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*Newest Grand Master
Angler Vinnie Madsen with
leading MAT King Mackerel*

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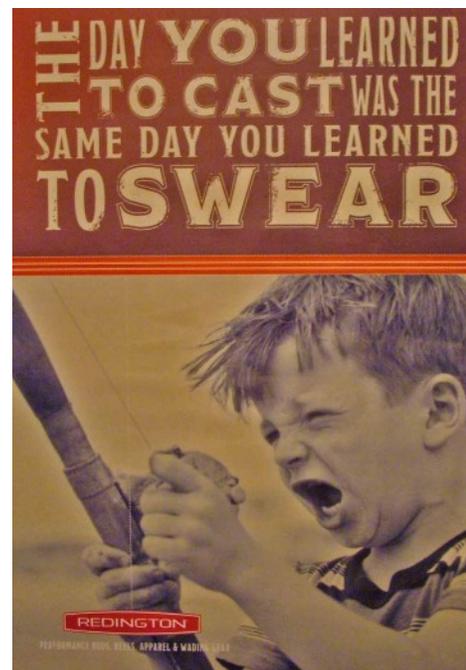
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Important Dates



- ✓ **Next CLUB MEETING:
Tuesday, November 11, 2014 @ 7:00 PM**
*Arrive at 6:45 to make sure you get your Raffle and 50/50 tickets
- ✓ Breakfast at Elena's every Friday 6:00 AM
- ✓ Happy Hour every Wednesday at The Tiki Hut 5:30 PM
- ✓ Ladies Nite Out Thursday, November 20th at 6 PM at The Turtle Club
- ✓ November Fish of the Month is Grouper
- ✓ Thanksgiving Day is November 27th





From The Helm

Mike Gilger, President

November already!

As I am winding down my presidency, the first thing I'm going to mention here is our November meeting.

Please do your best to attend since we are holding our annual elections for Officers. Here's how it works. Earlier this year our Board's nominating committee went through a rigorous procedure to identify Officer and Committee Chairperson candidates. We identified individuals who have the qualifications and available time to best serve our Club and continue to make it successful. Committee Chairpersons for 2015 have already been appointed by me, but Officers have to be elected by the Club's members.

While we do have nominations for all four Officer positions, during the meeting, you still have the opportunity to volunteer for any of these positions. Once the names are in, we vote and whoever receives the most votes is elected to that position. So, please make your vote count.

(Remember that a husband and wife EACH are eligible to vote) Attend the meeting and elect a candidate of your choice.

I encourage you to read Joe Udvari's article on our last fishing tournament. We had many boats on the water and saw many entries in our contest. Lots of people showed up at Harpoon Harry's to enjoy the outcome. Maybe next time you can make it. It was a heck of a lot of fun.

Also, please read Sandi Rosen's article about our Christmas party. Tickets are almost sold out...want to go? Get your ticket! There will be No admittance without a paid ticket.

Our group at the Tiki Hut is growing and growing! I was astounded to see about 40 people there from our Club. After a few drinks, we scared (well it is the Halloween season) the staff at Hurricane Charley's by walking in as a group. They were very gracious and found a way to seat us all together. The staff went out of their way to ensure the food was served in a timely manner, remained hot and no one was left twiddling their thumbs while everyone else dug in! Everyone at our (huge) table enjoyed themselves. Well, I guess it's time to put this article to bed and call it a day.

Go fish! Have fun! Stay safe! -Mike

I enjoyed sharing our paradise with my friend and neighbor from my hunting camp in Pennsylvania.





Fishing Events

Joe Udvari

October was a busy month, and I'm pretty sure things will get even busier going forward as more snowbirds return. Welcome back!

Please sit back and relax since I have a lot to cover this month. We had 105 fish pictures submitted, but only 16 (9 by men and 7 by lady anglers) were for our October FOM contest. Yes, the redfish once again got notice that they were the FOM and went into hiding (for most of us anyway). Several anglers figured them out and caught some really nice ones, but not in the usual quantities we expect for October. The winners were:

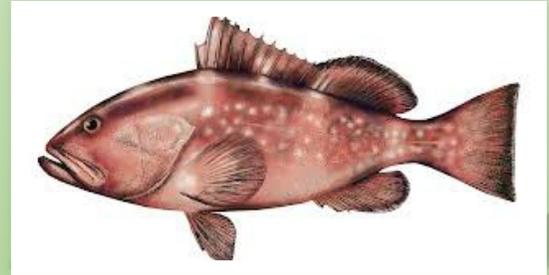
Redfish FOM Results				
Place	Men	Length	Women	Length
1st	Dick Doster	37.5*	Sandy Nikitich	27.0"
2nd	Rich Brennan & Randy Douet	30.0"	Darlene Madsen	23.0"
3rd	Tom Hickey	29.5"	Linda Bahr	21.0"

*MAT leading redfish

Gift certificates of \$35 from Fishin' Frank's , \$25 from Laishley Marine and \$15 from Rio Villa Bait & Tackle will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place, respectively.

Tarpon fishing in the Harbor continued to be pretty darn good throughout October, and several really nice ones were caught. The biggest submitted was caught by Carl Leicher, a 7 foot, 200 pound behemoth according to Pete McGregor who captained the boat. According to Pete, it was the biggest ever caught on his boat, and his boat has landed many over the years. The non-resident tarpon are most likely now heading south to warmer water for the winter, so properly clean and store your tarpon gear so it's ready to go next Spring.

