

Reel Times

May 2018

Calendar of Events

May 5-6 Halibut Tournament

May 12 NEW DATE - DAC Boat

Show & Dock Party

May 13 Mother's Day

May 26 - June 10 White Sea Bass Tournament

May 28 Memorial Day
June 17 Father's Day

June 24 3-B Tournament & Picnic

June 28 General Membership

Meeting #2 – "Offshore Fishing Techniques"

July 4 Independence Day

July 7-8 Yellowtail Tournament

July 21-22 Shark Tournament

August 2 General Membership Meeting

#3 "Pelagic Fishing

Techniques"

August 4-5 Albacore/Tuna Tournament

August 18-19 Ladies/Junior Tournament

August 25-26 Cherry/El Nino Tournament

August 30 General Membership Meeting

#4 – "Marlin Fishing

Techniques"

September 3 Labor Day

September 8-9 Dick Tonks Memorial

Tournament

September 14-15 BAC Master's Tournament

September 29-30 DAC Marlin Tournament

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President's Message

The fishing season is getting into "Full Swing" as we have just completed the first two tournaments of the year and we have several fun events planned in May.

The weather hasn't been very cooperative but hopefully it will get better...each tournament is an opportunity to get out there to size up how the fishing year is shaping up so please come out to the Pre-Tournament meetings and participate in our tournaments!

For May, we start off with the Halibut tournament on May 5/6. One of the more challenging tourneys to be sure but a great chance to "make your mark" if you can catch one of these bad boys! Often there are no qualifying fish caught so get out there win this one!

Our Annual Boat Show is scheduled for Saturday May 12th and we need boats! We have 10 slips reserved and as of Press time we need five more members to get involved. This is one of our best events of the year so please, if you can participate, we want to see you. Send me an e-mail at info@danaanglingclub.org or contact me directly at (714)335-6414.

Lastly, we close the month with the White Sea Bass Tournament (May 26 – June 10) – this tournament lasts for 2 weeks to give you time to catch one of these elusive beasts.

I hope your boats have had a good winter and you are ready to "Stretch her legs" so let's get out there and see what we can catch!

As always, I am interested in your feedback so please do not hesitate to send me an e-mail or call me directly.

Tight Lines and we'll look forward to seeing you on the water and at the boat show.

Stan Mahler, DAC President 2018

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SUPERFUNEVENT! DON'T MISS DUT!



DANA ANGLING CLUB BOAT SHOW AND DOCK PARTY

12:30p Saturday May 12th, 2018!

The DAC will host our annual boat show and dock party at the Guest Slips in Dana West Marina. We will be contacting new members and encouraging them to showcase their boats.

Food, Beverage, games, raffle and fun will be provided for this great event.

All members are encouraged to bring guests.



EVITE COMING SOON!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS – SEE YOU AT THE DOCKS

RAFFLE DRAWINGS FOR TACKLE & OTHER GREAT PRIZES!***

The 2018 DAC Yearbook will be distributed at the Show.

Get ready for the 2018 Season with DAC Gear!

Dana Angling Club T-Shirts and Sweatshirts (Hooded or Crew) will be available to purchase at the Boat Show and Dock Party.

Fish Report by Chris Bailey

Fishing Report as of April 30, 2018

The recent winds and weather patterns have kept most coastal waters on the cooler side and off colored for most of April along the coast and local islands. Forecast calls for improving weather and warmer days beginning the first week of May. Expect to see the water temps continue to improve throughout the month.

The limited local fishing reports available have most boats still focusing on rockfish. Looking for improved conditions and fishing during the month of May. It's time to start looking offshore!

> Full Moon April 29th, New Moon on May 15th and Full Moon on May 29th Grunion run April 29th - May 2nd, May 15th - May 18th and May 29th - June 1st

Catalina: Limited Reports from Catalina due to recent weather. Possibility of Yellowtail and White Seabass being caught along Backside "V"'s to EE. Yellowtail along the Frontside /West End. We should start seeing Yellowtail and Calicos biting near the island.

