

# Southern Zone

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## COCK O' THE WALK RESULTS ... SEPTEMBER 2008

### CAPTURES : HEAVIEST

SPECIES	WHT	LINE	S/J	ANGLER	BOAT	CLUB	PTS
<b>SHARK</b>							
Whaler	238.0	15	J/F	Rebecca Finney	Voodoo	Shoalhaven	5
Mako	124.5	8	S/M	Adam Newcombe	Cobra	Kiama	4
Mako	121.5	15	S/M	B Braddick	Voodoo	Shoalhaven	3
Mako	112.1	10	S/M	Shane Ashton	Benchmark	Shellharbour	2
Mako	110.0	8	S/M	Mitch Ryan	Outcast	Shoalhaven	1
<b>TUNA</b>							
Bluefin	24.6	24	S/M	Michael Davis	Mr Hooker	Bermagui	5
Bluefin	24.4	15	S/M	Ryan Pauline	Mr Hooker	Bermagui	4

### CAPTURES : MOST MERITORIOUS

SPECIES	WHT	LINE	S/J	ANGLER	BOAT	CLUB	PTS
<b>SHARK</b>							
Mako	109.5	6	S/M	John Bennett	Outcast	Shoalhaven	5
Mako	107.5	6	S/M	Mick Gamble	Anticipation	Shellharbour	4
Mako	103	6	S/M	Peter Ryan	Outcast	Shoalhaven	3
Mako	99.5	6	S/M	Richard Gilmore	Cobra	Kiama	2
Whaler	238	15	J/F	Rebecca Finney	Voodoo	Shoalhaven	1
<b>TUNA</b>							
Bluefin	24.4	15	S/M	Ryan Pauline	Mr Hooker	Bermagui	5
Bluefin	24.6	24	S/M	Michael Davis	Mr Hooker	Bermagui	4

### CAPTURE POINTS FOR MONTH :

Bermagui	18
Shoalhaven	18
Kiama	6
Shellharbour	6

### TAG & RELEASE POINTS FOR MONTH

### PROGRESSIVE CAPTURE POINTS 2008-2009

Shellharbour	37
Bermagui	24
Shoalhaven	18
Batemans Bay	11
Eden	10
Jervis Bay	10
Canberra	8
Kiama	6

### PROGRESSIVE TAG & RELEASE POINTS 2008-2009

Batemans Bay	15
Shellharbour	9
Jervis Bay	5
Eden	4

Great to see a number of clubs with positive returns and it was interesting that there were no tagged fish recorded. Sharks dominated with the elusive Bluefin at Bermagui. It is always good to see the juniors scoring and Rebecca certainly landed a very nice sized Mako. Well done.

I hear that the Albacore are in abundance so hopefully some of you will get amongst them. We all know how good they are to eat so there will probably be some captures again.

While in Sydney yesterday for a meeting I heard of a recapture by a commercial fisher of a 40kg Bigeye off Fiji. It was initially tagged as a Yellowfin by John Rankin of Eden 3 years ago. They are notoriously difficult to identify and this is the second recapture out of Eden identified as Bigeye. Not bad travelling!

The NSWGFA Full Council Meeting is scheduled for 22 November at Sydney GFC and there will be a Zone meeting at the Country Club, Batemans Bay on Friday 14 November at 7.30pm. I know it is a pain and a long way for some to travel but please attempt to have representation at these meetings so both your Club and the Zone can have a voice.

Stay safe and have fun.....Sanchia