

# June 2012 Newsletter



## This Month's Program

Our speaker for the Wednesday, June 13th will be;

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## June 2012 President's Message

Well the season is well under way. By the time you read this the kids will be fishing out of Long Beach on Don Udlock's annual trip. I want to thank those who took time out of their schedules to come help. I don't have the specifics but will make a report next month. Don Udlock spoke with the kids Tuesday and they are going out Thursday the 31<sup>st</sup>.

Remember, July is swap meet month. If you have any gear you want to buy, sell, trade or donate, bring it to the July meeting.

On a housekeeping note if you are on a charter, make sure the charter master has a phone number or contact reference. The Dawn trip was cancelled and without a phone number or contact information, some people may not have been notified and driven to the landing, only to find the trip did not go out as scheduled. It is not a bad idea to contact the landing on your own if you suspect a trip will be cancelled because of weather. The landings all have web sites. So make sure the charter master has your contact information, please.

MLPA seems to be at a lull. However this is no time to let your guard down. It is an election year and I hope everyone takes a few moments to contact your elected or hope to be elected officials to let them know where you stand on this vital issue. If we site on the sidelines and wait for someone else to fight for us the fight will be lost. Speak up. I fish, I hunt and I vote should be you motto this election year.

The shirts should be in this meeting. Please attend to pick up your shirt so we can bring them to meetings as few times as possible. If you cannot attend, please have a friend pick up your shirt to make it easier on Pierre who eventually sends them out.

The White Sea bass bite is steadily picking up. We have a few openings on upcoming trips and the Sea Jay seems to be wide open. Make this an active club and go fishing. Help the charter master fill our trips with club members. In the future if there are trips or boats you'd like us to charter, please let Ernie or a board member know your wishes. We have well over 60 members and have a better turn out for the salt and freshwater trips.

Finally, take some time to volunteer your time and pass on your expertise to someone about fishing. It is only by passing on our knowledge and love of the sport that we can sustain it and make it survive.

Hope to see you at a meeting or on the water.

William L Davis

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## Treasurer's Report

Report is available from Ron Coleman

## Welcome New Members

The club currently has 63 paid members.

### May Raffle

Thanks to Whopper Board Chairman Warren Harper for assisting Raffle Chair Lynn Adams.

And the winners are:

Izorline - Dennis Thys & Joel Tureaud  
Seagar - Don Merrill  
Berkley Lip Grip - Jorge Cuevas  
Mystery Prize - Dennis Thys  
Cap & Hooks - Lynn Adams & Ralph Fregoso  
Mike's Special Lures:  
White- Dennis Dickson  
Orange- Lynn Adams  
Root Beer - Warren Harper  
Knife Set - Dick Giuliani  
Lead - Don Udlock  
Tool - Ralph Fregoso  
Black Tackle bag organizer - Joel Tureaud  
Belt - Guest  
Rod - William Davis

United Anglers Calico Bass Jacket graciously donated by Lynn Adams  
Winner; Randy Mindaro

Diawa Saltist BG 50H Reel - Don Merrill

Remember you must be present to win!  
You have to be there to win!!!

## Club Calendar

### Club Meetings

Date	Speaker
1/12	

### Fresh Water Events

Event	Date	Location
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## Whopper Board Standings

## Salt Water Charter Update

### 2012 Salt Water Charters

Trip	Date	Landing	Boat	Departure	Price	Spots
4	6/22	Oxnard	Island Tak	4:30 AM	\$105	0
5	7/1 – 7/2	Ventura	Pacific Dawn	10:00 PM	\$165	0
6	7/28	Oxnard	Island Tak	4:30 AM	\$125	4
7	8/25	Oxnard	Island Tak	4:30 AM	\$125	1
8	9/07	Oxnard	SeaJay	4:00 AM	\$105	9
9	10/27	Oxnard	Island Tak	4:30 AM	\$125	4
10	11/24	Oxnard	Island Tak	4:30 AM	\$125	9

