dates / Kompetisie Datums:

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WPDSAA OWN CHOICE TUNA INTER PROVINCIALS 2015 - RUMBLY BAY, SIMONS TOWN 27th - 31st OCTOBER 2015

Your Province is invited to send 2 Senior Teams and 1 U19 Junior Team incorporating U16 Anglers of three (3) anglers each to compete in the

WPDSAA Own Choice Tuna Inter Provincials 2015 - Rumbly Bay, Simons Town.

HOSTED BY CAPE BOAT AND SKI-BOAT CLUB RENOWNED FOR THEIR HOSPITALITY

VENUE: CAPE BOAT AND SKI-BOAT CLUB RUMBLY BAY

DATES: OPENING FUNCTION TUESDAY 27th OCTOBER 2015
3 FISHING DAYS and 1 WEATHER DAY IN HAND or 1 DAY OFF
CLOSE FUNCTION - SATURDAY 31st OCTOBER 2015

RULES : IGFA / SADSAA Rules apply

LINE CLASS : **10kg** Ande Line to be used by all participants. A liner tester will be available to all anglers on site 2 days prior to the start allowing anglers sufficient time to check all their lines.

MIN. WGHT : Longfin Tuna - 10kg
Yellowfin Tuna - 20kg
Big Eye Tuna - 20kg
Bluefin Tuna - 20kg

ENTRY FEE : **R7 500.00 PER TEAM** - Payable **prior** to the start of the Tournament
Includes - Opening & Closing Functions, Skippers, Breakfasts, Lunch-packs for 4 days as well as all suppers, T-Caps and T-Shirts. **Boats will be supplied by WPDSAA with CBSC** and traditional boat draw at opening function.
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Excludes - Fuel, Beverages, Bait & Accommodation *,
Fuel Deposit - R9 000.00 [Payable prior to the start of tournament - depending on price & days fished necessary top ups or refunds will be advised]

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES IS 21h00 FRIDAY 25th SEPTEMBER 2015



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Uitwerk van punte vir komende OET Bill & Game toernooi Nov 2015

Na 'n druk bespreking is besluit om die punte toekenning van bg. Toernooi as volg uit te werk:

Marlyn(Blou,Swart,Gestreepte,Shortbill) vrygelaat:(100pte x spesiefaktor 1)
= 100 punte

Seilvis----- vrygelaat: (100pte x spesiefaktor .8)
= 80 punte

Roofvis----- geweeg : 1 (een) punt per Kg

Ope lynklas sal toegepas word met'n maksimum lynsterkte van 37Kg (so dit is die hengelaar se keuse watter sterkte lyn hy wil gebruik tot 'n maksimum van 37Kg). IGFA reels sal geld.

Byvoorbeeld:

- 1) 'n boot vang 'n YFin tuna van 15kg, 'n Dorado van 10Kg en laat 'n Seilvis vry, sal sy punte wees: $15 + 10 + 80 = 105$
- 2) 'n boot vang 'n Wahoo van 18Kg en laat 'n Marlyn vry. Sy punte is:
 $18+100 = 118$
- 3) Nog 'n boot vang 'n Seilvis en 'n Marlyn, sy punte is $80 + 100 = 180$
- 4) Een laat 2 Marlyne vry en vang 'n Kawa van 5.1kg. sy punte $100 + 100 + 5.1 = 205.1$

Pryse sal uitgedeel word vir:

- a) Algeheel vir die week: Punte word bymekaar getel vir 1 ste tot 10de plek
- b) Dagpryse:(elke dag) (soos bo uitgewerk) Beste punte behaal vir die dag
Tweede beste punte behaal
vir die dag
Swaarste sak (geweegde) vis
vir die dag
Swaarste(enkele) vis geweeg
vir die dag
- c) Swaarste(enkele) vis geweeg vir die week.

Die volledige stel reels (die normale) sal later deur die toernooibeampte bekendgemaak word.



