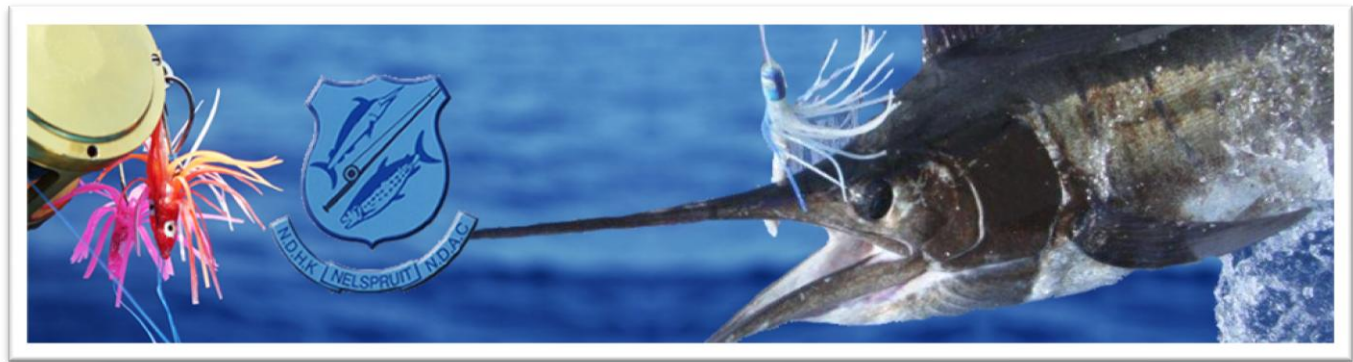




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DIE PRESIDENT, KOMMITEE EN LEDE

Graag gee ek terugvoering van die afgelope jaar se gebeure.

NDHK het tans 207 lede wat by Mpumalanga geaffilieër is, teenoor 246 lede die vorige jaar.

Dit gaan finansieël goed met die klub. NDHK kan daarom dieselfde borg aan hengelaars gee as wat die provinsie tans gee.

Die klub het ook elke 2de Woensdag van die maand 'n "tackle box" wat baie goed bygewoon word. Paul Whitaker het ook Hoedspruit Klub besoek en 'n "tackle box" daar aangebied.

Jan Joubert, Paul Whitaker, Jaco Jordaan, Leon Potgieter, Edwin Freeman, Wayne Wiid en Henry de Pradines, het die provinsie verteenwoordig op die Tri Nationals te Sodwana. Gustav van Staden en Shaun Bushny het die All Inlands gehengel, met Mauritz van der Walt die Junior Nationals. Op klub vlak het Paul Whitaker, Sue Tapson, Sig de Jong en Sam Botha gehengel. Wayne Huddleston het SADSA masters gehengel.

Die klubhuis word tans verhuur aan "The Marlin" restaurant. Dis 'n gesellige kuierplek vir die hengelaars en publiek.

Die Onderberg Spesie Uitnodigings Bonanza te Barra en die jaarlikse Inhaca Challenge was weer-eens baie suksesvol. Die twee kompetisies is 'n groot finansieële inspuiting vir die klub. Baie dankie aan al die organiseerders en borge. En 'n spesiale dank aan Gary Larken wat na 15jaar as organiseerder van die Inhaca Challenge uittree.

'n Groot dank aan my kommitee lede, wat dit vir my 'n plesier maak om aan stuur van die NDHK te wees.

Ter afsluiting is ek baie dankbaar om te kan rapporteer dat dit op alle terreine baie goed gaan met die klub.

Hengel groete,

HENRY DE PRADINES

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Please make use of the forum on the NDAC website to communicate with other members by sharing your jokes, stories, recommended places to fish/stay, swop and sale items, services offered etc.

Simply log in with your username and password (www.ndac.co.za) !!!





Notice Board / Kennisgewingsbord

MEMBERSHIP FEES FOR 2012/2013 NOW DUE:

	Seniors	Juniors	Family member
Initial entrance fee:	R130	R25	n/a
Annual Membership fees:	R310	R70	R160
Affiliation fees:	R140	R140	R140
TOTAL:	R580	R235	R300

Club year ranges from 1 AUG-31 JULY the next year.

