



Competition Rules,

1. Competitions will be held at a location which would have been decided earlier by the Committee, on some occasions there is a chance that a poll is created prior to the registration and members will have a say into which venues they would like to fish all weather dependant.
2. Competitions starting time and finishing time will be decided and advised by the Committee. Late comers may compete at their own disadvantage.
3. All competitors have to remain at their fishing position during the competition and nobody is allowed to move away unless nature calls or they advise a Marshall.
4. Competitors will compete from start to finish. Only those Competitors with a valid reason may stop (e.g. sick, etc.) The Marshall should be advised before leaving.
5. Not less than 5 meters will be kept between competitors depending on the location.
6. Nobody is allowed to help the competitors in any way or form in the singles league (e.g. to land a fish, unhook a fish, borrow equipment, giving bait, etc.). In the Doubles League the partner can assist.
7. A degree of seriousness and self-discipline will be kept at all times.
8. The Competitor may use only one (1) rod of his/her choice.
9. Not more than two (2) hooks may be used with each rod.
10. Double or treble pointed hooks are not allowed to be used.
11. Any bait may be used.
12. The following sea creatures will not be weighed in; Eels ,Octopus, sea snails, crabs, squid, cuttlefish, lobster or any other unfish like form.
13. Sea rays will be weighed in.
14. Marshals may ask to check within a competitor's bag and keep net.
15. All competitors are to use "Keep nets" to keep the fish alive.
16. In rocky areas and when impossible to use a keep-net, all competitors must use a bucket (not less than 15 litre) to keep the fish alive.
17. All live fish must be released after weigh-in.
18. Nobody will be allowed to touch the competitors' keep net, including members of the family.
19. If a competitor stops competing, he/she is not allowed to throw his/her remaining ground bait, or bait into the sea.
20. At the end of the competition nobody is allowed to move from their positions until their catch has been weighed-in.
21. Trophies will be given for; 1st Overall, 2nd Overall, 3rd Overall of each leg / Section wins & 1st Overall, 2nd Overall, 3rd Overall at the end of the League in the Singles league.
22. Trophies will be given for; 1st Overall, 2nd Overall, 3rd Overall of each leg / Section wins & 1st Overall, 2nd Overall, 3rd Overall at the end of the League in the Doubles league.
23. If any fish for the biggest fish category is to be weighed the competitor will decide which to weigh in at the end while weighing in by the Marshal.

24. The Biggest Fish category may be entered by advising the Marshal who in return makes a note of name and weight of fish.
25. Any competitor not following the rules shall be disqualified from the competition.
26. If a fish is caught towards the end of a match, the competitor will have up to 15 minutes extra to land his fish.
27. Those under 14 years of age must be accompanied by an adult but must compete without assistance.
28. All competitors must leave their fishing positions clean. Please dispose of any rubbish.
29. If the fish swallows the hook completely, line must be cut with scissors. Any fish that are noted dead and visual signs that they have been for some reason harmed or damaged in the process the fish will be removed from the weigh in.
30. Presentation of prizes will be awarded on the same day of the competition. Trophies will be given twice yearly during an event organised by the Club.
31. Membership cards (if any) and rules must be carried on members during all competitions.
32. No ground baiting before the start of the competition is allowed only when the signal is given 5 min before the start of the match.
33. In the Doubles league ONLY, one can help his partner.
34. Shore fish Finders cannot be used.
35. No new competitors are accepted in any part of the singles & doubles League unless they have registered before the Leagues start. In case of the Mullet League it is allowed.
36. Other Clubs Emblems Logos of other fishing Clubs are not permissible, 'Sponsors Logos are permissible'. (only on the Club's Track suit space for it on the back.) as described in rule 38.
37. Marshalls are required to full fill their duty & be present when they are due; if for any reason you fail to do so 6 points will be deducted from the classification. In the case of the doubles League if (1) one out of the (2) two team members is present there will be no points deducted.
38. As of last year the Club has issued a Kit to its members on registration day & same again to any new members this year. It is Mandatory to wear the Club's Kit to during any fishing Event organised by the club. Summertime it is OK to just wear the Official Gear & wintertime the Official Gear & Club's Tracksuit. Anyone that does not abide by this rule will either make the choice of not fishing or there will be no points weight awarded. An Area on the back of the tracksuit maximum 30cm x 10 cm can be used for any personal sponsorship at the expense of the Angler.
39. No type of Ground-bait is to be thrown in the water within any containers, mesh, and buckets or tied onto any lines to shore.