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Doug Clegg

FOR YOUR DIARY:Field Days for 1975/76:

May	17th & 18th	Margaret River
May/June	31st, 1st & 2nd (l.w.e.)	Greenough River
July	12th & 13th	Garden Island
August	16th & 17th	Rottneast Island
September	13th & 14th	Jurien-North
October	11th, 12th & 13th (l.w.e.)	Wago
November	13th & 14th	Cervantes
December	13th & 14th	Lancelin/Wedge
January	14th, 15th & 16th (l.w.e.)	Greenough River
February	14th & 15th	Preston
Feb/March	28th, 29th & 1st (l.w.e.)	Denmark
April	10th & 11th	Flinders Bay

Dry Casting Days 1975/6:

May	3rd
June	8th
July	6th
August	3rd
September	7th
October	5th
November	2nd
December	7th
January	4th
February	1st
March	7th
April	4th

NEXT GENERAL MEETING:

The next General Meeting will be held at the Buffaloes Hall, Onslow Road, Shenton Park on Wednesday, 8th October at 8 p.m. sharp.

INSTRUCTION PERIOD: Line testing (sand bag method).

Lecture on types of rods on the market.

Rod testing by pulling line against scales.

NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING:

The next Committee Meeting will be held at the Buffaloes Hall, Onslow Road, Shenton Park on Wednesday, 15th October at 8 p.m. sharp.

NEXT DRY CASTING DAY:

The October Dry Cast will be held at Floreat Oval on October 5th commencing 9.00 a.m. sharp. Usual events plus D.H. 2oz OPEN DISTANCE.

OCTOBER FIELD DAY:

WAGOE: Long Weekend - 11th, 12th, 13th:

Fishing starts 4 p.m. Saturday, stops 8 a.m. Monday.

Sign-on 1 and 2 p.m. Saturday.

Camp site Halfway Bay.

Weigh-in Sunday 11 to 12 mid-day at Halfway Bay.

Monday 9 to 10 a.m. at Halfway Bay.

Boundaries South, Sandwood & North to the Bluffs.

Members are requested to use extreme caution when driving on beach, sand dunes and tracks. All vehicles to carry flag at least 10ft from the ground.

See separate page for the log of the run from the Ruins at Lynton Station, and tide predictions for the weekend (Geraldton).

A.A.A. STATE ANGLING CHAMPIONSHIPS- YALLINGUP, 27TH SEPTEMBER, 1975:Club Team:

Seniors: H.H. Hew; R. Noble; R. Fredericks;
G. Holman; N. Risby; T. Stam.

Juniors: M. Oakly; C. Risby; R. Ingram.

SEPTEMBER GENERAL MEETING:Secretary's Report:

Mick requests members holding club gear to submit a list of such items as they have to him so that he may prepare a new club property register. Please list items with a brief description and serial numbers etc.

Jack Harvey reported on his visit to the Geraldton Sunshine Festival. It appears that the jackpot was \$10,000 not \$1,000 as reported last month. Jack was escorted out into the harbour with due ceremony to catch the said fish for tagging. Using a flick rod with 4lb line he set to work. Before the line hit the bottom it was on! Would you believe a 7lb Spanish Mackerel? They decided that it was more suited to the pot than for tagging so they fished on and eventually tagged a rock cod. The tagged fish was released in the inner harbour but was not caught during the festival. It seems the blowies are so thick that the bait never gets down as far as the bottom!

Doug Edwards reported on the progress of the photo album he is compiling of all past presidents and other important people in the history of the club. Doug will include life members in the album and when he has completed it he will present it to the club. Some of the photos Doug has already done are first class. All are in full colour and this album will be something to look forward to. Doug also took the opportunity to welcome Doug Clegg as an honorary member, and congratulated him on his appointment. All members endorse Doug's remarks and look forward to seeing Doug (Clegg) (too many Dougs), at as many club functions as possible.

Bill Morrow made all our mouths water with tales of Exmouth Gulf. Bill explained that the best time to go is about a week or two before full moon. This is when tides have the most movement around the reefs, and the queenfish are on! Bill reported the boat fishing was very good and mentioned...Warhee up to 30lb; Spanish Mackerel up to 35lb; Barracotta 46lb gutted and gilled; Cobia shark mackerel up to 20lb and to top it all, a cod, 100.3lb taken on a Reb 2 lure!