Banking details: NDAC; STANDARD BANK; 030286751; 052852 (Branch code)

Contact Edwin Freeman on 083 628 3902 for more information...



Next Tackle Box

Date: 19 September (Wed)
Time: 06h30(07h00)
Where: Clubhouse
Presenter: Jan Joubert
Topic: Knots u can trust!

Updated NDAC
Membership form
with new affiliation
fees have been
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Semi-Formal

R 150 Adults
R100 Juniors

RSVP:

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HONORARY PRESIDENT'S REPORT 2011 – 2012

The Chairman, Committee and members of NDAC, this year has once again been a great success for skiboating and associated industry despite the recession and a number of factors, and yet the Barra Species Bonanza, the Inhaca Challenge, the May and November OET's have been well supported and our crews and boats have done well in all these compos.

Mpumalanga is the host province to hold the Tri-Nationals each November and the Club's members did themselves proud in these Nationals. So all in all it was a great year despite the difficulties.

I had a special moment while fishing in December with my family and Leon and his family. I was fortunate to tag and release a Blue Marlin which I entered into the Captain Morgan Challenge and won the Blue Marlin draw to Kenya worth approximately R28 000.00. My thanks to my crew who helped.

The Annual Prize giving was a grand affair, well done to Jaco and Lorinda for a job well done.

The last AGM saw nothing of note and I think that the Committee elected did a fantastic job as our finances indicate.

The whole aspect of our relationship with the club house needs consideration and I ask that this issue be placed under General for discussion.

Boat testing took place in Nelspruit, Komatipoort and Hazyview. Only one boat had a small problem which was quickly rectified and our Club standard is of the highest, thanks to Louis and Gert.

The Committees of both the Barra and Inhaca Compos led by Gustav and Gary respectively are to be congratulated as each Compo donated R15 000.00 to the Club which can be ploughed back into angling. By the way, Gary has hosted this Compo for the last 15 years. To their sponsors, many thanks.

Our monthly Tackleboxes have again been very well attended. The range of subjects is vast and even our 'Back to Basics' motto has been adopted by our erstwhile bimonthly Ski Boat magazine. Our reputation precedes us.

Garth and I went to Hoedspruit club and presented a tackle box which was very well attended and appreciated.

The May or this year, the April OET disappointingly had only one club boat participating. However, with so many Compos, we know it is difficult.

The Juniors, under Sam's guidance, had a great compo at the Hoedspruit tournament.

The promotion of our sport remains the Club's responsibility and I believe this has been an extremely successful club year with teams and individuals at Senior, Masters and Juniors keeping NDAC's name high. Lots of social trips and tournaments overseas have been made and also participation in the SADSAA Billfish Tag and Release at Richard's Bay.

Many congratulations to the members who entered all of these compos held last year. To those who won and caught records and will receive awards at our Honours Evening, well done and to the losers – better luck next time and always remember – without you there wouldn't be a compo.

May the wind blow gently on your faces.

Paul Whitaker
Honorary President





The following anglers are congratulated on being selected to represent MDSAA at the upcoming Tri-Facet Nationals:

- **GAMEFISH**
 - Paul Whitaker (Capt) – NDAC
 - Sue Tapson – NDAC
 - Dawie Saaiman – Taratibo
- **HEAVY TACKLE – RED**
 - Jan Joubert (Capt) – NDAC
 - Handro Swart – Albatros
 - Michel de Kock – Taratibo
- **HEAVY TACKLE – BLUE**
 - Danie Visser (Capt) – Sodwana
 - Jaco Jordaan – NDAC
 - Dwayne Viviers – Taratibo
- **LIGHT TACKLE – RED**
 - Piet Jordaan (Capt) – Albatros
 - Jan Strydom – Taratibo
 - Leon Potgieter – NDAC
- **LIGHT TACKLE – BLUE**
 - Sybrand van Vuuren (Capt) – Hoedspruit
 - Annelise Smit – Hoedspruit
 - Edwin Freeman – NDAC
- **LIGHT TACKLE – MASTERS**
 - Kobus Engelbrecht (Capt) – Taratibo
 - Wayne Wiid - NDAC
 - Henry de Pradines - NDAC

