



# Reel Times

October 2018

## President's Message

Hello DAC Members and Happy Fall Fishing!

As we wind down the year, it is with pride and joy that we reflect on the activities and performance of the club for 2018.

2018 Fishing – As with most years, this year witnessed some great fishing in some species, weaker in others. Certainly the highlight of our current fishery is the abundance of big Bluefin Tuna. After an absence of almost 70 years, it appears that they are back for an extended period – now three years running and counting. They certainly are not easy to catch but just having them here in such size and numbers is truly rewarding. Our pelagic species remain strong with the warmer waters and we continue to see good counts of Dorado, Yellowfin tuna and Marlin. Yellowtail, White Sea Bass and Halibut on the other hand seem less abundant and more elusive but still fun targets for those that invest the time and effort; especially in the slower winter and early spring months. Sadly, our albacore fishery seems all but lost given the changes in the environment we have seen over the years – but perhaps they too will return someday like the Bluefin tuna have. One thing is for sure – next year will bring more changes and surprises! Overall I would classify it as a very good year, but not an exceptional one as we had during the El Niño of 2015.

Membership has made some great progress this year as we added 14 new memberships to the club. Participation is everything for the club so I hope all members can do their part to help make the club great again! I am proud that we had such good participation at our events this year: the annual Awards Banquet, our General Membership meetings and the DAC boat show! Events take a lot of effort to put together and are really fun for the

members - we really want everyone to attend if at all possible!!! I feel like we had some great guest speakers for our membership meetings and we are always looking for new input and ideas that make these activities fun and informative for all.

In addition, we have revitalized the Reel Times publications and continue to make improvements to our website and general communications.

It has been an honor and a pleasure to serve on the Board of Directors for the past 4 years....I hope we can get more of you involved as we look forward to electing new board members for 2019.

Our club has a long and rich history and I want to thank you again for making the DAC such a successful and reputable Angling Club here in Southern California.

Wishing you all the best,

Stanton Mahler  
DAC President 2018

## 2018 Board of Directors

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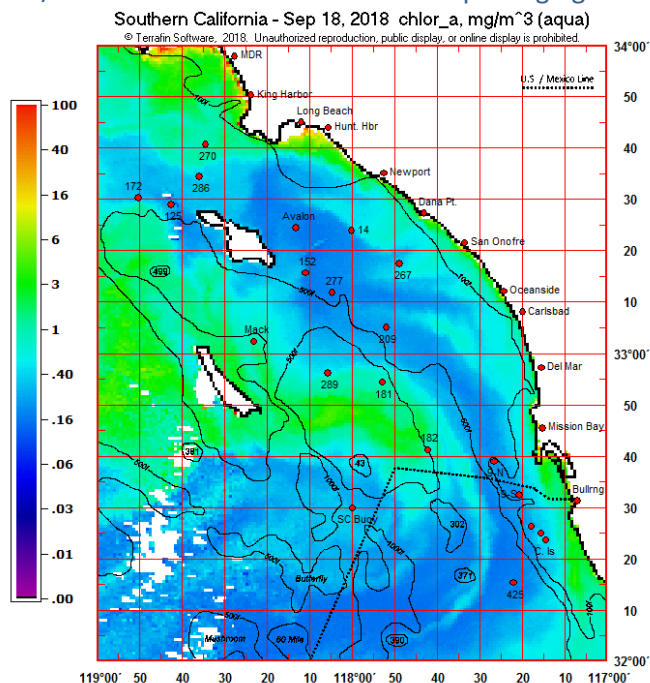


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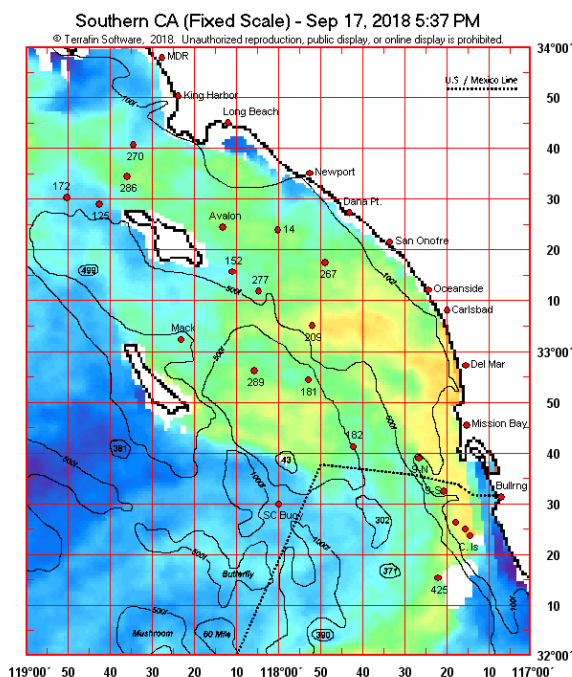
# Fishing Report

