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THE PRESIDENT, NDAC COMMITTEE AND MEMBERS

The festive season has come and gone and everybody is back from their annual holidays. I trust that all our members had a very blessed and safe festive season and that 2014 will be very blessed.

It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of Dr Christo du Plooy in January at his home. Christo was a life member of NDAC and also a past chairman of the club, our sincere condolences, to his wife and family.

Some great fish were caught during December by some of our members. Many congrats to Ig Olivier's sons, Ig and Mathys, who each caught a marlin at Sodwana and were selected as Anglers of the month for January.

Please send you're fishing stories and pictures to the club and these will be included in the newsletter and be displayed on the club web site.

Entries for the Onderberg Species Bonanza and Inhaca Challenge for 2014 are open and both these club competitions have excellent prizes secured for this year. Should you intend fishing any of these, please get your entry form in to avoid disappointment.

A friendly reminder to those who have not paid their annual NDAC subs, please pay this at your earliest convenience.

To those members fishing during the coming month, tight lines and travel safe.

**Yours in angling
Edwin Freeman
NDAC Chairman**



Friday, February 14



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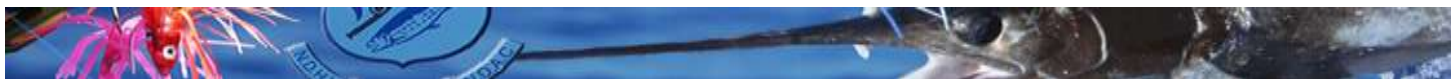
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Notice Board / Kennisgewingsbord

MEMBERSHIP FEES FOR 2013/2014 NOW DUE:

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

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

NEW MEMBERSHIP FEES PAYABLE

NORMAL MEMBER: R 320 + R 150 (Affiliation fees) = R 470pp

FAMILY MEMBER: R 170 + R 150 (Affiliation fees) = R 320pp

JUNIORS: R 80 + R 150 (Affiliation fees) = R 230pp

LIFE MEMBER: R 150

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

If your membership fees have been paid and you haven't as of yet received your membership cards please contact Johan van der Walt on 082 922 6574!!!



Live music every Thursday evening !!!

Karaoke evening on the last Thursday of every month...

NDAC club members get 10% discount received on their bill (excludes Brandy Special, Whiskey Wednesday Specials and the Daily Food Specials).

Birthdays / Verjaarsdae

Nuwe lidmaatskap aansoeke / New member requests*:

Mr.	B	Opperman	Bouwer
Mr.	CS	Van Heerden	Carel S
Mr.	PJ	Jansen van Vuuren	PJ

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

Posbus/P.O Box 725, Nelspruit, 1200

Edwin Freeman	01/02
Louis du Preez	13/02
Johan vd Walt	22/02



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

Mnr. /Mr. JL du Plessis
Mnr. /Mr. WA Atkinson
Mnr. /Mr. PC Daniel
Mnr. /Mr. WJN Gelderblom
Mnr. /Mr. WJN Gelderblom (Jnr)

**Skippers kurses: 21-23 Februarie
Kontak Louis du Preez (082 702 1749)**



Competition Dates / Kompetisie Datums

Mpumalanga
Deep Sea Angling Association



Mpumalanga
Diepsee Hengel Vereniging

2014 OET CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

4th – 09th May 2014

You are invited to participate in our Championships taking place at Sodwana Bay.

Line class for the tournament is 10Kg or 37Kg, to be nominated daily.

There will be prizes in each category for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd teams and 1st, 2nd and 3rd individuals as well as prizes for the best fish of various species.

Your entry fee will include 'Happy Hours' at the daily weigh-in, meals at the opening- & closing functions and each angler will also be receiving a tournament face towel.

Entry fee is R2,400 per team (up to 4 persons). Cost for any additional persons will be R350 each.

Entry fees must be paid into our account, details of which are on the entry form.

Teams which qualify can also enter the All Inland Inter-Provincial / Inter-Association / Inter-Club. Kindly contact writer hereof for more details regarding the entry fees.

If you have any queries please contact Jan Joubert at joubert@absamail.co.za or on his cell phone at 083 459 0516.

Yours in Angling

Jan Joubert

Mpumalanga Klubs

Nominasies word gevra vir die volgende Mpumalanga spanne om die Provinsie te verteenwoordig by die All Inland te Sodwana van die 5de-9de Mei 2014:

1. Assosiasie
2. Provinsiaal

Hierdie nominasies moet Lappies bereik voor **Maandag 3de Maart 2014**.

