



Liar's Corner

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Presidents Corner by Tom Fitzgerald

Greetings Saltwater Anglers,

It was great seeing so many of you at our banquet this year! Everyone seemed to have a good time. Once again thank you to **Jim, Margret, and Sarah Padilla** for decorating the room. **Sarah** has also been doing an outstanding job of keeping up our web site. Thanks to **Bob Eades** and **Kerry Krueger** for the slide presentation. A special thanks goes out to our raffle table shopping team of **Steve Berczik, Rex Routt, Marty Levy, Stu Holmes, and Eric Huizar**. Also, thanks to **Dave Kush** and **Marty Levy** for their help with the Raffle drawing.

Winners at banquet

Fisherman of the year	Dan Keck,
Biggest fish of the year	Stan Reeder 37.9 lb. Bluefin Tuna
Stern hog	Jim Padilla
Mala Suerte	Dan Keck

Special Raffle Winner of \$1,500

(Credit toward club trips)
Stephen Berczik

Biggest Fish by Species Trophy

Yellowtail	Rob Quiroz 26.1 lb.
Dorado	Nick Montilepre 17 lb.
Halibut	Robert Reeder 12.2 lb.
Sheepshead	Marty Levy for a 4.1 lb.
Ling Cod	Steven Yee 22 lb.
Rockfish	Rob Provost 4.5 lb.
Sand Bass	Matt Groff 3.8 lb.

We didn't have a club sponsored trip this month, so we won't have a report. Feel free to check out our Facebook page as we have had some of our club members get out on their own. We are still looking for a boat for September. I have included the schedule below. Our first trip of the season is sold out but there is plenty of room on the other trips. It should be an interesting season with all of the rain we have had lately.

Our next meeting is **April 5th** at **Brandon's** located at **370 N. Mountain Ave. in Upland**. The meeting starts at **7:00 pm**. Many of us come early to have dinner and socialize before the meeting. Newcomers are always welcome.

We have been asked if we could wear name tags to help the servers locate us when they bring out our food. This is actually something we used to do. It will help us to get to know the new people and for the new people to know us. We will have blank name tags and pens located on the table as you enter the meeting room. Please take the time to put your name on one and wear it.

If any of you have pictures that you feel would go well on our club web site send them to sarah.iswac@gmail.com

Our guest speaker for **April** is **Jon Vanneman** from **Stress-free Fishing Products**. **Stress-free Fishing Products** originated with Jon's father's charter fishing business, **Stress-free Charters**. When Jon's father retired, Jon had been tying flies and building fishing rods as a hobby and decided to turn it into a business. He started with building fishing rods at affordable prices and then began adding plastics and tube baits. Jon also makes the heads for the tubes and lead weights at reasonable prices.

If you have not done so, please make sure your dues are current are current. Dues are **\$45.00** for renewing members and **\$70.00** for new members.

This is the speaker schedule for 2023.

Date	Speaker	Company
5-Apr	John Vanneman	Stress-free Fishing Products
3-May	Shea McIntee	Stoked on Fishing
7-Jun	Rick Carr	Gamakatsu
5-Jul	Michael Muto	Submission Fishing
2-Aug	Bob Hoose	Costa
6-Sep	Doug Lasko	CCA/President of Okuma
4-Oct	Matthew Strang	Madame Lure
1-Nov	Cameron Gamble	BD Outdoors

2023 FISHING SCHEDULE

	TRIP#	LEAVE	RETURN	BOAT	LOAD	PRICE	LANDING	TRIP DETAILS
	1	4/01	4/02	Ranger 85	20	\$310	Channel Islands Sportfishing	Overnight
	2	5/12	5/13	Pacific Dawn	18	\$255	Ventura Harbor	Overnight
	3	6/02	6/03	Pacific Dawn	18	\$275	Ventura Harbor	Overnight
	4	7/21	7/23	Relentless	18	\$475	H&M Landing	Day & 1/2
	5	8/26	8/28	Pacific Dawn	18	\$560	Fisherman's Landing	Day & 1/2
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	7	10/06	10/08	Pacific Dawn	18	\$560	Fisherman's Landing	Day & 1/2
	8	11/11	11/13	Pacific Dawn	18	\$560	Fisherman's Landing	Day & 1/2
	9	12/02	12/02	Spitfire	20	\$65	Marina Del Rey	Twilight

Cost on trips 5, 7, and 8 includes meals.

Monthly Club Meetings

Brandon's Diner
370 N. Mountain
Upland, CA
Time: 7:00 to 9:00 P.M.
First Wednesday of the month
(except March and December)

Board Meetings

Brandon's Diner
370 N. Mountain
Upland CA
Time; 6:00-8:00PM
Third Wednesday of the month

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