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**April 1st
Monthly Meeting**

**April 4th
Awards Banquet**

**April 18th
Halibut
Tournament**

**April 19th
Day at the Docks**

**April 26th
Padre Game**

**To Date
Our Membership
Total is:**

**378 Members
196 Men
92 Women
90 Juniors
88 Boats**

The San Diego Anglers

Are Proud to Present

Mike Lackey

Vagabond Sportfishing

Wednesday, April 1st

At the Bahia Hotel

998 West Mission Bay Drive, San Diego, CA

Doors Open at 6:00pm

Meeting at 7:pm



Captain Michael Lackey knows a thing or two about fishing. Having caught his first bluefin at age 6 and working as a deckhand by 8, he's got the experience and born with know-how to bring in the big fish. In fact, he brings in World Record fish! With over 30 years experience and over 22 years at the helm of Vagabond, this second-generation Captain will get you to the fish and help you bring them onboard.

Family owned and operated, Vagabond creates a great family friendly environment that is no slouch on comfort and performance. Getting the fish onboard is just as important as the journey to find them. Our excellent, experienced crew work hard to make every trip a memorable one.

See more at: <http://www.vagabondsportfishing.com>

Don't Forget your Banquet Tickets

See

Glenn Gerber at the meeting

2015 HALIBUT Tournament

WHEN: 6:00am to 4:00 pm Saturday,
April 18th, 2015
WHERE: San Diego Bay
WHAT: Halibut
AWARDS: **Heaviest single Halibut**
Adult 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th & 5th
Juniors 1st, 2nd & 3rd
RULES: On entry forms.
COST: **FREE**
JACK POT: Largest Halibut
ENTRY FORMS: Newsletter, Club Meeting
and Tackle Shops
QUESTIONS: **Contact**
Alan Branch (619)444-2692 or

branchkobe@yahoo.com

Weigh-in At
SHELTER ISLAND LAUNCH RAMP
From 3:00-4:00 PM
Food will be served at Weigh-in

2015 Angler of the Year Standings

AND THE BATTLE STARTS EARLY

With the fishing season off to early start this year, the gloves have come off and the weight receipts are starting to come in. Here are the early standings.

MEN	# of fish	Points
Harry Okuda	6	711.49
Adam Larson	3	322.48
Thomas Aranda	2	280.00
Ted Phoenix	2	268.83
Victor Soltero	2	131.08

WOMEN		
Millie Velez	2	264.77

JUNIORS

Penn® Squall®

Star Drag Saltwater Reel

New Raffle Master is bringing out the Penn Squall for the upcoming monthly raffle plus all kinds of new items purchased at Fred Hall Long Beach. So make sure to stay after the guest



speaker and purchase some raffle tickets. The net proceeds from the raffle go towards funding the club's charitable fishing activities. Last month a guest won the Penn Fathom Lever Drag 2-speed reel valued at \$250. The lightweight Squall Star is extremely adjustable and one of the most castable reels in its class. Versa Drag with patented, adjustable magnetic braking system has more range and is easier to adjust than previous versions. The instant anti-reverse bearing features a silent backup ratchet. High-strength marine-grade bronze main gear and stainless steel pinion gear. Live spindle with smooth, free-floating spool. Forged-machined aluminum spool. Lightweight graphite frame and side plates. Six shielded stainless steel ball bearings. The SQL12 and SQL15 have an adjustable casting magnetic brake on the reel. The SQL25N, SQL30, and SQL40 are a free spool design.



2015 DAY AT THE DOCKS

This annual event located at the Sportfishing landings in Point Loma is on Sunday, April 19, 2015 from 9am – 5pm. This has to be one of the best fishing shows in San Diego and best of all

it's FREE. If you did not get a chance to make it to the Fred Hall Fishing Show in Del Mar, then don't miss out on your last chance to score on some great deals on fishing equipment and terminal tackle. There will be food, seminars, cooking demos and of course the FREE Kids Fishing Pens. Speaking of the kids fishing pens. John Delaurentis is once again in-charge of this wonderful program for the pens run by the San Diego Anglers. But he needs our help. If you have not signed up to volunteer for one of the 2-hour time slots. Please make sure to sign up at the next club meeting on April 1st or email John at lj4250@gmail.com. The kids have a great a time and the more volunteers we have the better. As always, we will have our club information booth located right in front of the Fisherman's Landing Pier. Be sure to stop by and visit.