We also had a great turnout and 4 winners at our October 23rd fishing tournament, which proved a bit challenging to most of the 19 boats due to windy conditions (only 2 boats cancelled).



Our November FOM contest is for Grouper.

Gouper will be a bit more challenging this year, but what's new. We're always being challenged, but that's what makes it interesting. I'm not only referring to the windier and rougher conditions we face this time of the year, but also the quandary of going far offshore in pursuit of big grouper when we're not allowed to keep red grouper in Federal waters, and possibly gag grouper if the Federal quota is met. You can still submit photos of your catches for our contests, you just can't keep the fish.

However, we are still allowed to keep legal sized red and gag grouper in State waters during November, so maybe we'll just save a bit more on boat fuel this month. Always make sure and check the latest applicable regulations in effect for where you are fishing and for what you are catching, especially if you plan to keep some fish.

Big gag grouper are supposed to be heading to shallower water anyway (i.e., inside the 9 mile State water boundary) as the water cools down. The current cold front should help that, although on October 30th, I was still seeing water temps of 80 degrees Fahrenheit as far as 17 miles offshore. Finally, let's hope the patchy offshore area of red tide from Boca Grande Pass south towards Sanibel Island doesn't grow in size and concentration, and gets broken up by the windier conditions. Like I said, we have a few challenges to deal with this month. Just stay safe, and I wish you good luck. Your November FOM entries are due no later than December 1.

Fishing Events

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But we got it done and about 40 of us celebrated afterwards at Harpoon Harry's. The winners, who all received \$25 gift certificates from Fishin' Frank's, Laishley Marine or Rio Villa Bait & Tackle, were:

Tournament Results		
Species	Length	Winner
Redfish	27"	Sandy Nikitich
Snook	27"	Rich Brennan
Seatrout	18.5"	Randy Douet
Grouper	Virtual*	Tom des Enfants

* By random drawing, since none were caught.

Also, Ted Wierzbanowski and Rich Brennan won beautiful handcrafted pewter key chains that were donated by Fishin' Frank's. Check out the great selection of USA made pewter key chains, pendants and ornaments available at Fishin' Frank's next time you're in the store. They make great presents and depict various game fish swimming around in Charlotte Harbor.

Please submit all your fish pictures in compliance with our rules, or you may miss out on a great prize. So make sure that if you do catch a fish of the month or any fish for that matter, attach a picture of you with the fish to an email identifying your full name, length and type of fish, date caught and a note if you used a paid guide, and send it to fishphotos@pgifishingclub.org. It's that easy, and it enters your catch into all of the Club's programs and contests as long as you satisfy each of the respective rules for these events. The rules can be found on the Club's great website at pgifishingclub.org.

Please make sure the pictures you submit are of sufficient size and/or have sufficient pixels so they can be enlarged for viewing with the naked eye instead of electron microscopes.

Although no guidelines have previously been given, Bob Rand recommends a minimum size of 4" x 6" and a minimum of 800 x 1200 pixels.

While you're on the computer, please also continue to post your pictures on the Cub's Facebook page so we can all see what's biting and where, before hearing about it at our meetings. Our Club's Facebook membership just keeps on growing.

All contest results are nicely summarized later in this Newsletter, and awards for October will be handed out at our next general meeting. But I can't wait that long to tell you about 2 special awards earned in October.

Vinnie Madsen finally caught his 23rd species to get him his Grand Master Angler shirt. No it wasn't a croaker, it was a king mackerel. I had the pleasure of seeing Vinnie battle the fish with a light spinning rod and reel (15# braid and 25# fluorocarbon leader). Not long thereafter, he showed me he could even catch a bigger one and boated his MAT leading kingfish all by himself, while I was fighting a barracuda and trying to keep it away from eating his fish. Congrats Vinnie!

Kel Krotzer got his GMA Star by accumulating over 2000 points this year. He slayed the redfish not only in September but also during 2 trips in October. Kel caught over 20 big reds up to 35" during an outing in early October, and another 30 up to 31" during a trip later in the month. Since he was fishing with a guide friend, he wasn't planning on submitting his pictures to fishphotos. However, since fish caught with guides are eligible for our LOA contest but not our other contests, I coaxed Kel into submitting some of his fish pictures so he could get his well deserved star. Congrats Kel!

Come before 7 pm on November 11 to leave enough time to pick up your raffle and 50/50 tickets, and to grab a good seat. C U then!



PGIFC October Fishing Tournament

The PGI Fishing Club Tournament

held on October 23rd had 21 boats and 43 anglers signed up to win a \$25 gift certificate from either Fishin' Frank's, Laisley Marine or Rio Villa Bait and Tackle. The gift certificates were presented to the members who caught the longest redfish, snook, spotted seatrout and grouper.

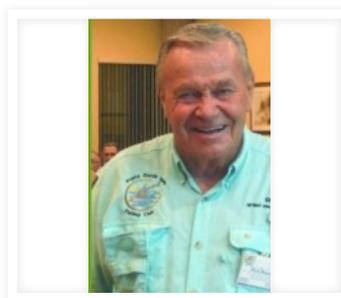
Thanks to everyone who came to Harpoon Harry's afterwards to join in the fun!



