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INTERCLUB TOURNAMENT 2011



2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament
26th - 27th February & 5th - 6th March
Port Stephens, NSW





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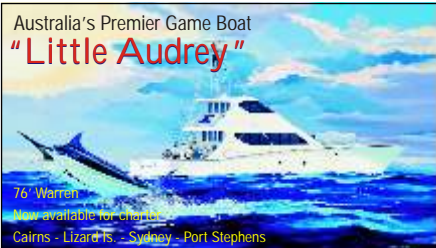
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Note: Neither the Tournament Committee nor NSWGFA, nor any sponsor will be liable for any loss or damage to any person, property, personal injury or death howsoever occasioned at any time during the 2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament.

All anglers participate entirely at their own risk.

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"A" ENTRIES

1. NSWGFA CLUBS are invited to nominate TEAMS of 5 boats, each of which MUST be registered and compliant with all NSW Waterways safety equipment requirements with that particular Member Club. Any boats not in Club teams will be grouped by NSWGFA into teams of 5 boats to fish as a composite team, where possible composite teams will be made up of boats from the same zonal area. If any one of the composite teams wins a team trophy in the 2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament then the trophy will be awarded to the Club represented by the highest point scoring boat in that team.
2. NSWGFA reserves the right to refuse entry to the Tournament.
3. ANGLERS entering the 2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament MUST be full financial members (or Life Members) of a Club affiliated with NSWGFA. For the purpose of this tournament an angler is considered to be a financial club member from the date of receipt of their completed Membership Application form and dues by his/her Club Executive. The Boat Captain and in the case of CHARTER BOATS the registered charter boat skipper MUST BE a registered/paid angler in the tournament (please note page 9 of entry form).
4. ENTRY FEES are \$90.00 (incl. GST) for each competing adult angler and \$30.00 (incl. GST) for each junior angler (under 16 years of age at the commencement of the tournament) and small fry angler (under 11 years of age at commencement of the tournament). There must be a minimum of two (2) registered persons on board each boat under 8 metres and three (3) registered persons on board each boat 8 metres and over. There is a minimum entry fee of \$180.00 (incl. GST) for each boat under 8 metres and a minimum entry fee of \$270.00 (incl. GST) for each boat 8 metres and over. Completed entry forms together with insurance details as stated in Rule "A" 5 and fees MUST be forwarded to your CLUB SECRETARY by 31st December 2010. Incomplete entry forms will be rejected and WILL attract a late entry fee.
5. INSURANCE – each vessel is to have their own Third Party Liability Insurance - minimum of \$5 million and Boat Owner MUST provide details of insurance covering third party property liability and third party personal liability insurance on the *Boat Safety Rescue form*.
6. LATE ENTRY FEE of \$90.00 (incl. GST) will apply to boat entries received after the closing date. Late entries will be accepted only at the discretion of NSWGFA and must be registered before 7.30pm Friday 25th February 2011.
7. ADDITIONAL ANGLERS & BOATS – NSWGFA office will be open in Nautilus Marquee from 12.00 midday on Friday 25th February 2011 for additional anglers & boats.
8. NO MAJOR TEAM/BOAT CHANGES after 31st January 2011. Unless there is an open spot in an assigned club team, the boat will be placed into a composite team – as per rule 1.
9. NO REFUND of entry fees for whatever reason will be considered after 31st January 2011.
10. VISITING ANGLER TEAMS
 - (a) Interstate teams of anglers must consist of a minimum of two (2) anglers per boat under 8 metres and three (3) anglers per boat over 8 metres, each angler must be a financial member of a club affiliated with a State Member Association of GFAA.
 - (b) International teams must consist of a minimum of two (2) anglers per boat under 8 metres and three (3) anglers per boat over 8 metres, each angler must be a bona fide International financial member of IGFA.
 - (c) Visiting anglers and visiting boats as per rule 10 (a) 7(b) (i.e. anglers not affiliated with NSWGFA Inc. Member Clubs and Boats not on NSWGFA Club register) shall only compete for trophies as listed in *VISITING ANGLER & VISITING BOAT TROPHIES* section on page 7. Note: Visiting anglers and boats are not entitled to fish for NSWGFA Angler, NSWGFA Team and Boat Trophies in this competition as printed on page 6.
 - (d) Entry form is to be completed and returned direct to NSWGFA – PO Box 414, Swansea. NSW. 2281.

"B" TOURNAMENT RULES

1. THE TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE to conduct the competition shall comprise of the NSWGFA Executive, Tournament Radio Communications Officer and one (1) nominee from N'cle & Port Stephens GFC (the host club).
2. MISCONDUCT – the Tournament Committee may on its own initiative investigate and act upon any incident of misconduct by an angler on a boat, be he/she registered for the tournament or not occurring during the tournament. The Committee may impose penalties of loss of points, disqualification of fish, angler, boat or team and refusal of entry to any future NSWGFA Interclub Tournaments. All competitors are reminded that as members of a Club they are regarded as representatives of that Club, as such, any unbecoming behaviour reflects adversely on that Club and indeed on all Game Fishers, hence, the Tournament Committee reserves the right to take any action it deems necessary in these circumstances.

