

# MSC Tackle Box

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Dedicated to Safe Fishing in and Around Marco Island



## President's Message for April 2021



### April 2021 Tackle Box

Spring is here! That usually signals rebirth after a long hard winter, but this year, perhaps it signals the return to normal after a year of dealing with Covid-19.

Marco Sportfishing Club is beginning to return to normal. Our social activities are taking place in-person. Picnics, Captains' meetings, and our general membership meeting returned in March, albeit at a reduced scale. March's general meeting was held at the Marco Island YMCA and a fair number of members attended. It was great to see them all there.

March featured two exciting fishing events in addition to the year-long "MSC Offshore Slam, proudly sponsored by Rose Marina" (Offshore Slam) and our monthly kayak outing. "Baiting Beauties 8" was a huge success with 37 Lady Anglers enjoying a day out fishing and an awards picnic. In addition to the lady anglers, we had 19 Captains and 15 Crew involved in this event. Be sure to see the report in this edition. The second event was held just last week, and it was the "Spring Trout Spotacluar". 50 anglers (45 members and 5 guests), on 20 boats, searched for Spotted Seatrout. Our thanks to all who helped make these events so special.

Several volunteers from MSC helped Marine Industries Association of Collier County (MIACC) run their annual "Kids Fishing Clinic at Naples Pier" on March 6<sup>th</sup>. The event was an opportunity for kids from the ages of 5 – 15 to learn about fishing and practice what they learned with a fishing rod and reel combo which they could take home. The organizers expected 150 kids – and 318 showed up!

Our April general meeting will be held on Tuesday April 6<sup>th</sup> at the YMCA Airnasium once again. Our featured speaker will be Captain Brandon Acosta and we will hold a raffle for

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a charter fishing trip with Capt. Acosta. In addition, his staff from Everglades Bait and Tackle will be on hand to sell items from their store.

April has a boatload of fishing activities planned. In addition to the “Offshore Slam”, we will hold the “Spring Super Grouper/Snapper” event. We have added a special backwater event as well. Our “Back to Normal” month-long event focuses on getting our members back to fishing like we did pre-Covid-19. Emphasis is on fishing with your **friends** once again. Our kayak group will head out to the Fakahatchee Strand Preserve State Park in search of bass. Of course, our Fish of the Month and Leaderboard contests also continue during April.

To round out the festivities, Dave and Suzie Walsh will host a “Taste of Italy” picnic on April 21<sup>st</sup>.

The Covid-19 extended membership renewal period has ended. The Club, however, has opened the application window for new members to be year-round. If you have friends or neighbors who would like to join, they no longer need to wait until November to do so.

If you can, get out and fish!

April’s Fishing Quote. **“One thing becomes clearer as one gets older and one's fishing experience increases, and that is the paramount importance of one's fishing companions.”** – John Ashley-Cooper

Tight Lines,  
Keith

**LEADER BOARD Updates as of March**

Get LEADER BOARD updates using the link below.

[Leader Board](#)

**Fish of the Month (FOM) as of March**

Get FOM updates using the link below.

[Fish of the Month](#)

# Offshore Update – April 2021

## What's Happening Offshore...

The Red Grouper bite is still hot, many limits being reported, especially in 100'+. The Snapper are out there on the wrecks and ledges, spawning should start soon. Cobia are around now and there have been a few early season permit caught on some of the nearshore reefs. The best fishing will usually occur on the better tide days and windows – use your solunar activity tables. Focus on catching your trophy fish for the “MSC Offshore Slam, proudly sponsored by Rose Marina”. Get out there and have some fun...and be safe.

## Offshore Events...

**Offshore Slam 2021** – The Offshore Slam is a full calendar year tournament so there is plenty of time to catch your Slam of Grouper, Snapper, Permit, and Cobia and win the trophy and some \$\$\$\$. We also have an award for the boat captain responsible for the most Offshore Slam fish entries. This tournament will be the Offshore version of the highly successful Triple Crown tournament the Inshore guys enjoy. **The deadline to enter is June 30, 2021**, but you cannot enter a fish caught before you enter, so sign up now before you catch that monster fish and wish you were entered! We have a couple nice Grouper entered so far...don't miss out.