Sandra Nikitich
(Redfish)



Randy Douet
(Spotted Sea Trout)



Rich Brennan
(Snook)



Tom DesEnfants
(Virtual Grouper)





Committees

Programs

John Simonieg



Fishin' Frank Hommena

FISHING REPORT

Frank of Fishin' Franks provided us with some history on Charlotte Harbor. Most of our water comes through Boca Grande Pass. Peace River is over 100 miles long and provides fresh water to the harbor. As the water comes into the harbor from the Peace River (which is fresh water) it goes to the West Wall with the rains. The East Wall has more salt water.

For Redfish White Bait is the primary bait. The Tide flow is very important when going after Redfish. Outgoing tide is best in winter, Incoming tide is best in the summer. Redfish have lousy sight, but excellent sense of smell. Check with Fishin' Frank's website which is updated daily with Tide info, weather, and reports from the water by guides. It can be of help in telling where the fish are being caught.



Our November speaker will be Capt. Dan Cambern of Hammerhead Fishing Charters. He uses some of his scuba diving experience to see ledges, reefs, and wrecks pinpointing where the fish hang out. He obtained his captain's license in 1985 and opened Hammerhead Charters. He will put you on his best spots to catch Grouper, our fish of the month. Dan has a 32ft Priority Sport Fish Boat with a 450 hp diesel. He also has a 24' Aquasport center console for inshore. Dan promises to offer an excellent presentation. Hope you all attend.

Committees

Social



Sandi Rosen

The HOLIDAY PARTY IS ALMOST HERE!!

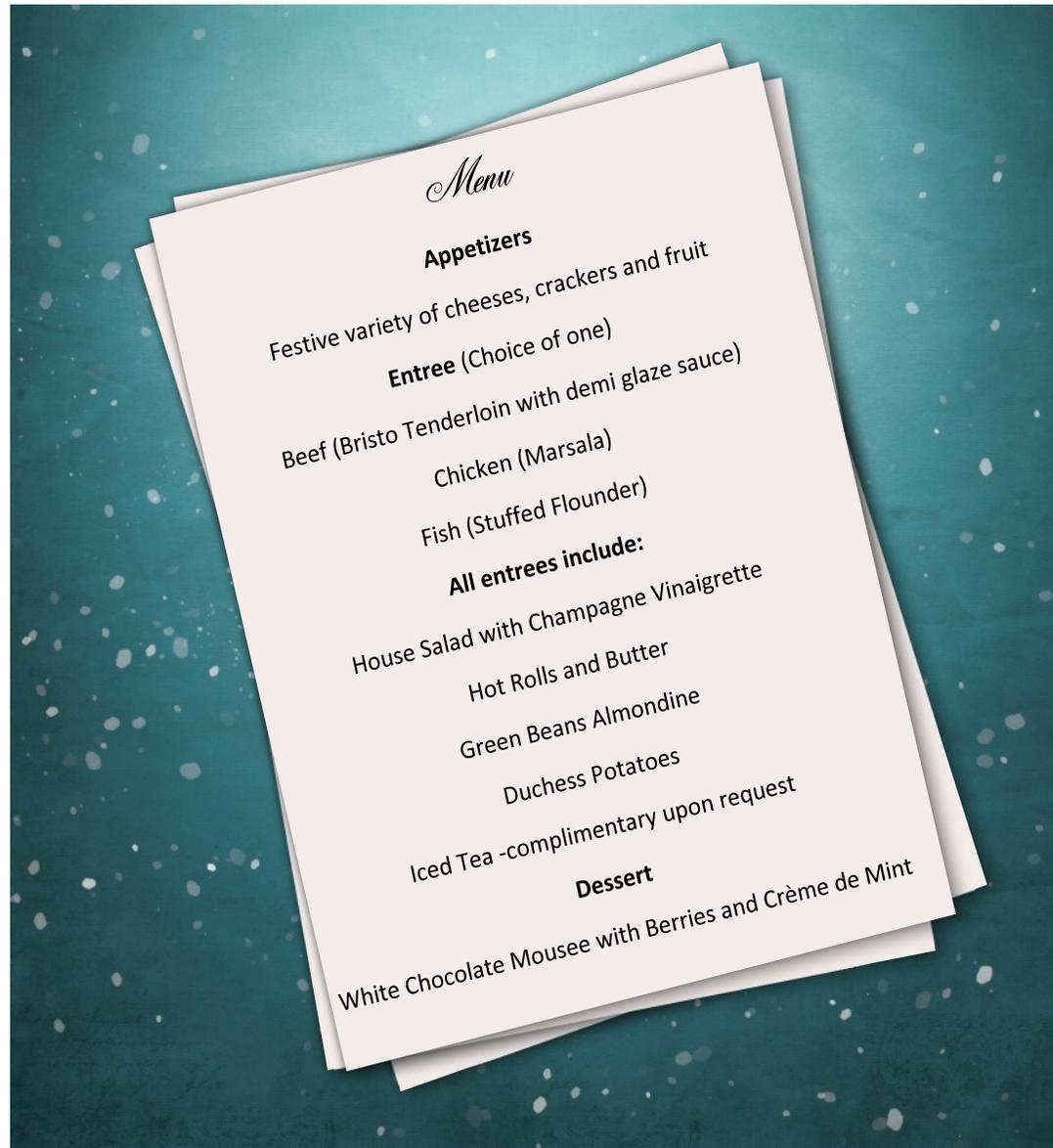
The holidays are approaching quickly and before you know it our Christmas party will be here! NOW is the time to purchase your tickets. The party is December 9th at the Charlotte Harbor Yacht Club. It is a served sit down dinner and you have 3 choices for you entree. Music throughout the evening will be by TwoCanJam. There will be many, many door prizes, including rods and reels, PGI Fishing Club t-shirts, and fishing supplies. We might even get a visit from Santa!