As of September 20, 2018

Our coastal water remains off color and warm with no life. Offshore waters are clean, but mid-channel they turn off colored further offshore and around the islands. This extends from the coast to the ridge (14, 267, 209, 277). SW of the 181/182 the water is clean. Water Temps ranging from the Low to mid 70's along coast



**Chlorophyll**



**Temperature**

**Lunar Cycle:** New Moon September 9th and Full Moon on September 24th

**Catalina:** Water Temps staying near upper 60's to low 70's around the island. Bluefin Tuna are being seen along Backside. Marlin released last weekend off East End / Backside (tight to the island). It's worth trolling jigs while traveling around this area.

**San Clemente:** Larger sized Bluefin are moving around the backside of SCI. Both Sporties and privates are working off the Backside of Clemente for the tunas. Before you go, make to check the Navy website for closure dates and times.  
[www.scisland.org/schedules/safetyZoneUse/days](http://www.scisland.org/schedules/safetyZoneUse/days)

**Nearshore / Coastal:** Slower fishing, not many reports. Still worth a try along kelp line Newport Art. Reef, Crystal Cove, Salt Creek, Dana Point, San Mateo, San Onofre, Barn Kelp and La Jolla.....

**Offshore:** It's time to go offshore!!! There are local kelp paddies still holding some Dorado, Tuna and Yellowtail. Need to find the right kelp paddy. Check the blue water below 209. Yellowfin and Bluefin Tuna are

still to the south. Marlin around Catalina – East End and Local Banks (267 to 14). There is still plenty of time to get out and find these fish. The marlin have been along the hard Chlorophyll and Temperature breaks.



**DAC Member Patrick Sangi with his 255# Bluefin**

# 2018 Tournament Results

## Dick Tonks Memorial Billfish Tournament – September 8th & 9th

\*\*Richard Tonks was a DAC Charter Members, President in 1977 and this Tournament was named in his honor.

### Official Results

<u>Finish</u>	<u>Angler</u>	<u>Release</u>	<u>Points</u>	<u>Boat</u>
1st Place	Dave Herrera	3 Fish Total	350	Wild Bill
2nd Place	Chris Bailey	1 Fish 12#	180	Jefe
3rd Place	Geoff Hersch	1 Fish 30#	130	Hooked

### Top Boat: Wild Bill – 350 Points

### Additional Tournament Catches:

Cindy Prohaska	1 Fish 30#	130	So Glassy
Dave Peter	1 Fish 30#	130	Jefe
Scott Kingsmill	1 Fish 30#	130	Wild Bill

Cherry / El Niño Tournament August 25-26  
No Qualifying Fish caught during this tournament

## MABT Update

The Dana Angling Club fielded 8 teams for this year's Balboa Angling Club's Master Angler Billfish Tournament. There were 5 Clubs represented, with 39 boats and 172 Anglers participating. Two Boats from the Dana Angling Club caught fish, A REEL DREAM with Mitchell Firestein catching two 30# jig fish and HOOKED catching two - Geoff Hersch on 20# and G.J. Sacco on 16#. Mitchell Firestein placed 3rd in the Master High Angler Category. The concentration of fish was local at the East End of Catalina, the 14 mile bank and the 267. JEFE found the fish on the 267 on Thursday pre-fishing. After Friday's roll call the entire tournament fleet ended up on the 267 on Saturday. There were 49 hookups & 27 releases overall, with lots of action. Over 50 boats were pounding the 267 for Marlin. Mia Tia, a club boat, but not in the tournament was flying a marlin catch flag on the way in as well. While the Club didn't place this year, we had a good showing and were well represented. The best part was the fish were 8 to 10 miles off Dana Point for the tournament, back in the slip every night. Looking forward to next year.