Hengel groete

Jan Joubert



*Mpumalanga
Deep Sea Angling Association*



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Tournament Officer: joubert@absamail.co.za

30 January 2014

**2014 All Inland Inter-Provincial / Inter-Association / Inter-Club
05 – 10 May 2014 Sodwana Bay**

It is with much pleasure that we extend an invitation to your province and clubs within your province to participate in the above mentioned Bill- and Game Fish tournament.

Herewith details of the tournament:

- Venue : Sodwana Bay, Kwazulu Natal
- Date : 04 May 2014 – 09 May 2014
- Registration : 04 May 2014, 16H00 – 17H00 at the Pool Deck Leatherback Restaurant
- Fishing Days : 05 May 2014 – 09 May 2014
- Teams : To consist of 4 persons (inclusive of an angling skipper)
 - Provincial - Two Teams per Province
 - Association - Two Teams per Province
 - Club - Unlimited
- Line Class : 10KG & 37KG, to be nominated daily
- Scoring : SADSAA scoring system
- Entry Fee : R2,200 per team. (4 pax)
Teams are welcome to also enter the OET Club Championships at an additional cost of R1,240 per team.
- Including : Daily Happy Hour, meals at opening and closing functions and t-shirt.
- Excluding : Boats, fuel, bait, all other meals and accommodation for teams
- Entry Form : Attached: To be completed in full and returned by all teams
NO LATER than 01 April 2014

Admission Reserved

- Tournament Officer : Jan Joubert
Mobile: 083 459 0516
Fax: 086 554 8846
E-mail: joubert@absamail.co.za

For any further information you can contact the Tournament Officer.

MDSAA is looking forward to hosting your teams.

Yours in Angling,

Jan Joubert




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Third Prize
 R30 000 cash
(At least one of the top two prizes must go to a ski-boat under 7 metres)

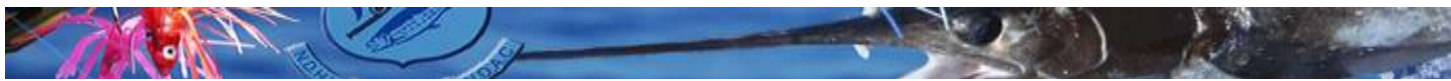


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Boat name:		Reg no.:	
Team:		Country:	
Hull make and length:			
Angler's name	Telephone Number	Email Address	Shirt size
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2.			
3.			
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Total no. of anglers @ R1 100 per angler			
Amount due:			R
Amount paid:	Date paid:		R
Balance due:			R
TOTAL AMOUNT PAID	Receipt no.:		R

Kindly complete this form and post, fax or e-mail, together with your entry fee or bank deposit slip to:

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 Direct Deposit: South African Deep Sea Angling Association



25th November 2013

TO ALL PROVINCIAL CHAIRMEN
TUNA NATIONALS 2014 - HOUT BAY, CAPE TOWN 12TH - 17TH MAY 2014

Your Province is invited to send a team of three (3) anglers to compete in the 2014 Tuna Nationals to be held in Cape Town. Details are as follows:



- VENUE : ATLANTIC BOAT CLUB
HOUT BAY
- DATES : OPEN FUNCTION MONDAY 12TH MAY 2014
4 FISHING DAYS and 1 WEATHER DAY IN HAND or 1 DAY OFF
CLOSE FUNCTION - SATURDAY 17TH MAY 2014
- RULES : IGFA / SADSAA Rules apply
- LINE CLASS : **10kg** Ande Tournament approved brand line supplied & sponsored by SADSAA may **ONLY** be used. Requirements to be noted on Entry Form.
3 x 1200m spools at NO CHARGE thereafter **each spool will cost +- R330.00 - to be confirmed**

- MIN. WGHT : Long fin Tuna - 10kg
Yellow fin Tuna - 20kg
Big Eye Tuna - 20kg

western province deep sea angling association
westelike provinsie diepsee hengelvereniging

- ENTRY FEE : **R8500.00 PER 3 MAN TEAM -**
Includes - Opening & Closing Functions, Skippers, Breakfasts & Lunch-packs for 4 days.
Excludes - Fuel, Bait & Accommodation *,
Fuel Deposit - R10000.00 [payable prior to the start of tournament - subject to fuel prices in May 2014 & excluding a necessary top-up if required per team]

* Accommodation will be negotiated at a **reduced rate** for all participants at certain B&B's in Hout Bay

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES IS 21h00 MONDAY 26th MARCH 2014

Nominasies word gevra vir die volgende Mpumalanga span:
Tuna Nasionale Kampioenskappe te Houtbaai van die 12de-17de Mei 2014.

