

Rules and regulations - Presentation Night Sunday 19th May 2024 at 6pm

Senior & Junior anglers	1. Anglers aged 16 and over may not enter as a Junior.
	2. Anglers under the age of 16 may register as an adult but may not claim junior prizes.
	3. Anglers must nominate their category upon registration e.g. Adult or junior. Age must be specified to allocate junior or critter.
Prize categories	4. <u>Champion Boat</u> (the most amount of cm of each largest fish per species caught by all anglers, this is a fun group prize!)
	5. <u>May Day Champion</u> (the angler with the highest number of cm by adding up largest fish per species) Perpetual Trophy and Prize
	7. <u>Champion Adult</u> (the angler with the highest number of cm by adding up largest fish per species, that is not the May Day Champion)
	8. <u>Champion Junior</u> (the angler between age 10 and under 16 with the highest number of cm by adding up largest fish per species that is not the May Day Champion)
	9. <u>Critter Champion</u> (the angler under 10 with the highest number of cm by adding up largest fish per species after the May Day Champion.
	10. Longest fish of each species.
	10.1 Lucky Draw Prizes (you bust be at the club to claim!)

Eligible species	11. Pelagic Species;
	11.1 Cobia
	11.2 Spanish mackerel (including broad-barred mackerel)
	11.3 Tuna (all species)
	11.4 Trevally (all species)
	11.5 Queenfish
	12. Reef species;
	12.1 Bar Cheeked coral trout
	12.2 Emperors (including Blue lined, Blue spot, Spangled and Red emperors)
	12.3 Cod (all species)
	12.4 Sea Perches (including Spanish flag, Fingermark, Saddletail and Crimson sea perch)
	12.5 Bluebone
Eligible species cont.	13. Estuary species;
	13.1 Mangrove Jack
	13.2 Giant Threadfin Salmon
	13.3 Blue nosed salmon
	13.4 Triple tail
	13.5 Black Jewfish
	13.6 Barramundi
Fishing	14. Fishing begins: 6am Saturday 18th May
Times & Area	15. Scorecards MUST BE HANDED IN BY 2:30pm Sunday 19 th May
	16. Fishing area – as per attached map
Points	18. Scores will be a total length in cm of your biggest fish per species
	19. Up to a maximum of 5 fish may be scored per species (the mayday committee will go through and select the largest)
	20. All fish must be of legal length to be eligible for a score. Where no minimum length is required, each fish must be 40cm.

Honour system	21. This is a catch and release competition.
	22. If you believe you have the biggest fish in any category you will be required to have a photo on a brag mat with the 2024 member tag.
Scoring and score cards	23. Scores will only be accepted if submitted on the score card provided to anglers on the registration night.
	24. Score cards will not be accepted after 2:30pm Sunday, 19th May 2024. Any team that encounters problems that hinder their ability to hand the score card in MUST notify – 0407 867 221
	25. Each angler may only submit one score card
	26. Only one angler may enter their species on any one score card.
Presentation	27. Prizes will be awarded on the Presentation Night (after all scores have been collated) on Sunday 19 th May 2024 at 6pm (after Members Draw)
Judges Decision is Final	28. Whilst protests or concerns by anglers may be lodged, the decisions of the May Day Classic subcommittee are final and no correspondence will be entered into.
Disclaimer	29. The Broome Fishing Club, it's committee and members accept;
	29.1- no liability for any loss or damage suffered, directly or indirectly, as a result of individuals participating in this fishing competition, or
	29.2- no responsibility for anglers or individuals who act in such a way that breaks any local or state regulations or law relating to the operation of vessels or capture of fish or other animals throughout the course of this event. This responsibility falls upon each individual angler and not the fishing club.

