# **MSC Tackle Box**

www.marcosportfishingclub.com Keith Wohltman - President

Dedicated to Safe Fishing in and Around Marco Island



### President's Message for June 2020



Tackle Box – June 2020

June... As we begin the month of June some things have improved for our club and some have not. Our June meeting scheduled for June 4<sup>th</sup> is cancelled as is the highly anticipated "Steak Picnic". The beaches and boat ramps are open and that has created another set of concerns. Many of the East Coast boat ramps are closed or have reached their capacity early, and frustrated boaters make the trip across the state to inundate or local ramps. Captain Pete A. messaged me on Saturday of Memorial Weekend that Caxambas was out of shrimp

early, and the ramp was closed. The lot was so full you could not enter. Cars and vehicles with trailers were parked all over Collier Blvd. This means our over-fished waters are even more crowded now than during season.

These "Non-Local Boaters" have extraordinarily little knowledge of our waterways. Many run aground, or damage shallow water ecosystems. Some are just idiots. For example, the father and daughter that Vic and Bobbie Ordija had to rescue when the kayakers overturned due to the wake of a large boat. The father was not wearing a life jacket and nearly drowned. The rescue put Vic and Bobbie in danger, not only from the rescue act, but exposing them to two strangers who might be carrying covid-19. What was more telling about these people was that they never even thought to thank Vic or Bobbie for their rescue.

We are at the start of the rainy season and our "Lizard Slam" event was impacted by the wet weather on the scheduled fishing day. Most of the anglers in that event fished on the Alternate Fishing Day. Be sure to read the event report in this edition. May also saw the creation of a new fishing event – The "May Month-Long Fishing Event". Yeah, we need a better name. However, 63 anglers signed-up for the event and all had fun time out on the water. It sure beat sitting in the house. Check out the event report in this edition.

On a brighter note, the Marco Sportfishing Club Board approved a donation of \$1,000 to the "Our Daily Bread" food pantry last month. In addition to the funds from the club, many members sent in personal donations, and we were able to generate close to \$4,000 in total. The food pantry was thankful for the generosity from the Club and its members.

June is the start of the "Hurricane Season". I know... like we needed another thing to worry about. Preparations for severe weather should commence now, while no storms are in the immediate forecast. Please take the time to get both your home and boat secured. Prepare an action plan in the event of a storm, including stockpiling essential survival supplies. Do this now! You all remember the shelves at the supermarkets at the end of March... can you imagine what they will be like when a storm threatens our area?

Stay safe and healthy.

June's Fishing Quote: "The fun of fishing is catching 'em, not killing 'em."

Norman Schwarzkopf

Tight Lines! Keith

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# **LEADER BOARD Updates as of May**

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# Fish of the Month (FOM) as of May

Get FOM updates using the link below. Link to Fish of the Month



# Offshore Update – June 2020

First, what's happening offshore - The permit and cobia have moved in and are abundant in our local waters. The snapper spawn is on and this tends to make them very "cooperative" especially around the full moon – set up over structure or ledges where you are marking fishing and chum heavy. The red grouper are moving to shallower water this time of year...of course they are not nearly as close as they were 10 years ago so we must adapt to this new normal, I say "100 feet is the new 65". Get out there and have some fun...and be safe.

Second, a quick update on offshore fishing events - The plan for this year was for 3 events, the April Super Grouper / Snapper event was cancelled due to the virus. Conditions permitting, I am planning to schedule two more events this year. My thoughts right now are a multi species tournament mid-summer and Super Grouper / Snapper at year end. Feedback is appreciated.

Third, the website - With the great support of Ed Crane, we now have an

Offshore Fishing homepage linked to the MSC website. It can be accessed by selecting the "Fishing Info" drop down menu at the top of every page of the MSC website, then selecting the "Offshore Fishing Information" option (it can also be found at the bottom of the "Hot Links" section of the MSC website home page). There is a menu of offshore fishing topics & information that you can access from the Offshore Fishing homepage such as the Offshore Fishing Reports and the Offshore Bragging Gallery (both highlighted below in more detail), as well as links to other existing offshore relevant club information and a few other links that are under construction (Offshore Events Calendar, Offshore Event Results, and Offshore Fishing Tips & Techniques).

