

# Southern Zone

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## COCK O' THE WALK RESULTS ..... FEBRUARY 2016

### CAPTURES : HEAVIEST

SPECIES	WHT	LINE	S/J	ANGLER	BOAT	CLUB	PTS
<b>MARLIN</b>							
Striped	130.8	15	S/M	Kaine Clark	Profishent	Kiama	5
Black	113.0	37	S/M	Grant Crukshank	Jedi	Merimbula	4
Blue	107.5	24	S/M	John Acker	Shark Attack	Shellharbour	3
<b>SHARK</b>							
Mako	179.5	15	S/M	Jarrold Clarkson	Tailwalker	Shellharbour	5
<b>TUNA</b>							
<b>OGF</b>							
Mahi Mahi	20.1	8	S/M	Brian Jones	Reckless	Shellharbour	5
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### CAPTURES : MOST MERITORIOUS

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**CAPTURE POINTS FOR MONTH**

Shellharbour	35
Kiama	10
Merimbula	7

**TAG & RELEASE POINTS FOR MONTH**

Profishent	Kiama	183500	5
Side Effect	Ulladulla	128000	4
Entourage	Ulladulla	103000	3
Hardaraddit	Bermagui	96000	2
Blu Alibi	Ulladulla	80000	1
Teaser	Ulladulla	63000	
Team Shimano	Ulladulla	52750	
X-Factor	Jervis Bay	44500	
Polaris	Eden	40000	
Mc 1	Shellharbour	37500	
Dadsboat	Shoalhaven	27525	
Anticipation	Shellharbour	23000	
Flying Dutchman	Eden	23000	
On Site	Batemans Bay	20000	
Krakatinni	Canberra	20000	
Reckless	Shellharbour	18500	
Marlin Feeder	Jervis Bay	18500	
Off Tap	Jervis Bay	11500	
Provoked	Shellharbour	10000	
Striker	Shellharbour	10000	
Dorado	Batemans Bay	10000	
Aqua Adiction	Canberra	10000	
Sea Tiger	Canberra	10000	
Chips & Dip	Canberra	10000	
Hustler	Canberra	10000	
Tuna Terror	Bermagui	10000	
Game Chaser	Bermagui	10000	
Jiggy Jig	Bermagui	10000	
Adrenalin	Bermagui	10000	
Spooky 2	Merimbula	10000	
Opportunatee	Batemans Bay	8500	

**CAPTURE POINTS 2015-16**

Shellharbour	71
Merimbula	35
Canberra	32
Jervis Bay	28
Kiama	20
Eden	10
Bateman Bay	8

**PROGRESSIVE TAG & RELEASE POINTS 2015-16**

Ulladulla	18
Shellharbour	15
Shoalhaven	9
Jervis Bay	8.75
Bermagui	7
Canberra	6.25
Batemans Bay	6
Eden	6
Kiama	5
Merimbula	4
Bermagui	2

My thanks to the eight Southern Zone boats who competed at the NSWGFA Interclub State Championships. They were Warlord, Empty Pockets, Tailwalker and On Line from Shellharbour, X-Factor from Jervis Bay, Entourage and Side Effect from Ulladulla and Polaris from Eden. Congratulations to those anglers, boats and teams who took out various categories. It was a fantastic effort from everyone and they represented our Zone brilliantly. It would be great to see more of our boats fishing this event as we have proved that we can take on the others big time.

It was a good tournament with 102 boats and over 500 anglers. It seems the trend these days for bigger boats means that the number of people on board has increased. The bottom line for all tournaments is not how many boats are entered but how many anglers have entered.

Thankfully we had four good days weatherwise with quite a perfect last weekend. The fish were not as plentiful although there was a definite run of small Blue Marlin. We also had Yellowfin, Mahi Mahi, Short Billed Spearfish and various sharks weighed. Ladies Day, the Lyndy Grieves Memorial Day, was a blast with 30 boats fishing and we also had a small midweek tournament for Mahi Mahi with the heaviest being 17kg. There was also a special day for "Soldier On" where we supplied around 15 boats and put on a barbeque for the returned service personnel who attended. This has become an annual event which NSWGFA is proud to support.

Eden and Shoalhaven have their tournaments this coming weekend weather permitting and then in April we have the Kiama Blowhole Tournament. If you can attend any of these events I know it would be appreciated.

Stay safe and enjoy our fishing.  
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