



Denmark Boating and Angling Club Newsletter



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February Field Day

The February field day was an open boundary event held over Saturday 17th and Sunday 18th February. Light drizzle overnight was encountered, but the weather was mainly fine with a few clouds. This allowed 31 members good conditions in which to fish. The incentive fish was kept a secret until the weigh in, but ended up being the heaviest herring. The anglers consisted of 22 men, 7 ladies, 1 juniors and 1 mini juniors. Overall 181 fish were caught with a total bag of 90.15 weighed in.

RESULTS:

Men's:

Lee Shelly 235g Herring

Ladies:

Kerry Pascoe 220g Herring

Juniors:

nil

Mini Juniors:

Cooper Laing 130g Herring



AGM

Don't forget the AGM will be held at the Denmark Hotel on the 26th April 2018 at 8:00pm. Members are requested to attend.

Busy Bee

May 21st will be the annual start of season Busy Bee at the Parry's Shed. Members are asked to attend, starting at 9am and help maintain this facility. Please bring gardening tools etc with you to assist. A BBQ will be put on for those who help.

March Field Day

The March field day was held at Bluff Creek. Only a handful of enthusiastic fishers met at Bakers Junction on Saturday 18th March and headed out in the wet and windy conditions.

The weather cleared Saturday night and a good mornings fishing was held. Weigh in was at 11am.

There were 16 fishers made up of 12 men, 3 ladies and 1 junior. The incentive fish was heaviest Skippy.

A total of 144 fish were caught with a combined weight of 36.85kg

RESULTS:

Mens:

Ashley Laing 640g Skippy

Ladies:

Anita Cottle 415g Skippy

Juniors:

Michael Cottle – Heaviest Bag.

Next Field Day

The next field day will be held at Blue Holes, with the briefing at the cattle yards on Station Road at 2:00pm on the 21st of April. This is a closed beach event and fishing for heaviest flathead.

April Target Fish Facts

Name: Flathead *Platycephilidae* family

Common Name: Flathead

Habitat: Near shore and estuarine

Range: All along the coast

Minimum Size: 300mm **Bag Limit:** 8 (mixed bag)



Faye Moir Shield

The February field day was also the annual running of the Faye Moir Shield. The incentive fish for this trophy is the heaviest Salmon. This year Lee Shelley took out the prize with a 5.2kg fish. Congratulations Lee.



Upcoming Dates

Please put these into your diary for the remainder of the fishing competition year.

April

21st – Beach Field Day – Briefing at the cattle yards, Station Road at 2:00pm.

26th – Annual General Meeting – At Denmark Hotel, 8:00pm.

May

5th – Windup Dinner – Ocean View.

12th – Busy Bee Parry's Shed and Grounds, 9:00am

19th – Field Day, Parry's Beach.



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