San Diego Anglers 2015 Awards Banquet



Celebrating the accomplishments of the 2014 award winning anglers

Please join us on Saturday April 4, 2015 at 6:00 pm at the Carlton Oaks GC in Santee to celebrate our member's accomplishments, socialize and enjoy a great meal and raffle.

Carlton Oaks Golf Club

9200 Inwood Drive, Santee Ca 92071

Cocktails 6pm, Dinner 6:45pm

\$35 Adults \$15 Juniors (16 & Under)

Call Glenn Gerber 619-749-0141 to secure your tickets.

We must have your RSVP by March 21st, no exceptions.

Thank you,

Banquet Committee

Menu

Raspberry Walnut Salad

Seasoned Top Round of Beef

Pasta Primavera

Chicken Cordon Bleu

Fresh Vegetable Medley

Green Beans with Toasted Almonds

Scalloped Potatoes

2015 CHARTERS

DATE	TYPE	BOAT	LANDING	PRICE
5/22	TWILIGHT	NEW SEAFORTH	SEAFORTH LANDING	\$10 MEMBERS \$20 NON-MEMBERS JUNIORS***FREE
MAY? 6/19	¾ DAY TWILIGHT	VENDETTA NEW SEAFORTH	H&M LANDING SEAFORTH LANDING	TBA \$10 MEMBERS \$20 NON-MEMBERS JUNIORS***FREE
6/28 7/17	¾ DAY TWILIGHT	SAN DIEGO NEW SEAFORTH	SEAFORTH LANDING SEAFORTH LANDING	TBA \$10 MEMBERS \$20 NON-MEMBERS JUNIORS***FREE
JUL? 8/14	¾ DAY TWILIGHT	VENDETTA NEW SEAFORTH	H&M LANDING SEAFORTH LANDING	TBA \$10 MEMBERS \$20 NON-MEMBERS JUNIORS***FREE
8/23 SEP?	2-DAY ¾ DAY	SUCCESS VENDETTA	POINT LOMA SPORTFISHING H&M LANDING	TBA TBA
SEP?	1.5 DAY	ECLIPSE	SEAFORTH LANDING	TBA
10/19	10-DAY	VAGABOND	POINT LOMA SPORTFISHING	\$3500



The Mexican Immigration Department (INM) has had a checkpoint south of Ensenada on Highway 1 just past Las Cañadas, where they are checking to make sure that non-Mexican citizens have their FMM tourist permits. If you do not have an FMM, they will turn you back to Ensenada to get the correct paperwork (which you can get at the port) before you are able to proceed.

Any time you enter into Baja for more than 72 hours, and/or head 20 kilometers south of the border, Mexican law requires non-Mexican citizens to have an FMM. If you will be in Baja for just seven days or less, you can obtain a free FMM at the border.

The easiest way to make sure you have all of your correct paperwork, is to get a prepaid FMM through Discover Baja. Please allow two weeks advance notice so that we can be sure to have an FMM reserved for you.

To get your FMM through Discover Baja, give them a call us at 800-727-2252 or email them at

ask@discoverbaja.com to obtain your FMM. Make sure to mention that you are a San Diego Angler member. Holy Week or Semana Santa, is March 30 - April 5 this year, and is always a busy time in Baja. Most businesses in Mexico will be closed on Good Friday, April 3. Discover Baja will close at 1pm on that day (and will be reopen for regular business hours that Saturday, April 4 from 10am-1pm). Call the Discover Baja office now to get Mexican auto insurance, FMM tourist permits or hotel reservations.

Mako Bob's

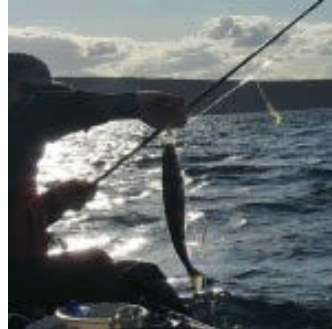
2nd. ANNUAL KAYAK FISHING TOURNAMENT

Saturday June 6th. 2015

\$25 dll. Entrée fee / The Heaviest Fish Wins

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BAY OF SAN QUINTIN, BAJA MEXICO

Tournament Info, Rooms, RV Spaces, Boat Charters Info:

1-866-989-6492

r.moore760@gmail.com, samuel772014@outlook.com , doneddie@hotmail.com

Website: www.doneddies.com

JUNE 6TH, BAY OF SAN QUINTIN

Start time:

5 a.m. from launch ramp at Don Eddies or the Old Mill, sign in will start 4:30 at the bay side of Don Eddies. MUST check in with MakoBob before 6:30 Biggest Halibut caught and landed unassisted from a kayak. float tube or canoe will win, No motors, no sails, no motherships. You must launch and land from the Old Mill or Don Eddies.