Inshore/Coastal: Yellowtail, White Seabass and Halibut being caught on fin bait near kelp line. Salt Creek, Dana Point, San Mateo, San Onofre, Barn Kelp, La Jolla... Offshore Kelps starting to see Yellowtails on kelp paddies, some larger bonito also being seen.

Offshore: Yes, the rumors are true. Last week a couple ¾ Day boats out of San Diego came across some schools of Bluefin Tuna – mixed grades, from 30# "schoolies" to 100# models being seen and caught. These fish are moving north. Hopefully with the improving weather and water temps they will reach the SoCal waters soon.

San Clemente Island: Navy has posted closures this weekend, check website for dates and times. www.scisland.org/schedules/safetyZoneUse/days

2018 ARTIFICIALS TOURNAMENT RESULTS

1st Place Adult: Geoff Heldoorn 32.4lb Yellowtail 4/14 on JEFE - 32.4 points 2nd Place Adult: Pat Holmes 29.4lb Yellowtail 4/10 on HAWK- 29.4 points 3rd Place Adult: Jeff Tom 22.3lb Yellowtail 4/15 on KINGPIN- 22.3 points

Top Boat: JEFE



2nd Place Pat Holmes



3rd Place Jeff Tom



Winner of the Artificials **Tournament for 2018 is** Geoff Heldoorn.

Geoff also won the **Top Boat Category** Aboard "Jefe"

2018 ALL SPECIES TOURNAMENT RESULTS

(Preliminary as of April 30th)

1st Place Adult: Taylor Kingsmill 67.3lb
White Seabass 4/25 on SALTA VERDE – 67.3 points

2nd Place Adult: Jim Kingsmill 53.6lb
White Seabass 4/25 on SALTA VERDE -53.6 points

3rd Place Adult: Pat Holmes 23.3lb Yellowtail 4/22 on HAWK – 23.3 points

1st Place Jr.: Cooper Allen 1.4lb
Calico on 4/28 on Cliffhanger – 1.4 points

Top Boat: SALTA VERDE

PRELIMINARY RESULTS PENDING RECEIPT OF ANY ADDITIONAL WEIGH SLIPS



Welcome New Members

Glenn and Ann Garrett Ron and Melissa Field and their 4 children: Ryan, Dustin, Tyler and Ashley Correction: Alex Torres joined with his family, Colleen, Trey and Ava.

We hope to see everyone at the Boat Show & Dock Party on May 12th. Come join the fun in the sun and meet your fellow members. And, bring a friend! RSVP to info@danaanglingclub.org or click GOING on your Evite soon to come.

How Do You Like H?

Technology is ever changing and the Dana Angling Club is changing with the times. We can send out your newsletters via email so make sure you have info@danaanglingclub.org in your contact list to prevent bounce back. We can also send via USPS for those without email accounts.

For any type of notices you have your choice! Via email or text! Just send us your preference and we'll update the list.

Finally, for our Facebook users you'll find all event information on our Facebook page – Dana Angling Club and like our page. It's interactive so you can post your photos and stories to our page as well.

DAC Tournament Info

Did you know that all members are automatically registered for DAC tournaments? To register a guest, send an email to info@danaanglingclub.org or via our Message Board at danaanglingclub.org and let us know who your guest will be and what boat you are fishing on or you can email fishchair@danaanglingclub.org

Website Bulletin Board

Our Website and Bulletin Board are meant to keep members up-to-date with everything DAC. Should you have difficulties with logging in or navigating our site or bulletin board, please contact Chris Bailey via email at fishchair@danaanglingclub.org and he'll make sure you get "hooked up!"

