

October 2017 Newsletter



This Month's Program



Our speaker for the Wednesday, October 11th, will be Valerie Hoperich from Queen Charlotte Safaris. Valerie owns and operates a lodge in Haida Gwaii-British Columbia. She will be sharing the highlights of the 2017 fishing season and footage filmed this last August, as well as answering questions.



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

October 2017 President's Message

Our speaker this month is from Queen Charlottes Lodge in Canada. Please come hear about the exciting fishing opportunities available.

As we approach the last 60 days of our fishing Year/Season, remember you must have ALL pictures in by the end of the November meeting.

If you have not already received it, everyone will be receiving your Membership Dues Renewal, 2018 Release Form and Banquet Form. Sam states if nothing has changed on your Membership Renewal just please write your name on the form and return to him with your dues. Denise asks you to send her the Banquet form with payment ASAP, and Ernie and I request you sign and date your 2018 Release form. You can bring these forms to the October/November meeting or mail them in, but please do so as soon as possible. Thank you.

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

2017 Club Meetings

Date	Speaker
1/11	Tucker McCombs
2/08	Ryan Meyers
3/08	
4/12	Bobby Oto
5/10	Mike Maurizio/Dave Craig
6/14	Howard Hada
7/12	
8/10	Ruben Ortiz
9/13	Frank Murata
10/11	Valerie Hoperich
11/08	
12/13	Christmas Banquet

Fresh Water Events

Event	Date	Location
1		
2		
3		
4		

Whopper Board Standings

2017 YTD STANDINGS

Fresh Water

Trout		
1st	Karl Penson	4.37
2nd	Jose L. Dominquez	3.02
3rd	Bill Sullivan	2.63

Surf Fish/Pan Fish

1st	Rich Jenkins	1.9
2n	Mike Maurizio	1.25
3rd	Jose M. Dominquez	1.10

I am including a Turners Club Card with each packet. Please put your name on card and if you recruit a new member you will become eligible for a prize. I want to see the club grow and hope all members make this a priority during 2018.

October is also the Month when we nominate our Officers/Board of Directors. Denise is currently Secretary/Treasurer and Sam is acting in the capacity of Webmaster/Membership Chairman. All offices are open, President, Secretary, Treasurer, Freshwater Chairman, Saltwater Chairman, Web Master, Membership Sgt at Arms and Whooper Board chairman are the positions open. Remember our club is only as strong as the members who are in the club.

October is also the month we accept proposed changes to our bylaws. All members were given copies of the bylaws at the beginning of the year and I believe Sam has a few copies left and they are posted on the website. The Rules and Regulations for Angler of the Year and Freshwater Angler points are spelled out. and next year I hope to present more freshwater events and encourage all members to attend as many events as possible but you have to attend at least one event in order to qualify for Angler of the Year and Freshwater Angler. I am hoping members step forward to help our chairman so we can cover as many events as possible. I will make myself available for as many events as possible and hope you will too. Hope to see you on the water soon, at a monthly meeting or just out fishing. Send Sam your stories and pictures and Warren your Whooper Board pictures.

Feel free to speak to any officer/board member and remember the club will only be as good as we can make it.

Thank you

Well see you at a meeting or on the water.
Thank you

Your President
William L Davis
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2017 Salt Water Charters

Charter Master
Ernie Branch
(626) 357-0064 Work
erndoganglers5@gmail.com

Fresh Water 2017 Event Update

Our last freshwater event of the year is coming up, who's going to join us?
We will be fishing Castaic. Lake on Saturday October 28th starting at 7 a.m.
we will meet at the lower lake (lagoon) and from there you can either fish the shore, use a float tube, kayak, canoe or boat with an electric motor.

If I am not there I will make sure there is somebody in my place to meet with everyone.

Good luck and make sure to take pictures!

Call with any questions,

Luke Fitzpatrick
626.863.3379

See you at the meeting Luke Fitzpatrick
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Large / Small Mouth Bass

1st	Luke Fitzpatrick	6.6
2nd	Randy Mindoro	4.12
3rd	Don Udlock	3.37

Striped Bass

1st	Rich Jenkins	4.4
2nd	Mike Maurizio	3.31
3rd	Karl Penson	2.63

Catfish

1st	Jose M Dominguez	6.63
2nd	Rich Jenkins	5.2
3rd	Atticus Ige	.52

Salt Water

Calico / Sand Bass

1st	Karl Penson	6
2nd	Ernie Branch	4.75
3rd	Jose L Dominguez	4.01

Bonito / Barracuda

1st	Karl Penson	7.69
2nd	Jose L Dominguez	6.59
3rd		

Yellowtail / Dorado / White Sea Bass

1st	Ernie Branch	29.25
2st	Dick Giuliani	27.31
3rd	Warren Harper	24.81

Tuna

1st	Glenn Bummer	167.5
2nd	Ron Coleman	136.6
3rd	Rich Jenkins	130

Bottom Fish

1st	Ernie Branch	24.88
2nd	Ron Coleman	16.31
3rd	Joel Tureaud	13.88

Angler of the Year

2017 Salt Water Standings

#	Name	Points
1	Karl Penson	577.16
2	Rich Jenkins	496.6
3	Ernie Branch	429.9
4	Ron Coleman	204.48
5	Luke Fitzpatrick	288
6	Mike Maurizio	264.84
7	Jose M Dominguez	252.9
8	Jose L Dominguez	214.46
9	Dick Giuliani	201.38
10	Glenn Bummer	167.5