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### Name of Trip

Boat                      Island Tak  
Landing                  Channel Islands  
Departure                4:30 AM                      Jun 22, 2011  
Return                    4:30 PM                      Jun 22, 2011

Channel Island Harbor  
4151 South Victoria Ave  
Oxnard Ca 93035  
Phone # (805) 985-8511  
11 Anglers  
Trip Fare                      \$105.00

No personel ice chests allowed on the boat. There will be a big ice chest in the bow of the boat for your food and beverage. There is a micro Range for our use, also beer, soda and water are on sale on the boat.

## YTD STANDINGS

Nov 2011

### Fresh Water

#### Trout

1st Don Merrill                      5.25  
2nd  
3rd

#### Surf Fish

1st Karl Penson                      1.5  
2nd  
3rd

#### Large / Small Mouth Bass

1st Randy Mindoro                      3.31  
2nd Dave Greg                      2.4  
3rd

#### Striped Bass

1st  
2nd  
3rd

#### Catfish

1st  
2nd  
3rd

### Salt Water

#### Calico / Sand Bass

1st Ernie Branch                      6.6  
2nd Ron Hall                      4.7  
3rd Glenn Bummer                      2.0

#### Bonito / Barracuda

1st  
2nd  
3rd

#### Yellowtail / Dorado / White Sea Bass

1st  
2st  
3rd

#### Tuna

1st Glenn Bummer                      213  
2nd Jerry Watkins                      212  
3rd Rich Jenkins                      187

#### Bottom Fish

1st Joseph Sadia                      26.18  
2nd Karl Penson                      15.2  
3rd Ernie Branch                      9.37

## Angler of the Year

### Salt Water

Nov 2011

#	Name	Points
1	Glenn Bummer	316.04
2	Ernie Branch	235.86
3	Jerry Watkins	212
4	Ken Penson	210.08
5	Rich Jenkins	187
6	Don Merrill	105
7	Joseph Sadia	104.72
8	Ron Hall	94
9	Dave Greg	48
10	Dick Giuliani	48

## Fresh Water Event Update

O.K. everybody, now that the weather has warmed up and the fish are on the chew, it's time to come out and go on a fresh water outing. In the past we have had a very poor showing for these trips, so if there is some place you want to go, let me know and we will do it.

The June freshwater trip will be to Lake Piru on June 30th. Weigh in will be at 2:00 PM In the launch ramp parking lot. For those that rent a boat or fish from shore, check at the gate as to which ramp is being used.

The July surf fish outing will be on the 21st at Bolsa Chica State Beach. Park in the usual spot. Weigh in will be at 11:30 AM.

I will not be at the June meeting, so if you plan to go on the Lake Piru outing, please contact me so I'll know who to look for. One more thing, if you are fishing from shore, keep a sharp eye out for BUZZ WORMS. They are out in force

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## SECRETARIES REPORT

### Quarterly Membership Drawing

What it is: After each quarter of the year, the Club Membership Chairman, Pierre Sycip, notes which members have had 100% attendance to the Club meetings the past 3 months and their names are entered into a drawing for a gift card. (Usually a \$25 Turner's gift card.)

Who won: At the May meeting the lucky quarterly winner was Sam Zanrosso, our Newsletter Editor. Sam was not present to accept his prize.

### May Meeting-Who Went Fishing

Fish caught included Johnny Bass, Calicos over 6 lbs, Monterrey Salmon, and legal size Lings. And a crabfest too.

Fishermen included Karl Penson, Fred Bernthal, Don Merrill, Ernie Branch, Ron Berry, Dennis Thys, Mike Maurizio.

Locations included the Central CA Coast and the Sierras as well as local fishing.

