

April 2016 Newsletter



This Month's Program



Our speaker for the Wednesday, April 13th will be Brian Nguyen, Angler extraordinary, Tackle Rep, and someone fully knowledgeable on all aspects of salt water fishing and much more.

Brian Nguyen is a Southern California native who has dedicated half his life to the fishing tackle industry. He has represented some of the finest names in the business including Penn, Shimano, Avet and Okuma. Having been a rep for almost 18-years, Brian's experience with fishing equipment and his knack for recognizing new trends has helped to pioneer some of the rods and reels on the market today.

Brian has had the opportunity to fish many places in the U.S. and other countries. His favorite? San Clemente Island. "Southern California; he says ..."my roots. "I love it and believe our saltwater fishery is one of the best." Being a family man now, his time on the water is somewhat limited but he still enjoys fishing the breakwall for calico bass late at night every Friday with his brother. Brian has Long Range experience and has been on many 8 to 16-day trips with numerous 200-pound tuna under his belt. His passion for the sport and industry and his desire to help others understand the products and how to use them make him one of the West Coast's most sought after advisers and outfitters.

He will be talking about Costa Sunglasses and will have some giveaways on-hand.

I would like to thank those that come out to the casting seminar, at the Rose Bowl. Attending were Jose Dominguez and son, Sam Zanrosso, Dave Craig, Danny Beatty, and Manual Zamora. A special shout out to Sam and Dave for assisting. We had a nice morning and I hope provided some help in getting those baits and lures a little further from the boat. ...dick

Treasurer's Report

Report is available from Denise Davis

Welcome New Members

The club currently has 36 paid members. We have 6 Honorary Members

Club Calendar

2016 Club Meetings

Date	Speaker
1/13	Martin Walls
2/10	Jamie Maisson
3/09	Darlene and Tom Lee
4/13	Brian Nguyen
5/11	
6/08	
7/13	
8/10	
9/14	
10/12	
11/09	
12/14	Christmas Banquet

Fresh Water Events

Event	Date	Location
1		
2		
3		
4		

Whopper Board Standings

2016 YTD STANDINGS

Fresh Water

Trout

1st	Jose L Dominguez	2.3
2nd	Jose M Dominguez	2.2
3rd		

Surf/Pan Fish

1st
2nd
3rd



I also want to give a special thanks for our special speakers last month. Darlene and Tom Lee gave an incredible presentation. If you were not at the meeting, you missed something special.Hat tip to Don Merrell

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April 2016 President's Message

The weather is beginning to warm up, El Nino is still with us only not as devastating as predicted. The rains still may come but the fishing season has begun

CCA our representative for better fishing conditions and our voice in the legislature is sponsoring a fund raising BBQ at the Compton Hunting and fishing Club on Saturday May 21, 2016. Mark your calendar and please attend if you can. Turners Rod and Reel Club is sponsoring a table, so if you plan to attend wear your Turners gear and sit at our table please. If you plan to attend, please see me for your tickets.

Fred Hall is past so I hope you all got your bright shiny new fishing gear and are ready to hit the water, be it fresh or saltwater. Before the oil spill I spent a few mornings fishing the harbor in Long Beach. The croakers and smaller halibut were biting and thr harbor was full of seals and dolphin.

As always I tout children's fishing as the only way to grow our sport. Dan Hernandez is sponsoring a kids fishing day at Lincoln Park on Aril 30, 2016 from 9 to noon MacArthur park will follow on May 14, 2016. Fishing is free for all kids under 16 who do not need a California fishing license. The lakes will be stocked and all participants will be given free bait. After the event a free lunch and raffle will be held. Please go to Danskids.org for more information.

Besides Dan Hernandez please check out California Fish and Wildlife. They (we) sponsor many kids events during the year. Again the lakes are stocked and fishing is free for all kids who do not need a license. I will post place time and dates when they become available.

