April 2015 Newsletter



This Month's Program

Our speaker for the Wednesday, April 8th will be Captain David Bacon. He is the owner operator of the charter boat "Wavewalker", Lecturer, Seminar, Speaker, Writer, Certified expert witness on maritime matters. rtc. Etc.



Contact: dpgiuliani@aol.com or 323 810-3958 cell

Shirts and Hats The t-shirts will be at the meeting. Please come to the meeting and pick them up.

PS: I have the hats also

April 2015 President's Message

First let me congratulate ALL members who took part in the Fish for Food Program last month. 1400 pounds of fillets will be provided to the hungry in the Ventura County area.

Fred Hal is over. I worked both Long Beach and Del Mar this year. Boy Those were long days. The CCA had numerous specials for joining and the Turners stores were featuring many specials.

Now fishing begins. Our trip schedule starts soon and I hope to see ALL club members at a fresh or saltwater event this year. Our Charter masters have planned many exciting trips this year, so take advantage of as many trips as you can during the year. Remember to send in your pictures and stories to our newsletter and let other members know what you are doing.

I just had my cast removed and started rehab, so I expect to be back fishing soon.

I am hoping each and every one is taking a business card and giving it out to potential new members, One of our newest members actually works at the Turners in West Covina. While at a meeting, while waiting to eat, hear our speaker, or listen to your fellow fisherman's stories, introduce yourself to a member you may not know.

This message will be short because of rehab, so see you at the meeting or on the water soon.

Your President William L Davis president@turnersrodandreelclub.com

Treasurer's Report

Report is available from William Davis

Welcome New Members

The club currently has 54 paid members. We have 11 Honorary Members

Club Calendar

Club Meetings

Date	Speaker			
1/14				
2/11				
3/11				
4/08				
5/13				

Fresh Water Events

Event	Date	Location
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2015 holds the promise of a banner fishing season. Mark your calendars for these important dates: Salt Water Calico / Sand Bass April 8, 2015 Monthly meeting Karl Penson 2.81 1st April 15, 2015 TAX DAY 2nd April 18, 2015 Kids fishing Legg Lake 3rd April 19, 2015 Day at the Docks San Diego May 1, 2015 Rock Cod opener Central California Bonito / Barracuda May 13, 2015 Monthly Meeting 1st Don Merrill 15 May 16, 2015 Kids fishing Legg Lake 2nd Luke Fitzpatrick 9.87 3rd June 10, 2015 Monthly meeting June20, 2016 Kids fishing Legg Lake Yellowtail / Dorado / White Sea Bass Karl Penson 22.56 Saturday July 4, 2015 1st 2st Warren Harper 22.25 July 5, 2015 Free Fishing Day 3rd July 8, 2015 Monthly meeting July14, 2015 ICAST Orlando FL July 18, 2015 Kids Fishing Legg Lake Tuna **Glenn Bummer** 266 1st August 12, 2015 Monthly meeting Don Merrill 2nd 24.31 August 15, 2015 kids fishing Legg Lake 3rd Luke Fitzpatrick 24.11 **Bottom Fish** September 5, 2015 Free fishing day 1st Luke Fitzpatrick 14.02 September 9, 2015 Monthly meeting Dick Giuliani 12.6 2nd September 19, 2015 kids fishing Legg Lake 3rd October 14, 2014 Monthly meeting (Nominations of officers) **Final Angler of the Year** October 17, 2015 kids fishing Legg Lake Salt Water 2015 Finals November 11, 2015 Veterans Day November 11, 2015 Monthly meeting (Election of officers and Bylaws revisions if needed) # Name Points November 21, 2015 kids fishing Legg Lake Luke Fitzpatrick 382.18 1 2 Don Merrill 348.62 Glenn Bummer December 5, 2015 Fishing with Santa Legg Lake 3 266 December 9, 2015 Awards Banquet Santa Anita Country Club Karl Penson 260.56 4 5 Warren Harper December 19, 2015 kids fishing Legg Lake 133.5 6 Dick Giuliani 100.8 7 Allison Ige 42.8 If you have or know of any events which might interest the club, please send them to me and I will post them in future newsletters. William Davis **MEMBERSHIP NEWS 2015 MEETING LOCATION** Welcome new members: Mimi's Cafe 2015 MEMBERSHIP DUES **500 W Huntington Drive** Monrovia CA 91016 For those of you who have not paid your dues yet please get them in at the January 626-359-9191

Meeting. There are at least 15 of you out there that still need to pay up. Also please be sure to fill out a membership form even if you are over 70 as we need to have your shirt info if you want one. The dues are the same as 2013, \$45 for individual and \$60 for a family membership. Remember your dues need to be paid in order for your fish photos to count.