Cash bar - please no credit cards. Tickets are \$25/pp and \$40/guest. Tables can be reserved for seating from 6-10 guests.

Please send checks to:
Sandi Rosen
2524 Magdalena Drive
Punta Gorda, FL 33950

Be sure to include your entree choice. If you have a seating request, I will try my best to honor it. Hope to see you all there. It promises to be a fun filled evening!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS AND SEND IN YOUR CHECKS!!



Cash Bar

Drink tickets can be purchased at a table near the bar.

No cash is handled by the bartender.

Soft Drinks are \$4.00

Beer, Wine and Well Drinks are \$6.00

PGI FISHING CLUB

ANNUAL
CHRISTMAS PARTY

Tuesday, December 9, 2014

*Dinner and Dancing
at the
Charlotte Harbor Yacht Club*

cocktails begin at 5:30pm
dinner begins at 6:30pm

Dress Code:
Casual Elegance



live entertainment
cash bar

Ticket Price:
\$25.00 per member
\$40.00 per non-member

Committees

Ladies Liasion

Cris Scheib

We're talking turkey, snowbirds & lots of fun! November is certainly the start of a cranked up season! You can stay busy every day until April. If you're tired of making dinner - you may want to try the following advice. Sounds good to me!



October OUT TO LUNCH was at TRABUE. Twenty of us enjoyed a delicious meal by Chef Keith.



This month we are only going to have one outing. We'll be going to one of the newest restaurants in town - THE TURTLE CLUB. You're not going to want to miss this - really great service, atmosphere & food. This will be our GIRLS NITE OUT. Please note the date.

THE TURTLE CLUB
Thursday - November 20 - 6:00 pm
Please RSVP- ASAP to
pastadiva@comcast.net

Spooky Golf Outing

SPOOKY GOLF was the theme for our Nite Out - we also included some Ghouls & Friends.

It was a fun night on the harbor! After enjoying a variety of snacks - sloppy joes, chips, donuts, desserts & some other treats we had a shotgun start. Hope you had a Happy Halloween!

Winners!

Best group -
The Pine Island Court
Crayons

Best gal - Hope Petkus -
gypsy

Best guy - Ron Stenberg
-referee

Prizes were also awarded for lowest guy score, lowest gal score, highest gal score & highest guy score.

Four people won a free round of golf when they scored a hole in one on surprise holes!



Committees

Membership

Donnie Brennan

Hi Everyone

OMG!!! We are bloomin' like a desert rose!

Last month, I mentioned that we had 280 household memberships. Would you believe (are you ready for this???) as of today (10/31) we have 293? Yep, that's right. 293 household memberships; that's a total of 563 people. And to think that in 1980, our club began with only 5 households. Damn! We must be doin' something right!

Now, keep in mind that come January, we always lose a number of people for various reasons. For instance, one of our members passed away in September. Another decided he just didn't have time to fish anymore. So out of our whopping 293 to-date memberships, I can anticipate about 273 left by the end of January. It happens. But, we're still a great group and word gets around so I'm sure by this time in 2015, we'll be right back up to 290 or at least close.

Hmm! That word: *close* makes you wonder about the English language. Close (as in near), close (as in shut the door); *wound* (as in I'm gonna hurt you) or wound (like I'm as tight as a drum). Why is the word roof pronounced roooof, while the word hoof is pronounced...*hoof*; or the weirdest ones: *their* (meaning you all own fishing rods) while there (means a place to be) is still different than they're (meaning they are all going fishing).

Let me introduce you to our new members:

KEITH & LYNN ARMBRECHT

BERNIE & CILLA DELONG

TERRY & ELAINE DOTSON

MARK DOSSEY & DARCY HALL

TOM JACKSON

ROBERT & ANNIE JOHN

DENNIS & FRAN KRAUSMAN

GARY & LYNN REEVES

DARYL & SYLVIA SCOTT

MIKE & TERRIE VARGO

GREG & RENEE WOLF

CHARLIE & LAUREN WOLLEY

Welcome, everyone.

Okay, guys and gals....here's my usual speech.....

EVERY NEW MEMBER WILL HAVE A STAR ON HIS/HER BADGE.... PLAY NICE....SAY HELLO, SHAKE A HAND, MAKE A FRIEND....

Anyway, as I write this, it's now almost two in the morning (on Halloween) so I'm going to hit the sack...speaking of which – why it is said, “hit the sack”I don't have a sack and even if I did, I certainly wouldn't plan on hitting it. So, I'm NOT going to hit sack; I'm going to crash ...nope, I'm not going crash, I'm accident prone as it is.... I'm going to “gently” get in bed and slip away to oblivion until tomorrow morning.