3. PROTESTS – relative to capture or tag & release must be submitted in writing by the Boat Captain to the Tournament Secretary. Protests must be lodged no later than 11.00 pm on the day of the incident concerned except on the final day when the time limit will be 6.00 pm on the 6th March 2011.
4. REQUEST for RECONSIDERATION of a penalty imposed by the Tournament Committee must be submitted in writing by the Boat Captain to the Tournament Secretary no later than 8.00 pm on the day following the incident concerned, except the final day when any such request must be in the hands of the Tournament Secretary by 6.00 pm.
5. ALL 2011 NAUTILUS BOAT INSURANCE INTERCLUB TOURNAMENT DECISIONS AND RULINGS ARE FINAL AND BINDING ON ALL ENTRANTS.
6. A BRIEFING of all boat team captains/anglers will be held in the Nautilus Marquee in the park beside the weighstation on Friday 25th February at 7.30 pm. It is mandatory that every boat be represented at the briefing by at least one (1) registered tournament angler. An attendance register will be in operation from 5.30 pm, it is therefore necessary that the boat captain or registered angler from the boat present themselves by 7.30 pm. It is compulsory to sign the register and verify the entry form as being correct. Failure to attend and sign the register will incur a penalty – see page 5 – “F” – Penalties.
7. NO REPLACEMENT OF BOATS AND COMPETITORS will be allowed after the commencement of the briefing. Anglers may not effect a capture or tag & release on any other vessel than the vessel he/she is registered on. Captured fish, tag & release card, the angler, all equipment used in the capture or tag must be presented to the weighstation on the vessel on which the capture or tag & release was effected and may not be transferred to another vessel however in the case of an emergency situation the Tournament Committee may at their discretion allow the transfer of an angler/fish and equipment used to effect the capture or tag.
8. SEAWORTHINESS OF BOATS – it is the responsibility of individual boat captains to ensure their craft is seaworthy and carries all safety equipment as laid down by the Statutory Authorities.
9. BOAT NUMBERS supplied are to be prominently displayed on both sides of the cabin. Boats without numbers will not be processed. Any alteration of the Sponsors boat numbers will impose a penalty– see page 5 – “F” – Penalties.
10. SAIL PAST – boats will assemble on the western side of the channel marker near the Dutchman's Bay (Dutchies) buoy at 7.00 am on Saturday 27th February 2011 (the first day). The Sail Past shall commence at 7.15 am precisely and shall be in numerical boat order astern of the nominated lead boat (RVCP – Port Stephens) line astern to the outside of the heads. ALL BOATS MUST NOT PROCEED PAST AN IMAGINARY LINE BETWEEN THE OUTER LIGHT AND CABBAGE TREE. A marshall boat will be used both prior to the commencement of the sail past and also link up with the lead boat (RVCP – Port Stephens) at the starting “line” outside the heads. All boats shall fly the *NAUTILUS MARINE BOAT INSURANCE* FLAG on the starboard rigger during the sail past. No other promotional flags/banners/branding are to be flown/displayed other than official tournament sponsors. A breach of this rule will incur a penalty – see page 5 “F” Penalties. Radio silence on all tournament frequencies from 7.00 am until completion of the sail past is requested. All boats are requested to monitor 27.94MHz, VHF Channel 80, 2MHz 2284 during this time. Failure to obey sail past regulations, instructions or not fly the sponsor's flag (if supplied) will incur a penalty – see page 5 “F”- Penalties. Note: It is not intended to fire flares nor encourage any “charge to sea” at the commencement of the tournament. No boat entered in the tournament may leave Nelson Bay enclosed harbour between 7.00am and the completion of the sail past.
11. STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS – all boats must comply with NSW Waterways regulations for safety equipment and the safety standards of the vessel's, home Club. All competitors are reminded of the requirement for a NSW I&I Fisheries licence when fishing in NSW waters.
12. FISHING DAYS & TIMES
Saturday 26th & Sunday 27th February and Saturday 5th & Sunday 6th March 2011
On Saturday 26th February fishing will commence when boats are signalled by Game Fish Base to proceed to sea. On all other days starting time will be signalled at 7.00 am. Fishing shall finish at 5.00 pm on each day EXCEPT the final day, Sunday 6th March when fishing will finish at 4.00 pm and all fish and tag cards must be presented at the weigh station by 6.00 pm. To assist with compliance with NO WASH rule on the final day 6th March, 6.00 pm deadline for weighstation will be FLY POINT. All hand deliveries of equipment on all days – the angler, captures/tag cards must be at the security gate at the weigh station by 6.00 pm deadline. The angler that effected the capture/tag must identify him/herself to security at entry gate. On all days, no burleying shall take place before starting time is called by Tournament Radio Base. Any fish hooked and reported to Game Fish Base prior to finish time may be played out and if caught will be eligible for the tournament provided the fish and/or tag and full equipment is presented to weighstation by 6.00 pm on the final day.
13. LEAVING AND ENTERING THE PORT – Boats must leave Port Stephens on each tournament day and return to Port Stephens on completion of fishing. The safety organisation for competing boats is considered paramount to the advantage that could be gained by some boats staying out overnight. Boats who elect to continue fishing after hours are to report this to Game Fish Base. Any boat in transit and not present at opening day sail past is required to enter Port Stephens and report to the Game Fish Base before leaving port to commence fishing. All boats must report by radio to Game Fish Base on return to port. If unable to make radio contact with Game Fish Base they then must report to a member of the Tournament Committee at the weighstation before going to the mooring/trailer. Any Breach of this regulation will incur a penalty – see page 5 “F” – Penalties.
14. NO WASH – apart from “No Wash” areas applying in the port by statutory authorities a specific tournament “NO WASH” area prevails between the inner light at Nelson Head and the Tournament Weighstation. Any breach of this regulation will incur a penalty – see page 5 “F” – Penalties.
15. BAD WEATHER – to avoid taking unnecessary risks in the event of bad weather the Tournament Committee will decide whether the day will be a competition day or not. Boats should establish early morning contact with Game Fish Base or members of the Tournament Committee at the weighstation. In the event of bad weather developing after the start of fishing then the NSWGFA President and the Interclub Tournament Committee will confer and decide whether or not the competition will be called off for the remainder of the day. All fish caught prior to this time will be eligible for the competition. Note: A declaration of a Gale Warning by the appropriate government weather authority require the cancellation of the tournament. In the event of a declaration whilst vessels are at sea, such vessels are required to cease fishing immediately and return to port. The Tournament Committee accepts no responsibility for decisions made by individuals whether to put to sea or not, having regard to the Committee's decision on the Tournament for the day. The ultimate decision on return to harbour remains with the competitors.