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38th Annual -2015 MERCURY OET Bill- and Game fish Tournament

1st November – 6th November 2015 Sodwana Bay

Once again this prestigious tournament is proudly sponsored by **Mercury Outboards**. This tournament has grown from strength to strength since its inception in the late seventies, hence the timeous invitation to you personally. Our field has been limited, so it is vitally important to make use of this early reminder to register straight away. **Please follow the payment instructions carefully.**

The tournament will for the first time be fished on an open line class base with the maximum line class

being 37kg. A line tester will be available at the marquee tent during registration and during daily weigh and teams are encouraged to test their lines before the first days fishing. Point scoring will be 100 points per release of all Marlin species including Short bill Spearfish. Sailfish will score 80 points per release and 1 point per kg on Game fish, irrespective of the line class. Remember only two game fish per angler per day allowed to be weighed at the scales. IGFA and SADSAA rules will be applicable. Teams must consist of not less than two (2) persons and no more than legally permitted on a boat.

Please note that the release of all billfish and kingfish is compulsory, no billfish or kingfish can be brought to the weigh-ins. **Fish released and game fish weighed will become eligible to WIN the first prize of the tournament which is a 630 Cobra Cat with 2X115 HP Mercury Four stroke outboards insured by Cross Country Insurance. Teams in the top three positions will not qualify for any other main/bonanza prizes. (Please note that this excludes the Calcutta prize monies)** We are privileged to have sponsors on board that have been with us for many fine and fruitful years. Some of the committed sponsors are the likes of **Garmin, Mallards Marine, Mercury Outboards, Ski Boat Magazine, SSS Security, McGee Ford-Lydenburg, Ford Motor Company SA, Penn Fishing Tackle, US Trucks, Cross Country, Zavora Lodge, Malalane Toyota, Tropical Dream Tackle, 4WD Trucking, Eventually Lodge, Port-A-Cool and Sodwana Hengelklub, Pulsator Lures**

CLOSING DATE 30th SEPTEMBER 2015 ENTRY FEE: R7000-00 per boat

(5 Anglers) plus R1650-00/angler thereafter. CALCUTTA: R1000 per boat.



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BOTTOM FISH DEVELOPMENT COMPETITION

TO ALL SKIPPERS AND DEEP SEA ANGLING CLUBS:

We as **Albatros Deep Sea Angling Club** are proud to invite you to our first **Bottom Fish Development Competition** to be held at **Richards bay Ski boat Club** from the **3rd to the 7th of October 2015** during the school holiday.

The competition will be open to all clubs and is aimed at developing our Junior and Female anglers and giving them the opportunity to compete against other clubs from around the country in this facet of our sport. The competition will be a three day event with presentations on conservation, bag limits and minimum sizes, safe releasing of bottom fish, general safety and of course methods used in bottom fishing. This will be a **10kg line** competition and **IGFA rules** will apply.

Competition Details:

- ☐ All teams must have at least one junior or female angler in the team.
- ☐ Opening function and Skippers briefing will take place at Richards bay Ski boat Club Clubhouse at 18:00 on Saturday the 3rd of October.
- ☐ Fishing will commence at first light on Sunday the 4th of October for 3 days. (A fourth day allowance is made for weather if needed)
- ☐ Weigh-in will commence at 15:00 every afternoon until 17:00
- ☐ The competition will be species and points based. Points will be calculated on number of species caught multiplied by overall weight of fish caught.
- ☐ A Weather Committee will be appointed and will be selected from experienced local anglers, participants and the smallest boat in the fleet
- ☐ All competitors will abide by the KZN Parks board minimum sizes and bag limits and must be in possession of a valid Fishing license.
- ☐ All private boats must have a valid COF and a registered Skipper on board.
- ☐ Camping sites inside Richards bay Ski boat Club camp site will be reserved for the competition if you would like to make use of these facilities please contact the organizers for more info.
- ☐ There will be a few boats from Richards bay Ski boat Club available with skippers for use during the competition, please contact the organizers for further assistance if you would like to make use of them.
- ☐ Closing Function and Prize giving will be held at the Clubhouse on Wednesday the 7th of October, times will be finalized dependant on the fishing days had.
- ☐ Competition Entry fees are R1500 per boat with 5 crew including skipper, additional anglers can be arranged at R300 per angler
- ☐ Boat packs will be available from the club at a minimal cost per angler
- ☐ Prizes will be awarded for the following:
 - ☐ Overall Junior Winner
 - ☐ Overall Female Winner
 - ☐ Best Skipper/Boat of the competition
 - ☐ Most Meritorious Fish of the competition