-Donnie



Committees

Sunshine Lady

Donnie Brennan

Things have quieted down for my job as your Sunshine Lady. I only found it necessary to send out one card. It was with great compassion and sympathy that we sent our condolences to John & Sheree Wolfinger on the loss of John's dad. I know we all share his loss.

Now, on a brighter note.....

Beginning in January of 2015 I'm going to start a new section in my Sunshine Column.

"Time to Remember"

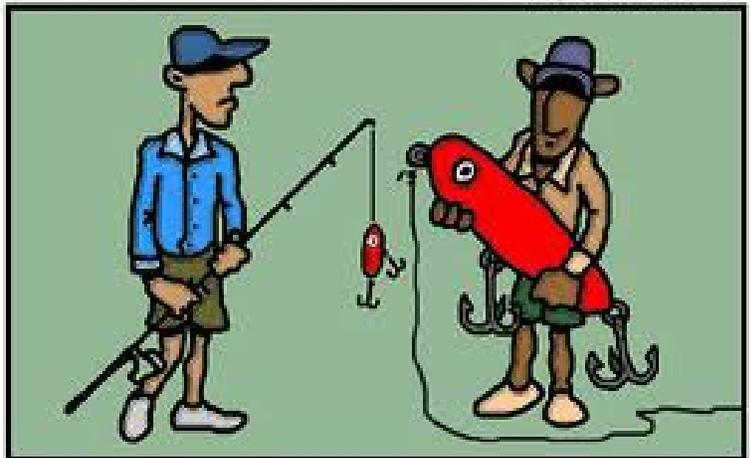
What I plan on doing is remembering those members born in any given month. For instance, if your birthday or anniversary fall in January, you'll be remembered in my article for that month. So, here is what I need from you beginning IMMEDIATELY!.. please, via email, send me your birth month and that of your spouse. I don't need the date (18th or 23rd, etc) or the year, just the month but please start sending them in. I'd hate to miss the January people because I haven't heard from you.

So, I guess that's about it for your Sunshine Lady who is right now, falling asleep at the PC. Off to dream land for me and remember, get me those birth months.

Happy Fishing!

-Donnie

shallowfish.com



Suddenly, Fred had the psychological advantage.

Members now have the opportunity to advertise in the newsletter. If you have fishing or boat related items for sale (with a value over \$50.00) you may submit the ad for publishing by

**FREE
Classified
Ads**

sending it to

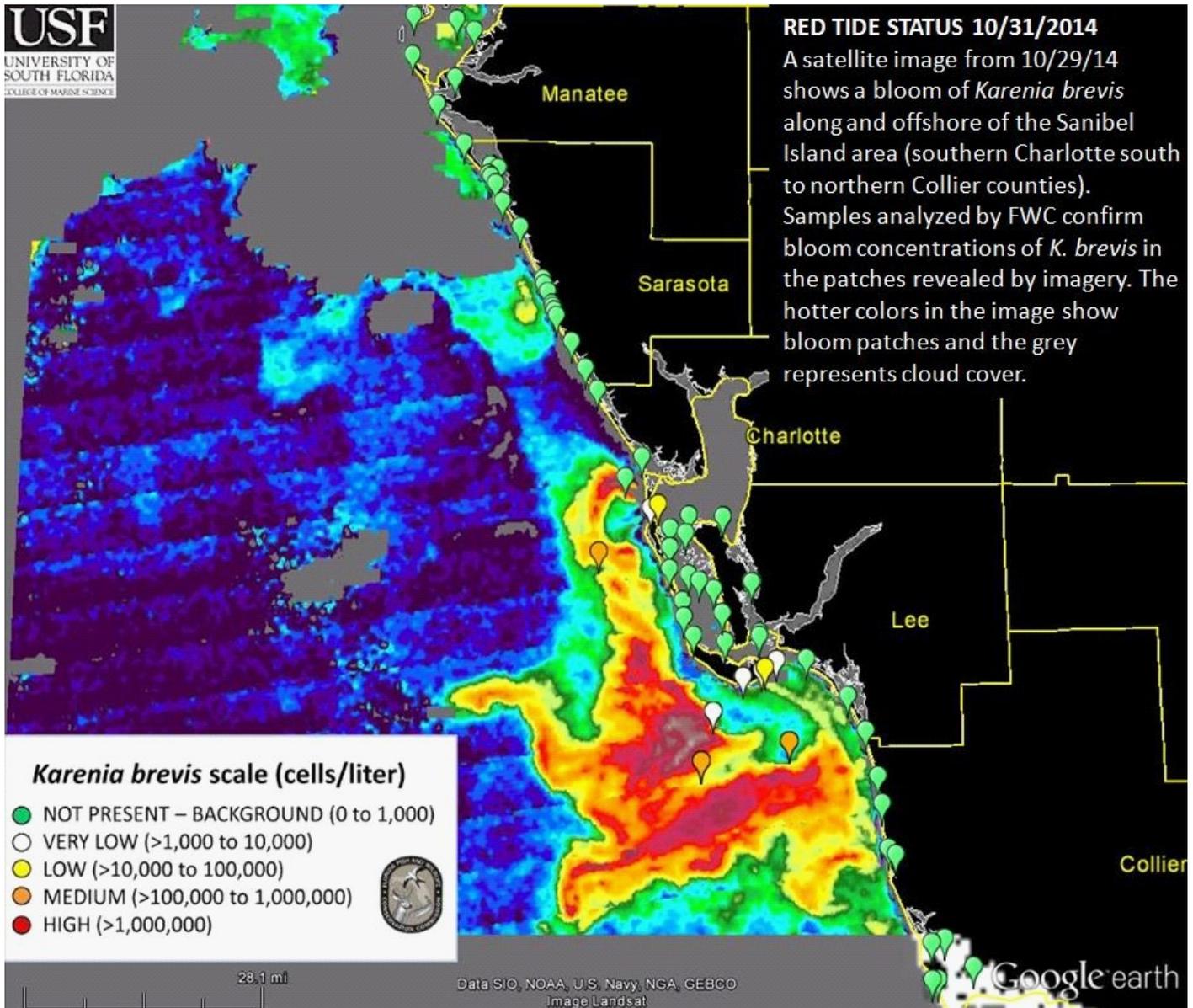
editor@pgfishingclub.org.