Our Friends of Rollo date(s) have not been selected yet. I am told it will be in September. When Don knows, I will know and you will know. As always, please volunteer for this worthwhile cause.

Please read your newsletters. We still have numerous openings on several trips this year. This is a fishing club and I want to see as many of you as possible out there fishing, enjoying our sport and sending in your pictures and articles to share about your adventures.

Large / Small Mouth Bass

1st Luke Fitzpatrick 3.96
2nd
3rd

Striped Bass

1st Luke Fitzpatrick 1.8
2nd
3rd

Catfish

1st
2nd
3rd

Salt Water

Calico / Sand Bass

1st
2nd
3rd

Bonito / Barracuda

1st
2nd
3rd

Yellowtail / Dorado / White Sea Bass

1st
2nd
3rd

Tuna

1st
2nd
3rd

Bottom Fish

1st Luke Fitzpatrick 20.06
2nd Mike Maurizio 19.7
3rd

Angler of the Year

2016 Salt Water YTD Standings

#	Name	Points
1	Luke Fitzpatrick	257.68
2	Mike Maurizio	157.6
3	Jose L Dominguez	46
4	Jose M Dominguez	44
5		
6		
7		
8		
9		
10		

MEETING LOCATION

See you on the water or at a meeting soon. Invite your friends to join us fishing and to join our club. Thank you.

Your President
William L Davis
williamldavis7@gmail.com

More CCA Information

Well members, looks like CCA has replaced United Anglers as our best and only voice in representing the interests of fisherpersons, hunters and conservationists in California.

CCA Los Angeles Chapter is sponsoring a BBQ at the Compton Hunting and Fishing Club 1625 S Sportsman's Drive Compton, CA 90221 on Saturday May 21, 2016 from 10am to 4 pm. Tickets are \$50.00 each or a table can be purchased for \$500.00.

Dick, Denise and I will be attending as I expect Wil and Marti.

As president of Turner's Rod and Reel club I am asking for at least 5 members to step forward and purchase a ticket to help fill out our table. If I get more than 10 we will sponsor 2 tables.

If you can make this worthwhile event and help preserve fishing for future generations, email me at Williamldavis7@gmail.com, call me at 626 390 7673 or see me at the April or May meeting.

Thank you in advance for your support in building a voice for fisherman in California.

William L Davis

On Saturday June 11, 2016 from 9:00am till 12:00 noon, the U. S. Coast Guard will be hosting a Boating Safety Day at Moonstone Park 280 Marina Way Redondo Beach, CA 90277.

You can learn about visual distress signals, LED Flare Technology, Marine Fire Extinguishers, Automated Marine Radio check on channel 27 and proper deployment of handheld and aerial flares.

You can participate in aerial and handheld flare deployment, see a demonstration of U S Coast Guard vs Solas vs LED, Marine Fire extinguisher safety demo and training, basic marine knot tying, Automated Radio check on channel 27, schedule a U S Coast Guard Aux Vessel safety check and register for boat safety classes.

Bring Family and friends, marine fire extinguishers to be weighed and checked and expired flares for proper disposal

For more information go to waterfronteducation.org or call [805 312 5929](tel:8053125929)/mistrsea@aol.com

Fishing in the City will be sponsoring the following events during 2016

Imaginology a S T E A M Event
April 15 2016 to April 17, 2016
Costa Mesa Fair Ground
88 Fair Drive
Costa Mesa, CA 92626

Lincoln Park
April 30, 2016 8-12
3501 Valley Blvd. (across from DMV)
Los Angeles, ca 90031

Mimi's Cafe
500 W Huntington Drive
Monrovia CA 91016
626-359-9191

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 does not include 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.

2016 Membership Drive

The 2016 Membership Drive is on!!!! Sam 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 2016 are the same as last year: \$45 for an individual and \$60 for a family membership.

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 2016, your 2015 membership card is void. In order to receive the discount, a current 2016 membership card will be required. All store managers are aware of this and there are **NO EXCEPTIONS**.