Fish species eligible: (All fish must comply with the KZN Parks board minimum sizes and bag limits)

- Species 1. Rockcod family
- Species 2. Slinger, Goatfish and other Red fish
- Species 3. Santer/Soldiers and King Soldiers
- Species 4. Dageraad
- Species 5. Rubberlip / Niggerlip
- Species 6. Lantern fish/Cave bass
- Species 7. Bream such as Yellowfin / Stumpnose, River bream etc
- Species 8. Coppers
- Species 9. Mussel Cracker, Black & White
- Species 10. Kob and Salmon species (Geelbek)
- Species 11. Baardman (Tasslefish)
- Species 12. Jobfish, Blue, Green and Rosy
- Species 13. Englishman
- Species 14. Scotsman
- Species 15. Grunters
- Species 16. Dane
- Species 17. Scavenger/Yellowfin Emperor

For any further information please do not hesitate to contact:

**Marius at 082 266 7001 or
Marthinus at 082 377 3902**



Any member who would like to represent the NDAC at this competition please contact the Committee.

Lede wat die NDKH wil verteenwoordig gedurende die kompetisie kontak asseblief die komitee.

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NORTHERN GAUTENG DEEP SEA ANGLING ASSOCIATION

TO ALL PROVINCIAL AND CLUB CHAIRMEN

NORTHERN GAUTENG DSAA IS PROUD TO INVITE YOU TO THE **SAILFISH PROVINCIAL**

THE PROVINCIAL WILL BE HOSTED BY NORTHERN GAUTENG DEEP SEA ANGLING ASSOCIATION.

THE TOURNAMENT WILL BE HELD AT SODWANA, KWAZULU-NATAL ON **5 OCTOBER 2015 TO 9 OCTOBER 2015.**

REGISTRATION WILL BE AT LEATHER BACKS, SODWANA ON **4 OCTOBER 2015**

BETWEEN

16:00 AND 17:00.

FISHING DAYS WILL BE **5 OCTOBER 2015 TO 9 OCTOBER 2015.**

TEAMS WILL CONSIST OF **4 PERSONS** INCLUSIVE OF AN ANGLING SKIPPER. THE ENTRY FEE WILL BE **R4000.00** PER TEAM, IT WILL INCLUDE THE COST OF YOUR OPENING AND CLOSING FUNCTIONS, AS WELL AS A SHIRT AND REFRESHMENTS AT THE WEIGH IN. **GILLEY'S WILL BE AN EXTRA R880.00 PER GILLEY.**

PROVINCES CAN ENTER **TWO [2] TEAMS.**

THE LINE CLASS WILL BE **10KG LINE** ONLY. IT WILL BE A **RELEASE** TOURNAMENT ONLY.

ONLY **SAILFISH** WILL COUNT. **SADSAA** SCORING SYSTEM.

BOATS, FUEL, BAIT, ACCOMMODATION AND OTHER MEALS ARE NOT INCLUDED.

ENTRY FORM TO BE COMPLETED IN FULL AND RETURNED BY ALL TEAMS NO LATER THAN

2 SEPTEMBER 2014.

TOURNAMENT OFFICER: HANS DU PREEZ [VICE CHAIRMAN: NORTHERN GAUTENG DSAA] CELL: 082 923 7008, E-MAIL: hans@chdupre.com, ADDRESS: PO BOX 80242, DOORNPOORT 0017 PRETORIA.