	DAC Banter / General Discussion 2018 Welcome to DAC 2018! Begin the Banter	19 Posts 3 Topics	Last post by Hattaboy in Re: New Boat on February 24, 2018, 03:33:45 PM
	Child Boards: Archives		
	Fish Board 2018 Welcome to DAC 2018! Now go get some fish	20 Posts 3 Topics	Last post by tunaciousbol in Re: Artificials Tourname on April 23, 2018, 10:45:2 AM
	Child Boards: Archives		
Ć	Tech Talk 2018 Welcome to DAC 2018! Doing a project on your boat? Need some advice on a project? This is the place to share your projects or post your questions and photos.	7 Posts 1 Topics	Last post by tunaciousbol in Re: Underwater lights? on April 07, 2018, 07:54:2 PM
	Child Boards: Archives		



Halibut Tournament

Saturday & Sunday May 5 & 6, 2018 Lines In: Sat 05/05 5:00 a.m. Lines-Out Sun 05/06 5:00 p.m.

HALIBUT ONLY

30# Maximum Line Class

All fish MUST be caught according to DAC & IGFA rules You must submit a clean 15' sample of the line/lines used to catch the fish. All weigh slips must be submitted within 10 days of your catch. Only ONE ENTRY per angler

WEIGH STATION LOCATED AT THE DANA POINT FUEL DOCK

Angler with the most points wins!!!

Line Class	Points per lb.	
2#	3.50	
4#	3.00	
6#	2.50	
8#	2.00	
12#	1.50	
16#	1.25	
20#	1.00	
30#	.75	

PRIZES

Adults: 1st, 2nd, 3rd Place
Juniors: 1st, 2nd, 3rd Place
Adult Guest: 1st Place only
Junior Guest: 1st Place only
Top Boat will be awarded

Control Boat: "Hooked" will be monitoring Channel 19

*ADULT GUESTS: \$10 Entry Fee - JUNIOR GUESTS: No Entry Fee

*ALL GUESTS must be Pre-registered prior to Lines In at 5:00 a.m. 05/05/2018 via the "DAC Tournaments" Message board on the DAC website at www.danaanglingclub.org or called to any DAC Board Member prior to the start of the tournament with the guests name, boat name, members name and if guests are adults or juniors. Mail \$10 for each adult guest to DAC at P.O. Box 2881 Capistrano Beach, CA 92624 or you may pay for your guest by sending a PayPal payment to payments@danaanglingclub.org.

Send Weigh Slips To:

DAC 2018 Halibut Tournament
P.O. Box 2881 Capistrano Beach, CA 92624 OR
Submit Electronic Weigh Slip at: www.danaanglingclub.org.



2018 WHITE SEABASS TOURNAMENT

Saturday, May 26th thru Sunday, June 10th, 2018 LINES IN: 5:00 a.m. Saturday, May 26, 2018 LINES OUT: 5:00 p.m. Sunday, June 10, 2018

RULES: White Seabass only!

All DAC and IGFA angling rules apply DAC Anglers and Guests are allowed to submit multiple weigh slips during this tournament, however only (1) place per angler will be allowed.

All weigh slips must be submitted via the website or postmarked within 10 days of the catch. You MUST SUBMIT a clean 15' sample of the line used to catch the fish

SCORING: ANGLER WITH THE MOST POINTS WINS!!!

Line Class Points per Lb. 6.00 2# 4# 4.00 6# 3.00 8# 2.00 12# 1.50 16# 1.25 20# 1.00 30# .75 50# .50

First tie breaker----- Lightest Line Second tie breaker-----Earliest Fish

AWARDS: ADULTS: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place JUNIORS: 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place Adult & Jr. Guests: 1st Place Only

Big Fish Award: Heaviest WSB fish wins Award (open to members and guests)!!!

Top Boat will be Awarded

Control Boat-- "DAC TOURNAMENT CONTROL" Channel 19

*ADULT GUESTS: \$10 Entry Fee *JUNIOR GUESTS: No Entry Fee

*ALL GUESTS MUST BE PRE-REGISTERED PRIOR TO LINES IN AT 5:00 a.m. 05/26/2018 OR prior to the day(s) fishing via the "DAC Tournaments" message board on the website at www.danaanglingclub.org or called to a DAC Board Member with the guests name, your name, and the boat name and if the guests are adults or juniors. Mail or PayPal \$10 per Adult Guest within 10 days to the DAC, P.O. Box 2881, Capistrano Beach, CA 92624. Submit Electronic Weigh Slips at: www.danaanglingclub.org