MEETING LOCATION

SECRETARIES REPORT

DECEMBER BANQUET INFO

OK FOLKS, YOU KNOW THE DRILL...IT'S TIME FOR THE TURNERS ROD & REEL CLUB'S DECEMBER BANQUET

December 13, 2017 Wednesday

Cocktails/Appetizers: 6pm. Cash Bar.

Dinner followed by the Awards & Raffle.

The Monrovia Restaurant Banquet Room

534 South Myrtle Avenue, Monrovia, CA 91016

Banquet Tickets \$45.00 per person advance reservation. \$55.00 at the door. (Another reason to get this paid in advance.)

Spouses, friends & guests are welcome.

Let's get this done. The Club has to pay in advance and you know you are coming. We must guarantee a number and pay in advance. Every year we have to call people to see if they are coming or not. Please fill out the info below and mail it now with your check made out to William Davis. Keep the top section so you know where you are going. Or pay at the October or November meeting. The Board will be busy setting up things for your evening so unless you're dying that day, please don't call us. Just show up on time. Bring your wife, GF, BFF, mother.

Raffle includes 2018 Club Trips, rods, reels and other goodies.

Call Denise before Dec. 13th for questions at 626-294-9043. She will not be answering that number on Dec 13th.

Upcoming info for Fall 2017

Soon Mr Davis will be mailing out the 2018 Membership renewal forms and December Banquet information. Along with each packet you will get a sticker for use in the Whopper Board competition. This is so that everyone knows what to put on the photos they turn in. More stickers are available from Warren Harper & William Davis at the meetings.

Please give your membership renewal form to Sam Zanrosso. Please pay Sam separately for the renewal. Renewal is required annually. Honorary members are required to fill out the form every year.

Denise Davis will be taking Banquet reservations. Separate payment is required. No partial payments. She will not accept Membership renewal forms or membership payments unless Sam is absent.

SNEAK PEAK FOR NOVEMBER

The November meeting this year offers and extra incentive this year.

Izorline has offered to come back with their knot testing machine for our own Club contest.

Let's see who really ties the best knot in our Club.

September Raffle

Just want to remind everyone again that we do not draw bent tickets. Whatever reason you have for bending your tickets, remember, they are automatic losers. This holds true for the December Banquet Raffles also. So do not place bent tickets in the buckets ever.

The September meeting featured our great speakers from Diawa who graciously donated items to our Raffle. Thank you for the Diawa line, hats, shirt and the hoodie. If you missed this meeting your really missed a good one.

Grand Prize: Avet SXJ Reel- Winner Joel Tureaud
Rod Holder-Marti Ebersman
Flashlight-Dave Craig
100# Mono-Mike Maurizio

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

DINNER MEETINGS We are still able to meet at Mimi's Restaurant in Monrovia. We have been very lucky to have this room for our meetings for many years now. We strive to maintain a good relationship with Mimi's. The room is not free. 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 or a beverage at least if you eat dinner at home. We also strive to be ladies and gentlemen with our servers. Treat them the way you would want your mother treated! Please remember that your check no longer includes the tip so you need to add on a generous tip. We are not the easiest group to work.

2017 Membership Drive

The 2017 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 2017 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 2017, your 2016 membership card is void. In order to receive the discount, a current 2017 membership card will be required. All store managers are

Shimano Glow jigs-Denise Davis, Ron Hall
Leadmaster Popper-Joel Tureaud
Coltsnipper Lure-Ron Hall
Halco Lure-Warren Harper
Savage Gear Jlg-Dave Craig, Don Merrill
Diawa Line-Dave Craig, Don Merrill
Diawa Shirt-Carolyn Duncan
Diawa Hoodie- Jose Dominguez (aka Jr)
Diawa Hats- Marti Ebersman x2 and Pierre Sycip.

The October meeting should be another good one. Make sure you attend.

Denise Davis,
Secretary
From the Secretaries Office of Denise Davis
Turnerstales@aol.com

CLUB ROSTER

Club Rosters is available from Membership Chairman Sam Zanrosso if you need one. Just ask Sam Zanrosso for an updated 2017 Roster.

As a Reminder;

I will have the 2018 Membership Form at each meeting ready for you to review and pay your dues

I will be sending each of you your filled out 2018 Membership Form in the next couple of days.

Please review and reply back to me with the message;
All information is good
Or
Provide any corrections that need to be made.

All membership dues need to be paid no later than the 1st meeting in January.
If you are not attending the January meeting please mail your dues to

Sam Zanrosso
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Covina, CA 91722

Thank you in advance for your cooperation

aware of this and there are **NO**
EXCEPTIONS.

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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@turnersrodandreeclub.com.

