



SWFSA NEWS - December 2016

Merry Christmas to you All



At the AGM in February the Proposal to open the boundaries for Personal members was discussed. This was tabled as it has come apparent that several members of affiliated clubs can't join as they live well outside the current boundary. As we are trying to grow the personal membership this was limiting our catchment.

This proposal was discussed and all present at the AGM were in favour of adopting this new ruling.

This will take effect from the first of January. Fishing Boundaries are un-effected!

Re-affiliation.

These are now due. The Federation Committee has agreed that there is no increase this year and the following affiliation fees for 2017 apply.

Membership

10-20= £39.00, 21-50=£48.00, 51-75=£55.00, 76-100= £63.00

101-150= £ 77.00, 151-200= £ 87.00, 200 plus=£108.00

Personal Members = £ 10.00 inc Handbook.

Please note: membership figures should include all social members.

Are you adequately insured against third party injury? £50.00 per club. This cover protects your members for all shore events organised by your Club, or events organised by clubs affiliated to the SWFSA. It does not cover pleasure fishing

Newsletters.

It has been agreed that Newsletters will no longer be sent by post. We feel that with the email contacts and the website that all members should have vision of them. If you are a club that currently does not provide an email contact, then hopefully someone within your club can arrange to be the contact for receiving these in future

FOTM Forms.

Still a few forms coming in with C/O for the captors address. As stated in the last newsletter supplying the correct address for the captor will make life easier further down the line if / when we need to contact them.

FISH RECORDERS REPORT

We have received a total of 198 FOTM claims to date.

A full list of All FOTM winners to date can be viewed on the website.

I have received 19 entries for July's FOTM ,26 for August,, 19 for September, 15 for October and 15 for November.

JULY FOTM

Senior Shore

DANNY WOODCOCK BLACK BREAM 3lb 6oz 4dr 169.75% WEYMOUTH AS

Senior Boat

DAVID ATKINSON STARRY SMOOTHOUND 20lb 8ozs 136.6% APPLIEDORE SHIPBUILDERS AC

Junior

N/A

August FOTM

Senior Shore

PAUL DOWNING BASS 12lb 9oz 12dr 157.62% APPLIEDORE SHIPBUILDERS AC

Senior Boat

IAN WEEDING CONGER EEL 77lb 12ozs 141.63% ATLANTA BC

Junior

HOLLIE DACK TUB GURNARD 4lb 15oz 4dr 165.00% SEATON SAC

September FOTM

Senior Shore

PHIL CHEESMAN THIN LIPPED MULLET 4lb 8ozs 150.00% WEYMOUTH AS

Senior Boat

DAVE DACK MACKEREL 2lb 14ozs 164.29% SEATON SAC

Junior

HENRY YEOMAN BLONDE RAY 17lb 8ozs 87.81% SALCOLMBE & Dist SAC

October FOTM

Senior Shore

DAVE LANE LESSER SPOTTED DOGFISH 3lb 6oz 14dr 124.66% WEYMOUTH AS

Senior Boat

IAN WOODLEY BASS 11lb 3ozs 124.31% SIDMOUTH SAC

Junior

No Winner

November FOTM

KEN STROUD POUTING 2lb 8oz 4dr 167.70% WEYMOUTH AS

Senior Boat

ANDREW ATKINSON SPURDOG 14lb 0ozs 116.67% APPLIEDORE SHIPBUILDERS AC

Junior

ZAC RUSSELL 3 BEARDED ROCKLING 2lb 6oz 12dr 161.46% WEYMOUTH AS

As the Bass regulations are the same this year as introduced in 2016 then we will be running the same rules that were brought in to cover the issue last year.

Bass caught from the shore that are weighed on certified scales then returned alive will be eligible to win the FOTM Award. Bass caught from the boat weighed and returned on certified scales will still only be able to claim a specimen certificate.

Wishing you good Fishing

Andrew