April 9-10, 2022

Havasu **TOP FIVE**

1st Place

Mike Byrum

2nd Place

Keith Beever

3rd Place

Will Hogue

4th Place

John Demonet

5th Place

Andy Willoughby

Angler of the Year Points 2022

1. Mike Byrum	121
2. John Demonet	111
3. Keith Beever	111
4. Bud Maes	96
5. Will Hogue	75
6. Andy Willoughby	72
7. Rick Raskin	67
8. Ken Cox	66
9. Tony Ragusa	51
10. Dennis Rodriguez	47

Club Meetings

May 16, 2022

June 20, 2022

July 18, 2022



Mike Byrum Going for The Club Record for 2022

With three wins out of the first four tournaments of the 2022 season, Mike is making a run for the most wins in a single season. Mike has a good start, but here is what he has to beat. Doc Phil Solomon had six wins in 1995, Jonathan Demonet had six wins in 2011, and the Old Man, John Demonet had seven wins in 2014. Mike tipped the scale to 15.06 pounds on Day One to take the lead and backed that up with 14.58 pounds on Day Two to seal the deal with 29.64 pounds. Mike used a dropshot for the Smallies and a Senko for which eliminated the bed the Largemouth bass.

Keith Beever fished a Senko and an underspin in front of the tulles on Day One to bring four bass to the weighin totaling 13.35 pounds. Day Two was much more windy so Keith switched to fishing a chatterbait, a dropshot and an Ika for an additional 14.85 pounds to secure 2nd Place with 28.20 pounds of Havasu bass.

Will Hogue was the only OCBC member to weigh in a limit both days of the tournament, 11.73 pounds on Day One and 14.56 pounds on Day Two for a 3rd Place finish. Will fished a Frog, a Wacky worm and a dropshop in front of the tulles for his limits.

John Demonet caught four fish on Day One sight fishing for bedding bass. Day Two saw the wind pick up, fishing, so he threw a chatterbait in front of the tulles to bring nine bass to the scale over the two days of competition. John weighed 14.51 pounds on Day One, and 10.50 pounds on Day Two for a tournament total of 25.01 pounds and a 4th

Place plaque.

Andy Willoughby brought a bag with five fish in it totaling 11.38 pounds on Day One, fishing either a dropshot or a Senko in the lake, and on Day Two he fished the river with a Senko and an Ika for four more bass weighing 11.73 pounds, giving him total of 23.11 pounds to take the 5th Place trophy.

Steve Steward caught the BIG FISH of the Havasu Tournament on a Hula grub, which pulled the scale down to 4.78 pounds, and put him in the lead for the BIG FISH of the year.

As usual, Havasu produced well, with 65 bass totaling 160.51 pounds for ten OCBC anglers. Great tournament guys, a nice warmup for DVL in May.





3rd Place Will Hogue 26.29 lbs

4th Place John Demonet 25.01











Orange County Bass Club Newsletter BACKLASH

Cast From The Past: May 2011

Voth Takes the Floyd Valline Memorial

We had our biggest showing of the year for the Floyd Valline Memorial Tournament as 22 OCBC members tried to figure out the bass at Diamond Valley Lake, on a sunny and windy day of fishing.

As they say, "practice makes perfect" and that was the case for Tom Voth who put his tournament prefishing to good use to bring a five bass limit to the scales for 13.16 pounds to take 1st place. Tom caught one of his fish on a wake bait early while the sun was still below the horizon and the others on Senkos.

John Mock wasn't far behind Tom with 12.56 pounds and a five fish limit. John caught three of his fish on a 14 inch Moch Special worm and the other two on smaller hand poured worms, which garnered him a second place finish.

Rick Anderson fished the Margarita Mutilator on a drop shot to take third place, weighing in 4 bass for 9.05 pounds. Thank you Ken Cox for the use of your boat so Rick and John West could fish. We are sorry you had to work and miss the tournament.

Fourth place was nailed down by Richard Cabori who tricked his 4 bass on a drop shot 6 inch baby bass Robo worm totaling 8.70 pounds.

Jonathan Demonet, who is the most feared fisherman when it comes to Diamond Valley Lake, took the 5th place spot and the BIG fish of the tournament of 4.65 pounds to anchor his 8.58 pound total.

A big thank you to all the boaters who had motors that they would let on Diamond Valley Lake for making sure that everyone that wanted to fish had a ride.

Over all it was a good tournament as only 2 of the 22 OCBC members didn't bring any fish to the scales, but I'm sure they caught plenty of short fish.

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Orange County Bass Club Records John Demonet

Biggest Bass: 13.75 Pounds Silverwood, June 2001



One-Day Tournament:

27.25 Pounds San Vicente August 2002

Two-Day Tournament:

Wil Hogue

50.35 pounds Clear Lake September 2016