Members Report

Terri was presented with a Turner's Club jackpot hat at the September Meeting by Saltwater Charter Master Ernie Branch



Christine Turead showed her freshwater skills at the July Freshwater event at Legg Lake



**Article
By
Mike Maurizio**

I haven't written much lately, so here's a recap on this summer's trips to the beach. It started off early in the year, Rich Jenkins and myself hitting the beach above Ventura. The sand crabs were thick and easy to get. He caught his first Corbina and we whip-led some perch to end the day. I fished Bolsa Chica several times and caught many smaller grade Corbinas, yellowfin croakers, smelt, and even two small spotted bay bass. The big boys eluded me so far, until this morning. Tuesday night on the spur of the moment I get my gear ready for the morning bite. Daybreak (8:00 a.m.) I'm setting up my gear on the tailgate of my truck, I don't see my digital scale in the tackle bag. Thinking to myself, I'm going to catch a big fish and no way to weigh it, this sucks. Down at water's edge I'm using my deep fry basket, aka sand crab scooper to get all different size crabs to last me the morning, about 30 or so. The waters kind of dirty with some weeds mixed but fishable. It was a full moon last night but the waves were somewhat small to medium. About a half hour into it, I feel a take on the end of the line. It feels like a heavy fish after setting the hook. It moves back and forth in the surf taking drag, but not long runs like a corbina would. After several minutes I'm getting it closer in and I see this tail the size of broom and a big wide body. There's no one around to see this! Back and forth, we fight it out. Finally, I drag it up on the sand, it's a spotting croaker all of 4 1/2 pounds and then some, maybe 5 pounds. No scale, no picture, no proof. Oh well it was fun any, just the one fish for the day. See you at the meeting. Thanks for reading this, Mike Maurizio.

**Island Tak Trip
By
Alexander Perez**

Henry, Ron and I arrived at Channel Island Oxnard at Cisco's Landing around 9:30pm wed night before our fishing trip on the Island Tac. As we exited our car we walked down to the landing carrying some of our food and gear towards the dock where the Island tac was parked. We Put down our gear and went below and got our bunks. Went back up to the car and unloaded the rest of our fishing gear and brought them onto the boat. The weather was a bit cool and very calm for a September evening there was hardly any clouds very nice. This was my friend from work henrys first fishing trip on a boat and he had been looking forward to going fishing with me for some time. I wanted him to have a good time and I checked my

fishing gear was ready. On wed night I gave him a quick in service on fishing, the basics 101 how to properly hold the fishing rod and reel, casting a conventional rod and reel to how to properly select and to hook on a live sardine. When the morning came with everyone on board the Island tac promptly left early at 4am Thursday went to the receiver got the bait live sardines and took off. The drive was really calm and we arrived at the island around 7am. It was very foggy and cool. Captain John found a spot and finally stopped the boat and we started fishing it was a bit slow, so we moved and decided to try another spot after a 15-minute drive we stopped and I casted out my rod and let the bait swim it was all flyline fishing style.

It was here that I was able to land the 1st fish was an 8lb yellowtail. Throughout the day there were many boils of fish Bonita, yellowtails around the boat and many club members missed or loss several hookups seemed like these yellows would just bite the bait and let go kind of strange. All of a sudden somebody said there's a biter I looked around to the stern and it was Henry now its his turn he was on a fish. The reel peeled off line and the pole was bent, I watch him with a smile and a laugh how he struggled to properly hold the reel and rod and maneuvered his body to gain the advantage in order to win this fight.

All the while I thought to myself this is why I go fishing. There were several other anglers who got yellowtails, bonito, nice calico bass, whitefish, perch a mix of fish. It seemed like again numerous flurry's boils of fish almost at every spot but then the bite would shut off.

I baited and casted out my rod, henry needed a hook so i handed him my rod and as i tied on a hook for him within a minute he again got bit and was on another fish on my rod. I could tell pole bent line peeling off the reel this was another nice fish as he again was quickly but calmly moving to gain the upper hand to tire out and to bring in this fish. Still makes me laugh just to think here's Henry who has never been fishing on a boat. He doesn't even own a pole, reel, rod or fishing license. Can barely throw out cast out 10ft or less and goes fishing with me on a boat and ends up with 2 yellowtails for the day and oh yea I forgot wins the jackpot thank you Henry for another great day of fishing.

Till next time
Alexander



Island Tac Trip By Carolyn Duncan

All to soon the last club fishing trip departed on 9/27/17. Aboard the Island Tak were 10 members and one guest. Ernie, Sam, Carolyn, Henry, Mario Sr., Jose, Jr, Dick, Alex, Mike Naka, Ron Reyes, and Luigi. We started fishing on calm seas and overcast skies. Several Yellowtail were caught before we moved on to fish for Calicos. I was lucky and caught what turned out to be the largest Calico and won the Jackpot. A guest, Henry Vasquez won the jackpot for the largest fish (Yellowtail). Everybody had a good time and returned with fish for all.

Carolyn Duncan

This email was sent by Turner's Rod and Reel Club, Covina CA 91722.