16. FLAGS – all boats are to display the *NAUTILUS MARINE BOAT INSURANCE* FLAG on the starboard rigger at all times when inside the port. Any alteration of the sponsor's flag will impose a penalty – see page 5 “F” – Penalties. No other promotional flags/banners/branding are to be flown/displayed other than official tournament sponsors. A breach of this rule will incur a penalty – see page 5 “F” - Penalties. It is requested that all boats display the appropriate capture and/or tag & release flags on return to port. Capture flags should be displayed on the port outrigger (when available) and tag & release flags on the starboard rigger below the sponsor's flag with the species flag underneath followed by the tag flags. Hook-up flags are to be flown whilst fighting a fish (ORANGE FLAG).
17. AWARDS – 2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament Trophies and Awards are listed in schedule attached on page 6 & 7 and suitable mementos will be presented at the 2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament Presentation Dinner to be held on Sunday 6th March 2011 at 7.30 pm – Nautilus Marquee. Only the registered Boat Captain and/or registered Anglers will be presented with their award, in the event that the winning recipient is not present on the night then a designated representative from that person's home club will accept the award on their behalf. Each registered angler that is listed on the winning capture and winning tag & release team will be presented with a “Winners Memento”, these mementos along with trophies/awards are not available to non-anglers and are not available for sale.

“C” FISHING RULES

The 2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament will be fished under the “Fishing Rules and Tackle Regulations” of the GFAA and NSWGFA as are in effect at the time. Note: The Tag & Release rules also are published by NSWGFA and will apply, in addition NSWGFA point scores, fishing rules and minimum weights will apply.

1. LINE CLASSES – which will be recognised are 4kg (no sharks), 6kg, 8kg, 10kg, 15kg, 24kg, 37kg and 60kg.
2. CAPTURE
 - (a) MINIMUM WEIGHT TO QUALIFY
 - (b) MARLIN must weigh a minimum of 60kg on line class to 10kg and a minimum of 80kg on 15kg line class and over.
Black, Blue & Striped Marlin
 - (c) YELLOWFIN TUNA & SOUTHERN BLUEFIN TUNA – 15kg on line classes up to and including 15kg line, equal to line class for over 15kg line and for Junior Anglers equal to line class in all cases.
 - (d) SHARKS must weigh a minimum of 60kg on line class to 10kg and a minimum of 80kg on 15kg line class to 37kg and 120kg on 60kg line class. No points shall be awarded for shark captures on 4kg line class.
Blue, Hammerhead (all), Mako (all), Porbeagle, Thresher (all), Tiger, Whaler (all).
 - (e) OTHER GAME FISH must weigh at least equal to the breaking strain of the line class used.
Sailfish, Shortbill Spearfish, Broadbill, Bigeye Tuna, Bluefin Tuna, Dogtooth Tuna, Longtail Tuna, Albacore, Wahoo, Spanish Mackerel, Yellowtail Kingfish, Cobia, Barracuda and Mahi Mahi.
** Junior Angler personal points only – Striped Tuna & Kawa Kawa – see (f) Capture Pointscore (iv).
 - (f) MARLIN The use of identifiable Marlin carcasses is prohibited for use tethered burley, Burley secured under floats is prohibited.
3. TAG AND RELEASE
 - (a) POINTS will be awarded as per NSWGFA Tag & Release Pointscore.
 - (b) CIRCLE HOOKS ONLY are permitted to be used for livebaiting and trolling natural baits. NB: no points to be scored for any species caught while using livebaits and/or trolling baits with “J” hooks.
 - (c) BILLFISH TAG – all billfish must be tagged with the billfish tag, this is the only tag that will be recognised for billfish in this tournament. The billfish tag is for billfish only pointscore i.e. no other species.
 - (d) ELIGIBLE SPECIES – as per tag & release pointscore table copy included in boat satchel.
 - (e) Line class must be provided on tag & release forms and cards. If no line class is provided it will be deemed to have been caught on 60kg tackle.
 - (f) TIME - Failure to record time of release on the tag card will result in the time being recorded as at the end of the days fishing or the after the last fish for the day has been tagged, whichever is the latter.
4. “D” OPERATIONS
 - (a) COMMUNICATIONS – radio schedules will be conducted as per the NSWGFA adopted “Guidelines for Radio Schedules” as are in effect at the time. Due to safety of boat and anglers the radio communications will be recorded from the start of fishing and will cease when the last boat returns to port. “Game Fish Base” will operate on 2MHz, frequency 2284 VHF Channel 80, 27 MHz 2794. The Base will announce “Start Fishing” each morning and will relay the latest weather information whenever available. Radio Schedules will be conducted every TWO hours with the first schedule at 7.10 am then 9.10 am, 11.10 am, 1.10 pm, 3.10 pm and the Final Schedule at 5.10 pm. Final day Sunday 6th March schedules are: 8.10 am, 10.10 am, 12.10 pm, 2.10 pm and 4.10 pm. Competitors are requested to advise “Game Fish Base” of the number of persons on board when they sign on by answering the first schedule. Boats will be called in numerical order, regardless of type of radio they have and the Base will acknowledge each reply by repeating the report on both frequencies so that all competitors will be aware of all reports. Boats are to report on each schedule as follows: (i) Boat Number; (ii) Boat Name; (iii) Position (using grid map references); (iv) whether Trolling, Drifting or Anchored; (v) Accurate Fishing Report using the “000” system, i.e. Strikes, Hook-ups, Captures. If possible boats are to give Species for Strikes and Hook-ups which are not landed. All boats are to report on every schedule. In the interests of safety, communication on each schedule is compulsory. Failure to answer two (2) consecutive radio schedules will incur a penalty – see page 5 – “F” Penalties. In the event of a boat suffering radio failure then they must make contact with another competing boat and have them advise Game Fish Base of the problem at the next schedule and immediately return to port. Boats must maintain RADIO SILENCE for 5 minutes before FINISH FISHING TIME to allow for reports of late hook-ups. On the 5.10pm (4.10pm – final day) schedule, boats are requested to advise Base of total tag and release