2015 Salt Water Charters

<u>Trip</u>	Date	Landing	<u>Boat</u>	<u>Departure</u>	Price	<u>Spots</u>	<u>Open</u> Spots
1	Tues May 5	Oxnard	Sea Jay	Tues 4:30 am	120	11	5
2	Fri May 15	Ventura	Pacific Dawn	Thur 10:00 pm May 14	195	17	10
3	Sun June 7	Oxnard	Island Tak	Sun 4:30 am	120	11	8
4	Fri June 12	Ventura	Pacific Dawn	Thur 10:00 pm Jun 11	195	17	3
5	Thur July 23	Oxnard	Island Tak	Thur 4:30 am	120	11	8
6	Tues August 18	Oxnard	Sea Jay	Tues 4:30 am	120	11	5
7	Thur Sept 24	Oxnard	Island Tak	Thur 4:30 am	120	11	10
8	Tues October 6	Oxnard	Sea Jay	Tues 4:30	120	11	7

Meetings are held the second Wednesday of the month at Mimi's Restaurant in Monrovia. Mimi's has accommodated us with separate checks, an open menu, and they start taking orders as we arrive. (As early as 6PM sometimes.) We want to keep this in balance. Please continue to purchase dinner during our meetings.

If you are unable to purchase dinner or prefer your wife's cooking, please consider dessert and a beverage at least. Remember that your check

9	Fri November 6	Oxnard	Sea Jay	Fri 4:30 am	120	11	6
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Fresh Water Event Update

April. 11 or 18 ??? Castaic Lake upper lake same as above May 17 Fishing with Rich Tauber @ Casitas 10 people pontoon boat SOLD OUT sorry May 31 Fishing with Rich Tauber @ Casitas 10 people 50 \$ ea. 8 hour day open just announced first come first to pay at Feb.meeting June14 Sunday 7:am @ Bolsa Chica July -----to be announced open to suggestions Aug.---- to be announced ? Sept----to be announced ? Oct. and Nov. same as above ?

April 18th I have scheduled a outing at upper Castaic Lake. As before we meet at the launch ramp parking area. Weather pending of course, it gets windy there. You can rent a boat, fish from shore, bring your own boat.

As for last month at Perris Lake, Sam and I myself fished the float tubes. I caught two bass, one on a plastic crawdad, and the other on a live shad. We fished the corner of sail cove and the dam and the shad schooled up on the surface. I was able to "net" a few, so I passed some over to Sam. He hooked a willing bass but lost it. If we were more prepared to corral the candy bait we would have done much better. I can see how Rich Tauber is successful at this technique when you have live shad. I've been in touch with him for the two May trips, so we'll how it goes. See you at the April meeting

Mike Maurizio

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SECRETARIES REPORT

DINNER MEETINGS

We are still able to meet at Mimi's Restaurant in Monrovia. It becomes more and more difficult to find meeting space as time goes on. We have strived to make this relationship work.

In order to maintain a good working relationship with Mimi's each member needs to continue to purchase food at our Dinner meetings. Yes, these are dinner meetings. Mimi's has accommodated us with separate checks, an open menu, and they start taking orders as we arrive. (As early as 6PM sometimes.) We want to keep this in balance.

If you are unable to purchase dinner please consider dessert and a beverage at least if you eat dinner at home. Also please remember that your check no longer includes the tip so you need to add on the tip. And please be generous in your tip. We are not the easiest group to work.

RAFFLE NEWS

Well I actually got most of the Raffle down on paper this time. Please be sure to let Mr Davis know what you want or what you think should be in the raffle. Give him specifics please via email.

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2014 Membership Drive

The 2014 Membership Drive is on!!!! Pierre will have pre-printed forms. Just bring your check or cash and validate your personal information on the pre-printed forms. The data on the pre-printed forms comes from the club database. This is the best time to verify and update your information. (Please make every effort to use the pre-printed forms rather than fill out a blank form. I have had instances when people supplied "new" or "revised" information (or I couldn't read their writing), only to have to change the information back at a later date! Thanks for your consideration and cooperation.)

