



**CAPTURE POINTS FOR MONTH**

Shellharbour	50
Ulladulla	10

**TAG & RELEASE POINTS FOR MONTH**

“Mr Hooker”	Bermagui	57,000	5
“Dadsboat”	Shoalhaven	56,000	4
“Karizma”	Kiama	40,000	3
“Tonlu 2”	Jervis Bay	22,000	2
“Pro-Fish-Ent”	Kiama	20,000	.5
“Sea Lion”	Merimbula	20,000	.5

**PROGRESSIVE CAPTURE POINTS 2010-2011**

Shellharbour	101
Shoalhaven	87
Jervis Bay	60
Ulladulla	40
Batemans Bay	38
Bermagui	15
Merimbula	10
Kiama	9
Eden	5
Canberra	5

**PROGRESSIVE TAG & RELEASE POINTS 2010-2011**

Bermagui	24
Kiama	21.5
Batemans Bay	19
Shoalhaven	12.5
Canberra	9
Merimbula	6.5
Shellharbour	6
Jervis Bay	5.5
Eden	4

It was great to see a full team from Shellharbour and a composite from Kiama, Jervis Bay, Shoalhaven and Ulladulla at the NSWGFA Interclub. That's nine boats in all and the most we have had up there in a long time. Thank you for all making the trip and it was great to hear a number of you getting fish when reporting in on the radio skeds.

The midweek Billfish Challenge was not well attended with only twenty-seven boats but they did manage to tag 87 Marlin. Ladies Day was also small this year with thirteen of the eighteen boats catching eighteen Marlin. The winner tagged four and this was her first time Marlin fishing! Do you think some of the guys were a tad jealous? Numbers were low in both these events because a lot of anglers are now returning to work in the week between the Interclub weekends.

The first weekend the weather was perfect but the second proved too much for many of the fleet. A number of boats headed back to Sydney and further south early, taking advantage of the northerly winds which were due to change to southerly on Monday. It was, again, a great tournament and although boat numbers were down angler numbers were up with a lot of boats taking more people. I guess it is a sign of the economic times.

Broken Bay GFC took out Champion Club Capture. Once again Newcastle & Port Stephens took out Champion Club Tag & Release. Mind you with fifty boats fishing they should have some advantage.

Unfortunately not a lot of fish for our Southern Zone Interclub but we did get twenty boats entered which was a pleasant change. We had Kiama, Jervis Bay, Ulladulla, Batemans Bay, Bermagui, Eden and Canberra represented. Opportunatee, Inxs and Mayhem all tagged Marlin out of Ulladulla and Batemans Bay. Apparently the water was pretty bad down Bermagui way and it was very quiet fish wise which is quite unusual. Because of the time limits imposed there were a few fish that did not qualify which is a shame but the rules are the rules!

For those interested, my appointment as IGFA representative for Australia has been confirmed.

I look forward to hearing about Wally's expedition to the AIBT in Exmouth, WA and will pass that on. This is his second year over there so it must be good!

Stay safe and enjoy you fishing.  
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