or captures for the day. All boats are to sign off with "Game Fish Base" when they enter port at the end of the days fishing. If unable to make radio contact then they must report to a Tournament Committee member at the weighstation before proceeding to their moorings/trailer. Failure to report on return to port will invoke a penalty – see page 5 – "F" Penalties. All boats are requested to avoid chatter on tournament frequencies. If competitors wish to talk to each other please use another frequency and leave the tournament frequencies clear for safety and/or tournament business only.

- (b) WEIGHSTATION CONTROL AND PROCEDURES – Once the boats enter the Nelson Bay inner harbour they are to proceed slowly between the weighstation and the two (2) fixed poles to obtain acknowledgement from the Dockmaster and be placed in order for processing as required. The Dockmaster reserves the right to bring boats alongside out of turn for the quick and orderly management of the area. Before coming alongside the weighstation boats must have completed and ready for presentation all capture and/or tag & release forms. All tackle used in capture or tag & release must be ready for presentation to weighstation officials together with the angler i.e. the rod & reel, line, hook(s), terminal tackle, gaff(s), tail rope(s) etc. In the event of a dispute with regard to a capture and/or tag being rejected, the tackle used will be retained by the Chief Judge pending a resolution. Any angler wishing to "walk" gear etc to weighstation must request and receive permission to do so from "Game Fish Base" prior to the vessel proceeding to mooring/trailer.
- (c) CAPTURE and TAG & RELEASE DOCUMENTATION – all captures and tag & release presented to the weighstation MUST be accompanied by correctly completed documentation. The white Tournament Capture/T&R form, provided to each boat, must be used and must include ANGLER NUMBER, DATE & TIME & LINE CLASS of capture/tag. Failure to record time of capture and/or tag on the return will result in the time being recorded as at the end of the days fishing.
- (d) IDENTIFICATION OF SPECIES – in the event of any dispute regarding species of fish the decision of the Tournament Committee shall be final.
- (e) CAPTURES
 - (i) SCIENTISTS – It has been the practice of the Association to invite Research Scientists to the weighstation to gather measurements, weights and samples from fish weighed in. Only Scientists that have NSWGFA accreditation will be allowed access to the weighstation to gather information. These people will be officially identifiable. Anglers are requested to co-operate with these people and no other scientists.
 - (ii) TOURNAMENT MONITORING PROGRAM – NSWI&I – Fisheries (formally NSW DPI – Fisheries) personnel will be making contact with participating boats at marinas & boat ramps during the tournament. NSWGFA and Member Clubs have been involved with the Tournament Monitoring Program since its inception. Anglers are requested to co-operate with these people who will be officially (NSWGFA) identifiable.
 - (iii) FISH – may not be left at the weighstation, but must be taken by boat well clear of Port Stephen - Great Lakes Marine Park and disposed of in an appropriate manner. Competitors must not clean or fillet fish or remove shark jaws in the vicinity of the weighstation, beaches, marinas or places frequented by the public. Fish carcasses must not be hung off boats, moorings or marinas. If required, traces to be removed at the weighstation by or at the direction of a Tournament Committee member. Shark jaws to be removed on board boats only. Small boats to utilise larger boats if necessary. All boats must empty burley pots before entering the port. Penalties will be imposed for any breach of these rules – see page 5 "F" Penalties.
 - (iv) SALE OF FISH – Competitors are reminded that it is illegal for recreational or un-licensed anglers to sell their catches. The following rule has been adopted by the Association: "That any fish weighed for NSWGFA Trophies shall not be sold or bartered. Such fish shall be ineligible for any trophies or awards of the Association". Anyone found to have sold their catch will be disqualified from the tournament.
 - (v) BAG LIMITS – The NSW Government laws on bag limits must be abided by all anglers.
- (f) MEDIA – only media representatives accredited by the NSWGFA and officially identifiable will be allowed access to the weighstation. Anglers should note that ONLY the NSWGFA President shall make any statements to the media. The NSWGFA logo, NSWGFA (name) or Official Tournament Name cannot be used in any media publication (including internet websites) without the express permission of the NSWGFA. Any breach of this rule can invoke a penalty – see page 5– "F" Penalties.
- (g) Port Stephens – Great Lakes Marine Park – The NSW Marine Park regulations (including Marine Park Permit special conditions) must be adhered to by all competitors. Any breach of these regulations and special permit conditions may incur a tournament penalty – see page 5 – "F" Penalties (a) Misconduct.