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.

Mac Arthur Park
May 14, 2016 8-12
2230 W 6th Street
Los Angeles, CA 90057

Cerritos Regional Park
June 4, 2016 7-11am
19700 Bloomfield
Cerritos, CA 90701

Belmont Pier Kids Fishing Rodeo
August 5, 2016 8-12
Long Beach, CA 90803

Huck Finn Days at Huntington Beach Pier
August 13, 2016
Huntington Beach, CA 92648

Seal Beach Pier
August 20, 2016 8-12
Seal Beach, CA 90740

Chollas Park Lake
October 24, 2016
6350 College Grove Drive
San Diego, CA 92115

Bell Gardens Family Fishing Day
John Anson Ford Park
November 7, 2016 7-1300
8000 Park Lane
Bell Gardens, CA 9020

Fishing with Santa
In Association with Dan Hernandez
Legg Lake
December 5, 2016
823 Lexington-Gallatin Road (60 at Santa Anita Road)
S. El Monte, CA 91733

for more information, dates and updates contact www.fishinginthecity.org or www.wildlife.ca.gov

Proposed but NOT finalized dates include:

Alondra Park Lake
May 7, 2016 7-1300
38850 W Manhattan Beach Blvd.
Lawndale, CA 90260

Chollas Park
June 25, 2016
6350 College Grove Ave.
San Diego, CA 92115

Belvedere Park Lake
September 3, 2016 8-1200
4000W. 3rd Street
Los Angeles, CA 90022

El Dorado Park
November 21, 2016 8-1200 (605 at spring street)
7550 E. Spring Street
Long Beach, CA 90815

2016 Salt Water Charters

<u>Trip</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Landing</u>	<u>Boat</u>	<u>Departure</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Spots</u>	<u>Open Spots</u>
1	Fri April 22	Oxnard	Island Tak	Fri 4:30 am	130	11	8
2	Sun May 15	Ventura	Pacific Dawn	Sat 10:00 pm May 14	195	19	8
3	Tue May 31	Oxnard	Island Tak	Tues 4:30 am	130	11	9
4	Fri June 10	Ventura	Pacific Dawn	Thurs 10:00 pm Jun 09	195	19	6
5	Wed June 22	Oxnard	Island Tak	Wed 4:30 am	130	11	3
6	Thurs July 21	Oxnard	Sea Jay	Thurs 4:30 am	130	11	1
7	Thurs Aug 4	Oxnard	Island Tak	Thurs 4:30 am	130	11	2
8	Fri Sept 2	Oxnard	Island Tak	Fri 4:30 am	130	11	8
9	Tues Oct 11	Oxnard	Island Tak	Tues 4:30	130	11	8

Charter Master
Ernie Branch
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Fresh Water Event Update

See you at the meeting *Luke Fitzpatrick*
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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.

CLUB ROSTER

Club Rosters is available from Membership Chairman Sam Zanrosso if you need one. Just ask Sam Zanrosso for an updated 2016 Roster.

Trip Signups

Once again we are taking trip signups at the March meeting for all of the 2016 saltwater trips. A 50% deposit is required for all trips in order to save your spot. No trips are full yet. We are accepting reservations for guests as well as members. Please continue to make your checks out to William Davis.

If a trip fills up Ernie Branch will be making a standby list as spots frequently come open. Deposits are not needed for standby status.

The May Pacific Dawn trip is now on Sunday May 15th. Also added to the list is the May 31 Island Tak trip.

Questions? Call Ernie Branch at 626-357-0064.

