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President's Message:

It's mid year already! But the best is yet to come. Fishing has picked up so much that even I am catching fish. Now you know that's good fishing!

Our pre-meeting chat session has really caught on. During the June meeting Frank Renkel had everyone's attention while explaining the successful ways of snapper fishing. That will be very useful for the "NITE BITE" coming in the end of June. I understand we have quite a few boats and anglers signed up. If you haven't signed up yet, just call Al Musico and get on board.

Speaking of the chat session, this coming month Al Musico will be prepping those of us getting ready for the "SHARK-O-RAMA" on July 19th. Please remember the chat session is for anyone who wants to show up early and just "BS" about any type of fishing. This way no one stays late after the meeting and have it cut into fishtails.

We had our first committee meeting for "SOMETHING FISHY 2". Things are shaping up. Registration has started. It is time to find a captain and boat, if needed, or get an angler. If you want to fish this big event, use email to find a partner or a boat. There will be lots of information at the July chat session.

I will tell you a little about the tournament. It will be a team event. Hopefully with at least 10 boats per side. The teams will be picked randomly at the captain's meeting before the tournament. This will give ALL participants, regardless of skill, an equal chance to bring home the gold. The entry fee is \$50.00 per angler. There will be a full disclosure of how the money will be used at the July meeting. 100% will be given back to the participants in prizes and food. This is our signature event. **DON'T MISS IT! FISH!** All members and guests will have an opportunity to attend the awards ceremony. That information will be forthcoming.

Interested in a fishing charter? Let me know and I will help to organize it. I believe we should use our local professional guides periodically; they will help us improve our fishing skills. Just last week Jim Mueller and I took a backwater trip. We went way down by the Broad River and caught a lot of big snook. We both felt it was worth the cost of a guide.

Let's keep the pictures coming in and show off our catch.

So grab your shrimp and let's go fishing See ya' at happy hr, Peter Arcidiacono

PS. Please send any comments regarding the proposed dues increase to me. I would like to know how members feel about it.

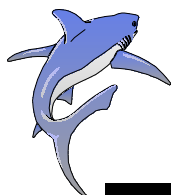
THE NEW DUES PLAN

1. Annual dues will be \$40.00 per family. For example, when I pay the \$40 it will include my wife as a full member, name tag and all.
2. There will be a \$10.00 **discount** off the \$40 if you opt to receive the newsletter electronically, by email only, instead of receiving a printed copy.
3. And finally, new members pay all the above for their first year plus a \$10 "setup" fee.

MSC Upcoming Events

The MSC website is www.marcosportfishingclub.com		
THIS MONTH - JULY		
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING Chat Session Starts @ 6 - Business Meeting Starts @ 7		Thu July 5
The monthly board meeting will be held @ 5/3 Bank	Mon July 9	Starts @ 9.30
There will be no club luncheon from this month thru September		
Picnic @ Residents Beach ADMISSION RULES APPLY You must be a member or be with a member. BRING YOUR OWN EVERYTHING	Wed July 25	No sign-up Just show up
Gulf fishing for SHARK	Thu Jul 19	Al Musico
Backwater fishing	Tue Jul 10	Tom Johnson
NEXT MONTH - AUGUST		
REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING Fish Talk Session Starts @ 6 Business Meeting Starts @ 7		Thu August 2
The monthly board meeting @ 5/3 Bank 9.30 am	Mon Aug 13	
There will be no club luncheons from this month thru September		
Picnic - Volunteers are needed to help with this bring-your-own-everything event. Contact Peter A.	Wed Aug 22	Ur name can go here.
Gulf fishing	Thu Aug 16	Al Musico
Backwater fishing	Thu Aug 9	Tom Johnson
SPECIAL FISHING DAY SIGN-UP AT REGULAR BUSINESS MEETING	Saturday August 11	Peter A.

FISH OF THE MONTH



The \$25 Fish of the Month in JULY IS PERMIT
The \$25 Fish of the Month in AUGUST is SHARK
The longest Fish of the Month wins.
In the event of a tie, the first F.O.M called in wins.

ODDS 'N' ENDS

FOR SALE: 24' Cobia Center Console 2002

225 hp Yamaha 4 stroke, 200 hours, 2 year transferable motor warranty. Custom over-sized T-top. 5 rod holders T Top mounted. Garmin 2006C Color Chart Plotter/fish finder. Radio, air rated live well, porta pot, hydraulic steering, power winch, anchor swivels, captain chairs, 2 fish boxes, cooler chair, duel battery charging system, batteries less than 6 months old.

ASKING \$49,900. Reasonable offers accepted.
Call 821-0369

CLUB LOGOIZED HATS are on sale at all club meetings. Logos can be embroidered on your club shirt by Paula's Place 642-6064. See Frank Sroka

WANTED: Old or broken fishing reels. Do not throw them out. Call Pete A @ 239-821-7499. He will pick them up. [Ed Note: Pete is a parts scavenger]

NAME TAG WARNING: Wear your name to meetings or pay a buck. No excuses.

FREE VESSEL SAFETY CHECK

Call Andrea Battaglia 642-5721

GUEST SPEAKERS - We are always looking for interesting and informative guest speakers for our monthly meetings. Give your suggestion to Seaweed 821-0369

SEA TOW -Introductory membership or renewal \$129. Contact Seaweed for details.

BOAT U.S. - 50% discount on Membership. The MSC group number is **GA82512B**. Contact Peter Arcidiacono.

PHOTOS: Put your fish fotos in the *MSC Newsletter and website*. Send to Art Segal, Perry London or webmaster.

RODS/REELS REPAIRED by club members Pete Arcidiacono 394-1136 and Nate Broder 394-2394

EDITORS NOTE: For Sale items are printed for one month only. They are not automatically reprinted. We would be happy to run yours again. Just email your request to asegal1519@cs.com.

THE CLUB WEBSITE URL IS:

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FISH MAY BE GOOD BUT STEAK IS BETTER

Catcher's Catches



This 34" permit was one of 33 caught by John Cavanagh ... Topping his record



18" throwback Goliath grouper caught by Jack French in Noname Bay.

There is room for your fish foto here.

Email to Asegal1519@cs.com



Jack's black had to go back.



Barry French exhibits his 21" red



Bill's red was 25" and over 7 pounds.