Doug Clegg demonstrated the buoyancy vest mentioned last month. The one demonstrated sells at about \$22. There are others at about \$16. For surf fishing, not so important, but for rock hoppers a must. At \$22 its a better investment than a life insurance policy.

George Holman reported that he had received a letter from the President of the Fremantle Fishing Club thanking the Surf Casting Club for our recent donation to the fund for Mrs. Skobla.

Thanks were also expressed for the repairs carried out to the gear damaged at the Rottneat hut. This repair work was done by Allen Hair and we would like to thank Allen for his effort. This sort of co-operation between clubs augers well for the future of angling in this State.

The flagon of whale oil was won by T. Corcoran, judging by the look in his eye as he bore it away, I'm not sure that he realized that it was in fact whale oil! Some of the new Platil Universal line donated by Doug Clegg was given as a prize on the board. This was won by Stan Renshaw. The \$2 board was won by A. Roberts and donated back to the Club General Revenue. Thanks Allen, just at the moment we need it. How about some of you fellas fronting with some SUBS.

The evening was rounded off with a slide show put on by 'Lofty' of the Wagon venue. This looked like being a Donnie Green benefit at one stage; then Lofty stole the limelight, only to be superseded by 'Baskers', pot and all! It was a good show enjoyed by all. Thanks 'Lofty'.

FIELD DAY REPORT:JURIEN-NORTH.SEPTEMBER 14/15.Report from Greenhead:

With threatening weather mid-week it looked as if the field day was going to be another cold, wet and miserable weekend. However, fine conditions broke through late on Friday and things began to look brighter and, in fact, stayed that way all weekend.

Our party, including F.D.O., A.F.D.O., Eric Sullivan and Darryll Retallack, arrived at Cataby (funny how that place always gets a mention) after taking a new found short cut, along the Mogumber road, right on the stroke of ten, which I am told, was a coincidence.

N.B. There is a very nice gentleman who visits the Cataby Hotel with some excellent fishing gear for sale. In his collection he has a magnificent 1875 5" Alvey Reel and a 12' plastic beach rod which can be purchased for \$10 each. Members present at the time all dobbed in and made up a collection of laughs to help the fellow out.

In merry spirits anglers were again on their way to Jurien.

At the sign-on there were the largest number of flat tyres reported that the club has ever known and funnily enough, they all occurred at Cataby. F.D.O. took a flat tyre along with him just to be part of the crowd.

38 members signed on with most heading for the Kingie Hole and North Head and the rest to Green Head.

Upon arrival at Green Head the beach didn't look very good at all with tons of weed all along the shoreline and it took a good long drive on the sand to find a clear patch where F.D.O.'s party and Phil Isbister's party set up camp and had a feed and a few soft drinks.

Returning to the reefs after lunch, it was discovered that the "veterans" were already into 'em and everyone began scampering across the reefs to join in the fun, but to no avail, they had gone off the bite already and catching fish proved to be hard work. Darryll Retallack learned not to "knock" the more experienced members as everytime a wave came through he would say "it's too rough for you old timers out here" (he wanted their spot). Well, guess who got knocked off his reef stand and finished up completely submerged as the "old timers", without stands, stayed quite dry.

A walk around the point after sunset found Phil Isbister and Alby Norman alongside about 20 locals; all catching tailor hand over fist and it was in this spot that bags were improved for Darryll, Eric and A.F.D.O. Then it was back to camp for tea.

A spell on the beach that night proved fruitless, with only A.F.D.O. catching anything at all, a shark too small to be weighed.

Little or no fishing was done at Green Head in the morning and after breakfast it was back to Jurien to see the "huge bags" taken there.

Ken Jones and son were waiting at the weigh-in area with bags of skippy, tailor and flathead and other members began to arrive with fairly small catches.

Tailor around 1 1/2 lbs made up the bulk of the catch, with George Holman landing a fine yellowtail kingfish (3.75kg) which now has the honour of heading Section 14. Phil Isbister took out the Field Day with 11.4kg of tailor, with Alby Norman 8.5kg and George Holman 7.05kg close behind. Phil's

bag also took its rightful place in Section 12.