**You may have noticed the updated name for the Offshore Slam above...I am happy to report that the Offshore Slam is being sponsored by Rose Marina, thus the revised name “MSC Offshore Slam, proudly sponsored by Rose Marina”. We now have ample budget for additional prize money, trophies, swag, and an awards party.**

We have 23 anglers signed up so far and a total event budget of over \$3000 which will continue to grow as additional anglers sign up. What are you waiting for??? Sign today, it's worth the \$25...I promise.

See attached table with the current Offshore Slam standings.

Please show your appreciation to the great team at Rose Marina by giving them your business, and use your MSC membership card to get your club discount too.

**Super Grouper / Snapper April 2021** – We have set the fishing window from Friday April 9 through Saturday April 17 (yes we added an extra day – Friday April 9 is a

very good day on the solunar chart so we threw it in as a bonus). **The deadline to enter is Thursday April 8, sign up today!**

The event Flyers and Sign-up Sheets are included in this newsletter and posted on the MSC website. Check them out and enter today!

### **Other Important Stuff...**

Check out the Offshore Fishing reports on the MSC website, they are on the Offshore Homepage.

Offshore Captains - don't forget to send me your Offshore Fishing Reports and photos of any remarkable catches when you return from fishing!

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.

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

Tight Lines!

Jim





## 2021 Marco Sportfishing Club Offshore Slam

### Proudly Sponsored by Rose Marina

Organizer: Jim Scarpa, [jscarpa@ymail.com](mailto:jscarpa@ymail.com)

**Fishing Dates:** January 1 thru December 31, 2021

**Offshore Slam Species:** Grouper (Red, Gag, Black)

Snapper (Mangrove, Lane, Yellowtail)

Permit

Cobia

**Entry Fee:** \$25 for MSC Anglers



**Prizes: Based on number of anglers participating, maximum one prize per angler**

- Total combined length of the largest fish of each Offshore Slam species entered by the angler.
- Angler must catch and enter one fish of each species to qualify to win.
- All fish entered must be caught by the angler entering the fish without assistance.
- Angler may upgrade any fish entered if a larger specimen is caught within the tournament timeframe.
- This is an individual angler tournament and is not tied to a specific captain or boat. The angler may fish on anyone's boat at any time (like the Triple Crown).
- Offshore Slam species – Grouper (Red, Gag or Black), Snapper (Mangrove, Yellowtail or Lane), Permit, Cobia.
- In addition to the Offshore Slam prizes, the largest fish of each individual species will be awarded a prize, as will the boat captain with the most entries caught.
- Any fish caught during this event will also qualify for MSC Leaderboard and Fish of the Month entry.

**Captains Meeting: Due to the virus, there will be no captains meeting. Please see instructions on Sign-Up Sheet below to submit your Sign-up Sheet and to make payment.**

**Awards Party: There will be an awards party at Rose Marina in January 2022 (date / time TBA)**

**Rules:**

1. All anglers must be an active MSC Member.
2. MSC "No Guide Rule" applies - No fishing with, or on, a guide's boat.
3. MSC "Offshore Boundaries" apply - South to Lat N 25.10.0, North to Lat N 26.05.5120', must fish within these boundaries and at a depth of 120' or less.
4. "Two Line Rule" applies - No more than two rods per angler.
5. All fish entered must be caught by the angler entering the fish without assistance from any other angler.
6. Each fish entered must be photographed individually on a vertical edge tournament ruler, mouth closed and tight against the vertical edge of the ruler (not following the measurement rules may result in a reduction in size if the measurement is not clearly evident). **All entry photos must be emailed to Jim Scarpa at the email address above within 24 hours of being caught, please include the name of the boat captain as well.**
7. Sign-up Sheet and Entry Fee must be received by Jim Scarpa by June 30, 2021 or the angler cannot participate in the tournament. **While tournament entry is allowed after fishing begins, no fish may be entered in the tournament that is caught prior to the angler submitting their Sign-up Sheet and Entry Fee.**

