

# NEWSLETTER



NEXT  
MEETING  
TUESDAY  
3RD MAY  
7.30PM

## PRESIDENTS REPORT



This year has been quite busy it seems and 3 months has gone already. First of all we staged our Lifestyle Kids Fishing Day with everything going well except the weather on the day was a little hot, which made it a bit uncomfortable.



Next a Comp against the Southport RSL Club with not too many fish weighed in, but enough to beat them anyhow.



Lesley's catch

On the 3<sup>rd</sup> April we held our first Take a Kid Fishing Day and I was disappointed with the attendance of kids, but the response from our members was very good once again.

A lot of the club members and family are heading off to Iluka for a camping long weekend at the end of April, which is always a great opportunity to relax and share some time with each other. The weather should be good at this time of the year too.

Machinery Day will be the next event that we will need quite a bit of help with to run the Sausage Sizzle; this is our major fundraiser for the year so we are hoping to make it a success. The date is in the Club Calendar which is the 29<sup>th</sup> May at James Overell Park at Brighton Parade Southport, south of the Gold Coast Bridge. Help is required from 6:30am and we finish around 3pm. I look forward for your support once again.

I would like to welcome members who joined the club again this year with all the memberships now completed and if your details have changed over the last year could you please let us know. That is (telephone numbers, addresses, and emails as the newsletter is sent via email.) We have also obtained quite a few new members this year and we would like you to feel most welcome amongst our fellow members, and I urge

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them to assist you with any needs you may have regarding club matters.

New Members are Anthony Ward, Laurie Stone, Neal Lowe, Andrew Jones, Luke Hannaford, Colin Hannaford, Timothy Geide, Steffan Daly Booler, Lachlan Bretag, and Margaret Bretag.

We also wish Wayne Davis a speedy recovery from his operation and also from the virus he is also dealing with, hope to see you back soon Wayne.

Congratulations to Kelly Blount on receiving his life Memberships Badge.



Looking forward to an exciting next couple of months within the club.

Regards

Bernie



Aerial view of Iluka

## CAPTAINS REPORT



With Competition 6 we enjoyed the weather that we finally deserve, with clear skies and a breeze that died down as darkness fell.

The temperature was just right, with the beanie not quite needed just yet. The tide was running in at 7 pm and all was set for a good night..... but still, someone had forgotten to tell the fish that they also had a role to play in this competition. Most found it hard going, but there was definitely a few stand outs.

The first member's catch I would like to mention was his first time fishing with us, new member Laurie Stone that pulled in 9 Whiting, Cameron Richter also showed us how it was done with a 6 bream hall, Josh Day one of our juniors, had 2 nice healthy Bream and as usual both as fighting fit as if they had just been caught using his aerator. Thanks again Josh!! But the nights best effort went to one of the usual stars with Wayne Richter pulling in a 3.12Kg Slatey Bream.

Thank you to all that fished for a good night, there was 17 in this Comp.

Cheers

**Tod 0424 514519**

## Results

### Comp 7 on 09/04/11

Division	Member	Points
A Grade winner	Cameron Richter	41.8
A Grade runner up	Tod Levien	19.2
B Grade winner	Wayne Richter	46.8
B Grade runner up Laurie Stone	Laurie Stone	30.8
Ladies winner Lesley Edwards	Lesley Edwards	10.8
Ladies runner up no winner	no winner	
Sub Junior winner	Josh Day	15.4pts
Broadwater Park seafood winner	Bernie Gaven	

## COMPETITION & CALENDAR DATES

Iluka Trip	Fri 29th April—Mon 2nd May	The Anchorage Holiday Park
Safc Members Meeting	3rd May	Clubhouse 7.30pm
Competition 8	21st May	Midday—Midnight
Machinery Day	29th May	6.30am start to set up
Scouts overnight at clubhouse	6th—7th June	Volunteers needed
Pot Luck Dinner	25th June	6.30pm at Clubhouse

### SMALL BOAT OFF SHORE COMPETITIONS

For information please contact John Ford on 55376814 or 0414 295010.

## ILUKA TRIP

### The Anchorage Holiday Park

29th April — 2nd May

All monies to be finalised ASAP

Cheque: SAFC PO Box 587 Southport BC 4215

Or

NAB Account: BSB 084462 ACC NO 57262295

Note\* Please write your name and Iluka Trip as reference on payment

Any enquiries please contact Wayne on 0412 759003

Looking forward to a great weekend with over 20 members booked for our first visit to Iluka



## Take a Kid Fishing Day



## Wayne Richters catch Comp 6



## Peter Lyons Mangrove Jack Comp 5



## BEER BATTERED FISH

Serves 4

### Ingredients:

4 x fish fillets

Half a cup of flour seasoned with salt and pepper

One and a half cups of cold beer

Plain flour

10 ice cubes

Tartare sauce to serve

### Method:

Pour the beer into a bowl and gradually stir in the flour until the batter has the consistency of thick cream.

Add the ice cubes to keep cool . Use immediately.

Dust the fish in the flour and shake off excess, dip the fish into the batter and drain excess.

Deep fry until golden, drain and season with salt.

Serve with tartare sauce and lemon wedge.

### Tartare Sauce

1 cup mayonnaise

1 tablespoon sweet pickle relish

1 tablespoon minced onion

2 tablespoons lemon juice (optional)  
salt and pepper to taste

### Directions:

In a small bowl, mix together mayonnaise, sweet pickle relish, and minced onion. Stir in lemon juice. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Refrigerate for at least 1 hour before serving.

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NOTE: Ballina Trip dates are now amended to—  
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