From the Secretaries Office of Denise Davis  
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## From Ron Coleman

I have a few openings on my two charter trips this summer. First trip is on the Pacific Dawn fishing July 11 and 12. We have the best of both worlds on this trip. First, we will be fishing out of Ventura and hitting all of the islands. At that time of the year we will have many opportunities for different species. If, by chance, the tuna arrive in good numbers, this trip will be moved to San Diego for tuna fishing. Obviously there will be an increase in price for the additional fuel. This trip, including food, costs \$405.

The second trip will be on the Pegasus out of San Diego on August 16 and 17. The cost of this trip is \$540 and that covers meals and Mexican permits. The new thing about Mexican visas is still an unknown at this time; that unknown cost is not included.

If you would like to sign up for one or both trips, or if you have any questions, please call me at 626-355-9216.

Ron Coleman

## MEETING LOCATION

**Domenico's Arcadia, 251 N. Santa Anita Avenue, Arcadia CA 91006. (626)**

Meeting will start at 7:30 pm.

Invite a fisherman to the next meeting or bring a friend. Get involved in our monthly raffles and sign up for our monthly charters and our monthly freshwater events. There is always a lot going on at the Turner's Rod and Reel Club. Come early and have dinner or a dessert before the meeting. See you there!

### 2012 Membership Drive

The 2012 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 2012

**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 2012, your 2011 membership card is void. In order to receive the discount, a current 2012 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](mailto:newsletter@turnersrodandreelclub.com).

## JOB OPENING

Only 6 months left to get some on the job training. Job starts 1-1-2013

Ron Coleman

## Members Reports

**Pacific Dawn June 4, 2012**

**By  
Ron Hall**

White Seabass was the target fish of this trip; they just didn't cooperate with us on this charter. It wasn't for lack of trying, fresh squid and a great crew Captain Pat, Glen, Moses, Mike and Chris took us just off Santa Rosa Island for a fun day of fishing.

The trip started with everyone showing up at Ventura Harbor a good 2hrs before we even boarded, wow that is unusual. Thanks Ernie for the ride it's always nice to carpool on a trip when I don't have to drive. I seem to relax a little bit easier, just knowing ahead of time that I don't have to drive back is great.

We first met up with Denise and William at the Landing, they were greeting everyone as they arrived. Ernie and I went to sign in and saw that 10 members had already checked in. Some were trying the new restaurant, as I did myself with a couple of Corona's and watching the Basketball Game. At around 2000 everyone was present waiting for the Dawn's return and talking Fish.

Boarding started almost as soon as the Dawn tied up, Ron Coleman brought his bag of weights with Rich's help (they were really used on this trip). We were all instructed to the galley for the safety orientation, that's when it sounded like we were going to be fishing hard the next day. People started to head to the bunkroom to sleep with visions of jigging for Squid and catching a White Sea Bass.

To my surprise the next morning I awoke with 7hrs sleep and the smell of bacon, it was a moment. Then I realized that I was one of the only members still in the bunkroom, all the others were already fishing (not catching). We started to hunt for our prey, with no success. The Mirage reported that they had one White Seabass and a Salmon, that's as close as we got to White Seabass. We stayed with the hunt until around 0900, and then headed towards deeper water for a good count of rock fish. Everyone fished real hard and the bags started to fill. Joe (Sadia) couldn't figure out his sack number and Paul (Dawson) reaped the benefits of this along with a few others.

I fished alongside Christine all day and we just kept bringing the Red Snappers up and had some great conversations along the way. Everyone seemed to be having a great time and enjoying the trip. We kept moving and drifting the rest of the day as wind and current picked up. Somewhere around 1430 we headed towards home and I went to take a nap. Some members were hoping to catch the Kings game on NBC, they ended up broadcasting it on MSNBC instead. Ernie came down a short time after I had hit my bunk and informed me that I had won jackpot (for the crew) and a hat .AWESOME! I want to thank everyone responsible for this event and the memories, this includes, Joe T., Ron C., John,

**May 19, 2012**

**BY  
CHRISTINE TUREAUD**

The evening started off by checking into the landing. I thought we would be the first to check in, however, we were about fourth in line.. To our surprise the restaurant next door had finally opened. Prices on the menu were average for the area, \$30.00 at the highend . It is called the " Rhumb Line" (In navigation, a **rhumb line** (or loxodrome) is a line crossing all meridians of longitude at the same angle,)

Traveling to Santa Rosa was a bit rough. We stopped on our way out to jig for squid. The squid was about as big as your ring finder. Approximately six were caught.