# “Offshore Slam 2021” Sign-up Sheet

Email to: Jim Scarpa, [jscarpa@ymail.com](mailto:jscarpa@ymail.com)

Angler Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Angler Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Angler Mobile #: \_\_\_\_\_

Entry Fee: \$25.00

Make checks payable to Marco Sportfishing Club

Mail checks to Jim Scarpa, 308 Edgewater Ct, Marco Island, FL 34145

Sign-up Sheet and Entry Fee must be received by June 30, 2021. Contact Jim if you want to drop off the check or have it picked up.



# Super Grouper / Snapper – Apr 2021

Organizer: Jim Scarpa, [jscarpa@ymail.com](mailto:jscarpa@ymail.com)

**Fishing Dates:** Friday April 9 thru Saturday April 17, 2021

**Entry Fee:** \$25 for MSC Anglers, \$35 for Non-Members, **No entry Fee for Captains.**

**Deadline to Enter:** **Thursday April 8, 2021**

**Prizes:** Based on # of Boats and anglers participating in each division – 120' and 80'.

**Maximum one prize per boat.** **Twelve prizes total.**

- Total combined length of 3 legal Grouper (120' division) or 2 legal Grouper (80' division) - any Red, Black, Gag Grouper. **Three winners in each division.**
- Total combined length of 3 legal Snapper (both divisions) – any Yellowtail, Mangrove, Lane Snapper. **Three winners in each division.**

**Captains Meeting:** Due to the virus, there will be no captains meeting. Please email all signup sheets to Jim Scarpa at the address above and make arrangements with Jim to drop off the entry fee or have it picked up prior to the event.

**Awards Party:** Due to the virus, there will be no awards lunch

## **Rules:**

1. ALL Captains must be an active MSC Member.
2. Captain / Boat may only fish one day, Captain may fish as a crew member with another Captain / Boat.
3. MSC "No Guide Rule" applies - No fishing with, or on, a guide's boat.
4. MSC "Offshore Boundaries" apply - South to Lat N 25.10.0, North to Lat N 26.05.5120', must fish within these boundaries and at a depth of 120' or less.
5. ALL Captains must declare their fishing day in advance to Jim.
6. "Two Line Rule" applies - No more than two rods per angler.
7. The 2 or 3 fish must be photographed individually on a vertical edge tournament ruler, mouth closed and tight against the vertical edge of the ruler (not following the measurement rules may result in a reduction in size if the measurement is not clearly evident). All photos must be emailed to Jim Scarpa at the email address above on the day caught.

# Super Grouper / Snapper April 2021 Sign-up Sheet

Email to: Jim Scarpa, [jscarpa@ymail.com](mailto:jscarpa@ymail.com)

Division (please circle):      80'      120'

Boat Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Captain: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile #: \_\_\_\_\_ Entry Fee  
FREE

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Crew 1: \_\_\_\_\_ MSC Member: Y / N \_\_\_\_\_

Crew 2: \_\_\_\_\_ MSC Member: Y / N \_\_\_\_\_

Crew 3: \_\_\_\_\_ MSC Member: Y / N \_\_\_\_\_

Crew 4: \_\_\_\_\_ MSC Member: Y / N \_\_\_\_\_

Crew 5: \_\_\_\_\_ MSC Member: Y / N \_\_\_\_\_

Entry Fee: \$25 MSC Member / \$35 Non-Member      TOTAL DUE \_\_\_\_\_

## **March MSC Kayak Group Outing**

### **Everglades City/Chokoloskee Bay**

The kayak group experienced something during the March trip that has never happened before. There were so many kayakers that the group had to be split in half! One group headed off in a southwesterly direction across Chokoloskee Bay and followed one of the “loop trails” that have proven to be very “fishable” in the past. The other group headed off in a southeasterly direction and took a “loop trail” down and around Sandfly Pass. Some of these trails can get pretty narrow, so with smaller groups it’s easier to keep track of people and provide everyone with plenty of room to find their own “spot” to fish.