**Offshore Fishing Reports** - Reports received are being posted to this website and each time new reports are posted I am sending an email notice to the offshore team along with the link. The reports are organized chronologically with the newest postings at the top. Historic reports will remain on the site and can be viewed anytime as well. Please keep the reports coming...in order to get, one must give!

**Offshore Bragging Gallery** - There are a couple awesome videos and pictures posted, including two recent Whale Shark sightings and a shark feeding frenzy. Keep sending pictures and videos of your exceptional and extraordinary catches (and sightings) and we will post them here.

If you fish offshore and want to be added to our offshore email distribution, please send me a request via the link on the Offshore Fishing homepage and I will gladly add you to this exclusive team.

Last, several offshore captains have reached out looking for a way to find crew and crew have reached out looking to meet captains. One order of business will be to facilitate this process.

If you have any ideas, or want to volunteer to help with offshore events, feel free to contact me anytime.

Tight Lines!

Jim





### "Lizard Slam" Final Results

On May 19<sup>th</sup>/20<sup>th</sup> MSC held our annual spring Lizard Slam. The goal of the event was to catch at least one each of a redfish, snook, and speckled trout.

26 anglers, on 14 teams fished the event. (One team registered but was not able to fish, their entry fees will be refunded.)

\$260.00 in entry fees + \$220.00 in club funds = \$480.00 total prize pool.

Except for the first-place team who had a fabulous day with a Legal Slam, big fish were hard to find! However, 3 of the 14 teams accomplished the 3-fish slam, with one other team tallying 2 of the target species.

<u>Largest of each species:</u> Ken Robertson – Snook – 32" Allan Bristow – Trout – 22" Mike Larsen – Redfish – 24.75"

#### Final Team Standings:

- 1. Ken & Gloria Robertson 3-fish slam 76" \$120.00
- Ron Scriver & Mike Larsen 3-fish slam 56.5" \$100.00
- 3. John Marchetti & Jay Jones 3-fish slam 53.75" \$80.00
- 4. Mark Tanner & Ed Brown Snook/Trout 35" \$60.00
- 5. Allan Bristow & Mike Mueller Trout 22" \$50.00
- Russ Roe & Jim Bahin Snook 19" \$40.00
- 7. John & Kate Mueller Snook 18" \$30.00



Surprisingly, <u>no lizard fish</u> were recorded. The prize money allocated for the bonus fish was added to the team prize pool. Perhaps a change in event name & bonus fish is appropriate for next year....any ideas?

Unfortunately, neither Ken nor Allan took a picture holding their beautiful Snook & Trout, so the only picture available is for the largest redfish. In the future, <u>please</u> send your event leader a picture holding your nice catch so it may be included in the event summary.

Thank you to everyone for your continued support of our backwater program. Our next monthly event is the ever popular Snooky-Hooky. The event will be held on June 18<sup>th</sup>. Event details and the entry form are available on the "Coming Events" page of the MSC website.

Take care everyone, stay safe and be well! See you on the water 🕲

Submitted by: Mike Larsen – MSC Backwater Events Coordinator

#### May 2020 Month long Fishing event

Well it has come down to the wire, we have one week left in our month-long May 2020 Fishing Event. Remember it isn't over till its over. For all we know the winning fish will be caught the afternoon of May 31<sup>st</sup>. So keep on fishing, you can clean up the boat in June. Hopefully by then life will be getting back to something more like normal.

Remember the 4 Backwater Species are <u>Redfish, Snook, Sea</u> <u>Trout and Sheepshead</u>. While the 4 species in the Gulf side is <u>Red Grouper, Permit, Cobia and Snapper</u> (any type). Each angler can only win two prizes in each division. Since, for your sign up you can fish both Backwater and Gulf it would be possible for an individual to win four prizes, 2 backwater and 2 Gulf. Timeliness is important in that in the case of a tie the earliest receive entry wins.

At the time of this writing, I am expecting some additional entries in the Cobia, Sheepshead and Snapper categories. Because of the only Two Prizes per person per Division rule (Backwater/Gulf), it is quite likely a third or fourth place fish could be in the money.

Remember the whole Idea of this event was to get us off our couches/butts and out in the fresh air. With 63 members signed up, this is surly the largest Spring/Summer fishing event that we have ever run. Every time I have gone out, I have come back refreshed and with a smile on my face. That does not count the time my trolling motor died.