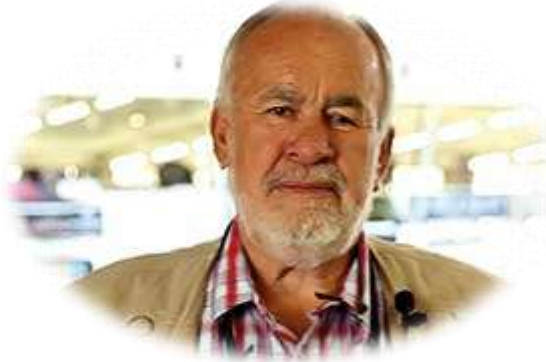
Hierdie nominasies moet Lappies bereik voor Maandag 10 Februarie 2014.
Lappies Labuschagne +27 82 440 4705



News Snippets / Nuus brokkies:

Tackling fishing policies

A highly qualified and peer-respected scientist from Gleneagles Environmental Consultants' will be acting as a consultant to the SA Consolidated Recreational Angling Association (SACRAA) over the next three months, reports SAFTAD chairman John Pledger (below).



"Gleneagles will be guiding us over the next three months about the best way to interact with government and environmental agencies about various issues, including NEMBA (National Environmental Management Biodiversity Act) legislation," says Pledger. "We'll do a review in March to determine if we'll continue with the consultation."

A former academic with impeccable marine science and environmental credentials, the scientist will "have the knowledge and clout to talk to government and environmental scientists on an equal footing." He is also a keen fisherman.

While SAFTAD (SA Fishing Tackle Agents and Distributors) only represents the fishing tackle trade, SACRAA represents everybody with an interest in recreational fishing, explains Pledger. This includes anglers, clubs, retailers, venues and anybody else who benefit in any way from recreational angling.

"We want to get it across to the people in government that when they think recreational fishing, they must think SACRAA," he says.

They will also be looking at the example of international angling organizations – like the European association EFTTA – in the way they interact with governments and play a role in formulating angling policies. EFTTA, for example, has a permanent lobbyist at the European Parliament in Brussels, who regularly makes representations on behalf of European recreational angling.

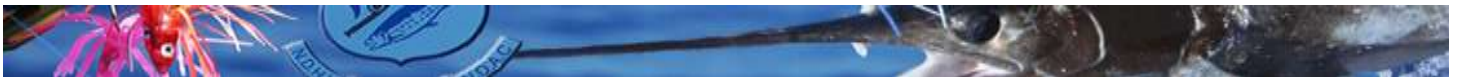
SACRAA is also planning to commission a job creation survey by a reputable academic institution, which will show the value that recreational fishing adds to the economy. A similar study in the US showed that the 50-m anglers generated 880 000 jobs, which means that our 2.5-m anglers could create about 40 000 jobs. But, the outcome of the survey must be beyond question and stand up to peer reviews and government scrutiny, says Pledger.

NEMBA, the biodiversity act, has been gazetted, but not promulgated, and recreational fishing is represented on the various fish species forums debating the legislation by Bernard Venter, the SA Sport Anglers and Casting Confederation (SASACC) freshwater conservation officer.

"We have been assured that it is really not aimed at harming recreational angling, but we are still negotiating certain issues," says Pledger. "The aim is to stop the spreading of foreign species."

Recreational anglers will be able to get permits to fish for the species listed (including bass and trout), but they will have to be killed when caught – one can no longer catch and release.

Pledger urges all retailers selling recreational fishing gear (clothing, tackle, boats etc.) and anglers to join SACRAA in order to create a strong lobby group that would compel government to negotiate with when introducing recreational fishing policies. The organisation is still administered and funded by SAFTAD.



Members' Pics / Lede se foto's:

Gerhard Bessenger (Barra, Dec '13)



Yellow Spotted King 9.8 Kg



Dorado 15kg



Rudi Spoor, Sailfish

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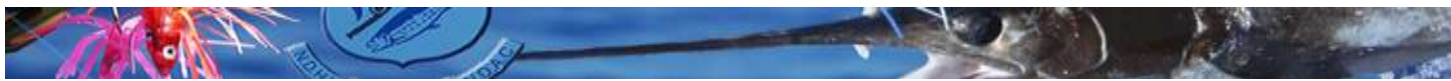
Angler of the month / Hengelaar van die maand:



MP Olivier – Striped Marlin – 65kg
Nata Olivier – Black Marlin – 121.4kg



A gift voucher to the value of R 200 will be posted to each of these anglers. The “Angler of the Month” award is proudly sponsored by Solly’s Anglers Corner Nelspruit...



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