Dave Peter "Teaser"



# 2018 First Fish Flag Awards

## 2018 Perpetual Trophy Awards (as of 9/20/2018)

AWARD	WINNER	BOAT	DATE	WEIGHT
1st Yellowtail	Chris Bailey	HAWK	01/27/2018	30.48#
1st Jr. Yellowtail	Logan Tom	JEFE	07/08/2018	31.40#
1st White Seabass	Chris Bailey	HAWK	02/25/2018	45.70#
1st Jr. White Seabass	OPEN			
1st Tuna	Geoff Heldoorn	KINGPIN	06/16/2018	165.20#
1st Jr. Tuna	OPEN			
1st Dorado	Taylor Kingsmill	WILD BILL	07/24/2018	6.70#
1st Jr. Dorado	Zach Waters	Tunacious Too	7/13/2018	6.38#
1st Marlin	Dave Herrera	TYEE	07/31/2018	R
1st Jr. Marlin	OPEN			
1st Swordfish	OPEN			

## Bluefin Labor Day Weekend Recap

So here we go. Plan was to fish the bluefin grounds early Saturday morning. Have a good friend, Logan, who insisted we get to SCI super early and try to make some flyers. We had 1 pack of frozen flyers but I didnt realize how much bigger our flyers are around here.

Same plan changes and we plan to leave Friday night. By the time we load the boat with all the gear it's about 1130 pm. I love fishing this big stuff. We had a Talica 50, Tiagra 80, and Makaira 80, helium tank, balloons, kite, frozen flying fish, bridle needle, and way too many other things we don't need!

Head to the bait barge and get a good mix of sardine and macs. There were a lot of macs and good size so we didn't have to spend any time to make bait. Off we go...

It's me, friend-Logan, Bryan-never stops talking I'm sure many of you know him by now, and Seth-visiting from Louisiana.

We get to the island about 345 am. Start at white rock and work east looking for this damn flying fish. Underwater lights on sat for a bit and nothing. So then turned the spot light on and looked around. Sure enough we find a couple skipping and a sea lion chasing

them. One comes behind the boat and stops in the light. We scoop it with our long net. Another one hits the boat and knocks itself out but the sea lion gets it before we can. We kept looking but not much more action and we wanted to get to the fishing grounds before sunlight.

We come around pyramid head and of course there's like 50 halogen lights in the distance. So much boat traffic! I knew it was gonna be busy but you gotta go when you can!

The wind was down but the seas a little stirred up and still decent swell which wasn't too fun when drifting.

I had dropped a pin all the spots we had marked tuna volume a few weeks ago and really these fish haven't moved they hang out in the same spots. Most the boats were south east of the island. We slid in on the western edge of them. I will try to attach the map so you can see the spots.

Its about 5 am and still dark. I bridle up a mac and send it down 150' with a rubber band sinker. We also send down a squid on a rubber band sinker. 10 minutes goes by and my mac gets bit. Fish is peeling off line from the Talica 50 on 130 braid, game on! I give



the rod to my friend from Louisiana as this is the best California welcome I can think of. I'm yelling to my friend Logan to reel in his line so we don't get a tangle and he quickly gets bit.

Oh man we have a double. All I can think about is this is trouble and we could lose both fish. I set Seth up in the harness and tell him to follow his fish but try to stay away from Logan.

Meanwhile Logan has his fish on his Makaira 80 and bent butt just fighting it from the gunnel and its coming up pretty quick. They get it to the boat within 15 min and we get a gaff in it. Tapes out to #100 lbs.

I look over at Seth in the harness and his line is going straight under the boat. Yikes. I take the rod and try to swing it around the transom but its stuck. I try to use our long net to push the line down underwater to free it but no luck. I put the reel in free spool as I'm worried it's gonna break if anymore tension on it. This fish is swimming out to sea and we are losing a ton of line.

Seth is an avid spearfisherman and wants to jump in the water. Not usually a great idea since dark out and swell as the boat is going up and down. But we went for it. He puts his mask on and fins. Jumps in the water and comes up and asks for an underwater flashlight. Ah nope. He goes back under and sees the line is wrapped around the prop and just peeling off. It's amazing it didn't break. Somehow he is able to get it around the prop without breaking and our line shoots back behind the boat.

He gets back in grabs the rod and off we go. We were worried the line was gonna have a weak spot so we didn't put too much drag on. I started backing down the boat to get more line back. This was the fun part. With so many boats around we were going by boats backwards fighting this fish. It must have been a site.

