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MSC Newsletter December 2012

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December 2012

President's Message by Peter Arcidiacono 821-7499

HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO ALL! Well here it is the last month of 2012, boy did this year go fast!

December will be action packed with some fun events. Our Xmas/Holiday Party is shaping up nicely. Remember the deadline to sign up is December 10; so if you haven't yet, please act now.

I understand that a bunch of us are going to the December 1st Marco tree lighting ceremony. We will get our trucks there early so we can park together and have a big tailgate party. We will be marching and have a float in the Christmas Parade on December 15th. Jim Walker, of Walkers Marine, is lending us a boat and we will decorate it before the march. Come and join in! Information on this will be at meeting.

2013 is just around the corner and will start off with a big bang. Time to get prepared for the famous Sheepshead Tournament and Deal or No Deal. These events will be bigger than ever! I will present slate of candidates for 2013 Board of Directors positions at December meeting.

I would like to wish all of you a wonderful Holiday Season.

THE CHRISTMAS PARTY DEADLINE FOR SIGN UP IS DECEMBER 10TH, FIRM.

Remember: No matter how cold it gets here it still won't snow. So keep fishing!

PS ROADTRIP, DECEMBER'S GENERAL MEEETING WILL BE HELD AT ROOKERY BAY REGULAR DAY START AT 6PM TO SEE EXHIBITS.

See ya' at the bait shop, Pete A



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Kayak Outing Rookery Bay; 11-13-2012

With many MSC members returning to Florida, we had eight kayakers setting out into Rookery Bay. It was a picture perfect day and a variety of fish were caught; Redfish, Snook, Snappers, Jacks and the usual trash fish. Unfortunately, no keepers .



Bill Welter, a newbie to Hobie Kayaks had an opportunity to try one out and was favorably impressed with the pedal drives that quickly propel the kayak . Additionally the system allows the fisherman to fish unimpeded by not having to constantly deal with a paddle.

We followed the canoe trail and fished along its course. There were several tight channels that we traversed and with a strong incoming tide, several areas required quick and precise maneuvering. Here is photo of John Baker in his kayak.



Unfortunately, Jim Picone lost his hat and a spare rod which got caught in one of the mangroves.

We ended the day with a late lunch and beers at the Capri Fish House. A fun day was had by all; well, maybe not so much for Jim!



Sign up for Kayak Fishing

The next kayak fishing event will be held on 12/11/2012 and we will set out into McIlvane Bay. Contact Vic Ordija vicord1@comcast.net

MSC Master Angler Award

The Master Angler Award acknowledges proficiency in catching multiple species over a multiple period of years. One point is awarded each time a member finishes the month with the winning entry for the FOM contest, or finishes the year with the leading entry for a particular species on the Leader Board. A total of 10 points will qualify the member for this special award. Points are tabulated at the end of each calendar year. The limit of this contest is 5 years.

Morgan Stanley Triple Crown Tournament by Vic Ordija

The three month long contest ended November 15, 2012! The Triple Crown was a challenging tournament that tested the skills of our best backwater fishermen. The contest targeted three fall fish species.

The top three fishermen will receive a cash prize and the winner will have his name engraved on an individual name plate attached to a substantial trophy or plaque sponsored by the firm of **Morgan Stanley**. Each year the trophy/plaque shall be passed on by the prior year's winner to the new Triple Crown winner.

This year the rules were changed somewhat so as to allow for more participation by easing the restrictions placed on the size of fish that are caught. Also in order to make the tournament more competitive, initially all entrants were deemed to have caught a small fish from all three fish species. As the tournament progressed and as fish that were caught and reported, a standings table based on a new and simplified point system was maintained to show the relative position of all anglers that are participating in the:

Morgan Stanley Triple Crown Tournament; Final Results

The final results are in and **Ed Brown** moved into first place edging out **Dan Grahl** by one point. Ed caught a nice 30.5" Snook on Nov. 14, 2012 which gave him a total of 185 points. Nice going Ed. Ed took home winnings of \$150

Dan Grahl moves to second place with 184 points followed by **Tim Hamilton** in third place with 173.5 points. Dan and Tim took home winnings of \$100 and \$85 respectively.