Good Luck to All

Ed Vesely

### Kayak Fishing at the Fakahatchee Strand State Park by Howard Laskau

After postponing the last few months of MSC Kayak events due to bad weather and then COVID-19, I am happy to report that MSC Kayak Events are back on the schedule!

6 MSC kayakers made the trip to Fakahatchee Strand State Park (better known as The Basshole) on Tuesday, May 26th. After a few days of rain everyone was anxious and eager to get back out on the water. The bite was slow in the morning, but by late morning, things started to pick up. All the anglers started landing some small bass, and then John Baker caught a nice 19" bass (below left). That fish put him on the 2020 Kayak Fishing Challenge Leaderboard, but he wasn't there for long. A little while later, Mike Larsen landed a 24.75 inch monster that he estimated weighed about 10 pounds (below right). None of the MSC kayakers who have been coming to this venue for years can recall anyone catching a bass larger than the one that Mike caught. That fish was released back in the lake, so maybe it will grow to over 25" for the next person who catches it!

In addition to the excitement over the big bass, Gary Costly reported catching a small (10") alligator. You never know what will be on the end of your line in these freshwater lakes!

Kayaking is one of the few sports that allows you to truly practice social distancing. Check the MSC calendar and join us on one of our future outings!





### **TRIPLE CROWN UPDATE**

The annual Triple Crown Fishing Tournament starts soon! Mail your check before June 25<sup>th</sup> to take advantage of the early sign-up discount. Pursue Redfish, Snook and Tarpon! Win big cash prizes! **Register now for the 2020 Triple Crown Tournament!** 

Due to COVID-19 restrictions and concerns you **MUST MAIL YOUR REGISTRATION FEE** to the club via U.S. Mail. **NO EXCEPTIONS**.

The tournament runs from July 1<sup>st</sup> to October 31<sup>st</sup>. The fee for registration is \$20 if **postmarked by June 25<sup>th</sup>**. The fee for registration is \$25 if postmarked June 26<sup>th</sup> to August 31<sup>st</sup>. No entries will be accepted after August 31<sup>st</sup>.

> Checks **MUST** be mailed to: Marco Sportfishing Club P.O. Box 2104 Marco Island, FL 34146-2104 (not 34145)

### **Additional Instructions**

- 1) Write "Triple Crown" in the note field on your check.
- 2) Include a separate piece of paper with your contact information (e-mail and telephone number) if it is different than the contact information you provided for the annual MSC membership registration.

You must sign up by **sending a check to the MSC P.O. Box**. Tournament registration will **NOT** be accepted any other way.

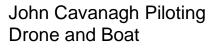
A tournament flyer and complete rules are available online at <u>http://www.marcosportfishingclub.com</u>

There will **NOT** be a tournament kickoff (captain's) meeting this year, nor will registration be available **if** there is a June general meeting.

Questions may be directed to Ronscriver2@gmail.com.

# **MSC Picture Page**



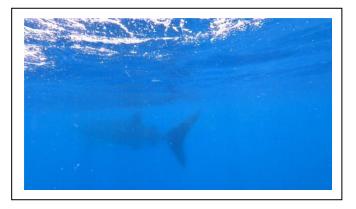




John's Whale Shark From Above



Guess who with what became aTripletail dinner?



John's Whale Shark From Below



Ron Linn and John Baker fishing from Capt. Ed Adams boat – 60 miles offshore



June 2020		Fish of the Month: Permit
Date	Event	Information & Comments
June 3	Steak Picnic	Cancelled
June 4	General Meeting Offshore Panel Discussion	Cancelled
June 8	Board Meeting	Via Teleconference
June 17	Snooky-Hooky Captains Meeting	Cancelled
June 18	Snooky-Hooky Fishing Day	See Flyer this Newsletter
June 19	Snookey-Hooky Alt. Day	
June 25	Kayak Trip Shell Island Road All Meetings and Events Are Pending CDC Guidelines	See Website for Details

July 2020	Fish of the Month: Mangrove Snapper	
Date	Event	Information & Comments
July 1	Triple Crown Starts	See Write Up This Newsletter
July 2	General Meeting Theme "Shark"	Information to Follow
July 6	Board Meeting	Information to Follow
July 7	Kayak Trip East River	Pending COVID 19 Status
	Offshore Event	See Write-up This Newsletter
July 21 <sup>st</sup> thru	Man Bites Shark Fishing	Save the Dates!!!
23rd	Event	
	Man Bites Shark Eating Event	Information to Follow
	All Meetings and Events	
	Pending CDC Guidelines	