We finally get this fish up and down and we are convinced any weak line is on the reel. We start putting some more pressure on the fish. Use the boat a bit to get it up and finally to gaff. This one comes over the rail and tapes out at #150. Not the 200 lbs. monsters but we landed both of them and it's not even 6 am.

Rest of the day was long and rocky. We metered some big schools. We had them under the boat and nothing. Put the balloon out with the flyer and had a big Mako steal our bait.

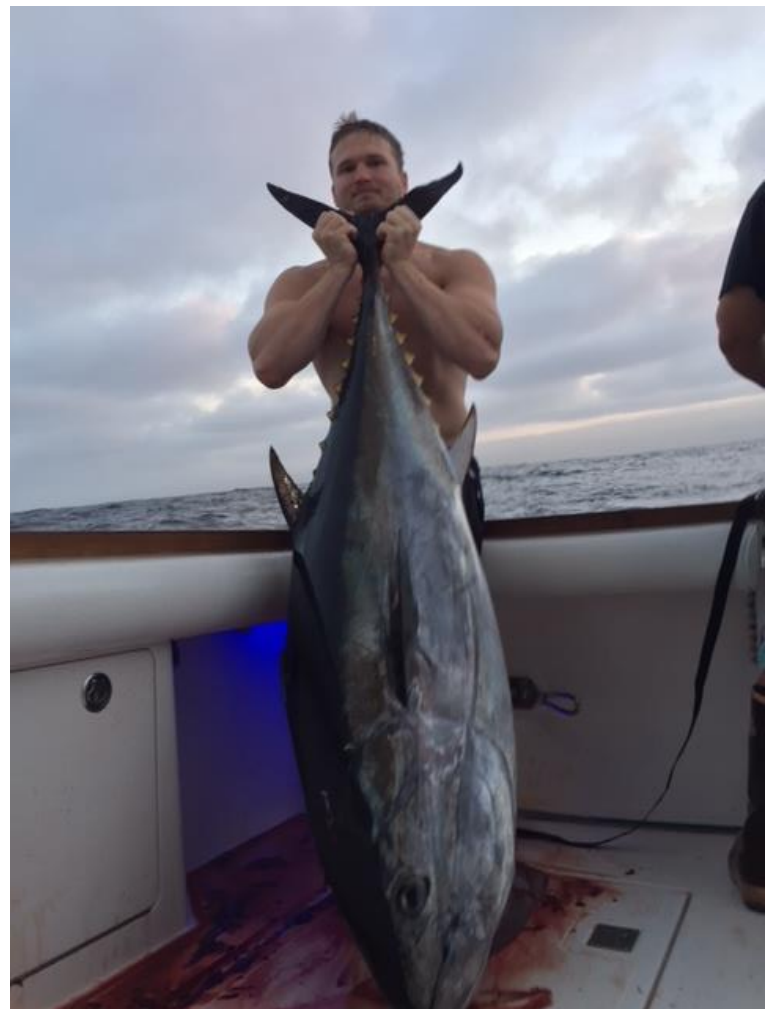
Lots of boat traffic and towards the evening more sport boats coming out. We thought it was gonna happen in the evening as we had great meter marks, had mac and squid out, and occasional flat fall but nothing. These fish seem to have a window when they want to eat and you just never know.

Called it a day as everyone was tired and the rocking from the swell was getting to everyone!

I will say the volume of bait fish was almost non-existent compared to a month ago. These fish are gonna start biting really good and then take off. If you can go I think the time is now. The bite has been early-early or late-late so pick one to be at or both! Pretty technical fishing with the balloons, kites, etc... but we were still able to get them the old fashion way. Didn't even skip the yummee.

Anyway go get 'em, I think the time is now. Hope everyone is having a great season!

Brad Genovese



## *Dick Tonk's Memorial Tournament Report by Jefe*

I fished this weekend with Chris Bailey, Jeff Tom, Pat Holmes and Dave Peter on my boat. We left Sat am and headed out to the A Bank where Hooked was finding some sleepers. We worked the area and listened to them hooking fish while nothing was happening for us. We went out to the area off Church Rock and found a tailer. Chris got a nice cast on it on 12# and it ate the bait. He fought it to a nice release in 15 minutes! It was a button fish for Chris as well as a great tournament fish for the points. A little while later we got a jig bite and Dave fought a nice Marlin to the boat for a good release in 25 min. on 30#. About an hour after this we spotted another tailer and Chris got 2 good casts on it but it

never ate. What a great first day tot he tournament. Sun am we headed back to the A Bank area and there were a ton of boats. We decided to leave and head back to our area off Church before the morning tide. What a mistake that turned out to be. Wild Bill ended up getting 4 Marlin on the A Bank area. We ended up running back over to the A Bank. Too little too late. Nothing for us. We ended the day at the 267 on the afternoon tide. Sunday was a blank. Super fun tournament with great guys as crew who really know what they are doing. We went 2-2-2 for the tournament and had a great time. Congratulations to Hooked and Wild Bill for putting up some great numbers!