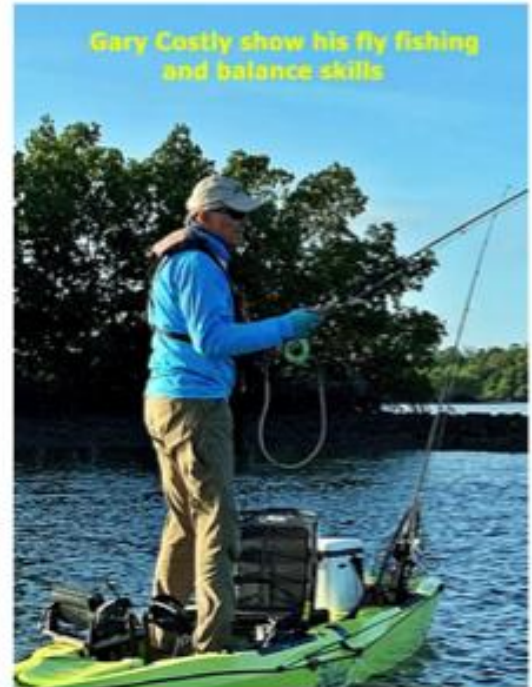
Both groups found some good fishing spots and caught a variety of fish. Howard Laskau caught a 23.5” Redfish that is now on the 2021 Kayak Fishing Challenge leaderboard. Some of the kayakers on the “Sandfly loop” made a stop at Sandfly Island and did a little exploring on the walking trail that has been built there by Everglades National Park. The trail shows what life was like living on the island a few hundred years ago. Talk about roughing it! Take a look at the photos from this trip to get an idea of what was going on!

To learn more about the MSC Kayak group, please visit the MSC website. While there, check out the articles on past outings. We normally go to a different location each month. When you see what can be caught in a kayak, it just might surprise you! If you want to be placed on the Kayak Fishing mail list or if you have any questions about kayak fishing in general, please use this link to contact Howard Laskau, MSC Kayak Events Coordinator:  
<https://www.marcosportfishingclub.com/email-form-ContactOfficer.htm>

In April, the MSC monthly kayak event will take us inland to Fakahatchee Strand State Park and to the appropriately named “Basshole” for a shot at some fresh water spring Bass. The kayak group has been waiting patiently for a few months for the water to warm up before heading over there, but now it’s time! If you want to catch some Bass, get some exercise, have fun and take in some beautiful scenery, give it a try and join us. Hope to see you there!



## March MSC Kayak Group Outing





# Naples Kids' Clinic

The pictures below were provided by Lynn Nathanson. Shown are the many volunteers who made it a great day for over 300 future anglers. The volunteers provided instruction regarding bait and bait placement, casting, rigging, handling fish and many other topics.



*Above are a few of the happy participants with their catches all of which were released.*



Baiting Beauties 8 was a great success this year. We were blessed with many members fishing on both Monday and Tuesday March 15 and 16. The picnic on Thursday March 18 at Sarazen Park was enjoyed by 65+ members and guests.

John Baker was amazing as he handled ordering all the food as well as delivering it to the park. Lynn Nathanson was kind enough to pick up the cake and bring to the picnic. We have a great group of volunteers organized by Anna Hutchings while Chris Hutchings handled the tally sheets and determined the awards for the winning anglers.

We were fortunate enough to have four designer necklaces donated by Barb Schnieder to be raffled along with donations from Elite Nails Beals Outlet the Island Cheese Shop and Italian basket donated by Gloria Robertson an orchid basket from Lynn Nathanson. Pete Arcadiacono and Keith Wohltman handled the sound system and the program.

The success of the entire event resides with the guidance and record keeping of Chris Laimbeer who walked us through what we needed to get it done. Thank you, Chris. NOAH (NOAA) cooperated in providing us with beautiful weather. Thank you to all of you who helped in so many ways to make this event a great success.

