

# Hooked Up

Warkworth Gamefish Club Newsletter

July 2016



## MONTHLY SNAPPER

The June snapper length was 75cm and won by Nicola Hoverd.

Check our website [www.wwgfc.co.nz/tournaments](http://www.wwgfc.co.nz/tournaments) for the full seasons fish, you'd be surprised at how well a good pannie can do in this monthly comp.

## TSHIRTS, POLO SHIRTS & HOODIES

We have new stock which includes polo shirts please contact Tom Hatfull at [teejayhat320@gmail.com](mailto:teejayhat320@gmail.com) Can also be purchased at the AGM

## AGM & PRIZEGIVING 4pm Saturday 6th August 2016

Everyone who arrives and signs the AGM attendance sheet before 4pm goes into the door prize draw, which is usually a bottle of rum.

We will be awarding a life membership this year to someone very very deserving, so come along and find out who it is.



## LADIES COMPETITION 15th October 2016

Please note the earlier date. This year there will be a theme for dress up it is Hawaiian, so this will give you time to plan your outfits.

If there is anyone who can host a group of women out on their boat (shared expenses/lunch) please let me know. Email [wwgfc@xtra.co.nz](mailto:wwgfc@xtra.co.nz)

## BRAID VERSUS MONO VERSUS RECORDS & COMPS

The subject of braid captures and what constitutes the 'line class' or breaking strength of top shotted lines is guaranteed to spark up a response around most cockpits. Our NZSFC Zone 2 Clubs are looking to table a proposed Fishing Rule for NZSFC adoption whereby, in simple terms, the mono top shot will be the 'line class', regardless of backing (braid or other) line strength. This is of course is on the basis that the Combined (ie joined) lines will break on the weakest one. This Rule, if ratified, will not apply to IGFA Record Claims until the IGFA also change their Rules to be in line with this thinking. The Zone 2 proposed Rule change will be on our website (newsletter section) shortly, please drop us a line at [wwgfc@xtra.co.nz](mailto:wwgfc@xtra.co.nz) if you have feedback for our Zone Delegates on this proposal.

## MARINA APPRECIATION

Thank you Sandspit Marina for supporting Legasea by donating proceeds from the overnight boat stays at our 10KG competition.

And thanks to the Gamefish members who manned the bar on the Sandspit Marina Opening and those who offered to help.

It was an awesome day, enjoyed by everyone.