August 2020	Fish of the Month: Yellowtail Snapper	
Date	Event	Information & Comments
All Month	Triple Crown Tournament	See Write-up this Newsletter
August 6	MSC General Meeting	Information to Follow
August 7	Kayak Trip Lover's Key	See Website for Details
August 10	MSC Board Meeting	Details to Follow
August ??	Summer Picnic	
August ??	No Bait Captains Meeting	
August ??	No Bait Fishing Day	
August ??	No Bait Alt. Fishing Day	
	Offshore Event	
	All the Above are in the	
	Planning Details to Follow	



## Update from the Editor MAY 2020

Summer is almost here and things are looking up. More venues are Open and the Club is having more events. Eventually, there will be a General Meeting again!!

Reading the following essay gives one inspiration for "Fishing" and other matters as well. I too am confident that God will take care of Nature as well as us Humans.

I should get back to Water Quality issues next month as Marco's testing ramps up.

Stay safe and positive, and follow all the guidelines FWC/CDC.

If you have any comments or wish to submit a photo with a short "fishtale", I can be reached at pfwanzenberg@yahoo.com.

# God Nature

Exerts from an outdoorsman during the Corona virus May 2020

Not too long ago Southwest Florida was having a marine epidemic. Fish and marine animals were fighting for their life. They were being deprived of oxygen and dying by the thousands because of Red Tide. Dead fish washed up on our beaches and floated in our canals. I remembered how sad it was to see decaying sea turtles floating in our bays and canals. Life in the sea was miserable! We now have the reverse situation. Humans are dealing with the Corona virus pandemic. They say people die from it because the virus attacks the lungs and deprive the body of oxygen and people are dying by the thousands. I now know how the fish felt during their epidemic.

Over the past two months, I have seen a remarkable turn-around in marine life near Marco Island. Every morning, I venture out in my boat before sun-rise for my daily fix of fishing as I enjoy the rising sun in the morning sky. Seeing the abundance of sea life over the past weeks has given me hope that marine life have bounced back from their setback. Mother Nature has a strange way of telling us who is in control. I never thought the word "Mother" was the right adjective to put in front of Nature. No gender of animal justifies the power and beauty of Nature. Only its creator should be entitled to hold that position. God Nature is a better fit! It may be many months before life has any normalcy in our daily lives. I don't know what's in God's plan, but his presence is all around us. He has protected us in the past and with God's grace He will protect us in the future.

Marco Sportsfishing Club Member

#### Boating Smartphone Apps By Keith Wohltman, U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 95

MARCO ISLAND, FL – Our lives have been forever changed by the introduction of smart phones and whether we like them or not, they do have a multitude of uses to make your boating safer and you a more knowledgeable skipper. They also have some limitations, so I would not want to rely solely on a smart phone while boating.

Just as when driving or for some of you while walking, using a cellphone while in motion is not a safe practice if you are at the helm. Things happen pretty fast on the water and the lack of brakes on a boat can get you into serious trouble if you are starring at the screen and not keeping your eyes on the water.

However, the applications (apps) written for use on the smart phone do have their place. We get asked by our students quite frequently what apps do we use or what apps we would recommend. Some are very useful here in the waters around Marco and some are niche applications that might work for a limited activity. Like anything, your personal experience with an application will be the deciding factor for whether you use it or uninstall it. Also, some apps are maintained and updated, others are not and you may find a newer app that would supersede something you have used for some time.

As a disclaimer upfront, the apps I will mention are those that I personally have found to work for me. This is not a endorsement or recommendation from Flotilla 95 nor the US Coast Guard Auxiliary nor the US Coast Guard. It is simply my personal experience.

#### **Boating Safety**

It should be no surprise that I list the **US Coast Guard** app as my favorite boating safety app. That was the design built into this application. It is available free, for both Android and iOS platforms. The app provides a very clean interface from the home screen and you can identify the boating safety laws for your home state; request a vessel safety check from the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary; determine what safety equipment you are required to carry by law; file a float plan; review the boating "rules of the road;" access weather information for your current location; report a navigational hazard; report pollution; even report suspicious activity to the Coast Guard. Plus, there is a button to use should you need emergency assistance by using your phone's GPS to send you location to the Coast Guard or connect you to 911 services.

