

September 2021

Fellow Fishers

SEPTEMBER MINGLE AND MINGLE

The September mix and mingle night has been cancelled.

Hopefully we will be back to normal for the October social evening on Friday, 8^{th} October at the usual time of 5.30 onwards.

This will be our first BYO barbeque for the season, which means bring your own meat and a salad and/or dessert to share.

As usual, a cash only bar is available.

FISH OF THE MONTH

Fish of the month for August was caught by Stephen Gilbbery - a 5.304 kg snapper on 13 August. Congratulations Stephen.

Because we had no committee meeting this month there is no weighmasters report from Cliff. Of course there has been no boat fishing during lockdown. Maybe the fish stocks will have built up and it will be good for our Labour Weekend Competition.

Keep an eye on the Leaderboard on our website for the latest best catches.

Remember that the winner of the Fish of the Month collects a prize valued at \$25, but you must be an active (i.e. paid up) member of the club to be eligible.

Note: to weigh in your fish, either contact one of the weighmasters in the first instance or take it to Millers Meats in Waipu (or another establishment with <u>certified calibrated</u> <u>scales</u>), get a printout of the weight and then contact the weighmaster - either Cliff (432 7071) or Jill (021 108 1603).

CLUBHOUSE MAINTENANCE

Another result of Covid 19 lockdown is that the proposed working bees have been put on hold. We will be in touch when we are able to reschedule these.

LABOUR WEEKEND COMPETITION

Organisation continues for our annual competition at Labour Weekend, Saturday 23 and Sunday 24 October 2021. Ticket prices will be the same as last year - \$50 for Open and Ladies categories and Juniors (under 16) free. Prizes will be similar to previous years. Look out for our posters around town next month.

Details are on our website and publicity will be on our Facebook page once sponsors are finalised.

We will be calling on club members to help out on the day - bagging fish, car parking, clean up etc.

MANGAWHAI CHALLENGE AND SUPERCLUB COMPETITIONS

We await further news if and when these two competitions will take place.

If all goes to original plan, the Mangawhai Challenge will be hosted by Mangawhai on Friday and Saturday 16 and 17 September 2021.

The Superclub Competition date is yet to be confirmed It is being hosted this year by Point Curtis Club (Three Furlongs, Kaiwaka). Clubs eligible to enter this competition are all clubs from Wellsford to Cape Reinga. Each club enters its best two snapper (or 2 fish of another species that the host club determines prior to the event, excluding gamefish). At least 3 club members must be present at the weigh in or the club will be disqualified.



MEMBERSHIP

Our membership year runs from 1 July to 30 June each year, which means if you haven't yet paid your subscription for the 2021-22 year, then it is now due.

The easiest way to do this is on line.

- Go to our website, <u>www.waipuboatandfishingclub.com</u>
- Click on "Sign In"
- Enter your user name usually your email address
- Enter your password select "forgot your password" if you can't remember it
- On your member page select "Renew membership" under the "Manage Membership" menu
- Update any of your contact details if necessary
- Choose method of payment (credit card or bank deposit). With the latter method, your membership will be activated when the payment shows up in our bank account.

If you won't be renewing your membership, can you please let us know and we will take you off our mailing list.

CLUBHOUSE HIRE

We are pleased to be getting more enquiries for the hire of our clubhouse.

Check our website www.waipuboatandfishingclub.com for the requirements for hiring out the clubhouse. Fill out the enquiry form and email it to waipuboatandfishingclub@gmail.com to find out if the clubhouse is available when you want it.

Members of the Club are able to negotiate a nominal rate for hire.

Linda Glibbery is in charge of hiring and you can contact her on 027 666 6371.

WHAT DO YOU WANT FROM YOUR CLUB??

Our next committee meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, 6 October 2021

If you have ideas for something you would like the club to get involved in, we would love to hear from you. Contact one of the Crew (see list below) with your ideas.

Commodore Jill and the Crew.

THE CREW (and how to get hold of them)

Commodore: Jill Reid - 021 108 1603

Vice Commodore: Graeme Giles - 021 118 4816 or 432 1537 Secretary/Treasurer: Kath Barber - 021 066 3803 or 432 0472

Weighmasters: Cliff Bailie - 432 7071

Jill Reid - 021 108 1603

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Committee: John Barber - 021 454 764 or 432 0472

John Mellsop - 021 899 692 or 432 1587

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