

Fishing Competitions & Rules

1. The Club shall conduct two types of competitions throughout the year. The first type will be a weigh-in competition which will be held midweekly (Tuesday to Thursday), twice per month. From time to time, at the discretion of the Club Captain a crabbing competition may be included in a weigh-in competition. The second type competition will be based on the measurement of nominated target fish species and will be held during each calendar month throughout the year.
2. A member shall only be eligible to nominate for and compete in either the monthly midweek weigh-in competition or the monthly measure-in competition and members will not be eligible to switch between competitions from month to month or during the year.
3. Except for a scheduled beach or Freshwater trips, the fishing boundaries for all competitions are within partially smooth and smooth waters from the Noosa River to the Tweed River.
4. There are no grades within either competition other than a division for junior members (under 18 years of age).

Midweek Weigh-in Competition

1. The Club Captain's call on weather and points is final.
2. A fishing competition shall be deemed to be cancelled if winds exceed 20 knots.
3. Members intending to fish in a competition must register with the Club Captain or Vice-Captain.
4. Mid-week competitions shall run from Tuesday through to weigh-in at 12pm Thursday.
5. Weigh-ins shall be at loading dock, accessed from Shore Street service road.
6. Fish must be kept in good fresh condition and no mutilated fish will be accepted for weigh-in.
7. Unless otherwise stated in the table below, fish size limits are as specified by Queensland Fisheries Regulations. No vermin species will be weighed in.
8. Unless otherwise stated in the following table, the maximum number of fish that may be weighed in is 10 fish per species and 5 fish for non-target species or less if a lesser number is prescribed as the in-possession limit by Queensland Fisheries Regulations:

Species	Minimum Size	Weigh-in Limit	Species	Minimum Size	Weigh-in Limit
Bream	27cm	10	Mulloway	75 cm	2
Cod	38cm	2	Tuskfish	30 cm	6
Dart	30cm	10	Snapper	35cm	4
Dusky Flathead	Min 40cm Max 75cm	Combined Limit of 5	Flounder	25cm	5
Sand Flathead	30cm	See Above	Sweetlip (Grassy)	30cm	5
Grunter (Silver)	30cm	5	Tailor	35cm	10
Grunter (Barred)	40cm	5	Tarwhine	27 cm	5
Mangrove Jack	35cm	2	Threadfin Salmon	65cm	2
Morwong (Painted Sweetlip)	25cm	2	Summer Whiting	25cm	10
Moses Perch	25cm	5	Winter Whiting	25cm	10

9. The competition shall be scored in accordance with the following point scoring system:

10 points per species
1 point per fish
1 point per 100g of weight
20 points per weigh-in limit
20 points for the competition target species
20 points for heaviest competition target species.

10. For crabbing competitions, the maximum number of crabs that may be weighed in is the in-possession limit prescribed by the Queensland Fisheries Regulations:

Mud Crabs – maximum of 7 worth 3 points per crab
Sand Crabs - maximum of 20 worth 1 point per crab.

11. For each midweek competition, prizes shall be:

First \$40
Second \$30
Third \$20

12. End of Year Trophies will be presented to the overall winner, and for the heaviest Bream and the heaviest Whiting, and for any other achievements as may be decided by the Committee.

Monthly Measure-in Photo Competition

1. Each competition will run for the duration of each calendar month January to November each year.
2. For each monthly competition, two (2) target species will be nominated.
3. Nominated target species may include any of the following species:
 - Barred Grunter
 - Silver Grunter
 - Bream
 - Flathead
 - Jew
 - Mangrove Jack
 - Mackerel
 - Threadfin
 - Snapper
 - Sweetlip
 - Tailor
 - Summer Whiting
4. Entries are assessed on the length of a fish.
5. Each month a competitor, including Junior Anglers, may submit one (fish) entry for each of the above listed species.
6. Each monthly competition, TOTAL prize money of \$80 will be awarded for EACH TARGET SPECIES. This is \$50.00 for 1st prize (longest) and \$30.00 for 2nd prize (next longest) for EACH TARGET SPECIES.
7. Annual prizes of \$50.00 will be awarded for the longest fish of each above listed target species for which an entry has been received.
8. Competitors must submit photographic evidence of each fish they are submitting for entry.
9. The photographic evidence must clearly show the fish lying flat on a brag mat or similar with the size at the tail clearly visible. Members should use the "Time Stamp App" showing the date and location. The time stamp app is free. Photo should, if possible, show the name of member submitting photo.
10. All fish must be measured on a measuring mat or against a ruler so that the length of the fish can clearly be determined.
11. For each monthly competition, all entries must be submitted by the last day of the month.
12. A competitor may only submit one entry for the longest fish of each species.

13. Fish are to be measured in accordance with Queensland Fisheries Regulations.

14. Fish must be legal length in accordance with Queensland Fisheries Regulations.

15. Members Choice Award is awarded to a member who submits a photograph of a legal size NON-TARGET SPECIES. Voting will be conducted at each Monthly General Meeting by attending members. The winning entry shall receive either \$20 cash or \$20 gift card.

16. Junior Angler who submit a photograph of a legal sized fish other than the nominated monthly Target Species will receive a \$20.00 gift card or fishing tackle to the value of \$20.00.