Both Dan and Tim caught the two largest Redfish in the contest; 40" and 35" respectively.

All three anglers will receive cash prizes which will be awarded at the December 6, 2012 general meeting. Additionally Ed will have his name engraved on an individual name

plate attached to the Morgan Stanley Perpetual Triple Crown Trophy and he will receive a small replica of the large trophy plaque.

Fourth place went to Bobbie Ordija with 173 points. She caught the second largest Tarpon (73") in the contest and the only woman to have caught a Tarpon. The largest Tarpon was caught by John Baker at 73.5" which helped place John into sixth place. Al Jennings placed fifth with 164 points which rounded out the top five positions.

The Morgan Stanley Triple Crown is a long and challenging tournament requiring a significant effort by all participants. Congratulations to all the anglers.

MS Triple Crown Standings Table							
Angler's Name	Redfish		Snook		Tarpon		Points
	Size	Date Caught	Size	Date Caught	Size	Date Caught	
Ed Brown	28.5	10/07/12	30.5	11/14/12	67	08/15/12	185
Dan Grahl	40	09/30/12	27	09/01/12	50	10/06/12	184
Tim Hamilton	35	10/05/12	30.5	09/29/12	42.5	10/26/12	173.5
Bobbie Ordija	25.5	09/20/12	24.5	11/14/12	73	09/04/12	173
Al Jennings	26	10/06/12	28	10/09/12	56	10/09/12	164
John Baker	23.5	09/18/12	19	09/19/12	73.5	09/05/12	158.5
Ron Shudes	29	11/01/12	32	09/25/12	30		152
Michael Ludwig	25	09/15/12	33	10/09/12	30		146
Vic Ordija	28	10/01/12	29	10/10/12	30		144
Paul Milici	24.5	09/14/12	32	09/25/12	30		143
Dick Larson	20	10/03/12	15		72	09/20/12	142
Pete Arcidiacono	24	09/26/12	29.5	10/31/12	30		137
Ed Vesely	23	09/08/12	27	08/18/12	30		130
Allan Bristow	26	10/31/12	24	09/24/12	30		130
Steve Macko	26	10/30/12	23	10/09/12	30		128
Barry French	26.5	11/11/12	20.5	09/20/12	30		124
Joe Chalker	21.5	10/23/12	19	10/31/12	30		111
Howard Laskau	24	10/07/12	15		30		108
Tony Saputo	23	10/31/12	16	09/09/12	30		108
Newt Weiss	23	09/26/12	15		30		106
Jim Mueller	22.5	09/26/12	15		30		105
Bruce Robertson	22	10/23/12	15		30		104
Kathleen Chalker	20	10/31/12	16	10/31/12	30		102
Keith Wohltman	20	09/09/12	15		30		100
Rich Massa	18.5	10/31/12	15		30		97
Ralph Crowell	15		15		30		90
Jerry DeLaurentis	15		15		30		90

Jeff Erickson	15		15		30		90
Dan Flynn	15		15		30		90
Mike Kropp	15		15		30		90
Ron Linn	15		15		30		90
Ed McCarthy	15		15		30		90
Bill McIntosh	15		15		30		90
Roger Marx	15		15		30		90
Carol Massa	15		15		30		90
Guy Riordan	15		15		30		90
Roger Shudes	15		15		30		90
Harry Wilson	15		15		30		90

