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MSC Newsletter May 2007

Meets the First Thursday Monthly
at Jewish Congregation of Marco
Winterberry & Peru

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President's Message:

April was an action packed month. The meeting with Gina Russo from the State of Florida was very interesting and informative. She helped us to realize how complex it can be to raise and turn loose redfish. Then we had our 1st membership drive booth at Walker's 25th anniversary open house. Finally, our bus trip to the Pursuit Factory in Fort Pierce. The people at Pursuit could not have been more hospitable and helpful when it came to questions on their production line. I would like to thank Jim Walker for giving us the invitation to do it.

A special thanks goes out to Felix of Felix Marine for donating a 20' detail job for our 50/50-raffle. That's a prize worth \$200!

At our meeting Gina gave fin clipping kits to us so we can get fin samples of the reds we catch and send them to her so she can get feedback from her work. I will gladly keep everyone's clipping and insure they get to the proper person until we are informed of the official drop stations. Just call me at 239-821-7499 and we will arrange to meet. It is important that we do our part in this redfish restoration project as we are a force of 233 people who fish and support the recreational fishing program in Florida. All of us want to see it get better. **DON'T FORGET TO CLIP THE FIN.** Should anyone need information on how to do it or need a kit, please call me and I will get you one.

It's kingfish time! I understand May 8th

is the day for the King tournament. Get your crew together and sign up. Early information can be obtained from Seaweed or Frank Sroka. Their phone numbers are on the cover. There will also be a registration table at the general meeting. Don't be a lump, fish the hump!

Word has it that there will be two more tournaments this year. A shark and our 2nd annual "SOMETHING FISHY". So start planning now. Work will begin at the end of April for the Something Fishy tourney.

We need committee members for the tournament. People to help out on land with food and people to help get sponsors. **LET'S ALL WORK TOGETHER TO MAKE THIS TOURNAMENT A BIG SUCCESS!** Contact Seaweed if you would like to help in any capacity.

We started a new thing last month at our meeting. We had an after-meeting BS session before the meeting and it worked well. So we will open the doors at 6.00 PM for those who want to talk fishin', be it Gulf or Backwater. Bring your charts and lets help each other.

We have another new idea. Let's get together for a charter, either backwater or gulf. If interested, please contact me, Pete, by email or phone and I will arrange for it. We need 2 people for backwater and 4 for gulf—so come on, lets go fishing! [Continued on next page]

May's meeting will provide information on the proper way to vent fish, this important for all you deep water fishermen.

Remember clip the *fin* of a redfish not your *finger!* See ya' around the dock, Peter Arcidiacono

MSC Upcoming Events

The MSC website is www.marcosportfishingclub.com		
THIS MONTH - May		
Regular Monthly Meeting Kingfish strategy session starts @ 6pm	Thu May 3	Meeting Starts @ 7pm
KING MACKERAL TOURNAMENT	Tue May 8	Frank Sroka
The monthly board meeting will be held @ 5/3 Bank	Mon May 14	Starts @ 9.30
Coed Lunch @ TBA	After Board mtg	Mike Levine
Picnic @ Sarazen Park	Thu May 24	Dave Walsh
Gulf fishing	Thu May 17	Al Musico
Backwater fishing	Wed May 16	Tom Johnson
NEXT MONTH - June		
Regular Monthly Meeting	Thu Jun 7	Starts 7.00
The monthly board meeting @ 5/3 Bank 9.30 am	Mon Jun 11	
Lunch - to be announced	After board mtg	Mike Levine
Picnic	TBA	Dave Walsh
Gulf fishing NIGHT FISHING	Thu Jun 28	Al Musico
FISH ANYWHERE DAY	Wed Jun 13	Tom Johnson

FISH OF THE MONTH

The \$25 Fish of the Month in May is Red Grouper
The \$25 Fish of the Month in June is Snapper

The longest Fish of the Month wins.
In the event of a tie, the first F.O.M called in wins.

Catcher's Catches



Bob Kirk has a happy fisherman's smile catching 2 redfish. The 19 incher shown.



Al Musico with 44" 20 lb King @ D Tower. He and Dan Treinkman caught 2 and broke off several. Made for a good day.



Bud Schaefer with one of two snook in the river at Addison Bay. Makes you want to cry.



Nice 19" red caught on backwater trip aboard Knot-head, Pete A's boat



More from D Tower by the Musico/Treinkman team

It's Italian Coed Lunch
Noon Monday May 14th

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Gino's Olde Marco Trattoria

1095 Bald Eagle Drive [389-4368]

Choice of

- 1] **BAKE ZITI**
- 2] **RIGATONI AL FORNO**
pesto, cream and parmesan

Entrees include salad, Italian bread,
freshly brewed iced tea or coffee

\$12.50 includes T&T

Let's show our support for Marco Island Merchants. Thank you

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Members's Name & Phone #

Selection

- [] Baked Ziti
- [] Rigatoni

attending [] @ \$12.50 each = \$_____ enclosed

Make check payable to MSC

Mail to: Michael Levine, 331 Capistrano Ct Marco 34145

Contact: 389-0990

RSVP BY May 9th - please

Fried Chicken Picnic

at

Sarazen Park

Thursday May 24th

Gather around noon ~ setup around 11:30

\$5 per person **\$10** per couple

Southern style fried chicken, beans, salad and more
2 flavors of beer ~ 3 flavors of wine [Optional @ extra cost.]
Remember to bring your own water or pop.

There should be enough chickee hut seating this time of
year. But, if you have chairs, bring them just in case.

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Reservations for May 24th Picnic

MEMBERS NAME & PHONE #

Beer [] # wine [] Donation \$3 each, 2 for \$5

attending [] @ \$5 each = \$_____

Liquor donation \$_____

Total Enclosed \$_____

Make check payable to MSC

Mail to David Walsh, 1530 Caxambas Ct, Marco 34145

RSVP BY May 21, PLEASE