Notice Board / Kennisgewings Bord:

MEMBERSHIP FEES 2014/2015

Honorary Members:	R 170pp
Seniors:	R 330 + R 170 (Affiliation fees)
TOTAL:	R 500pp
Family member:	R 170 + R 170 (Affiliation fees)
TOTAL:	R 340pp
Juniors:	R 80 + R 170 (Affiliation fees)
TOTAL:	R 250pp
Initial entrance fee: (new members only)	R 130 Adults; R 50 Juniors
Validity period:	01 August to 31 July annually
Contact person:	Edwin Freeman (083 628 3902)



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Christelle Rothman 1 Aug
Henry de Pradines 06 Aug



WELKOM AAN DIE VOLGENDE NUWE LEDE / WELCOME TO THE FOLLOWING NEW MEMBERS

Mnr. /Mr. GD Mellor

Nuwe lidmaatskap aansoeke / New member requests*:

Mr.	Q	Hammel	Quinten
Mr.	GF	Botha	Gerhard Frans

***Besware kan skriftelik aan sekretaris gerig word /
Objections can be addressed to secretary in writing**

Posbus/P.O Box 725, Nelspruit, 1200

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 receive their vouchers in the post. 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. Wenner sal in die Nuusbrief aangekondig word en die geskenkbewys in die pos ontvang. 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!!!



News Snippets / Nuus Brokkies:

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Mpumalanga
Diepsee Hengel Vereniging

Mpumalanga vra nominasies vir die volgende spanne:

A. Ligte gerei Snawelvis:

1. Mpumalanga Provinsiaal
2. Mpumalanga Meesters

B. Swaar gerei Snawevis:

1. Mpumalanga Provinsiaal
2. Mpumalanga Meesters

Hierdie nominasies word benodig vir die SADSAA ligte- en swaar gerei Nasionale Kampioenskappe te Sodwana van 15-20 November 2015.

Die nominasies moet Lappies(+27 82 440 4705) bereik voor die 05 September 2015

Nominations must be received by Lappies Labuschagne(+27 82 440 4705) 05 September 2015

Video on Release Weight – Australia

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oB6oNollq8g>

Catch and release is a practice within recreational fishing intended as a technique of conservation. After capture, the fish are unhooked and returned to the water before experiencing serious exhaustion or injury. Often, a fast measurement and weighing of the fish is worthwhile. Using barbless hooks, it is often possible to release the fish without removing it from the water (a slack line is frequently sufficient).

Most deep sea fish species suffer from the sudden pressure change when wound to the surface from great depths; these species cannot adjust their body's physiology quickly enough to follow the pressure change. The result is called "**barotrauma**". Fish with barotrauma will have their enormously swollen swim-bladder protruding from their mouth, bulging eyeballs, and often sustain other, more subtle but still very serious injuries. Upon release, fish with barotrauma will be unable to swim or dive due to the swollen swim-bladder. The common practice has been to deflate the swim bladder by pricking it with a thin sharp object before attempting to release the fish.

Emerging research indicates both barotrauma and the practice of deflating the swim bladder are both highly damaging to fish, and that survival rate of caught-and-released deep-sea fish is extremely low. However, barotrauma requires that fish be caught at least 30 – 50 feet below the surface.



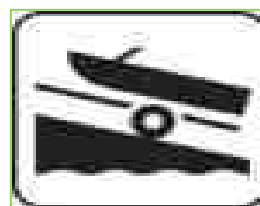
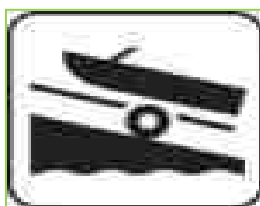


Angler of the month / Hengelaar van die die maand:

Gary Larkan
Rainbow Trout 6.9 kg
Machado-Teal & Trout Farm



Skipper's kurses: 28-30 Augustus
Marlin Pub & Grill-Club House



Important notice for Driekoppies Dam:

Very importantly, if you're planning on fishing at Driekoppies Dam, please make sure you get the **boat permit** now required by the Mpumalanga Tourism and Parks Agency! Forms are available at the MTPA office. Once the form is completed it can be taken to building number D26 at the MTPA and the R50 can be paid to them. They are situated at Hall's Gateway on the N4 National Highway, Nelspruit.



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