All ads must be in by the 25th of the month to be published in the following month's newsletter.

Things to Know

Various Contributors

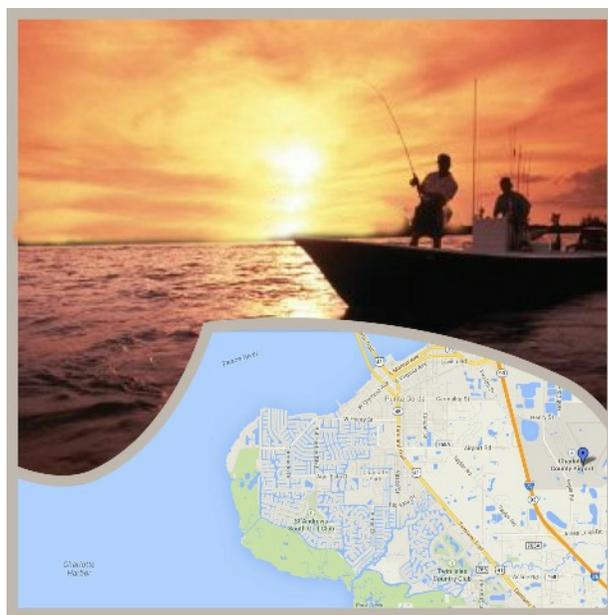
1. The Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council publishes rules governing recreational fishing in Federal waters (9 miles off the west coast of FL). Check their rules periodically to stay current with seasons and limits for harvesting fish at: http://www.gulfcouncil.org/fishing_regulations/RecreationalRegulations.pdf
2. The Florida Fish & Wildlife Commission governs recreational saltwater fishing rules in State waters. Check their rules periodically to stay current with seasons and limits for harvesting fish at: <http://www.myfwc.com/fishing/saltwater/recreational/>
3. Within the past 10 days, a patchy but large plume of red tide materialized in the Gulf of Mexico and portions of the Pine Island Sound system. Concentrations of the algae *Karenia brevis* range from background to high concentrations in this irregularly shaped 60 mile long by up to 40 mile wide plume extending south from Gasparilla Island (as shown below). Monitoring is ongoing and the plume is expected to move alongshore to the southwest. For more information go to: <http://myfwc.com/research/redtide/statewide/>



Fish of the Month 2014

January	Sheepshead
February	Spotted Seatrout
March	Redfish & Spotted Seatrout
April	Spanish Mackerel
May	Cobia
June	Tarpon

July	Shark
August	Mangrove Snapper
September	Snook
October	Redfish
November	Grouper
December	Black Drum



October 2014 Fish of the Month Contest Redfish

Congratulations to our winners!

Male Anglers

Dick Doster



Rich Brennan



Randy Douet



Tom Hickey



Female Anglers

Sandy Nikitich



Darlene Madsen



Linda Bahr



October Drawing Winners



Door Prizes

FIRST PLACE
Mary Yeomans
7' Redbone
Spinning Rod

SECOND PLACE
Terry Dotson
Okuma EF30b
Spinning Reel

THIRD PLACE
Kathy DesEnfants
\$25 Gift Certificate
Terminal Tackle Plus



50/50 Winners

1st Place - \$65
Frank Barrett

2nd Place - \$50
Chuck Milburg

3rd Place - \$35
Rick Sarkisian



Ladder of Angling Achievement



Club Hat
First Fish

Ken Bahr
Linda Bahr
Bob Kleis
Mike Petkus
Jan Stevens

New this month in **RED**

Bronze

Tom desEnfants	Paul Land	Bill Damour	Dave Dyke
Dick Nieberline	Alan Schulman	Tom Hunt	Andy Nikitich
Jessica Poe	Tom Lengauer	Gary Skillicorn	Sandy Nikitich
Darryl Pricco	Walt Zink	Patti Topper	Sandy Wierzbowski
Ron Stafford	Bud Johnston	Duane Hilgendorf	Ted Wierzbowski
Rodger Will	Cindi Johnston	Lynne Stockinger	
Mark Kline	Jerry Morningstar	Gretchen Sunderland	
Barbara Brunner	Anne Careau	Don Taylor	
Deny LaChance	Janice Anderson	Ken Hardesty	
Fred Lamon	Roz Hickey	Mike Peters	
John Morehouse	Bebe Davis	Randy Burchacki	
	Peter Meier	Trudi Baxter	