5. "E" 2011 NAUTILUS BOAT INSURANCE INTERCLUB - LITTLE AUDREY LADIES DAY TOURNAMENT

To be fished on Monday 28nd February. This day is open to ALL LADY ANGLERS – REGARDLESS OF AGE, whether Club Members or Guests. GFAA and NSWGFA Rules & Tackle Regulations and NSWGFA Tag & Release rules will apply. Fishing will commence at 7.00 am and cease at 4.00 pm. Radio schedules will be called and procedures will be as for the major weekend competition. Minimum weight rules apply. All captures and tag & release paper work to be presented to the weighstation – weighstation will open at 3.00 pm.

AWARDS will be for:	Capture	Heaviest Marlin	Heaviest Shark	Heaviest OGF	Champion Angler
	Tag & Release	Most Marlin	Most Sharks	Most Points OGF	Champion Angler

Presentation of Trophies will be held at the Nautilus Marquee at 6.00 pm on Monday 28nd February. BBQ and Refreshments provided for participating Lady Anglers & Boat Crews. Boats must confirm attendance to this function to "Game Fish Base" when requested.

6. "F" PENALTIES

Note: Penalties WILL APPLY to BOTH Capture and Tag & Release Points

- (a) MISCONDUCT – Penalties at the discretion of the Tournament Committee – see "B" Tournament Rules – Rule 2.
- (b) BRIEFING – loss of 2,000 capture & 2,000 tag & release points – see "B" Tournament Rules – Rule 6.
- (c) FAILURE TO OBEY SAIL PAST REGULATIONS – loss of 2,000 capture & 2,000 tag & release points for each breach – see "B" Tournament Rules – Rule 10
- (d) ALTERATION OF SPONSOR FLAG/SPONSOR'S BOAT NUMBERS – Penalties at the discretion of the Tournament Committee – see "B" Tournament Rules – Rule 16.
- (e) DISPLAY OTHER THAN SPONSOR FLAGS/BUNTING/BRANDING ETC – Penalties at the discretion of the Tournament Committee – see "B" Tournament Rules – Rule 10 & Rule 16.
- (f) FAILURE TO SIGN OFF ON RETURN TO PORT – loss of 10,000 capture & 10,000 tag & release points – see "B" Tournament Rules – see Rule 13 & "D" Operations – Rule (a).
- (g) BREACH OF NO WASH RULE – loss of 2,000 capture & 2,000 tag & release points – see "B" Tournament Rules – Rule 14
- (h) FAILURE TO ANSWER TWO (2) CONSECUTIVE RADIO SCHEDULES – loss of 10,000 capture & 10,000 tag & release points – see "D" Operations – Rule (a).
- (i) FISH DISPOSAL – loss of 10,000 capture & 10,000 tag & release points – see "D" Operations – Rule (e) (iii)
- (j) DISCHARGE OF WASTE OR RUBBISH – Non compliance with current Waterways regulations will attract a loss of 2,000 capture and 2,000 tag & release points.
- (k) SALE OF FISH – disqualification from tournament – see "D" Operations – Rule (e) (iv)
- (l) BREACH OF MEDIA RULE – Penalties at the discretion of the Tournament Committee – see "D" Operations – Rule (f)

Notwithstanding the above penalties, the Tournament Committee reserves the right in any particular circumstance to disqualify any capture, angler or boat for disregarding any 2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament rule or instruction.

7. "G" 2010 NAUTILIUS BOAT INSURANCE INTERCLUB TOURNAMENT AWARDS DINNER

At the conclusion of the 2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament on Sunday 6th March an Awards Presentation Dinner will be held at the Nautilus Marquee adjacent to the weighstation, commencing at 7.30 pm. At this function Provisional Winners (only tournament registered boat captains/anglers) will be announced and presented with Tournament Trophy Mementos. Boat Captains/Anglers are encouraged to purchase their dinner tickets for themselves and friends when completing Entry Form. All Presentation tickets MUST BE paid for no later than 6.00 pm Saturday 5th March, only those with pre-paid tickets will gain entry to Presentation Dinner.

PRESENTATION DINNER TICKETS ARE NOT INCLUDED IN ANGLER ENTRY FEE

Note: Entry into Nautilus Marquee is by ticket ONLY. Dinner tickets cover the cost of the DINNER ONLY.

Beer, Spirits, Wine & Soft Drinks will be available to purchase.