AGM Feedback:

- Congratulations to the following anglers on receiving the trophies/honorary colours as listed below:
 - Chris Rothmann – Highest Achievement in Angling (Captain of Protea team to Puerto Rico which came 4th in the international division)
 - Annelise Smit – Angler of the year (Mpumalanga-/SA-/All Africa record for dorado on 6kg line)
 - Chris Rothmann & Wian Terblanche' – Special Honorary colours (Golden Rose)
- Affiliation fees – this has been increased to R140 per member
- Nomination fees – this has also been increased to R100

A special word of thanks need to be extended to Stefan Kleinhaus and the members of Sodwana Angling Club for arranging the prize giving function, it was enjoyed by all present.





Verslag van NDHK Juniors en Ontwikkeling vir die periode Augustus 2011 tot Julie 2012

Ek wil graag die komitee en al die lede bedank vir hul ondersteuning en samewerking die afgelope jaar.

Daar is tans 13 opbetaalde junior lede in ons klub.

Gedurende Februarie het Mauritz van der Walt die klub en ons provinsie verteenwoordig as kaptein van die Mpumalanga Junior Hengelspan by die Junior Gamefish Nationals. Die span het 'n vierde plek behaal.

Tydens die Onderberg spesies Bonanza wen Braam Cronje die junior afdeling. Sy punte vir die week was 141.4 op 15kg lynklas. Sy swaarste vis was 'n 13.4kg King Mackerel. Hy het boonop 'n seilvis getag and release. Nog 3 juniors van ons klub, Matthew Potgieter, Nata en MP Olivier het ook deelgeneem.

Net Wernich Botha het NDHK se juniors verteenwoordig by die Inhaca Challenge en hy was ook die wenner van die Junior Afdeling van die kompetisie. Hy het met 96 punte geëindig op 10kg lynklas. Hy kan spog met 'n 18.9kg yellow fin tuna wat sy swaarste vis vir die week was.

Ongeveer 30 Juniors het deelgeneem aan die Hoedspruitkompetisie te Sodwana. Drie juniors, Nata, MP en Wernich van ons klub en drie maats van Nelspruit en Lydenburg omgewing het gaan deelneem. Naas die Junior Nationals is hierdie kompetisie tans die grootste byeenkoms vir junior hengelaars! Dit kan gerus 'n jaarlikse instelling word en ek raai al die ouers van juniors in ons klub aan om deel te word van hierdie kompetisie. Nie net ontwikkel dit ons juniors deur blootstelling aan kompetisies soos hierdie nie, maar hulle doen waardevolle ondervinding op in die proses. Daar word veral gefokus op die juniors en die tacklebox wat aangebied is, was uitstekend.

NDHK en al die ander hengelklubs in die provinsie is in verbinding met Piet Jordaan, Ontwikkelingsbeampte van Mpumalanga, in verband met die ontwikkelingsprogram van SASCO . Ek sal die inligting oorhandig aan die nuwe komitee sodat daar betyds werk gemaak kan word rakende Projekbefondsing vir volgende jaar.

Ek wens die inkomende komitee voorspoed en baie sterkte toe vir die nuwe jaar.

Baie Dankie

Sam Botha

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"Life is like a tackle box. Just when you think you have everything you could possibly need in your arsenal of lures, baits, and other assorted odds and ends, you find yourself in a situation where you have to run out and get something else. So it is with life. Just when you think you've seen it all, done it all, and heard it all, something new happens. And afterwards, you store it away in the appropriate compartment, where it may or may not be used again."



Angler of the month / Hengelaar van die maand



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Angler	Wernich Botha
Fish	Tuna (18.9kg)
Boat	Grande Pe
Skipper	Sam Botha
When	July 2012
Where	Sodwana



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