



July 2017

Dear members and patrons

General Meeting

This will be held on Friday 29th September at the St Dennis working mans club commencing at 7.30pm.

Prior to the meeting the Junior Boat and Shore Festival prizes will be presented so will all clubs make an effort to send a representative to support the Juniors.

Recorders Meeting

This will be held on Friday 10th November and clubs may bring their scales for testing against the County weights from 6pm onwards, with the meeting commencing at 7.30pm.

All proposals should be sent to Mr Simon Toms, the CFSA Assistant Recorder, by the 29th September.

Annual General Meeting

This will be held on Monday 27th November at the St Dennis working mans club commencing at 7.30pm.

Proposals for consideration at the AGM must be with me by the 28th September and these along with the Agenda will be issued to all clubs after this date.

62nd Duchy League Competition fished on Sunday 6th August

1. Camborne 'B' - 394% for 5 fish
2. Mounts Bay - 368% for 4 fish
3. Camborne 'A' - 359% for 5 fish

No fish were recorded by Redruth SAA

Pool winners

1. Richard Bates (CAA 'B') Scad 01.01.00lb, 130%
2. Kevin Griffiths (MBAS) Ballan Wrasse, 05.12.13lb, 128% (C&R)

A fine pasty supper was provided by the organising club, MBAS, and this was very much appreciated by those attending the weigh in at Bath Inn.

Grenville Arms SAC Open fished 22nd/23rd July 2017

1. Mark Bidgood (St Columb SAC) Spotted Ray, 05.03.03lb, 130%, £200
2. Sean Haley (ECC Ports SAC) Spotted Ray, 04.15.09lb, 124% Tackle.
3. Rob Instance (Mawnan AC) Thin Lipped Mullet, 02.11.07lb, 120%, Tackle.
4. Derek Note (Tintagel SAC) Ballan Wrasse, 05.03.14lb, 116%, Tackle
5. Steve Rodding (Padstow & Dis SAC) Bull Huss, 12.04.15lb, 111%, Tackle.
6. Pete Hersey (ECC Ports SAC) Spotted Ray, 04.04.09lb, 107%, Tackle.
7. Ed Schliffke (Padstow & Dis SAC) Ballan Wrasse, 04.12.12lb, 106%, Tackle.
8. Paul Hawken (Grenville Arms SAC) Pollack, 04.12.02lb, 105%, Tackle.

Clubman prize

Shaun Hawken – Pollack, 04.07.08lb 99%

Entry was 74 and the host club would like to thank Gwinear Angling of Cubert for their generous sponsorship

Weymouth Angling Centre Cod Open 2017 Sponsored by Rovex

As several CFSA members are now making trips to fish Chesil Beach, please find the following details of the forthcoming Cod only Competition to be held on Sunday 15th October 2017

First prize for the heaviest bag (Cod only) is £1000 and the heaviest Cod attracts a prize of £500 (the same angler cannot win both) plus a fantastic prize table which includes prizes for Junior, lady, and OAP.

Entry fee is £15 adults and £5 Juniors and OAP's and optional pairs.

One rod and three hooks is applicable and the fishing time is 11am to 5pm and registration is at the Abbotsbury car park from 9am

Further details can be obtained at www.weymouthangling.com or call Andrew Selby on 01305 777771

CFSA Open Cashback Boat Festival 1st/31st October

Entry by form on a pre-entry basis, the details of which are in the competition booklet, entries to be with me by the 17th September.

CFSA fish Returns

On fish weighed with your club recorder in respect of returns for a CFSA competition, it would be beneficial if those fish were put on a separate monthly return stating what competition the fish were entered for.

Please note, record fish or 100% fish which have been notified to the CFSA Recorder within the 24/48 hour period respectively still have to be included with the end of the month returns.

Angling Trust launches campaign to 'Help Save Our Wrasse'

The Angling Trust has launched a national campaign calling for an immediate closure of the live capture fishery supplying fish to the Scottish Salmon farming industry and is urging all anglers and conservationists to get involved.

Live Wrasse are now being transported from the South-West of England to Scottish Salmon farms where they are used as 'cleaner' fish to eat the sea lice that infests caged Salmon. Sea lice cause serious damage to both the farmed fish and the wild Salmon and Sea Trout throughout the region. The Angling Trusts campaign to end the live wrasse fishery include an on-line petition, an email system to lobby councillors and a poster to be displayed in fishing tackle shops.

The demand for wild caught Wrasse for this purpose has seen a boom in the value of Wrasse, which was just a few years ago of little commercial value and only used as pot bait for crabs and lobsters. The live capture fishery now means Wrasse is one of the most valuable species landed

in UK ports, fetching up to £150 per Kilo, and the opportunity to profit from this has seen uncontrolled expansion of the fishery.

The Angling Trust is calling for an immediate closure of the live Wrasse fishery on the basis of the precautionary principle until fishery managers have sufficient evidence to quantify the impact it is having on wild Wrasse populations and whether it is in accordance with requirements under the Marine and Coastal Access Act to manage sea fishery resources.

Anglers can help support the campaign by signing the petition to the five year regional IFCA's that have the power to close down the live Wrasse fisheries in each of the respective districts – Cornwall IFCA, Devon & Severn IFCA, Southern IFCA, Sussex IFCA, and Isles of Scilly IFCA.

The Angling Trust also wants anglers and members of the public who fish in the South and West to lobby the councillors, who sit on the IFCA Committees and influence policy, by writing to them.

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2017CSFA Diary Dates

24 th September	FOM Shore Final
1 st /30 th September	FOM Boat Final
29 th September	General Meeting
1 st /31 st October	Cash back Boat Festival
10 th November	Specimen Fish Meeting
18 th /19 th November	WMN Final
27 th November	AGM
9 th /10 th December	Xmas Shore Competition

2016 Club Diary Dates

2 nd /3 rd September	Camborne AA Bass Open
2 nd /3 rd September	Camelford & Dis SAC Open
9 th /10 th September	Tintagel SAC Open
7 th /8 th October	Tintagel SAC Bass Open
14 th /15 th October	Camborne AA 70 th Anniversary Open (<i>all proceeds to RNLI</i>)
21 st /22 nd October	St Columb Open Bass Championship
16 th /17 th December	Mawnan AC Flounder Open

Unaffiliated Club Diary Date

22nd October – MBAS Open Competition

Until the next Shockleader,
happy and safe fishing
Regards



Ralph