

## **Xmas 2014**

Dear Federation members and Patrons

Please note that the A.G.M will be held on Saturday 24th January 2015 at the St Dennis Working Mans Club with a 2pm start

At the time of writing, the serving Executive and Officers and Sub Committees are again prepared to stand for office in 2015.

Two exceptions are Mr Andy Butler (Truro City SAC) and Mr David Cains (MBAS) who have held the positions of Boat Recorder and Treasurer respectively.

I have received a nomination from St Columb SAC for Mr Ron Moody to stand as 2015 Boat Recorder, but no nominations have yet been received for the position of Treasurer.

Please would all members strongly consider putting their name forward for the position of Treasurer, Mr David Cains will remain in office up until the A.G.M. The A.G.M. proposals, along with the A.G.M. Agenda has been sent to all clubs, Personal Members, and Life Members so please make an effort to attend.

### **Specimen Fish Meeting held on Wednesday 19th November 2014**

This was held at the St Dennis Working Mans Club with twelve clubs in attendance, which represents just under 50% of the CFSA membership.

Some important proposals were discussed and voted on and the resultant minutes of the meeting have been sent to all clubs for your perusal and consequent vote at the A.G.M.

### **Return of Cups and Trophies**

Will all members who hold cups and trophies awarded at the 2014 presentation please contact myself on 01209 890225 or 07814 989 707 (anytime) to arrange their return.

They were presented in a clean condition, please let me have them back in a clean condition, at the very latest at the A.G.M. thus ensuring they can be sent to the engravers in good time.

Keepsakes are no longer issued to Senior winners (unless requested and paid for) but Junior winners still receive keepsakes.

I thank you for your anticipated co-operation in these matters.

### **Reminder - New Rule**

As a result of the voting at the EGM held on Friday 17th October a new rule proposed by Redruth SAA was passed

NEW RULE 'That all member clubs of the CFSA shall provide the CFSA Secretary with names, addresses, telephone numbers and e-mail addresses(if applicable) of all their officers.

The relevant paperwork has been issued to all clubs and personal members ensuring that this can be accomplished.

### **CFSA Auditor**

Mr Steve Dicker (CAA) has audited the Federation accounts since 2011 but will not be standing for office for 2015

Steve has done an excellent job in his stint as Auditor and will audit the 2014 accounts, therefore a new Auditor will be required for next year.

### **General Meeting 17th October 2014**

There are some alterations in the minutes of the General Meeting held on Friday 17th October 2014 which are:

Page 3 Paragraph 7 will all clubs amend their copies and please delete

"We are not a national organisation with jobs for the boys, but a local independent Federation being in existence for the last 55 years"

Page 6 Paragraph 5 will all clubs amend their copies and please delete

"Mr John Brooks notified those present that there would be some proposals put forward for consideration at the 2015 AGM"

Page 5 last Paragraph will all clubs amend their copies and please delete

Present reading - Mr John Brooks was very aware of the problem having already given three registration numbers to the Devon & Cornwall Police.

Correct reading - Mr John Brooks was very aware of the problem having already been given three registration numbers from the Devon & Cornwall Police.

Apologies to all concerned for any offence incurred as none was intended, R M Elcox, Hon Secretary CFSA.

### **Mounts Bay A.S. Open fished 26th October 2014**

1. Mike Delbridge (MBAS) Bull Huss, 13.04.11lb, 126.493%, £200
2. Simon Toms (Truro SAC) Mackerel, 01.11.06lb, 124.359%, tackle
3. Chris Sheer (CAA) Thornback Ray, 09.11.04lb, 114.575%, tackle
4. Calvin Rosvear (MBAS) L.S.D. 02.15.09lb, 113.182%, tackle
5. Brett Philips (No club) Thick Lipped Mullet, 04.07.07lb, 111.577%, tackle
6. Martin Williams (CAA) 3 bearded Rockling, 01.09.12lb, 99.050%, tackle
7. Adam Wilson (MBAS) G G Mullet, 01.09.06lb, 97.693%, tackle
8. Spencer Gray (CAA) Mackerel, 01.04.13lb, 94.551%, tackle

### **CFSA Western Morning News final fished 22nd/23rd November 2014**

1. Gary Sicolo (MBAS) Thornback Ray, 11.11.12lb, £40 + Trophy
2. Chris Gamble (Padstow & Dis) Flounder, 02.07.10lb, £25
3. Gary Chapman (St Columb SAC) Flounder, 01.15.00lb, £15

### **CFSA Xmas Shore Competition fished 6th/7th December 2014**

1. Chris Phillips (Grenville Arms SAC) Ballan Wrasse, 03.09.04lb + Dab  
00.13.04lb, 180.31% £83.64
2. Derek Note (Tintagel SAC) 3 Bearded Rockling, 01.03.06lb + Flounder,  
01.05.00lb, 140.31%, £66.42
3. Derek Randall (Padstow & Dis SAC) Flounder 02.05.14lb, 118.41%, £45.20lb
4. Chris Sheer (CAA) Dab, 00.15.06lb, 118.29%, £31.98
5. Paul Hawken (Grenville Arms SAC) LSD, 02.08.05lb, £14.76%

### **CFSA Diary Dates 2015**

24th January - AGM, St Dennis Working Mans Club 2pm start.

Jan/Feb/March - Recorders Trophy (Shore) best total returns over three month period.

Jan/Feb/March - Recorders Trophy (Boat) best total returns over three month period.

### **Club Diary Dates**

23rd/24th May - St Columb SAC Open Competition.

13th/14th June - Camborne AA Open Festival.

27th/28th June - Padstow & District SAC Open Competition

11th/ 12th July - Grenville Arms SAC Open Competition.

12th/3th September - Camborne AA Open Bass Championship.

10th/11th October - St Columb SAC Open Bass Championship.

8th November- MBAS Open Competition

This will be the last Shockleader for 2014 and thanks to Mr Tim Wills of the Camborne AA for the computation of the Shockleader for the past year. I wish you all a very merry Christmas and a healthy and prosperous new year, and, of course, 'tight lines' !!!

Until the next Shockleader, happy and safe fishing  
Regards



*Ralph*

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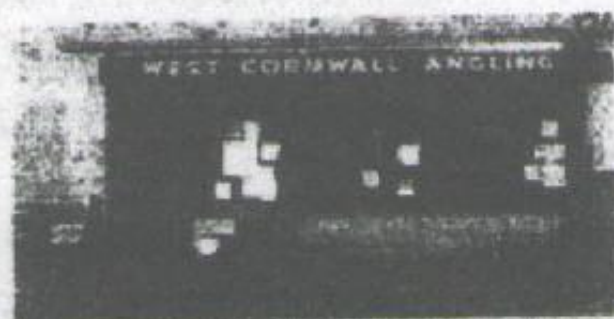
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**THERE IS AN INCREASING TENDENCY FOR ACCESS TO BE RESTRICTED OR EVEN DENIED, SO, IF YOU WISH TO RETAIN THE RIGHT TO FISH FROM HARBOURS OR FROM THOSE MARKS WHICH ARE ACCESSED ACROSS PRIVATE PROPERTY, DO THE DECENT THING AND TAKE YOUR RUBBISH AND DISCARDED TACKLE AWAY WITH YOU.**

**PLEASE DON'T FOUL UP YOUR CHANCE TO FISH A FAVOURABLE SITE - CO-OPERATION IS A TWO-WAY THING. THE SELFISH ACTION OF A FEW COULD SO EASILY RUIN THE PLEASURE OF SO MANY.**

**THE CORNISH FEDERATION OF SEA ANGLERS.**