The next two apps would be selected depending on which boating assistance company you utilize, either **BoatUS** or **SeaTow**. Like the US Coast Guard app they both utilize your phones GPS to provide them with your location. Should you not use either service provider, you can still contact them in an emergency. The benefit of using the app comes from the ability for you to add in your profile information so they have your account number coverage information. This saves you trying to find it while you are dealing with your emergency. The app can also help you file claims and find service or repair facilities nearby.

#### Weather

Something we all need to check before, and during, our boating day is the weather. I start watching TV weather shows well in advance of the cast-off time. But I augment that with several very useful weather applications. I like to see both the forecast and radar sweeps since our local TV stations will report the weather for a broad area with comments like "scattered showers or thunderstorms." If I'm boating in the 10,000 Islands, knowing that Fort Myers might get rain doesn't provide me with the details I need to know if the weather will impact my plans. The following apps (and I use them all) give me regional or very localized weather depending on how I expand or focus in the screen display. Top of my list is **MyRadar**. It utilizes a map background and shows the place names. It zeros in to my current location and I can see any rain clouds from the radar. It even showed the path of the recent hurricanes. There is a full range of weather data available from the various screens. The next app is **Windy**. You see this tool used by many of the weather channels as it shows the direction and speed of the wind in a very graphic display. Once again, it uses the phone's GPS to find your location, but you can change it by pinching or expanding the screen. You can also switch from Wind to Waves or Rain. You can select a location by tapping the screen. If I wanted to know the conditions 20 miles offshore, I just need to tap the screen and it moves the reporting indicator. Windy uses the meteorological modeling tools you all heard about with the hurricanes. And you can change the model being used if you like. I do use the **Wink Weather** app but mostly for the daily forecasts, not the radar anymore as MyRadar does a far better job with that process.

#### Navigation

The only navigation app I use is **Navionics.** This app will turn your smart phone, or tablet, into a chart recorder. It has the marine charts displayed like any of the GPS units on a boat. It will track your trip and save it if you like. You can set routes and waypoints. I can also use it to show someone the location of an interesting place on the water, like my favorite fishing spots. There is a free version of the app and a subscription version with the latter providing higher quality charts. There's also a high definition version for use on a tablet. You could use this as your GPS on your boat, as long as you have telephone service. Depending on your type of boating this is a very useful tool.

#### Tides

For our waterways you better have very good tide data, or you will find yourself running out of water. One quick comment before I mention the app. Our area has some really shallow water normally. Hurricane Irma move a lot of debris and other materials during her visit to Marco and the depth reported on charts or depicted on your GPS may be very different from what is actually present today. Be very mindful of that. In addition, we experience fluctuations in our water depth in addition to the effect of the tides. The ever-present breezes on Marco move what little water we have either into the bays and backwater, or into the Gulf. You can have a high tide and yet have no water in the 10,000 Islands due to the wind. If the wind is out of the Northeast, it will push the water into the Gulf and impede its return on the incoming tide. That is why you need both a wind app and a tide app. The tide app I rely on is **Tides Charts Near Me**. I can also scan ahead to see what the tide will be at a specific time. I can also check days or months ahead, which is critical when planning trips into the 10,000 Islands. There is also a view that lets me choose the date and then switch back to the tidal curve view. Using this graphical display is so much better than just knowing the time when the tide is high or low.

Are there other apps folks on Marco use? Yes. Many of my friends use **FishWeather** or **NOAA Buoys** to obtain wave conditions offshore. Some also make sure they have the **FishRules** app loaded that keeps them current with what species of fish is in season and what legal size and bag limits are set for each species. You may already have a favorite that I did not list. But the ones I did list will give you the basic information you need to become a more informed and, therefore, safer boater.

For more information about safe boating courses contact, Joe Riccio, (239)-384-7416 or CGAUXCOURSES@GMAIL.COM.

To schedule your **FREE** Vessel Safety Check, please call: John Moyer, (239)-248-7078 or Coast Guard Auxiliary Station – Flotilla 95, (239) 394-5911 or email John at <u>Imoyer1528@aol.com</u>.