On the whole the fishing was a little disappointing, but everyone present seemed to have had another enjoyable weekend and, after all, isn't that the main aim of a Club of any type.

We all know that there are many fine fish to be caught on the next Field Day, and, with it being a long weekend, let's see more members than ever before at WAGOE.

FOOTNOTE: There was an excellent response to the call for Flags on vehicles and no casualties were reported. So don't forget to take them again in October, there are some tracks up there too.

See you there.

Graham and Tony.

Report from North Head- Jurien Field Day:

After fishing hard in conditions that could hardly be described as ideal (heavy weed making it a nightmare), most members had "chucked it in" by 8 o'clock and returned to camp for chow and a yarn whilst downing a few ales. Around 9 o'clock, amid the sizzle of steaks and the hum of voices, up drove George and Roy from the Head itself and from the other direction Lofty, Hughie and Reg arrived. So, there we were- Stan, George, Roy, Ric P., Brian, Ric R., Don, Lofty, Hughie, Reg, Ron and myself, (there were others but I can't remember who they were), standing in a circle in the middle of the track to North Head, discussing everything from footy to fishing. It was at this point that Lofty produced a bottle of Stones Green Ginger, which we all proceeded to quaff until all that remained was about a third of a bottle. Then, from his well stocked larder, Ric Parker conjured up a bottle of Black Label Scotch, which some aspiring bar steward suggested should be added to the Stones. This was done and the contents handed round to the accompaniment of burps, groans, gasps for breath and hilarity at the reaction of each person on tasting the mixture. Needless to say I don't think anyone knocked back a second swig. It burnt like hot tea in a sore throat going down and burnt a darn site worse coming out, however, it was this amusing little session which prompted me to pen the following limerick:-

One moonlit night at North Head
The fishing had gone pretty dead
So we mixed up a quart
Of Stones with a snort
Of Whisky and called it Red Ned.

Whilst on the subject, it brings to mind the night about two years ago on Garden Island when a certain worthy gent displayed his culinary artistry:-

Back at the hut it was late
Brother were they in a state
They're sick as a dog
But not from the grog
Rather, from eating the bait.

John Lee.

Adendum:

Talking of food. We camped next to a certain gent at the Kingey Hole who spent most of his evening cooking his tea- boy can that man eat! Eight hamburgers, four eggs, bread, butter and jam and coffee laced with Rum to wash it down! I wouldn't have noticed but for the fact he was eating jelly beans all afternoon to keep the hunger pangs at bay!

Ken Jones.

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Top Ten:

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|-----|---------------|-----|
| 1. | G. Holman | 109 |
| 2. | R. Rowland | 90 |
| 3. | R. Lundy | 67 |
| 4. | P. Isbister | 64 |
| 5. | A. Norman | 60 |
| 6. | T. Richardson | 57 |
| 7. | D. Retallaek | 54 |
| 8. | S. Renshaw | 52 |
| 9. | T. Stan | 49 |
| 10. | B. Rowland | 49 |

New Club Records:

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| J. Griffiths | | |
| 1. | Yellow Fin Tuna | 40 lb |
| 2. | Dart | 7lb 7oz |

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LEGAL LENGTH CHANGES:

- MULLOWAY.... now.... 40cm. 16in.
 BALDCHIN GROPER.... now.... 40cm.
 SPOTTED SPANISH MACKERAL.... now.... 50cm. 20in.
 NARROW BARRED, and BROAD BARRED SPANISH MACKERAL and WARHOO.... now... 76cm
 ... 30in.
 BLUE GROPER.... now.... 40cm.
 W.A. JEWFISH.... now.... 50cm.
 SALMON.... 30cm.... 12in.
 SEA KINGFISH.... now.... 60cm. 24in.
 TAILOR.... 25cm.... 10in.
 TARWINE (SILVER BREAM).... now.... 23cm. 9in.

The following have been removed from the list of minimum lengths.

- Sea Garfish.... Perth Herring.... Long Tom.... Sand Mullett.... Sea Pilchard
 Trumpeter Whiting.... Yellowtail.... Redfin Perch.

