



SPEARFISHING COMPETITION & EVENT CALENDAR 2023 - 2024



THIRD QUARTER

January 2024

<i>Day</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>High</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>Sunrise</i>	<i>Event</i>
Sun 14	3:24 AM AEST 0.22 m	10:05 AM AEST 1.95 m	4:42 PM AEST 0.25 m	5:01 AM AEST	TWEED - PAIRS COMP
Sun 28	3:06 AM AEST 0.45 m	9:41 AM AEST 1.84 m	4:15 PM AEST 0.46 m	5:13 AM AEST	TWEED - PAIRS COMP

February 2024

<i>Day</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>High</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>Sunrise</i>	<i>Event</i>
Sun 11	2:32 AM AEST 0.16 m	9:05 AM AEST 2.02 m	3:33 PM AEST 0.20 m	5:24 AM AEST	TWEED - PAIRS COMP
Sun 25	2:15 AM AEST 0.44 m	8:41 AM AEST 1.88 m	3:05 PM AEST 0.43 m	5:34 AM AEST	TWEED - PAIRS COMP

March 2024

<i>Day</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>High</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>Sunrise</i>	<i>Event</i>
Sun 10	12:53 AM AEST 0.16m	8:09AM AEST 1.70m	2:30 PM AEST 0.12m	5:43 AM AEST	CLEAN UP AUSTRALIA DAY
Sat 16	6:38 AM AEST 0.69 m	12:11 PM AEST 1.22 m	6:05 PM AEST 0.62 m	5:47 AM AEST	TWEED - PAIRS COMP - CHOICE OF SAT OR SUN
Sun 17	8:06 AM AEST 0.79 m	1:16 PM AEST 1.10 m	7:04 PM AEST 0.70 m	5:47 AM AEST	
Sat 23	12:40 AM AEST 0.56 m	7:03 AM AEST 1.83 m	1:26 PM AEST 0.49 m	5:50 AM AEST	TWEED - PAIRS COMP - CHOICE OF SAT OR SUN
Sun 24	1:20 AM AEST 0.52 m	7:36 AM AEST 1.83 m	1:54 PM AEST 0.45 m	5:51 AM AEST	



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FOURTH QUARTER

April 2024

NOTE: DAYLIGHT SAVINGS ENDS 7/4/2024

<i>Day</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>High</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>Sunrise</i>	<i>Event</i>
Sun 14	6:34 AM AEST 0.71 m	11:54 AM AEST 1.15 m	5:26 PM AEST 0.69 m	6:02 AM AEST	TWEED - PAIRS COMP
Sun 28	5:01 AM AEST 0.61 m	10:33 AM AEST 1.24 m	4:14 PM AEST 0.55 m	6:10 AM AEST	TWEED - PAIRS COMP

May 2024

<i>Day</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>High</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>Sunrise</i>	<i>Event</i>
Sat 04	11:10 AM AEST 0.36 m	5:23 PM AEST 1.60 m	11:24 PM AEST 0.45 m	6:13 AM AEST	MORETON COMP DAY 1 [LABOUR DAY LONG WEEKEND]
Sun 05	11:55 AM AEST 0.29 m	6:12 PM AEST 1.74 m		6:14 AM AEST	MORETON COMP DAY 2 [COMP DAY]
Mon 06	12:20 AM AEST 0.36 m	6:26 AM AEST 1.72 m	12:37 PM AEST 0.26 m	6:15 AM AEST	MORETON COMP DAY 3 [LABOUR DAY]
Sun 26	4:11 AM AEST 0.49 m	9:43 AM AEST 1.22 m	3:18 PM AEST 0.45 m	6:26 AM AEST	TWEED - PAIRS COMP

June 2024

<i>Day</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>High</i>	<i>Low</i>	<i>Sunrise</i>	<i>Event</i>
Sat 01	3:14 AM AEST 1.36 m	9:57 AM AEST 0.26 m	4:12 PM AEST 1.21 m	6:29 AM AEST	TWEED - PAIRS COMP - CHOICE OF SAT OR SUN
Sun 02	4:16 AM AEST 1.31 m	10:46 AM AEST 0.20 m	5:09 PM AEST 1.34 m	6:30 AM AEST	
Sat 15	2:19 AM AEST 1.11 m	9:19 AM AEST 0.35 m	3:49 PM AEST 0.98 m	6:35 AM AEST	TWEED - PAIRS COMP - CHOICE OF SAT OR SUN
Sun 16	3:09 AM AEST 1.06 m	9:59 AM AEST 0.33 m	4:40 PM AEST 1.06 m	6:35 AM AEST	
Sat 29	1:37 AM AEST 1.36 m	8:16 AM AEST 0.27 m	2:34 PM AEST 1.18 m	6:38 AM AEST	TWEED - PAIRS COMP - CHOICE OF SAT OR SUN
Sun 30	2:38 AM AEST 1.26 m	9:12 AM AEST 0.26 m	3:43 PM AEST 1.27 m	6:38 AM AEST	



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Notice of Spearfishing Competition | Sign-on, Sign-off & Briefing | Format & Locations

- The Spearfishing committee is responsible and has the authority for determining if a spearfishing competition will be run prior to the scheduled competition date. Competitions may be cancelled, deferred or have a change of location or event type based on anticipated marine forecasts, dive conditions, availability of boats and numbers of divers attending.
- In the days prior to a competition going ahead an official NOTICE OF SPEARFISHING COMPETITION will be sent to members.
- Dive Calendar is formatted to Queensland Time;
- Tide times are approximate according to the Bureau of Meteorology tide predictions;
- Choice of Locations is generally Tweed Heads, Moreton or Evans Head but other areas may be notified by the Committee.
- **Sign-on** is normally 6:30am AEST (Queensland Time) the Committee will confirm via social media, email or text. Official start times may change due to location of events.
- A pre-dive briefing will be conducted by a member of the Committee and announcements concerning the competition shall be made.
- Boat launch times are generally between 7:00 to 7:30 AEST (Queensland Time).
- **Sign-off** / return time is generally around 13:00 to 14:00 for open boat competitions at the designated boat ramp (confirmed at briefing). All competitors on any boat returning early must still sign-off with the Sign On/Off Clerk via text message or message on the closed Facebook page.

Open Spearfishing Competition

- The Open Spearfishing Championship will be conducted for the duration of the competition year (which commences 1 July each year).
- The competition year is broken up into 4 separate quarters.
- There will be a maximum of 4 competitions per quarter.
- For the Open Spearfishing Championship to be valid, a minimum two competitions must be held during the year for a duration of at least four hours.
- In the event there have been four rounds of the Open Spearfishing Championship conducted in any given quarter the Spearfishing Committee may schedule a Novelty Pelagic Competition.

For further information please read the [TGCFD SPEARFISHING COMPETITION RULES](#)