DECEMBER EVENTS

Tree Lighting Ceremony MSC Gathering Tailgating with Pete.	Dec 1	Veterans Park
MSC General Meeting 6PM Special Meeting Location! Rookery Bay Personnel to give talk. Meeting starts at 6PM	Dec 6	Meeting is at Rookery Bay! Off North 951 6PM
Boat Parade on Marco Waterways	Dec 8	Snook Inn
Fish and Dine Dine at Old Marco Lodge	Dec 8	
Offshore Fishing: Flex Fish Captains Meeting	Dec 10	TBA
MSC Board meeting 9:30 AM Doors open at 9:15	Dec 10	5th\3rd Bank
Kayak Event. Contact Victor Ordija	Dec 11	Location TBA
Buddy Fishing- Contact Joe Perino ASAP rivpress@aol.com for details. Possible Drinks and Dinner at 6pm.	Dec 11	Location TBA
Offshore Fishing: Flex Fish	Dec 13	
Marco Christmas Parade- MSC to participate	Dec 15	
Christmas/Holiday Party See flyer below	Dec 17	
Fish of Month	Dec	Snapper

JANUARY 2013 EVENTS

MSC General Meeting 7PM Topic is on winter Fishing. Likely by a local guide.	Jan 3	Rose History Auditorium at Marco Museum
Buddy Fishing. TBA by Joe Perino	Jan 8	
Kayak Trip. TBA Vic Ordija	Jan 10	
MSC Board meeting 9:30 AM Doors open at 9:15	Jan 14	5th\3rd Bank
Monthly Picnic. TBA	Jan 16	Sarazan Park
Offshore Fishing. Pompano Passion. Not a tournament. More info Next Month. Event leaders: Tony Saputo and Keith Wohltman)	Jan 24	Offshore
Fish of Month		Pompano

Buddy List Outing by Joe Perino

An outing is planned for **Tuesday, December 11, 2012**. It will be a pied piper trip. Where we go will depend on weather and fishing reports and will be decided several days before the trip. We will keep in touch on **channel 78**. The trip will be an **inshore event**.

In the evening, we will meet with our wives/significant others for **cocktails at 6 PM and dinner at 7 PM** at a restaurant **TBA**.

Please sign up ASAP so that they can make boat assignments. **Also, let Joe know if you will be attending cocktails and dinner.**

As always, all club members are invited and encouraged to participate.
Joe Perino @ rivpress@aol.com

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HOLIDAY PARTY

Monday, December 17th
5:30 PM to 8:30 PM

Bistro Soleil Restaurant
100 Palm Street
Marco Island, FL 34145

Reserve your spot now
\$35 per person includes dinner and a drink

Please send checks to:
Pete Arcidiacono

1243 Treasure Court
Marco Island, FL 34145

Make checks payable to Marco Sportfishing Club
Please don't delay – send your payment as soon as possible
Deadline: December 1

MSC Member _____

Spouse/Guest: _____

Amount Enclosed: _____



WAIVER, RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION

The undersigned acknowledges that sportfishing has inherent risks for anyone, including, but not limited to: Drowning; injuries from equipment, inclement and inhospitable weather conditions, fish and malfunctioning vessels; and unavailability of immediate or prompt medical attention.

In consideration of being permitted to participate in the activities of Marco Sportfishing Club for any purpose including, but not limited to, observation, use of facilities (whether owned, leased or simply utilized by Marco Sportfishing Club, hereinafter referred to as the "premises") or equipment, or participation in any way, including participation in any off-site programs, the undersigned, for himself or herself, his or her minor children, his or her immediate family members, and any personal representatives, heirs and next of kin (hereinafter referred to as "releasor"), hereby acknowledges, agrees and represents that they:

1. Release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue Marco Sportfishing Club, its directors, officers, club members (solely as to negligent acts and/or omissions as pertaining to club members) and any employees and agents (hereinafter referred to as "releasee") from all liability to the releasor for any loss of damage, and any claim or demand therefore on account of injury to the releasor's person or property or resulting in death of the undersigned whether caused by the negligence of the releasee or otherwise while the undersigned is in, upon or about the releasee's premises, or participation in any off-site programs or any facilities or equipment;

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The releasor further gives permission to Marco Sportfishing Club to use, without limitation or obligation, photographs, film footage or tape recordings that may include releasor's images or voices for purposes of promoting Marco Sportfishing Club.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THE ABOVE WAIVER, RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION AND UNDERSTAND ITS PROVISIONS.

Signature

Print name

Date: _____

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