FIELD DAY RESULTS: SEPTEMBER 14/15TH:JURIEN-NORTH:

P. Isbister	Tailor	11.4 Kg
A. Norman	Tailor	8.5
G. Holman	Mixed Bag	7.05
G. Baskerville	Tailor	4.15
R. Mansfield	Tailor	4.1
E. Sullivan	Tailor	3.3
R. Lundy	Tailor & Herring	3.1
R. Rowland	Mixed Bag	2.8
E. Gregory	Tailor	2.7
D. Retallack	Tailor	2.6
C. Norman (JV)	Tailor	2.4
R. Gibney	Tailor	2.4
D. Jones (J)	Tailor	1.8
G. Renshaw	Tailor	1.75
T. Richardson	Tailor	1.4
R. Flynn	Tailor	1.35
K. Jones	Tailor	1.2
S. Tate	Tailor	0.8
J. Lee	Tailor	0.7
A. Roberts	Tailor	0.7
B. Rowland	Tailor	0.6
	<u>TOTAL:</u>	<u>64.80Kg</u>

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE:

R. Kildahl, D. Letto, G. Singleton (J), E. Parker, J. Griffiths, H.Y. Hew,
T. Stan, R. Noble, D. Bibby, B. Utting, J. Strong, G. Renshaw, D. Baker,
M. Robens.

Heaviest Scale Fish	G. Holman	3.75 Yellow Tail Kingfish
Heaviest Bag Scale Fish	P. Isbister	11.4 Tailor
Heaviest Junior Bag	C. Norman (JV)	1.8 Tailor

SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR POINTS:

Heaviest Scale Fish	G. Holman
Heaviest Bag Scale Fish	P. Isbister

FISHING COMPETITION: FIELD DAY SECTION 1975/76:

Section 1: Points include 10 points for attendance, 2 points per kilogram of legal length scale fish and 2 points per kilogram for edible sharks, excluding Port Jackson, Mobblygon, Fiddler, etc.

TOP TEN:

1. G. Holman	109	6. T. Richardson	57
2. R. Rowland	90	7. D. Metallack	54
3. R. Lundy	87	8. S. Renshaw	52
4. P. Ishister	64	9. T. Star	49
5. A. Norman	60	10. B. Rowland	49

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Section 2: Heaviest Scale Fish (1st 6 months)
 R. LUNDY, 5.5kg, MULLENBAY, Greenough

Section 3: Most Meritorious Fish
 No Entry

Section 4: Heaviest Shark (Min. weight 5kg)
 No Entry

Section 5: Heaviest Mulloway (Min. weight 1kg)
 R. LUNDY, 5.5kg

Section 6: Heaviest Tailor (Min. weight 1kg)
 D. METTALACK, 2.4kg, Greenough

Section 7: Heaviest Salmon (Min. weight 3kg)
 No Entry

Section 8: Heaviest Trevally (Skippy) (Min. weight 1kg)
 T. FULLER, 1.9kg

Section 9: Heaviest Spanish Mackerel
 No Entry

Section 10: Heaviest Bar of Scale Fish caught on a field day
 G. HOLMAN, 17.5kg

FISHING COMPETITION: FIELD DAY SECTION 1975/76 Cont'd.

- Section 11: Heaviest Bag of Mulloway
R. LUNDY, 5.5kg
- Section 12: Heaviest Bag of Tailor
P. ISBISTER, 11.4kg
- Section 13: Heaviest Scale Fish caught on S.H. Rod
(Max. 4kg on 9lb B/S Line)
No Entry
- Section 14: Heaviest Scale Fish other than above
G. HOLMAN, 3.75kg, YELLOWTAIL KINGFISH

FISHING COMPETITION: OPEN DIVISION: 1975/76:

- Section 1: Most Meritorious Fish
No Entry
- Section 2: Heaviest Shark (Min. weight 5kg)
No Entry
- Section 3: Heaviest Mulloway (Min. weight 3kg)
No Entry
- Section 4: Heaviest Salmon (Min. weight 3kg)
No Entry
- Section 5: Heaviest Jewfish (Min. weight 5kg)
No Entry
- Section 6: Heaviest Tailor (Min. weight 1kg)
No Entry
- Section 7: Heaviest Salmon Fish (Min. weight 5kg)
No Entry
- Section 8: Heaviest Scale Fish caught on a S.H. Rod (Max. 4kg on 9lb
No Entry (B.S. Line-Min.
(weight 1kg)

FISHING COMPETITION: OPEN DIVISION: 1975/76: Cont'd.