Silver

Marie D'Ambrosio	Mike Sandling	Hezzie Samons	Mary Heins
Kathy desEnfants	Joanell Dyrstad	Ted Perrin	
Pete Ferguson	Janice Wiscombe	Dave Dyke	
Mike Gulvezan	Ron Stenberg	Jane Stenberg	
Christine Jordan	Sherry Moerke	Bob Mayes	
Larry Okray	Karen Lodge	Randy Hall	

Gold

Mattie D'Ambrosio	Fred Benson	Sheree Wolfinger
Joe Longo	Gary Adams	Don Ross
John Simonieg	Gary Moerke	George Remick
Karen Udvari	Roger Davis	

Ladder of Angling Achievement (cont'd)



Lifetime Level I
Snook

Tom Lodge	Marv Dyrstad	Elaine Bretts
Ed Verminski	Ray Brunner	Ron Baxter
Jim LaRocca	Mark Storm	George Remick
Marie LaRocca	Jim Crawley	



Lifetime Level II
Redfish

Marty McCaffrey
Missy Becker
Rose Anne McCaffrey
Bill Guenther



Lifetime Level III
TARPON

Jack Spies	Bob Bretts	Ron Topper
Bob Rand	Darlene Madsen	
John MacLeman	Rick Sarkisian	
Carl Leicher	John Stockinger	

New this month in **RED**

Ladder of Angling Achievement (cont'd)

GRAND MASTER ANGLER CLUB (Star Points)

★	Donnie Brennan	(100)
★	Rich Brennan	(2900)
	Bob Busler	(300)
	Jim Hoffman	(1100)
	Margie Hoffman	(700)
★	Kel Krotzer	(2400)
	Joanne Landaker	(700)
	Steve Landaker	(1100)
★	Joe Maillet	(100)
★	Pete McGregor	(3200)
	Mike Quinn	
	Bev Rucker	
	John Solinger	(1900)
	John Wolfinger	(900)
	Tom Parsons	
★	Joe Udvari	(4800)
★	John Gettinger	(2100)
	Pam Solinger	(100)
	Bill Bonham	(1000)
	Tom Hickey	(400)
	Aaron Wagner	(900)
	Jim Qurollo	(700)
	Dick Doster	(1200)
	Mike Gilger	(300)
	Vinnie Madsen	(300)



*PGI Fishing Club Programs
are easy to enter*

Just email a .jpg photo of you
and your fish with:

- ▶ your name
- ▶ date caught
- ▶ fish species
- ▶ Length
- ▶ Indicate if you used a guide
- ▶ Email to

fishphotos@pgifishingclub.org

New this month in **RED**

2014 Master Angler Standings

Revised 11/2/14



Amberjack

Rich Brennan 40.0
John Gettinger 38.0
Joe Udvari 36.0



Cobia

Bob Busler 40.5
Joe Maillet 38.5
Don Ross 38.0



Grouper

Pete McGregor 34.5
Margie Hoffman 34.0
Rich Brennan 33.0



King Mackerel

Vinnie Madsen 42.0
Karen Lodge 38.0
Mike Gilger 37.0



Redfish

Dick Doster 37.5
Vinnie Madsen 35.0
Kel Krotzer 34.0



Snook

Vinnie Madsen 45.0
Don Ross 40.0
Rich Brennan 39.0



Spanish Mackerel

Jim Crawley 26.0
Darlene Madsen 25.0
John Stockinger 24.5



Spotted Sea Trout

Tied for first

Second Place

Tied for third place

Rich Brennan 23.0
Joanne Landaker 23.0
Vinnie Madsen 23.0
Bob Mayes 23.0

Jerry Morningstar 22.5

Darlene Madsen 22.0
Bob Pierro 22.0
Bob Bretts 22.0
Steve Landaker 22.0



Isles Trophy Race 2014

Current Leaders

Margie Hoffman



Vinnie Madsen



The yearlong Isles Trophy Race allows the male and female winner to obtain the traveling "Isles Trophy"