Sincerely  
Ricki Terzis/Gloria Robertson







**Winners:**

<b>Species</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Lady Angler</b>	<b>Size</b>	<b>Prize</b>
<b>Sheepshead</b>	3rd	Lynn Nathanson	15.75	\$10.00
	2nd	JoEllen Verret	16.25	\$20.00
	1st	Gloria Robertson	16.75	\$30.00
<b>Spotted Sea Trout</b>	3rd	Cathy Erickson	17.25	\$10.00
	2nd	Liz Weimer	17.5	\$20.00
	1st	Patty Arcidiacono	18.75	\$30.00
<b>Pompano</b>	1st	Joanne Marco	11.75	\$30.00
<b>Redfish</b>	3rd	Linda Keyes	18.75	\$10.00
	2nd	Chris Laimbeer	20	\$20.00
	1st	Anne Marchette	29	\$30.00
<b>Snook</b>	3rd	Linda Keyes	15.25	\$10.00
	2nd	Chris Laimbeer	15.5	\$20.00
	1st	Marge Milici	20	\$30.00
<b>Mangrove Snapper</b>	3rd	Carol Schwalje	9.75	\$10.00
	2nd	JoEllen Verret	10	\$20.00
	2nd	Rose Kraemer	10	\$20.00
	1st	Gloria Robertson	10.5	\$30.00
<b>Whiting/Silver Trout</b>	3rd	Peggy Mess	3	\$20.00
	2nd	Marilyn Kostelnik	3	\$20.00
	1st	Dolores Constanzer	17	\$30.00
<b>Other</b>	3rd	Marilyn Kostelnik	9	\$10.00
	2nd	Rose Kraemer	14	\$20.00
	1st	Dolores Constanzer	15	\$30.00



## March 2021 Trout Spotacular Results

Submitted by Charlie Schwalje

The Spring Sea Trout Spotacular was held on Tuesday, 3/23 and Thursday, 3/25. Most anglers fished on Tuesday. Conditions were great with light winds, a good tide and water temperatures in the low 70's. Conditions worsened on Thursday with increasing winds. A total of 98 spotted sea trout were tallied. In addition to sea trout, other species were caught, including snook, redfish and tarpon. Here are the results...

- 21 teams totaling 53 anglers participated
- 53 anglers: – 46 members – 7 non-members for a total of \$565.00 in entry fees
- Club funds- \$200.00 – Total Prize Pool = \$765.00

### Team Awards:

- 1<sup>st</sup>- Ed Brown, Mark Tanner, Skip Endicott – 6 trout - 105" - \$175.00  
2<sup>nd</sup>- Ed Bauersfeld, Mark Bare – 6 trout – 99.5" " - \$150.00  
3<sup>rd</sup>- Bob Smith, George Vlasuk, Francisco Garcia – 6 trout - 98.75" - \$125.00  
4<sup>th</sup>- Dave Dodd, Mike Larsen – 6 trout – 95.25" - \$100.00  
5<sup>th</sup>- Victor Ordija, Joe Perino, Keith Wohltman – 6 trout – 93.75 " - \$75.00  
6<sup>th</sup>- Bob Schneider, John Moore – 6 trout - 91" - \$60.00

### Individual Largest Trout Award:

1<sup>st</sup> Place – Ed Brown – 19.75 " - \$80.00

Total Prize \$ Awarded = \$765.00

Thank you to everyone who participated! Be sure to register for the upcoming backwater events:

**April Month Long & May Spring Slam**



## **April Back to Normal Backwater Month Long Event**

**If you have not done so already, it is time to sign up for the April Back To Normal Backwater Event which run from 4/1 till 4/30. Fish as often as you want with who you want, if they have signed up.**

**Don't have a Captain, sign up and I will get your name and info out to all the signed-up Captains. If you do not get to fish, your check will be returned.**

**Individual three prizes for Snook, Redfish and Seatrout. There will also be three prizes for the wild card fish you will be selecting. Sign up for \$15 and have a chance of winning \$200. There will be up to 12 individual prizes. But you need to get your Wild Card vote in right away so it can be counted. The Wild Card Fish will be announced at the Captains Meeting on April 1<sup>st</sup> at 3 PM at Sarazen Park. All will be revealed, and your questions answered.**