- Section 9: Heaviest Snapper (Min. weight 2kg)
No Entry
- Section 10: Heaviest Tarwhine (Silver Brown) (Min. weight 0.5kg)
No Entry
- Section 11: Heaviest Spanish Mackerel (Min. weight 5kg)
No Entry
- Section 12: Heaviest Trevally (Southern) (Min. weight 1kg)
No Entry
- Section 13: Heaviest Trevally (Northern) (Min. weight 1kg)
No Entry
- Section 14: Heaviest Snook (Min. weight 1kg)
No Entry
- Section 15: Heaviest Scale Fish other than above excluding Section One
(Min. weight 2kg)
No Entry

SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR POINTS:

Allocation of Points.

Field Day

- Section 1 - Top Ten Points 1 to 10
 " 2 - (2 sections) 3 points (each)
 " 4.5.6.7.8.)
 " 9.10.11.12.13.14.) 3 points (each)
- Winner of each Field Day 1 point
 Heaviest Bag " " 1 point

Casting Days

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|------------------------|----------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Top Ten points 1 to 10 | | Open Distance Winner | 2 points |
| L.L. Distance Winner | 2 points | " S.H. Distance Winner | 2 points |
| " " 2nd | 1 point | D.H. Accuracy Record Decken | 2 points |
| D.H. Accuracy Winner | 2 points | S.H. " " " | 2 points |
| " " 2nd | 1 point | Each Section Winner on the Day | 1 point each casting day |
| S.H. Accuracy Winner | 2 points | | |
| " " 2nd | 1 point | Overall Winner on the Day | 1 point each casting day |

SEPTEMBER CAST:

Although hindered by blustery changeable winds and threatened by ominous black rain clouds at times, the September cast was nonetheless enthusiastically enjoyed by the 23 members who participated.

After setting up the equipment and retiring, on the grounds that driving back from attending a wedding in Kellerberrin the previous night had left him feeling crook, our genial D.C.O. bid a tired farewell and entrusted to the Assistant D.C.O. and Roy Lundy, the running of the cast.

Considering the wind conditions encountered, it is to the credit of members that the majority of casts in the L/L Distance event incurred no more penalties than would have been expected on a fine day. Some of the casts executed, would have turned a medium pace seam bowler in a cricket match green with envy, to see the ease with which they were swung around; sometimes holding up into the breeze and dropping suddenly and at other times swinging left or right and occasionally gathering speed, depending on wind direction and velocity.

It was noted by the Assistant D.C.O. that the doyen of East Perth supporters was strangely loathe to discuss football, perhaps he thought that with the absence of our champion of the Bulldogs cause it was more dignified not to do so. Also duly noted were the strange mutinous mutterings from Brian's gallery, which greeted the occasion of a bull scored by him in the S/H Accuracy event. And then there were those colleagues of Brian Leicester, whose admiration and delight for his new found casting technique could be gauged by the applause accorded him after he had cast in the L/L Distance event. Mind you, from where the Assistant D.C.O. was standing, it appeared warranted. After all, it's not often that the rod is thrown like a javelin.

It was good to see another newcomer to casting, Tony Richardson, turn up and perform very creditably for his first effort for the season. The club's B/O specialist, Graham Baskerville, was finally outdone when Gus Sussmeyer scored two in a row.

The winner of the L/L Distance was H. Hew with 32, followed by G. Holman and D. Latta with 30 and 29 respectively. In the D/H Accuracy, G. Baskerville came up trumps with 53, next best were R. Kildahl with 51 and B. Leicester with 44. S/H Accuracy went to B. Leicester on 21 with T. Fuller 19 and G. Holman 18 a close third.

The final event of the day was the D/H Open which was won by H. Hew with his usual aplomb by burying his sinker 115 metres from the line. Longest cast of the day was B. Leicester's 117 metres in the L/L Distance event. Booty prize for the most number of noughts scored in any one event must go to Lofty for his effort in the S/H Accuracy.

Even though the last two dry casting days have been accompanied by inclement weather, we must have a fine one soon, so come and test your skill. You don't have to cast out of sight to score well, accuracy is what counts and if you want a few laughs come down and watch the antics, it will only cost you 20 cents- so, until next cast- tight lines.