## *MABT Tournament Report aboard Hooked*

MABT 2018 was a tough tournament for the DAC. Our communication was key and without it, our tournament would have been tougher. Jefe and A Reel Dream had bite after bite near the 267 on Thursday and Friday which had us second guessing our decision to start on the EE of Catalina. The move into their zone on Saturday after the morning tide was key and paid off off! Hooked releasing two fish within an hour of our arrival. Again, communication was key and thanks to Jefe and A Reel Dream for keeping us in the loop on the action.

6-2-2 for the Thursday, Friday and Saturday trip. 3-2-2 for the tournament itself.

Thursday pre-fishing 3-0-0 off the EE of Catalina. :(

Friday 1-1-0 on a tailer that ate a bait on 16#. We really should not have lost that fish...but did. >:(

Saturday we were 2-2-2 in a huge fleet of boats near the 267. One drop back on 16# and another jig bite on the stinger on 20#. Enjoy the fishing while it lasts.



# DAC 2018 Fish Log by Date As Of September 20, 2018

#	ANGLER	DATE	BOAT	CAPTAIN	SPECIES	WT	TACKLE	ET
65	Pete Flath	15-Sep	Reel Noyes	Eric Noyes	Tuna	25.06	Bait	20 lb
64	Geoff Hersch	15-Sep	Hooked	GJ Sacco	Marlin	R	Jig	20 lb
63	GJ Sacco	15-Sep	Hooked	Geoff Hersch	Marlin	R	Bait	16 lb
62	Mitchell Firestein	15-Sep	A Reel Dream	Martin Firestein	Marlin	R	Jig	30 lb
61	Pete Flath	14-Sep	Reel Noyes	Eric Noyes	Dolphin Fish	15.6	Bait	12 lb
60	Mitchell Firestein	14-Sep	A Reel Dream	Martin Firestein	Marlin	R	Jig	30 lb
59	Clark McNulty	14-Sep	GadZukes	Greg Zuccherro	Marlin	R	Jig	20 lb
58	Dave Peter	13-Sep	Jefe	Geoffrey Heldoorn	Marlin	R	Bait	16 lb
57	Jeff Tom	13-Sep	Jefe	Geoffrey Heldoorn	Marlin	R	Jig	20 lb
56	Jenny Armstrong	11-Sep	Lilly June	Jason Armstrong	Marlin	R	Jig	80 lb
55	Bobby Lee	10-Sep	GadZukes	Greg Zuccherro	Marlin	R	Jig	50 lb
54	Scott Kingsmill	9-Sep	Wild Bill	Bill Kingsmill	Marlin	R	Jig	50 lb
53	Dave Herrera	9-Sep	Wild Bill	Bill Kingsmill	Marlin	R	Bait	30 lb
52	Dave Herrera	9-Sep	Wild Bill	Bill Kingsmill	Marlin	R	Jig	50 lb
51	Dave Herrera	9-Sep	Wild Bill	Bill Kingsmill	Marlin	R	Jig	50 lb
50	Dave Peter	8-Sep	Jefe	Geoffrey Heldoorn	Marlin	R	Jig	30 lb
49	Chris Bailey	8-Sep	Jefe	Geoff Heldoorn	Marlin	R	Bait	12 lb
48	Cindy Prohaska	8-Sep	So Glassy	Jeff Prohaska	Marlin	R	Bait	30 lb
47	Geoff Hersch	8-Sep	Hooked	Jim Kingsmill	Marlin	R	Jig	30 lb
46	John Woods	8-Sep	Hooked	Jim Kingsmill	Marlin	R	Bait	30 lb
45	Geoff Hersch	7-Sep	Hooked	Jim Kingsmill	Marlin	R	Bait	30 lb
44	Sally Kurz	7-Sep	Royal Slam	Bob Kurz	Marlin	R	Jig	30 lb
43	Geoff Hersch	7-Sep	Hooked	Geoff Hersch	Marlin	R	Jig	30 lb
42	Evan Lamb	2-Sep	Jefe	Geoffrey Heldoorn	Marlin	R	Jig	50 lb
41	Steve Shearer	1-Sep	Sound Investment	Rich Palys	Marlin	R	Jig	50 lb
40	Kurt Pollard	21-Aug	Relentless	Gary Floyd	Marlin	R	Jig	30 lb
39	Mark Goudy	21-Aug	Tyee	Marc Levine	Marlin	R	Bait	30 lb
38	Keegan Hicks	21-Aug	Tyee	Marc Levine	Marlin	R	Jig	50 lb
37	Dave Herrera	21-Aug	Tyee	Marc Levine	Marlin	R	Jig	50 lb
36	Sally Kurz	19-Aug	Royal Slam	James Gowans	Marlin	R	Jig	30 lb
35	Kathy Pomo	19-Aug	Hot Spot	Rich Pomo	Dolphin Fish	9.1875	Jig	50 lb
34	Bob Kurz	19-Aug	Royal Slam	Bob Kurz	Marlin	R	Jig	30 lb
33	Zach Waters	19-Aug	Tunacious Too	Bob Waters	Dolphin Fish	10.13	Jig	20 lb