**There will also be one Captains prize for whoever's boat has the longest stringer of the four fish. You must have all four, but they can be caught by anyone crewing on your boat. More times you go out, the more crew you take, the better your odds. Though**

**sign ups can be at the Captains meeting, the MSC General meeting held on the 6<sup>th</sup> and mailed in by the April 9<sup>th</sup>. You can even win if you are heading back north before the end of the month if you have registered a fish before leaving.**

**This events goal is to get us out of our basements and back to Normal by encouraging socializing. Based on picnic attendance and our general meeting attendance I can see life returning to Marco.**

**Ed Vesely**

**evesely@aol.com**



**April Back To Normal Backwater Registration Form**

**Largest Seatrout – Snook – Redfish – Wild Card??**

**Fishing Days: The entire month of April**

**Entry Fee:**

**\$15 for MSC Members - \$20 for non-MSC Members Captain Must be Member**

- no individual non-member boat or kayak entries accepted.
- Fish any days, any time, as often and anywhere in Club boundaries.
- Currently Captains Meeting Sarazen Park April 1<sup>st</sup> 3PM

**Captain's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fee \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**Cell Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-Mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Crew #1:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fee \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**Crew #2: (If applicable)** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fee \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**Crew #3: (if applicable)** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fee \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Fees \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**Each Capt. and Crew Member Gets one vote on Wild card fish.**

**WILD CARD FISH**

- Black Drum      \_\_\_\_\_
- Jack Crevalle      \_\_\_\_\_
- Sheepshead      \_\_\_\_\_
- Flounder      \_\_\_\_\_

**Sent forms and checks to**

**Ed Vesely - 35 Gulfport Ct. Marco Island Fl. 34145**

**evesely@aol.com**





## Spring Slam

(Ver 1.0.2021)



**Fishing Date:** Tuesday, May 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021

**Backup Date** (due to bad weather): Thursday, May 13<sup>th</sup>, 2021

**Capt.'s Meeting:** Friday, May 7<sup>th</sup>-Time and location TBD

**Fishing Hours:** 6 Hours – “Flex Time” – You pick the 6 daylight hours you prefer to fish!

**Tide Info at Coon Key:**

Low Tide:	8:24 AM	(1.2')
High Tide:	2:00 PM	(3.9')

**Solar-Lunar Activity:** High activity Major Period: 10:48 am to 1:48 pm

**Event Target Fish:** Snook, Redfish, Spotted Sea Trout

**Prizes:** Team prize – 1<sup>st</sup> thru 5<sup>th</sup> – Total inches of one each Snook, Redfish and Trout

The focus is on the “Slam”. An entry of all three species beats an entry of one or two species regardless of total length.

**Individual Prize –** Individual prizes awarded for each of the longest Snook, Redfish and Trout caught during the event

**Entry Fee:** \$10.00 per MSC angler, \$15.00 per non-member

*Prize amounts determined by number of anglers participating PLUS \$200 in club funds*

### **EVENT RULES**

- Captains of all boats must be a MSC Member. - “No Guide” Rule & “2-Line” Rule Apply
- MSC backwater boundaries apply. South, only to Everglades National Park boundaries. (Camp Lulu)
- Photos required for all fish registered for team & individual prizes - Measure fish to nearest ¼”
- Turn in Tally Sheet, and photos, to Charlie Schwalje, no later than 5:00 PM, the day after the event.

For questions regarding the event, and to submit pictures/tally of your catch:

Charlie Schwalje

Email- [c.schwalje@comcast.net](mailto:c.schwalje@comcast.net)

Cell- 732-570-8450



## May 2021 Spring Slam Registration Form

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1 Snook/1 Redfish/1 Trout – Total Inches

Fishing Day: Tuesday, May 11th (Backup due to weather - Thur. May 13<sup>th</sup>)

### Entry Fee:

\$10 for MSC Members - \$15 for non-MSC Members

- Non-members only allowed if fishing on a MSC members boat, no individual non-member boat entries accepted

Captain's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Crew #1: \_\_\_\_\_

Crew #2: (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Crew #3: (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

- See the event flyer for specific rules and event times including Capt.'s mtg. and fishing day/time.