For those interested in joining Flotilla 95, USCG Auxiliary, please call Bob Shmihluk at (215) - 694-3305

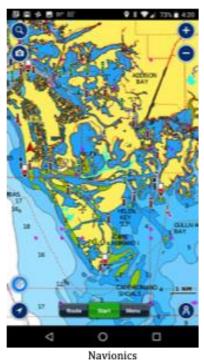


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My Radar

Windy

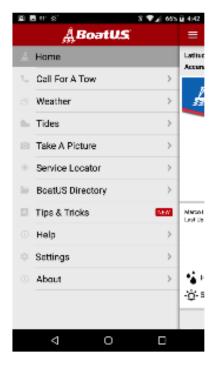






Wink Weather





BoatUS



### SNOOKY - HOOKY

SIGN UP <u>via mail</u> – Mail your entry form and <u>check made out to MSC</u> to: Mike Larsen – 581 Elk Circle, Marco Island, FL 34145

**Date:** Thursday, June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2020 (Entry form/fees received by Mike no later than Tues. June 16<sup>th</sup>) **Backup Date:** Friday, June 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020 (Depending on forecast, Wed. the 17<sup>th</sup> may be the fishing day. The decision will be broadcast to the anglers by Tuesday the 16<sup>th</sup> if needed per weather conditions. If all 3 days look "iffy", 2-days may be opened up to allow anglers to select the day they prefer – this is TBD) **Captain's Meeting: Cancelled –** Entries only accepted via mail

Fishing Hours: 6 hour "flex fish" - fish any 6-hr slot between sunrise and sunset

#### Tide info-Coon Key: Low Tide: +1.5' at 6:34am, High Tide: +3.8' at 2:01pm

Major Solar-Lunar period from 11:21am - 1:21pm, Very High Activity

Prizes:

Boat – 1<sup>st</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> place. Total inches of Snook caught by boat/team
 Angler – 1<sup>st</sup> + 2<sup>nd</sup> place. Largest Snook
 Only one largest snook prize per angler
 Prize amounts will depend on the number of participants, plus \$200.00 Club money.
 Prizes to be given out at the July Meeting.

Entry Fee: \$10.00 per MSC angler, \$15.00 per guest, due no later than Tuesday, June 16th.

#### EVENT RULES

- · Captains of all boats must be a MSC Member.
- MSC boundaries apply. South, only to Everglades National Park boundaries. (Camp Lulu)
- "No Guide" Rule applies. "2-Line" Rule Applies
- Photos of <u>all</u> fish recorded for Team & Individual Prizes are required. Measure to nearest 1/4"
- Late entries not accepted.
- E-mail Tally Sheet, and photos, to Mike Larsen, by 5:00 PM, Friday, June 19th.
- · Even if you have no fish to report, please let Mike know as a courtesy, thank you!
- Final "rule" is be safe, & HAVE FUN...©

Mike Larsen Backwater Events Coordinator mike\_larsen@keysight.com Cell: 239-315-9235



### JUNE 2020 - SNOOKY-HOOKY ENTRY FORM

TEAM ENTRIES ONLY-INDIVIDUAL ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

Team Captain:	(must be a MSC member)
Captains Mobile/Cell #:	
Captain's e-mail address:	
CREW #1:	
Name:	
CREW #2:	
Name:	
CREW #3:	
Name:	
\$10/Angler (Member)	
\$15/ Angler (Non-Member)	
Notes:	



**MSC Barbecue Apron - \$22 each** 



Easy Care Full Length Apron with Stain Release MSC logo embroidered on front Three front pockets, Poly/Cotton twill, Adjustable neck strap 22" wide x 30" length

Colors Available: Red, Black, Navy or Royal (Circle your choice) \$22 each

> MSC Member: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to MSC & Mail to Gloria Robertson 8225 Xenia Lane Naples, FL 34114



Order yours now for Easter, Cinco de Mayo, Mother's Day Memorial Day or Father's Day.



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#### Marco Sportfishing Club

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#### Member Privacy Statement

Marco Sportfishing Club's Board of Directors has established a privacy policy concerning the distribution of its members' contact information. For security and confidentiality reasons...phone numbers, email and physical addresses will be distributed only to MSC board members and event leaders. The club roster will never be sold or provided to any individual member, sponsor, outside organization or business.