Revised 11/2/2014		MEN'S DIVISION						
OVERALL CLUB RECORD	SPECIES NAME	MEMBER NAME	RECORD LENGTH IN INCHES	DATE CAUGHT	MEMBER NAME	LENGTH IN INCHES	DATE CAUGHT	% OF RECORD
X	Amberjack	John MacLeman	45.5	2012	Rich Brennan	40.0	03/04/14	87.91%
X	Cobia	Bob Busler	54.0	2007	Bob Busler	40.5	02/16/14	75.00%
X	Grouper	Tom Hamilton	39.0	2003	Pete McGregor	34.5	04/05/14	88.46%
X	King Mackerel	John MacLeman	52.0	2012	Vinnie Madsen	42.0	10/30/14	80.77%
X	Redfish	Bob Busler	42.0	2005	Dick Doster	37.5	10/30/14	89.29%
X	Seatrout	Rich Brennan	29.0	2009	Rich Brennan	23.0	01/15/14	79.31%
X		Aaron Wagner	29.0	2012	Vinnie Madsen	23.0	02/09/14	79.31%
					Bob Mayes	23.0	08/25/14	79.31%
X	Snook	Jim Qurollo	44.5	2012	Vinnie Madsen	45.0	02/24/14	101.12%
X	Spanish Mackerel	Carl Leicher	30.0	2012	Jim Crawley	26.0	03/02/14	86.67%
		WOMEN'S DIVISION						
OVERALL CLUB RECORD	SPECIES NAME	MEMBER NAME	RECORD LENGTH IN INCHES	DATE CAUGHT	MEMBER NAME	LENGTH IN INCHES	DATE CAUGHT	% OF RECORD
	Amberjack	Margie Hoffman	33.0	2010				
	Cobia	Joanne Landaker	50.0	2008	Jane Stenberg	35.0	04/12/14	70.00%
		Marilyn McGregor	50.0	2013	Darlene Madsen	35.0	07/03/14	70.00%
					Mary Heins	35.0	09/23/14	70.00%
	Grouper	Margie Hoffman	31.0	2006	Margie Hoffman	34.0	01/25/14	109.68%
		Bev Rucker	31.0	2008				
	King Mackerel	Margie Hoffman	37.0	2007	Karen Lodge	38.0	03/23/14	102.70%
	Redfish	Donnie Brennan	38.0	2008	Joanne Landaker	30.0	3/3/14	78.95%
		Missy Becker	38.0	2008				
	Seatrout	Joanne Landaker	26.5	2011	Joanne Landaker	23.0	02/19/14	86.79%
	Snook	Missy Becker	41.0	2006	Elaine Bretts	34.0	05/17/14	82.93%
	Spanish Mackerel	Missy Becker	28.0	2007	Darlene Madsen	25.0	04/29/14	89.29%
This years's leaders are in RED					New 2014 Records this Month are in BLUE			

Past Isles Trophy

2009 Winners

Rich Brennan
Christine Jordan

2010 Winners

Kel Krotzer
Margie Hoffman

2011 Winners

Greg Chestnut
Joanne Landaker

2012 Winners

Jim Qurollo
Rose Anne McCaffrey

2013 Winners

Steve Landaker
Missy Becker



Bill Bonham 6' Tarpon



Bob Bretts 25" Black Drum



Jim Crawley 37" Snook



Jim Quorollo 26.5" Redfish



Carl Leicher 7' Tarpon
Estimated at 200 lbs



George Remick 5' Bull Shark



Andy Nikitich 11" Sheepshead



Don Ross 31" Kingfish



Dave Dyke 22" Catfish

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Joe Udvari 42" Barracuda



Linda Bahr 18" Pompano



Rose Anne McCaffrey
(2) 25" Red Grouper



John Solinger 29" Snook



Ken Bahr
29" Bonnethead Shark



Kel Krotzer 31" Redfish



Pete McGregor 5.5' Tarpon



Ron Baxter 5'+ Tarpon



Michael Petkus 24.5" Jack Crevalle

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Bob Klleis 26" Snook



Ted Wierzbanski 14" snook



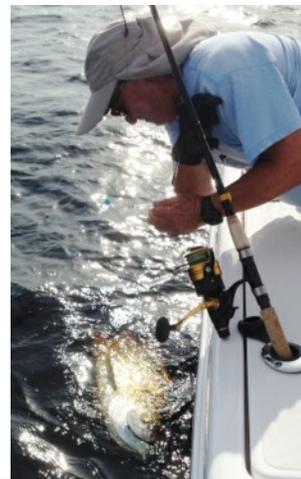
Donnie Brennan 14.5" Redfish



Aaron Wagner 16" Sheepshead



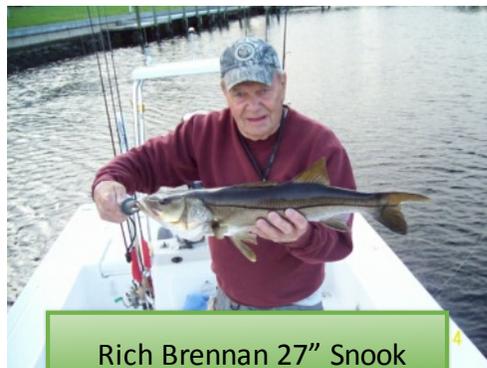
Joe Udvari and Vinnie Madsen
Doubling Up with 47" Cuda & 42" Kingfish



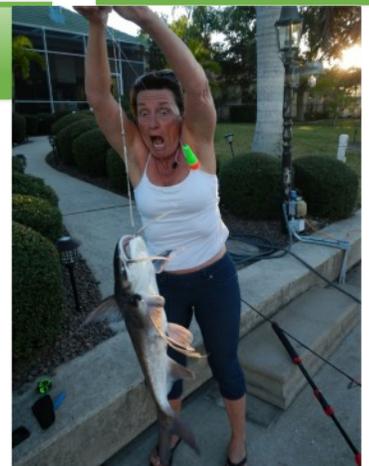
Mike Gilger 5.5' Tarpon



Tom Hickey 40" Barracuda



Rich Brennan 27" Snook



Sandy Wierzbanski
27" Catfish



Rick Sarkisian 66" Tarpon



Tom Wissing
29" Snook



Ron Topper
36" Snook



Jan Stevens
18" Spotted Seatrout



Vinnie Madsen
4.5' Tarpon



Sharon Dyke
Bonnethead Shark



Randy Douet
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