**Sign up by mail or at the May membership meeting or Captain's meeting**

**Charlie Schwalje**

**418 Driftwood Ct**

**Marco Island, FL 34145**

**[c.schwalje@comcast.net](mailto:c.schwalje@comcast.net)**

**cell-732-570-8450**



## SPRING SLAM TALLY SHEET

CAPTAIN'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

SNOOK: LENGTH \_\_\_\_\_

ANGLER \_\_\_\_\_

REDFISH: LENGTH \_\_\_\_\_

ANGLER \_\_\_\_\_

TROUT: LENGTH \_\_\_\_\_

ANGLER \_\_\_\_\_

Total Inches of one each- Snook, Redfish and Trout \_\_\_\_\_

- Measure fish from closed mouth to pinched tail – high resolution picture!
- Any fish counts towards 3 fish tally – doesn't need to be legal size
- Measure to the nearest  $\frac{1}{4}$ "
- Photos required of all fish submitted for prize consideration
- All 3 pictures must be attached to the e-mail along with the tally sheet
- 6 Hour "Flex Time" 6 hours from lines in to lines out! You choose the times
- E-mail Tally Sheet & Photos to Charlie Schwalje by 5:00pm, the day after the fishing event
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e-mail to: [c.schwalje@comcast.net](mailto:c.schwalje@comcast.net)

Questions: Charlie's mobile #: 732-570-8450



# **April General Meeting**

**Live and In-Person**

**April 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM**

**Marco Island YMCA – “Airnasium”**

**Guest Speaker:**

**Captain Brandon Acosta**

***Sign Up Tables***

***50/50***

***Everglades Bait & Tackle Sales***

***Special Raffle for Charter Trip***

***Gates open at 6:30 PM***

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<p><i>Another day in Paradise ...</i></p>		<p>Non-Ethanol Gasoline - Dyed Diesel (Minimum 50 Gals - On Marco Island)</p>

## **Coming Events**

### **APRIL**

“Back to Normal” Month Long Back Water Event see Flyer this Newsletter

General Meeting on the 6<sup>th</sup> see Sheet this Newsletter

Super Grouper/Snapper Offshore Event see Flyer this Newsletter

Kayak Event on the 17<sup>th</sup> see Website for Details

Taste of Italy Picnic see Website for Details

### **MAY**

General Meeting on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tentative Detail to Follow

Cinco de Mayo Picnic on the 5<sup>th</sup> Details to Follow

Spring Slam Back Water Event see Flyer this Newsletter

Kayak Event on the 15<sup>th</sup> see Website for Details

Be sure to check the MSC Website for the latest information regarding the noted Events





## Update from the Editor April 2021

Pictured below is the first face to face General Meeting the Club has held in a long time. It is a sign that things are getting back to normal. This is especially true given that John Baker was back with the Raffle. The pictures were once again provided by Lynn Nathanson, thank you Lynn.

Your Editor is always looking for interesting fish pictures with a short background story. Reach me at [pfwanzenberg@yahoo.com](mailto:pfwanzenberg@yahoo.com) with your submittal and Thank You in advance.





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## Marco Sportfishing Club

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James Gloster	<b>Membership Chair</b>
Jim Scarpa	<b>Offshore Events Coordinator</b>
Ron Linn	<b>Redfish Two-Angler Tournament Director</b>
Dave Schott	<b>Triple Crown Tournament Director</b>
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### 2021 Activity and Event Directors, Committee Chairs and Assistants Fishing related activities:

Fishing Committee Chair	Ed Vesely
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Redfish Team Event Coordinator	Ed Vesely
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Triple Crown Tournament Director	Dave Schott

### Other Activities

Assistant Secretary	Dave Schott
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MSC eMail Editor	Keith Wohltman
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January 12, 2021