32	Bobby Lee	18-Aug	GadZukes	Greg Zuccherro	Marlin	R	Jig	50 lb
31	Taylor Kingsmill	18-Aug	Wild Bill	Bill Kingsmill	Dolphin Fish	6.7	Bait	20 lb
30	Wally Gordon	9-Aug	GadZukes	Greg Zuccherro	Marlin	R	Jig	50 lb
29	Paul Lepore*	5-Aug	Hooked	Geoff Hersch	Tuna	220*	Bait	130 lb
28	Alan Schlange	4-Aug	GadZukes	Greg Zuccherro	Marlin	R	Bait	30 lb
27	Dave Herrera	31-Jul	Tyee	Marc Levine	Marlin	R	Bait	30 lb
26	Geoff Hersch*	24-Jul	Hooked	Geoff Hersch	Dolphin Fish	R*	Bait	30 lb
25	Scott Kingsmill	13-Jul	Wild Bill	Jim Kingsmill	Tuna	206	Jig	80 lb
24	Zach Waters	13-Jul	Tunacious Too	Bob Waters	Dolphin Fish	6.38	Bait	16 lb
23	Dave Knecht	12-Jul	Hooked	Geoff Hersch	Tuna	214.4	Jig	130 lb
22	Jeff Tom	8-Jul	Jefe	Geoff Heldorn	Yellowtail	19.3	Bait	16 lb
21	Logan Tom	8-Jul	Jefe	Geoff Heldorn	Yellowtail	31.4	Bait	16 lb
20	Geoffrey Heldoorn	8-Jul	Jefe	Geoff Heldoorn	Yellowtail	28.1	Bait	12 lb
19	Chris Bailey	8-Jul	Jefe	Geoff Heldoorn	Yellowtail	26.25	Bait	16 lb
18	Geoff Heldoorn	16-Jun	Kingpin	Chris Bailey	Tuna	165.2	Jig	80 lb
17	Chris Bailey	5-May	Kingpin	Chris Bailey	Halibut	13.938	Bait	16 lb
16	Cooper Allen	28-Apr	Cliffhanger	Cliff Allen	Calico Bass	1.375	Jig	6 lb
15	Jim Kingsmill	25-Apr	Salta Verde	Jim Kingsmill	White Sea Bass	53.6	Bait	N/A
14	Taylor Kingsmill**	25-Apr	Salta Verde	Jim Kingsmill	White Sea Bass	67.3	Bait	N/A
13	Pat Holmes	22-Apr	Hawk	Pat Holmes	Yellowtail	23.3	Iron	50 lb
12	Jeffrey Tom	15-Apr	Kingpin	Chris Bailey	Yellowtail	22.3	Jig	N/A
11	Geoff Heldoorn	14-Apr	Jefe	Geoff Heldoorn	Halibut	24.4	Bait	50 lb
10	Geoff Heldoorn	14-Apr	Jefe	Geoff Heldoorn	Yellowtail	32.4	Iron	50 lb
9	Pat Holmes	10-Apr	Hawk	Pat Holmes	Yellowtail	29.4	Iron	50 lb
8	Geoffrey Heldoorn	10-Mar	Hawk	Pat Holmes	White Sea Bass	58	Bait	50 lb
7	Geoffrey Heldoorn	10-Mar	Hawk	Pat Holmes	White Sea Bass	31	Bait	50 lb
6	Geoffrey Heldoorn	10-Mar	Hawk	Pat Holmes	White Sea Bass	45	Bait	50 lb
5	Chris Bailey	25-Feb	Hawk	Pat Holmes	White Sea Bass	50.5	Bait	20 lb
4	Geoff Heldoorn	25-Feb	Hawk	Pat Holmes	White Sea Bass	49.4	Bait	50 lb
3	Chris Bailey	25-Feb	Hawk	Pat Holmes	White Sea Bass	45.7	Bait	20 lb
2	Geoff Heldoorn	27-Jan	Hawk	Pat Holmes	Yellowtail	32.48	Bait	30 lb
1	Chris Bailey	27-Jan	Hawk	Pat Holmes	Yellowtail	30.48	Iron	50 lb