MARCH SPEAKER

Last month's speaker was Chef Pinky, aka Darlen Lee. Captain Tom was along to carry the heavy stuff. Actually it was good to see them both at our meeting. Darlen charmed us with her special personal recipes from Pinkyleesplace, her Facebook page filled with recipes. Not only did Darlen share recipes, she had 4 fish dishes prepared for us to sample as well. And then while she talked about the different recipes she also handed out some of her preferred ingredients for the members to take home- things like panko, Malden sea salt, Old Bay Seasoning. Some of us also got cute little pink fish bags with skewers and fish tweezers. Tom passed out copies of some of Pinky's recipes so we would have them at home. The tasting was incredible with 4 wonderful items she had prepared for us. Everyone had a different favorite, but it was hard to pick just one of the four dishes. We enjoyed all of them.

Captain Tom Lee shared what he has been up to, Captaining again part time out of Pierpoint. Hopefully we will see him out there again in the future.

Darlen also had a special Ladies raffle for the gals there. See more under March Raffle news.

A big Thank You to Darlen and Tom Lee for everything that evening. I'm asking the Editor to include one of her recipes for those who missed a really good meeting.

Submitted by Denise Davis

RECIPE FROM DARLEN LEE

TROUT GRENOBLAISE

Trout or any white meat fish – calico bass, rockfish, whitefish, etc. (For all those fishing the Irvine Lake Derby!)

Start with clean, scaled, deboned (if possible) trout. 5 little ones or 3 medium or if your lucky 1 big one! Soak your trout in milk for about 15 minutes, this will keep your meat white and flakey. Drain it. Dredge your fish lightly in plain all purpose flour. Place about 1/4 a cup clarified butter (see below), not oil, in a hot pan big enough... to fit your fish.

Sauté your fish on both sides until golden brown, remove from the pan and pour off only the fat from the pan, keeping all those crumbs in the pan.

NOW THE SAUCE TO DIE FOR! Deglaze, that means pour into your hot pan, 1/4 cup of white wine, the juice of three lemons, the zest from those three lemons, and a medium diced shallot. Keeping your pan on to low heat, you want to stir that until it seems like everything is dry. Add 1/2 cup of capers, lightly stir. Take a 1/4 cup, that's a 1/2 a stick of butter, and start adding it to the sauce in small chunks... this will thicken your sauce. Pour that over your trout and sprinkler with some chopped parsley.

This was one of my favorite recipes at culinary school, it's a very easy basic French sauce. If you add chopped almonds, it's a Amandine! add Grapes and it's Veronique!

CLARIFIED BUTTER: Take an entire brick or more of butter. Place it in a pan on low heat, do not boil! Let it melt down. Remove the foamy top. Scoop out the center, the clear liquid, this is your clarified butter. Put it in a separate container. Be sure not to tap the bottom of the pan or stir... this will bring all the solids into your clarified butter. If you have ever just tossed butter in the pan, like frying eggs, you notice it burns quick – it's not the butter burning but the solids. You can now use your clarified butter or place the container in the fridge and use as needed.

More recipes at Pinky's Place on Facebook.



March Raffle

. The March Raffle was full of surprises.

It included 2 grand prizes, a Freshwater combo and a second rod. First ticket drawn had choice. Winners included Chuck Auer x2, Russell Schockman x2, Ron Hall x2, Joel Tureaud, Carolyn Duncan, Jose M Dominguez, Warren Harper.

The first Grand Prize ticket drawn had Chuck Auer's name on it so he chose the rod. The second lucky winner was Carolyn Duncan who won the FW combo.

SPECIAL RAFFLE

After our Turners raffle our speaker Darlen Lee announced that she was having a raffle for the ladies present that night. She had a special package from Jon Pettey Custom Goldsmith in Tustin (Finaddict.com) that she was donating. OMG. She had made tickets out in all the ladies' names for a drawing. I knew it was something really nice because I am familiar with Jon Pettey. He is the Goldsmith at the Fishing shows and I have purchased numerous items from him for my husband. I couldn't believe I won! It was a gorgeous rose gold fish with inlaid opal. You will see me wearing it soon. Thanks so much Darlen, I love it!