Sunrise greeted the anglers with Glen cooking breakfast , the smell of coffee, calming waters with a slight current. We did not see Mike (man dog) the deck hand because his duties had changed. He has his captains license and skippered the boat that night. Everyone on the Pacific Dawn caught their limits of bottom fish. Joel caught two lings at one time. They were keepers. The deckhands Moses and Hunter were very busy.

I had only caught two fish the entire morning, surrounded by anglers getting hooked up on both sides of me. Short lings and salmon groper wanted to make me scream. Thinking to myself "is this going to be like this all day" . They day past quickly. Pat said this is our last drop and then were heading in . By this time the wind was blowing in my face and white caps appeared. I gave it one last try and was it worth it. I caught my entire limit at the last stop.

The majority of the anglers on this trip were are regulars on the Pacific Dawn.

Can't wait for the next trip.

**Friends of Rollo Trip**

**By  
Don Udluck**

On May 31st 53 fifth and sixth grade kids from Rockdale Elementary school went fishing on a Friends of Rollo sponsored trip on the Toronado out of Pierpoint landing. We had a beautiful day on the water, flat sea and warm sunshine. On the way out a pod of 50 or so dolphins swam alongside the boat much to the delight of the kids. We also passed about a 1/2 mile from the battleship U.S.S. Iowa, one big ship. After about a one hour ride, which included a bait stop, we started fishing. Within a couple minutes two 15 inch calicos came over the side, but that was it for that spot. After a while the capitan made a move of about 30 minutes. He stopped on what must have been a sand dab metropolis as they kept coming up one after the other and into the

Duke Denise, William, Carl, Ernie, Paul, Rich, Kaili, Jim, Mike, Chuck, Christine and also Joe S.

**Island Tak Trip  
By  
Ernie Branch  
May 31, 2012**

Our 1st Island Tak trip of the year was met with a lot of hope for a white Sea Bass bite that did not occur, however that did not stop our group for having a good time. The weather was a great and mostly everybody brought back a decent amount fish. Including Calico Bass and some nice Rock Fish.

Jackpot winners were Mike Hefler with a nice size Sculpin and Ernie Branch with the biggest Calico Bass.

Other anglers on the trip were Pierre Sycip, Raffle Winner, Dennis Dickson, Rich Jenkins, Gary Gillingham, Chuck Auer, Herb Mitchell, Guest Sam Lopeland filling in for Brian Peale, Xavier Lopez, and Michael Margray. It looks like its going to be another fun year of fishing for all of us, just getting a little bit of a late start. Our hopes are high and best of luck to everybody.

gunnysacks. We kept hearing things like " I've got another one" or "can you help me get this one off the hook" to " when do we get lunch". After a break for lunch, hot dogs, bag of chips and a bottle of water it was back to the sand dabs. All to soon it was time to head back to the dock. On the way in most of the kids headed for the bow pretending they were on the Titanic, with their arms stretched straight out. Sadly for them the waves were to small to splash over the bow and get them wet. The fish were cleaned and put into 53 plastic bags and put on ice for the ride back to school where every bag was taken home to be cooked and eaten. Altogether they caught two calico bass and 353 sand dabs, just under seven fish for each one. Besides the help of two super deck hands and capitan Ray were several volunteers, Christine, Jorge and William from our club, Marty and Charles from NOAA (they spoke at our club a few months ago) and four from Rockdale. For me I am looking forward to doing it all over again about this time next year. If any of you would like to have a day of real fun you might think about coming along. Don