The dues for 2014 are the same as last year: \$45 for an individual and \$60 for a family membership. That entitles you to one T-shirt for individuals and 2 T-Shirts for family members.

Membership Card Reminder

All members are reminded that your club membership entitles you to a 10% discount on NON-SALE fishing tackle items at Turner's Outdoorsman stores. This discount is not available for guns or ammo. You are also reminded that after January 1 2015, your 2014 membership card is void. In order to receive the discount, a current 2015 membership card will be required. All store managers aware of this and there are **NO XCEPTIONS**.

Website Update

All of the updates have been entered into the Website. If you have anything you would like to add, e-mail it to newsletter@turnersrodandreelclub.com. Mystery Prize-Ron Hall Fish or Cut Bait book-Dave Barceleau Savage Gear Trout swimmer lure-Dennis Thys Seagar Flouro- Alex Perez Krocodile lure- Jose Dominguez Savage Gear Line thru Trout-Dick Giuliani Dr Fisherman forceps-Manuel Zamora Rapala Scale-Bob Bingham

And then there were 2 final prizes with the first ticket drawn getting choice of the 2 prizes. Dick Giuliani choose the Graphtec Rod. That meant the Shimano Torium 14 Reel went to new member Joe DelaFuente. Congrats Joe. Hope to see you and that new reel on some of our trips this year.

CLUB ROSTER

Club Rosters should be available from Membership Chairman Pierre Sycip if you need one. Just ask Pierre for an updated 2015 Roster.

MEMBERSHIP

FISH FOR FOOD ROUND-UP

This year's Fish for Food Campaign was a huge success with a total of 1400 lbs of fish donated. Turners Members were spread out on several different boats. We limited out on Rockfish and had plenty of time to fish for other species before heading back to the Landing early. Once again the Mirage held up the festivities by coming in 20 minutes late but that was at least 20 minutes earlier than last year. Member Dick Giuliani was on that boat, having been switched off the Island Tak. Steve Kelly had to cancel the Island Tak's outing because of an ill deckhand. On the Pacific Islander were Will Ebersman, Ernie Branch, Carolyn Duncan and myself. William Davis sat this one out with his cast but was there at the Landing to meet & greet.

Carolyn was the hot stick, bringing up the first rockfish and then she managed to catch her limits and mine. Good thing as I could hardly catch anything. Carolyn did share her secret early on drop down to where you think you should be and wait a minute. Meanwhile I kept following the Captain's directions to drop to the bottom and then reel up 20-30 feet. Fred Bernthal caught his share off fish on another boat and back at the Landing Don Merrill and Racquel DeCipeda arrived after a successful day of fishing. Carolyn was interviewed by KCET-TV while disembarking but her interview ended up on the newsroom floor. Fish and Wildlife were a huge presence at this year's event. Additional paper work was done by the members of Gold Coast Lady Anglers including a lot of recording of license numbers from those fishing. Then they labeled plastic bags to contain our filets with our license numbers and accounted for the number and type of fish on each person's bag. Each person had to carry their own bag to the Landing and hand the bag to Fish & Wildlife. This took a little extra time but wasn't as bad as it could have been. Some boats, such as the Mirage did not prep their fish in the bags and DFW boarded the boat.

This year's lunch featured wraps donated by a local restaurant and a brief raffle. Dick Giuliani was rewarded for his generosity by winning the final prize, the Accurate Reel.

I hope I didn't miss anyone in this article. Turners Club members need to be commended for attending this worthwhile event and providing fish for the needy.

Submitted by Denise Davis

Volunteers Needed for Eagle Rock Kids Trip

Organizer Don Udlock has announced that this year's Eagle Rock Rockdale Elementary School Trip is a go. This year's trip will be 5/15/15, 22nd Street Landing, 8:00 am, 1/2 day trip. We need as many volunteers as possible to make this trip a success. Get some fishing buddies together and come on out and help for half a day. Please plan to arrive before the children are scheduled to leave the Landing. Don will have more info at the next meeting. And don't forget your dikes.

Denise Davis,

From the Secretaries Office of Denise Davis secretary@turnersrodandreelclub.com

Members Reports



Manuel Zamora caught catfish 2lbs 9oz March 21 at Legg lake

HMMMMMM ... UNINTENDED CONSEQUENCES??