Submitted by Denise Davis

CLUB T SHIRTS

I really appreciate those of you who responded with a T shirt order already. Those who responded to me directly should have their shirt at the April meeting. Those who responded to Sam instead of emailing me directly may have their order delayed until the May meeting. The design was revealed at the March meeting and was created by our own Luke Fitzpatrick and approved by the Board. The membership voted on the digital process at the last meeting. If you have already ordered your shirt, please plan to pay for it at the April Meeting.

I am not going to be ordering every month so now is the time to order. Orders will have to be paid for in advance. I will only accept orders from 2016 paid and honorary members. There are no discounts and no payment plans. No refunds or exchanges. The shirts are being sold at cost.

I will have order forms at the April meeting. You will need to pay at the April meeting for your shirt order for delivery in May.

The shirts are the same brand as the past few years so size will run the same. For those that are new to the Club, I have noticed some shrinkage, so allow for that.

Here is the breakdown and costs:

All shirts are heather grey with pocket.

Short Sleeve with pocket

1. \$20 each shirt for short sleeve size Small to x large.
2. \$23 each shirt for short sleeve size 2xl
3. \$25 each shirt for short sleeve size 3xl - 4xl.
4. \$29 each for short sleeve size 5xl-6xl

Long Sleeve with pocket

1. \$23 each shirt for long sleeve size small to x large.
2. \$25 each shirt for long sleeve size 2xl
3. \$26 each shirt for long sleeve size 3xl and 4xl
4. \$32 each shirt for long sleeve size 5xl

Questions? Call me at 626-294-9043. if you get the VM, leave a call back number.

If you are interested in jackets or hoodies let me know as I am getting prices for those too. Ladies want a different style? let me know.

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Denise Davis,
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Members Report

Rich Tauber
Lake Casitas Trip 04/02/2016
By
Sam Zanrosso

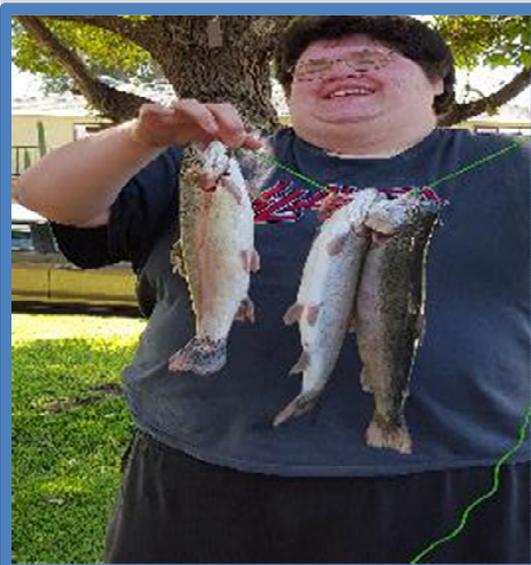
Four of us show for the trip. William and Denise Davis rode up with me. Luke drove up by himself. We arrived at the lake at 7:00am. Weather was great and sunny.

Rich arrived around 7:15am and asked us to meet him down at the ramp. We walked onto the around 8:00am and the day started. When we got out on the lake, Rich discussed that the water was ready to turn over and fishing was tough. He had the poles all rigged with plastic worms on a drop shot setup. Rich instructed us to let the bait sit and wind every few minutes. Luke hooked the first Bass but was not able to hold on to it. That gave us all hope for a great day. For the rest of the day we moved from spot to spot with no luck. Denise had a couple of tugs with no results. At our last stop Rich told us it was time to head back in a few minutes. I changed my bait to a chartreuse tube. Tossed it at and got a hook up. It felt great. Worked in slow and was able to land it. A 5.3-pound Bass. It felt good. We headed back and the day was over.



**Mountain Lakes
By
Danny Beatty**

Sam and I have been going to Mountain Lakes for the past 3 months. Each time we go I catch at least one trout or catfish. Sam has not been as lucky. But I have to say he is a hell of a net man bringing the fish out of the water. Following are some pictures caught. All fish caught was from 1.8 to 2.2 lbs.





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