### *Reminder!*

Spiny Lobster Season Opening is on September 20<sup>th</sup>! Don't forget to get your Report Card required for all persons taking Spiny Lobster. Make sure you report your harvest by April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2019



DAC 2018 Billfish Count by Boat (Member's Boats Only)				
BOAT	OWNER/CAPTAIN	MARLIN	SPEARFISH	SWORDFISH
Hooked	Geoff Hersch	6		
GadZukes	Greg Zucchero	5		
Jefe	Geoffrey Heldoorn	5		
Tyee	Marc Levine	4		
Wild Bill	Bill Kingsmill	4		
Royal Slam	Bob Kurz	3		
A Reel Dream	Martin Firestein	2		
Relentless	Gary Floyd	1		
Sound Investment	Rich Palys	1		
So Glassy	Jeff Prohaska	1		
Lilly June	Jason Armstrong	1		
DAC 2018 Billfish Count by Angler (Members on Member's Boats Only)				

We're at the end of the 2018 DAC Tournament Season, here are the Points Totals as of September 20th. With only (1) eligible DAC Tournaments remaining there are points available. Good Luck to all DAC Members!!

ANGLER	MARLIN	SPEARFISH	SWORDFISH
Dave Herrera	5		
Geoff Hersch	4		
Sally Kurz	2		
Dave Peter	2		
Mitchell Firestein	2		
Bob Kurz	1		
Mark Goudy	1		
Cindy Prohaska	1		
Chris Bailey	1		
Scott Kingsmill	1		
Jenny Armstrong	1		
Jeff Tom	1		

BOAT	FLAG	ART TX	ALL SPECIES	HALIBUT	SEABASS	3 B'S	YELLOWTAIL	SHARK	TUNA	CHERRY	DICK TONKS	DAC	TAABA POINTS
JEFE	5	5					12				3		25
KINGPIN	5	1		5		9							20
HAWK	10	3	1										14
WILD BILL						6					5		11
SALTA VERDE			8										8
HOOKED	5										1		6
TUNACIOUS TOO	5												5
CLIFFHANGER			3										3
ZOFTIG						2							2

ANGLER	ART TX	ALL SPECIES	HALIBUT	SEABASS	3 B'S	YELLOWTAIL	SHARK	TUNA	Cherry	Dick	DAC	OUTSTANDING ANGLER
Chris Bailey			5		1	3				3		12
Geoff Heldoorn	5					5						10
Jeff Tom	1				5	1						7
Taylor Kingsmill		5										5
Dave Herrera										5		5
Pat Holmes	3	1										4
Scott Kingsmill					3							3
Jim Kingsmill		3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Geoff Hersch			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
JR ANGLER												
Logan Tom					3	5						8
Cooper Allen		5										5
Kennedy Kingsmill					5							5

## *It's time to be Social!*

We will never say "Summer is Over" because it is eternal summer here in Southern California. That said, our super warm water temps have a limited time left so get out and fish!! Many billfish and pelagics are many being seen and caught locally. Fishing is THE BEST way of socializing so go out and give it your best shot. I don't know about you but every time I look at a photo, I can remember the day and details of that trip.