\$25.00 enter fee payable before 1 June. Weigh in at Don Eddies, must be in line to weigh in by 6 pm.

If fishing bait you must make your own bait., no fair having someone else get it for you or have a panga drop it off.

To make this easier for everyone it will be a ONE DAY event.

This should make planning easier, Drive down Friday evening, Fish Saturday, come home Sunday.

Pay out. 0-9 entries WINNER TAKE ALL

10-19 entries 1st place 70% 2nd place 30%

20+ entries 1st place 50% 2nd place 30% 3rd 20%

100% PAYOUT

To secure your spot paypal \$25.00 to

r.moore760@gmail.com BEFORE 1 June

GOOD LUCK TO ALL, tight lines

Makobob



2015 WEIGHMASTER'S REPORT

By: Weigh Master Mike Sur

The *San Diego Anglers* wish to recognize club members who have managed to convert luck and skill into notable angling achievements. Anglers will be acknowledged and awarded for these catches at monthly membership meetings. Weight receipts received prior to the 10th of each month will be published in the *San Diego Anglers* monthly newsletter and awards presented at the next monthly meeting.



PROCEDURE TO APPLY FOR AWARDS:

Submit all weight receipts within 30 days of catch.

1. Weigh your catch, any scale known to be accurate may be used.
2. Complete a *San Diego Anglers* weight receipt, enclose a photograph if possible.
3. Submit all weight receipts to: Mike Sur (858)-748-5560 mmsur99@gmail.com



LARGEST FISH AWARDS: will be awarded at the annual banquet.

FIRST FISH AWARD (local catches— within 125 miles of Point Loma)

FIRST ALBACORE (local)

FIRST TUNA (local)

FIRST MARLIN (local)

Harry Okuda 26.2 lbs. BFT 1/29/15

SPECIES	MEN	WOMEN	JUNIOR
Albacore			
Barracuda (Pacific) *	Harry Okuda 8.8 lbs		
Bass (Barred Sand) *			
Bass (Calico) *	Adam Larson 2.9 lbs		
Bass (Calico) **			
Bass (Spotted Bay) *	Dennis Burlason 2.4 lbs		
Bonito (Pacific) *	Harry Okuda 8.0 lbs		
Corbina *			
Dolphinfish (Dorado) *			
Dolphinfish (Dorado) **			
Halibut (California)*	Thomas Aranda 21.0 lbs		
Halibut (Pacific) **			
Ling Cod *	Ted Phoenix 17.9 lbs	Millie Velez 14.1 lbs	
Ling Cod **			
Marlin (Striped) *			
Marlin (Striped) **			
Marlin (Blue)			
Marlin (Black)			
Rock Fish *	Ted Phoenix 7.8 lbs	Millie Velez 9.8 lbs	
Rock Fish **			
Sailfish (Pacific)			
Shark (Other) * +			
Shark (Other) ** +			
Shark (Mako) +			
Shark (Thresher) +			
Tuna (Big Eye-Pacific)			
Tuna (Blue Fin) *	Harry Okuda 27.5		
Tuna (Blue Fin) **			
Tuna (Yellow Fin) *			
Tuna (Yellow Fin) **	Dob Rolstad 127.6 lbs		
Wahoo**	Don Rolstad 40.2 lbs		
White Sea Bass *			
White Sea Bass **			
Yellowtail (California) *	Thomas Aranda 38.4 lbs		
Yellowtail (California) **			
* local caught fish ** fish caught beyond 125 miles from Point Loma + 70lbs (gilled & gutted)			

Award Winning Catches for 2015

BASS 5 lbs and over:

BASS 10 lbs and over:

MARLIN under 200 lbs:

MARLIN 200 lbs and over:

MARLIN on 20 lb test or less:

YELLOWTAIL over 25 lbs: Thomas Aranda 38.4 lbs.,

YELLOWTAIL over 40 lbs:

YELLOWTAIL 8 lb test or less:

TUNA 30 lbs and over: Don Rolstad 81.6, 59.0 lbs.,

TUNA 100 lbs and over: Don rolstad 127.6., 122.2 lbs., 112.8 lbs.,

TUNA 200 lbs and over:

ALBACORE over 25 lbs:

ALBACORE over 40 lbs:

ALBACORE on 12 lb test or less:

LIGHT LINE FISH

3 to 1:

5 to 1:

10 to 1

RELEASED BILLFISH:



2015 CALENDAR

MAY

2 SAT SWYC TOURNEY
6 WED CLUB MEETING
17 SUN MDA FISHING CHARTER
22 FRI TWILIGHT CHARTER #1
2-31 MAY MONTH LONG
YELLOWTAIL TOURNAMENT

JUNE

3 WED CLUB MEETING
5-7 FRI-SUN LAKE MORENA CAMPING
6-28 JUNE MONTH LONG BASS
SLAM TOURNEY
12 FRI WARRIOR FISHING
CHARTER #1
13 SAT OBB VOLUNTEER BBQ
14 SUN PORT OF SD/SDA
KIDS FISHING DERBY
19 FRI TWILIGHT CHARTER #2
28 SUN 3/4 DAY CHARTER

JULY

1 WED CLUB MEETING
11 SAT 3B'S FISHING TOURNAMENT
17 FRI TWILIGHT CHARTER #3
26 SUN DE ANZA COVE PICNIC
31 FRI WARRIORS FISHING
CHARTER #2

AUGUST

5 WED CLUB MEETING
1-30 AUG MONTH LONG TUNA TOURNEY
14 FRI TWILIGHT CHARTER #4
23-25 SUN-TUE 2-DAY SUCCESS FISHING
CHARTER
28 FRI WARRIORS FISHING CHARTER #3
29 SAT MAKE A WISH TUNA
CHALLENGE
30 SUN MAKE A WISH
LUNCH/BANQUET

SEPTEMBER

WED CLUB MEETING
TBA TBA TOURNAMENT
TBA THU ECLIPSE WARRIORS
FISHING CHARTER
TBA 1.5 DAY FISHING CHARTER

OCTOBER

2 WED CLUB MEETING
TBA BASS SLAM FISHING TOURNAMENT
19-29 MON-THU 10-DAY VAGABOND
FISHING CHARTER

NOVEMBER

4 WED CLUB MEETING *
15 SUN BIG BROS/BIS SIS'S
KIDS FISHING DAY
TBA SAT SDA VS SDRRC
FISHING TOURNAMENT
* CLUB MEETING IS OUR ANNUAL FISHING AND TACKLE
SWAPMEET AT PORTUGUESE HALL, POINT LOMA

DECEMBER

2 WED CLUB MEETING
TBA SAT LOBSTER
TOURNAMENT

JANUARY

6 WED CLUB MEETING
16 SAT OPEN BAY BASS
SEMINAR
23 SAT 21ST ANNUAL OPEN
BAY BASS
TOURNAMENT

Club President	Louis Almeida Jr.	(760)-585-6357	louis.almeida.jr@gmail.com
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HALIBUT TOURNAMENT RULES AND ENTRY FORM

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Tournament channel 72

1. The official starting time of the tournament is **6:00am on Saturday, April 19, 2015**. The official ending time of the tournament is **04:00pm on Saturday, April 18, 2015**.
2. Boats may depart prior to the official starting time of the tournament. Boats must depart from and return to any port within the county of San Diego. No tournament fishing is allowed prior to the official tournament starting time.
3. The fishing areas of the tournament shall be limited to those waters of the Pacific Ocean within 125 miles of San Diego.
4. During the tournament fishing can be done from any fishing platform including Sport boats.
5. Bait may be caught, purchased or acquired as available prior to the official tournament starting time. Bait may be kept aboard tournament boats, used or transferred at the discretion of the anglers or skippers throughout the tournament.
6. California Department of Fish & Wildlife regulations and IGFA angling rules will be used for this tournament. If fishing in Mexican waters, Mexican fishing regulations apply with exception to size limits which must meet those of the California department of Fish & Wildlife requirements. No exceptions. Rules can be found in the San Diego Anglers Yearbook under General Angling Rules. Anglers are responsible for knowing California and Mexican regulations.
7. Transferring of anglers and fish from a disabled boat is allowed to comply with rule #8 or to continue to fight a hooked fish.
8. **Anglers must report in person to the Tournament Weigh Master with their fish ready for weighing no later than the official ending time of the tournament.**
9. **Species: Largest Single Halibut.** If no halibut are caught the jackpot will be awarded by lottery to participants. All fish must be weighed in at the San Diego Anglers Tournament Weigh Station located on the grass at the Shelter Island Launch Ramp. All fish must be weighed on the club scale between 3:00 and 4:00 P.M.
10. **Prize Categories:** Heaviest Single Fish for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th place in adult division. 1st, 2nd and 3rd place for junior division. There will be no ties in any of the prize categories. When two fish of the same weight are presented, the first fish presented is considered the winner.
11. All anglers are responsible to stay aware of current weather/sea conditions. It is the angler's responsibility to monitor radios, Internet and /or warning flags for this hazardous conditions.
12. **All tournament anglers must complete, sign and submit a tournament application form and complete Boat Insurance info on back of entry from prior to 4:00 PM Friday, April 17th, 2015.** The entry form must be turned in to the locations or persons listed on the back of this form. All entrants in the tournament must be current members in good standing and applicable membership dues paid or non-members fishing an introductory tournament with the San Diego Anglers. **By signing the application, applicant does assume all risks of injury, death or property damage, and does agree to hold the San Diego anglers harmless should any injury, death or property damage that may occur.** Entry forms can be scanned and emailed to Tournament Director (Alan Branch) with all pertinent signatures and boat insurance info if applicable.
13. Failure to comply with any of these rules will result in the offending angler's disqualification from the tournament and possible termination of club membership.
14. Tournament angler of the year points will be awarded for this tournament as well as Skipper points.

