

WESTERNPORT ANGLING CLUB PO Box 335 HASTINGS VIC 3915 PRESIDENT - Petros Cozis SECRETARY - Kevin Toohey TREASURER - Don Newman E: wpacnewsletter@gmail.com

Executive meetings

1st Wed of Month General meetings

3rd Wed of Month

PRESIDENTS REPORT - Petros Cozis

**Dear Members** 

Hope you are all well and staying warm and dry.

Fishing in this type of weather is definitely for the die hards...

Our new season is just beginning and the first competition will be early August with the Bream Gippsland Rivers Comp.

This General Meeting we will hold the club Annual General Meeting.

We are looking for members to step up and volunteer themselves for positions.

Almost all positions will be announced vacant.

I am happy to step aside should anyone wish to continue to drive the club onwards and upwards.

Otherwise, If you're keen to support myself and the committee in a less public role please volunteer yourself on Wednesday night and the new committee will welcome and look forward to your ideas and support.

I look forward to seeing you all Wednesday night and light supper will be supplied.

PS. Pat will give away some of his bream secrets fishing the Gippsland Rivers.

Many Thanks

Tight lines

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### Westernport Angling Club's 50th Anniversary Celebration

All past and present members are welcome to join us in celebrating 50 years of fishing Westernport Bay!

- \*\*When\*\*: 14th September
- \*\*Where\*\*: Lady Nelson Room @ Deoro on the Bay, Westernport Mooring
- \*\*Time\*\*: 1-4 PM
- \*\*Details\*\*: Food and refreshments provided

**\*\*RSVP\*\*:** Please contact Ross Anderson at 0413 154 791 if you plan to attend. We need to confirm numbers for catering and staffing requirements.

\*\***P.S.**\*\* If you know any past members who might not receive this invitation, please pass on this information. They are welcome to join in the celebration.





#### **Treasurers Report**

My apologies, I will not be able to attend this AGM Meeting on 17th July.

I have sent out Invoices for Membership renewals via email. If you did not get it, check your junk mail.

Fees for GFAV (Game Fishing Affiliation) have increased from \$28 to \$35 for Seniors And to \$10 for Juniors.

If you wish to pay your renewal fees by EFTPOS or Cash at this meeting, please see Rosco.

Otherwise, you can use Bank Transfer as noted on the renewal form:- (BSB 633000 - Account 152147161). Use your name as reference.

If you intend to compete at the Gippsland Rivers Bream comp in August, you must be a financial member.

I am looking for a Club Member to become an apprentice for coordinating the Whiting Challenge. If you are interested in helping to organize sponsors or can work with Microsoft Excel, please contact me ASAP. The work is rewarding and is much simpler now, running on a Club Laptop. I will be able to assist/train anyone who wishes to become involved.

All clubs are run by Volunteer Members, so your participation is vital to keep fresh ideas in all aspects of Club Function.

There is a regular gathering of members who are retired or available every Thursday from 3pm to 4.30pm at the Club Building. Anyone is welcome to drop in for a chat and beverage.

Don Newman Treasurer Ph. 0400 194998







quick little report for the last comp of the season in june

Champion angler land based

Comp seen several competitors fish around the place with squid, salmon, bream and mullet amongst some of the species caught for the weekend

Well done to all that made the effort and have a go

results :

snr male heaviest bag : Robert schembri 13 / 4.962kg salmon

snr female n/r

jnr n/r

new fixture is completed and will be available online shortly and at the general meeting

upcoming comps

gippsland rivers comp sat 10th and sunday 11th of August at the nicholson river caravan park

Regards, wpac weighmaster Patric Neidhart.





Members Draw Prize \$100

Last months Drawn Name



# **DATES FOR DIARY**

#### **General Meeting 17/06/24**

Executive meeting 07/07/24

# **CLUB TRADING POST:**

**Boat for sale:** Phil's 18' Savage Atlantic, drive on trailer, 115 Yammy115, 180 hrs, Eagle elec anchor, pot winch, pot, Garmin, game rods, gaffs about \$22k philgannon42@gmail.com

Items are for sale at marked prices for members or best offer. Gear is a clearance from a mate located in Hastings. All genuine used good quality.

Contact Gregg Ph. 0458 241 319