Students and teachers are back to work so the boat pressure always seems to diminish after Labor Day. September has always been an epic fishing month so do

Chuck Oltman  
Social Chairman

## *Merchandise Sale!!!*

We're blowing out the rest of our DAC Hoodie stock and now is the time to pick one up for only \$30!! Available in White, Grey, Navy and Black in sizes Medium through XXL.

We also have Ball Caps for \$15, Short Sleeve T-Shirts in White, Grey, Navy and Black - \$15 for medium, \$18 for Large and Extra Large and \$20 for XXL. Long Sleeves are available in the same colors and are \$35 each except for XXL which run \$38.

To purchase any merchandise, contact Dean at 949.361.8950 or [lhomedd@cox.net](mailto:lhomedd@cox.net)



## *2019 Yearbook Coming Soon*

Send us your Fish Pics with description, we need them for the DAC Yearbook!!

And we have advertising available at low rates. See details on Page 12.

If you want to fish, but need a ride or crew?? Use the DAC Website and OPEN a post on the CREW MEMBER LIST section. List the day and times you are fishing and the best way to contact you.





## 2018 DAC MARLIN TOURNAMENT

SATURDAY & SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 29TH & 30TH 2018

LINES IN: 5:00 A.M. SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2018

LINES OUT: 5:00 P.M. SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2018

### RULES:

BILLFISH ONLY (MARLIN, BROADBILL SWORDFISH, SPEARFISH, SAILFISH) ALL DAC AND IGFA ANGLING RULES APPLY.  
ALL WEIGH SLIPS MUST BE SUBMITTED VIA THE WEBSITE BY MIDNIGHT, OCTOBER 10, 2018

### SCORING:

ANGLER WITH THE MOST POINTS WINS!!!

MARLIN - SPEARFISH - SAILFISH

LINE CLASS	RELEASE POINTS	POINTS PER LB.
OPEN LINE CLASS	150	1.00

NO ADDITIONAL POINTS WILL BE GIVEN FOR USE OF LIGHTER LINE CLASS

### BROADBILL SWORDFISH

LINE CLASS	POINTS PER LB.
30#	4.0
50#	3.6
80#	3.2
100#	2.8

**FIRST TIE BREAKER:** TOTAL TIME ON FISH

**SECOND TIE BREAKER:** EARLIEST FISH FOR TOTAL POINTS

**CONTROL BOAT: "DAC TOURNAMENT CONTROL" CHANNEL 19**  
**PLEASE CALL IN ALL HOOK-UPS AND LANDINGS OR RELEASES.**

### AWARDS:

ADULTS: 1ST, 2ND, AND 3<sup>RD</sup> PLACE  
JUNIORS: 1ST, 2ND, AND 3RD PLACE

ADULT/JUNIOR GUESTS: 1ST PLACE ONLY  
\*ADULT GUESTS: \$10 ENTRY FEE  
\*JUNIOR GUESTS: NO ENTRY FEE

TOP BOAT WILL BE AWARDED



\*ALL GUESTS MUST BE PRE-REGISTERED PRIOR TO LINES IN AT 5:00 A.M. 09/29/2018 VIA THE "DAC TOURNAMENTS" MESSAGE BOARD ON THE WEBSITE AT [WWW.DANAANGLINGCLUB.ORG](http://WWW.DANAANGLINGCLUB.ORG) OR CALL A DAC BOARD MEMBER WITH THE GUESTS NAME, YOUR NAME, AND THE BOAT NAME AND IF THE GUESTS ARE ADULTS OR JUNIORS. MAIL \$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](http://WWW.DANAANGLINGCLUB.ORG)





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## **2019 YEARBOOK**

**It's time for the Dana Angling Club to produce its yearbook and we need your help!**  
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**Photos of the 2018 season**

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### **Advertising Opportunities**

The DAC Yearbook contains a lot of useful and current information including up-to-date club rules & regulations, fish records, awards, member contacts, boat services, angling and conservation news, etc. The yearbook hard-copy is distributed at the annual DAC Boat Show or by mail. Ads are also posted on the DAC Website ([danaanglingclub.org](http://danaanglingclub.org)) on various pages. All Advertisers get a Link to their Website!

### **Demographics**

95% of DAC members are boat owners

50% of DAC members participate in 50% of DAC Fishing Tournaments

75% of DAC members participate in at least one DAC Fishing Tournament

85% of DAC members have been members for more than 5 Years

70% of DAC members have been members for more than 10 Years

### **2019 RATES**

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