Champion Team Tag & Release 2010
NPSGFC Team



Champion Team Capture 2010
Lake Macquarie Team



2011 NAUTILUS BOAT INSURANCE INTERCLUB TOURNAMENT AWARDS

NSWGFA ANGLER TROPHIES

Anglers who are financial members of an affiliated NSWGFA Member Club are eligible to compete for the following trophies.

1. FRED TOLL TROPHY – for the heaviest Shark capture. Perpetual Trophy
2. BOB DYER TROPHY – for the heaviest Marlin capture. Perpetual Trophy
3. JAY-AH TROPHY – for the heaviest Blue Marlin capture. Perpetual Trophy
4. IMPALA TROPHY – for the heaviest Other Game Fish. Perpetual Trophy
5. PETER GOADBY TROPHY – for the highest point scoring capture by an Adult Male angler. Perpetual Trophy
6. GEORGE BESOFF TROPHY – highest point scoring Angler – capture. Perpetual Trophy
7. TOM ROCHE TROPHY – for the highest point scoring capture by an Adult Lady Angler. Perpetual Trophy
8. BILL HEYWARD TROPHY – for the highest point scoring capture by a Junior/Small Fry Angler. Perpetual Trophy
9. LAKE MACQUARIE GFC TROPHY – for the highest point scoring Small Fry overall - capture. Tom Roche Medal & Perpetual Trophy
10. BOTANY BAY GFC TROPHY – for the highest point scoring Junior angler overall - capture. Tom Roche Medal & Perpetual Trophy
11. LOUIS ARDILLY TROPHY – for the angler who tags & releases the most Marlin. Perpetual Trophy
12. PORT MACQUARIE GFC TROPHY – angler who tags & releases the most Sharks. Perpetual Trophy
13. N'CLE & PORT STEPHENS GFC TROPHY – for the most tag & release points by a Small Fry Angler. Tom Roche Medal & Perpetual Trophy
14. PETER BENNETT TROPHY – for the most tag & release points by a Junior Angler. Tom Roche Medal & Perpetual Trophy
15. J.A.C. III TROPHY – for the most tag & release points by a Male Angler (all categories). Perpetual Trophy
16. I.C. FRITH & ASSOCIATES TROPHY – for the most tag & release points by a Lady Angler (all categories). Perpetual Trophy
17. DAILY AWARDS for each day of the competition – plaque will be awarded for:

Heaviest Marlin	Heaviest Shark	Heaviest Other Game Fish
Most Marlin Tag & Release	Most Sharks Tag & Release	Most points OGF Tag & Release

NSWGFA TEAM & BOAT TROPHIES

Boats who are on the register of the affiliated NSWGFA Member Club that they are competing for and anglers who are financial members of an affiliated NSWGFA Member Club are eligible to compete for the following applicable trophies.

1. INTERCLUB SHIELD – Champion Club Team Capture. Boat Plaque to each of the boats in the team. Perpetual Trophy to the Club and The Goadby Medal to each registered angler in the winning capture team.
2. BILL SOUTHAM SPOON – Runner-up Club Team Capture. Boat Plaque to each boat. Perpetual Trophy to the Club.
3.3rd Place Team Capture. Perpetual Trophy to the Club
4. BROKEN BAY GFC TROPHY – Champion Boat Capture. Perpetual Trophy to the boat scoring highest points for competition. Trophy to each registered angler on the winning boat.
5. KEN HANLEY TROPHY – Runner-up Champion Boat Capture. Perpetual Trophy to boat scoring the 2nd highest total points for the competition.
6. 3rd Place Boat Capture – Perpetual Trophy to the boat
7. BUNDABAH TROPHY – Champion Club Team Tag & Release. Boat Plaque to each of the boats in the team. Perpetual Trophy to the Club and The Goadby Medal to each registered angler in the winning Tag & Release team.
8. PORT HACKING GFC TAG & RELEASE TROPHY - Runner-up Club Team Capture. Boat Plaque to each boat. Perpetual Trophy to the Club.
9. 3rd Place Team Tag & Release. Perpetual Trophy to the Club
10. MARQUIS SHIELD – Champion Boat Tag & Release overall. Perpetual trophy to the boat and Plaque to each registered angler on the winning boat.
11. SYDNEY GFC TAG & RELEASE TROPHY – Runner-up Champion Boat Tag & Release overall. Perpetual Trophy to boat scoring the highest total points for the competition.
12. 3rd Place Boat Tag & Release overall – Perpetual Trophy to the boat
13. GLORIANA SHIELD – Boat scoring the highest points for tag & release of Billfish – Perpetual Trophy to boat
14. BROKEN BAY GFC TROPHY - Champion Boat Tag & Release – 4kg to 10kg section. Perpetual Trophy to boat
15. JEPPESEN MARINE TROPHY - Champion Boat Tag & Release – 15kg section. Perpetual Trophy to boat
16. OTTO VOLZ TROPHY - Champion Boat Tag & Release – 24kg section. Perpetual Trophy to boat
17. DAVID LITCHFIELD TROPHY – Champion Boat Tag & Release - 37kg section. Perpetual Trophy to boat
18. NEWCASTLE & PORT STEPHENS GFC TROPHY – Champion Boat Tag & Release 60kg section. Perpetual Trophy to boat
19. BARBARA BEE SHIELD – Boat scoring the highest points for tag & release of Sharks – Perpetual Trophy
20. RICKY CHAN TROPHY – Team scoring the highest number of Sharks tagged & released – Perpetual Trophy
21. GARI-LEE SHIELD – Boat scoring the highest points for tag & release of Other Game Fish – Perpetual Trophy
22. CHAMPION CLUB CAPTURE – Gold Hook Award
23. CHAMPION CLUB TAG & RELEASE – Tag Award
24. DAILY AWARD for each day of the competition – plaque will be awarded for:

Highest Point Scoring Boat – Capture	Highest Points Tag & Release Boat
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VISITING ANGLER & VISITING BOAT TROPHIES

Visiting Anglers/Boats (i.e. anglers not affiliated with NSWGFA Inc. Clubs and Boats not on a NSWGFA Club register but comply with section "A" Entries – Rule 10 will be welcome to compete in the 2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament, but not for the trophies as listed on page 6 in the NSWGFA Angler, Team & Boat Trophies. Visiting Angler & Visiting Boats are eligible to fish for the following trophies in this competition.

1. MARCUS MILLER MEMORIAL TROPHY – for the visiting angler scoring the highest capture points. Perpetual Trophy
2. NSWGFA TROPHY – for the visiting angler scoring the highest tag & release points. Perpetual Trophy
3. HEAVIEST MARLIN – captured by a visiting angler during the competition. Plaque
4. HEAVIEST SHARK – captured by a visiting angler during the competition. Plaque
5. HEAVIEST OTHER GAME FISH – captured by a visiting angler during the competition. Plaque
6. MOST MARLIN – tagged and released by a visiting angler during the competition. Plaque
7. MOST SHARKS – tagged and released by a visiting angler during the competition. Plaque
8. MOST POINTS OTHER GAME FISH – tagged and released by a visiting angler during the competition. Plaque
9. NSWGFA TROPHY – for the visiting boat scoring the highest capture points. Perpetual Trophy
10. COL HENDERSON MEMORIAL TROPHY – for the visiting boat scoring the highest number of tag & release points. Perpetual Trophy.

RETIRED NSWGFA INTERCLUB TROPHIES

1. GOLDEN FLEECE SHIELD – Highest aggregate weight of Marlin captured by a boat – Perpetual Trophy retired in 1997

Champion Team Tag & Release 2010



Champion Team Capture 2010



2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament & Associated Activities

Friday – February 25th—7.00 pm

- **Interclub Registrations:** 12 midday to 7.00pm
- **Interclub Briefing:** held in *Nautilus Marquee* at weighstation—it is mandatory that a representative from each boat must attend the briefing, sign the register and verify the boat entry form—Sign in from 5.00pm to 7.00pm.
- **Lucky Boat Draws:** will take place during the tournament briefing.

Saturday – February 26th – Day 1— 2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament

- **Sailpast:** Boats to assemble on the western side of the channel marker near the Dutchmans Bay (Dutchies) buoy by 7am. Sailpast will commence at 7.15am precisely.
- **Fishing Times:** Game Fish Base will call ? start of fishing? at conclusion of Sailpast. Fishing will cease for the day at 5pm.
- **Tournament Weigh Station:** will open at 4pm.

Sunday – February 27th – Day 2—2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament

- **Fishing Times:** 7am to 5pm
- **Tournament Weigh Station:** will open at 4pm.

Monday—February 28th – Little Audrey Ladies Day Tournament & Presentation of Trophies

- **Fishing Times:** 7.00am to 4.00pm—tournament open to **ALL** Ladies regardless of age, the only stipulation is that the boat must be an 2011 Interclub registered boat.
- **Tournament Weighstation:** will open at 3.00pm
- **Ladies Day Presentation of Trophies:** Nautilus Marquee at 6.00 pm—open to registered Ladies & participating boat crews.

Wednesday – March 2nd —Midweek Fishing Competition

- **Midweek Fishing Competition:** Details to be confirmed

Friday – March 4th —Sponsors Trade Day & Party in the Park

- **Sponsors Trade Day:** will be held in the Nautilus Marquee from 12 midday
- **Party in the Park:** for registered Interclub anglers & their families will commence at 4.00 pm

Saturday – March 5th – Day—3—2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament

- **Fishing Times:** 7am to 5pm
- **Junior Fishing Clinic:** open to junior anglers aged between 6 & 12 years—Nautilus Marquee 10 am to 12 MD
- **Tournament Weigh Station:** will open at 4pm.

Sunday – March 6th – Day 4—2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament

- **Fishing Times:** 7am to 4pm – with all boats to be at Weigh Station **no later** than 6pm
- **Tournament Weigh Station:** will open at 3pm.
- **2011 Interclub Presentation Dinner:** will commence at 7.30pm—Nautilus Marquee.



BOAT ENTRY FORM

**2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament
26th–27th February and 5th & 6th March 2011**

Port Stephens NSW

NSWGFA USE ONLY

Entries close with your Club Secretary – 31st December 2010
A late entry fee will apply to entries not received by this date.
Any incomplete or incorrect entry form will be returned & will incur a late fee

Club.....G.F.C. Boat Name.....