FOOD SERVED DURING WEIGH-IN AND A SHORT TIME THEREAFTER

**ALL ENTRANTS MUST BE MEMBERS OF THE SAN DIEGO ANGLERS IN GOOD STANDING
AND CURRENT YEAR MEMBERSHIP DUES PAID.**

HALIBUT TOURNAMENT RULES/ENTRY FORM

Angler #1_____	Man / Woman / Junior	Signature_____	\$_____	\$_____
Angler #2_____	Man / Woman / Junior	Signature_____	\$_____	\$_____
Angler #3_____	Man / Woman / Junior	Signature_____	\$_____	\$_____
Angler #4_____	Man / Woman / Junior	Signature_____	\$_____	\$_____
Angler #5_____	Man / Woman / Junior	Signature_____	\$_____	\$_____
Boat Name_____			Total	
\$_____ Skippers telephone number (in case of cancellation) (_____)_____			Date Rec'd_____	

ADULT MEMBERS \$20.00, JUNIOR MEMBERS \$5.00, \$5 OPTIONAL LARGEST HALIBUT JACKPOT FOR THIS TOURNAMENT.

Contact: Alan Branch (619) 444-2692. branchkobe@yahoo.com

HALIBUT TOURNAMENT RULES/ENTRY FORM

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PROTESTS

1. The Protest Committee will be made up of:
 - a. Alan Branch
 - b. Louis Almeida
 - c. Bobby Rollins
2. The Protest Committee has the right to disqualify any angler who exhibits unsportsmanlike conduct.
3. Any protest relative to the weight of a fish, manner of weighing, or the manner of catching/landing the fish must be made prior to the fish being removed from the scale. The protest must be made to the Tournament Weighmaster and/or Tournament Director at that time.
4. Any protest, except weight, must be filed in writing with the protest committee no later than 24 hours after the ending time of the tournament. The protest may be filed with any member of the protest committee.
5. The San Diego Anglers take no responsibility for personal injury, death or property damage resulting from any misconduct, negligence, and adverse weather conditions or otherwise, of any persons or its members at sponsored events and tournaments.
6. The San Diego Anglers does not investigate weather or sea conditions, or the possibility of other boating activities when scheduling its events. (See rule #11 on page 1)
7. By signing this application, the applicant does assume all risks of injury, death or property damage, and does hold the San Diego Anglers harmless should any injury or damage occurs.

RECOGNIZED TOURNAMENT APPLICATION DROP OFF POINTS

- Fisherman's Landing - Point Loma
 - Alan Branch (Tournament Director - 1241 Saltbush Lane, El Cajon, CA 92019) or at a monthly club meeting given to the Tournament Director.
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INSURANCE CERTIFICATION FORM

In order to participate in a San Diego Anglers club sponsored event and/or fishing tournament in which you provide and/or use your own, borrowed or leased boat, you must certify that you have the necessary BOAT & PERSONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE and that is in effect during the event and/or tournament.

BY SIGNING BELOW, I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE THE NECESSARY BOAT/PERSONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE COVERAGE AS NOTED BELOW:

SIGNATURE _____

PRINT NAME _____

DATE _____

1. Name of the insurance carrier _____
2. Names of insured: _____
3. Policy number: _____
4. Year of boat: _____
5. Make of the boat: _____
6. "Model" of the boat: _____
7. Last three digits of the boat Identification Number: _____
8. Effective and expiration dates of the liability coverage: _____

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the other is at www.facebook.com/OpenBayBass.

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many likes and persons are visiting our Facebook
pages, so please make sure to like us.



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