Mobile Phone Number on Board.....DO NOT divert or turn off on tournament days.
EACH BOAT must enter a minimum of 2 anglers including the Boat Captain for vessels under 8 meters and 3 anglers for vessels 8 meters and over including the Boat Captain. In the case of Charter Boats the REGISTERED Charter Boat Skipper must be paid/registered angler.
(Please indicate whether angler is Senior Male (M), Senior Lady (L), Junior Male (JM), Junior Lady (JL), Small Fry Male (SFM), Small Fry Lady (SFL)
In the case of Junior & Small Fry Anglers please list Date of Birth

- 1. Boat Captain.....Club.....Category.....
- 2. Angler.....Club.....Category.....DOB.....
- 3. Angler.....Club.....Category.....DOB.....
- 4. Angler.....Club.....Category.....DOB.....
- 5. Angler.....Club.....Category.....DOB.....
- 6. Angler.....Club.....Category.....DOB.....
- 7. Angler.....Club.....Category.....DOB.....
- 8. Angler.....Club.....Category.....DOB.....

ENTRY FEES

Note: Entry Fee **DOES NOT** include Presentation Dinner Ticket

Number of Adult Anglers..... @ \$ 90.00 pp \$.....

Number of Junior Anglers..... @ \$ 30.00 pp \$.....

Number of Small Fry Anglers..... @ \$ 30.00 pp \$.....

Balance of Fees (vessel under 8m) to bring minimum entry fee to **\$180.00** \$.....

Balance of Fees (vessel over 8m) to bring minimum entry fee to **\$270.00** \$.....

After 31st December 2009 – Late Entry Fee is applicable \$ 90.00 \$.....

PRESENTATION DINNER Number of Adults..... @ \$ 35.00 \$.....

Juniors (under 16yrs)..... @ \$ 10.00 \$.....

GRAND TOTAL – All prices include GST – Tournament Entry + Dinner Tickets \$.....

Shirt Sizes: XXXL..... XXL..... XL..... L..... M..... S..... XS.....
Every effort will be made to supply the appropriate nominated shirt size however not all sizes may be available

SAFETY RESCUE INFORMATION FORM

Boat Name.....Registration Number.....

Boat on the Club Register of.....G.F.C. Length.....

Make.....Colour-Hull.....Deck.....

Colour – Flybridge.....Distinctive Features or Markings.....

Engine(s) Type.....Number.....H.P.....Fuel Type.....

Capacity.....Range.....Speed-Cruising.....Max. Speed.....

Name of Boat Insurer.....Policy No.....Renewal Date.....

Vessel moored/garaged at in Port Stephens.....

In the case of Trailer Boats – Trailer Registration Number.....

Emergency Contact Name (not to be onboard vessel).....Tel.....

Boat Captains Address in Port Stephens.....

Boat Captains Mobile Number.....Email.....

Boat Captains Home Address.....

Boat Owners Name (if not the Boat Captain).....Tel.....

Boat Owners Home Address

Note: Contact email address that you provide on this form may be used by NSWGFA and Major Sponsors of this tournament for the purpose of informing you of future NSWGFA tournaments and product information. If you do not wish to receive this information please tick the box.

RADIO(S) ON BOARD– please tick SSB HF 27 MHz VHF UHF

ALL MOBILE(S) ON BOARD – List Number(s).....
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SATELLITE PHONE ON BOARD (if available) Number.....

E.P.I.R.B. – MMSIN Registration Number.....

BOAT CAPTAIN'S DECLARATION

I agree to abide by EVERY Tournament Rule and all Tournament Committee decisions and have completed the Safety Rescue form including details of insurance covering third party property liability and third party personal liability insurance.

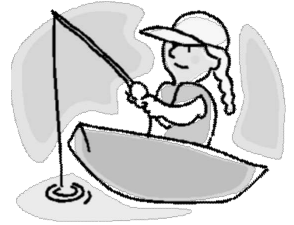
Signed..... Date.....
Boat Captain

2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament

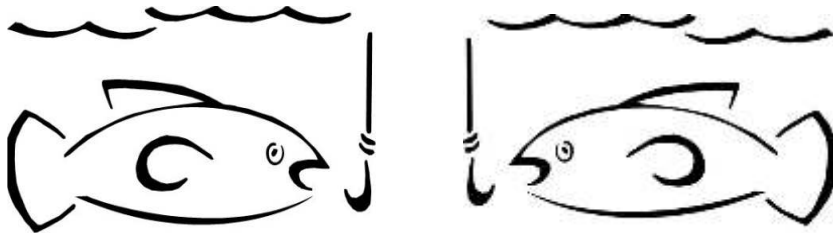
Junior Fishing Clinic

Saturday 5th March 2011

**10 a.m.—12 midday at the Nautilus Marquee
(next to Nelson Bay weigh station)**



**Open to the first 50 Junior Anglers
aged 6 yrs to 13 yrs to register**



To enter—complete the form, detach and return to:

**NSWGFA PO Box 414, Swansea 2281 OR
after 21st February hand in at the Nautilus Marquee**

Cost of Registration: \$ 5.00

(all proceeds will go to charity)

Once registration form and fee has been received, a registration card will be forwarded to you.,
The registration card **MUST** be shown to gain entry to the clinic on the day.

**2011 Nautilus Boat Insurance Interclub Tournament
Junior Fishing Clinic Registration only \$5.00**



Name:..... Age.....

Address:.....P/C.....

Parent/Guardian Consent.....

Complete & Return to NSWGFA—PO Box 414, Swansea. NSW. 2281 OR
after Tuesday 21st February 2011 hand in at the NSWGFA office in the Nautilus Marquee
All cheques are to be made payable to NSWGFA



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