Eric and John.

SEPTEMBER CAST RESULTS:

Attendance: 20 seniors, 3 juniors

LONGEST CAST: Brian Leicester - 117 metresL.D. DISTANCE:

1.	H. Hew	32
2.	G. Holman	30
3.	D. Latto	29
4.	J. Griffiths	28
5.	D. Retallack	28

D.H. ACCURACY:

1.	G. Baskerville	53
2.	R. Kildahl	51
3.	B. Leicester	44
4.	D. Latto	41
5.	H. Hew	39

S.H. ACCURACY:

1.	B. Leicester	21
2.	T. Fuller	19
3.	G. Holman	18
4.	R. Kildahl	18
5.	D. Latto	15

DAY WINNERS:Senior: R. Kildahl 105 pointsJunior: R/ Ingram 66 pointsD.H. OPEN:

1.	H. Hew	115	9.	R. Ingram (J)	104
2.	G. Holman	112	10.	D. Retallack	100
3.	W. Utting	112	11.	B. Brown	95
4.	G. Baskerville	108	12.	T. Stam	91
5.	M. Dawson	108	13.	G. Sussmeyer	90
6.	B. Leicester	108	14.	R. Lundy	80
7.	J. Griffiths	105	15.	R. Kildahl	78
8.	T. Fuller	105			

TOP TWENTY:

1.	G. Holman	549	11.	J. Oxley	345
2.	G. Baskerville	493	12.	J. Lee	341
3.	T. Fuller	486	13.	B. Leicester	311
4.	R. Kildahl	468	14.	E. Parker	297
5.	R. Lundy	462	15.	R. Ingram (J)	297
6.	D. Latto	439	16.	M. Dawson	289
7.	H. Hew	426	17.	R. Lerch	288
8.	R. Lerch	420	18.	B. Brown	281
9.	J. Griffiths	415	19.	D. Retallack	276
10.	J. Strong	389	20.	T. Corcoran	275

SEPTEMBER CAST:L.L. DISTANCE:

Name	Pty	1	2	3	Total	Ave	Pts
R. Kildahl	10	93	89	90	262		26
G. Baskerville	10	115	B/O	110	215		22
B. Leicester	10	117	B/O	109	216		22
D. Latto		98	99	96	293		29
H. Hew		105	99	115	319		32
G. Holman	20	113	106	104	303		30
M. Dawson	10	85	94	96	265		27
R. Lundy	10	B/O	93	97	180		18
J. Griffiths	10	93	108	93	284		28
T. Fuller		B/O	93	93	186		19
J. Lee		88	94	93	275		28
R. Lerch	30	103	93	94	260		26
W. Utting		111	114	110	335		34
A. Ingram (J)		110	104	106	320		32
J. Strong	10	88	87	90	255		26
T. Stam	10	78	84	90	242		24
J. Oxley	10	87	89	87	253		25
R. Lerch (J)	10	101	104	B/O	195		20
B. Brown	10	107	B/O	92	189		19
D. Retallick		90	100	91	281		28
T. Richardson	10	85	82	69	226		23
G. Sussmeyer	10	81	B/O	B/O	71		7
M. Sussmeyer (J)	10	52	48	60	150		15

<u>D.H. ACCURACY:</u>					<u>S.H. ACCURACY:</u>						
1	2	1	2	Pts	1	2	1	2	Pts	Tot.Pts	Inc.Att.
10	14	11	16	51	0	7	6	5	18	95	105
13	16	10	14	53	0	5	4	6	15	90	100
8	17	7	12	44	8	10	3	0	21	87	97
6	12	7	16	44	0	7	0	8	15	85	95
8	5	13	13	39	0	4	6	0	10	81	91
0	15	7	7	29	5	0	8	5	18	77	87
0	18	0	19	37	0	3	0	5	8	72	82
2	14	7	15	38	0	5	2	4	11	67	77
12	0	7	17	36	0	0	0	0	0	64	74
0	5	6	12	23	5	10	1	3	19	61	71
14	8	0	5	27	0	0	0	6	6	61	71
0	15	7	5	27	0	5	0	0	5	58	68
0	11	6	1	18	0	3	0	1	4	56	66
0	0	7	10	17	7	0	0	0	7	56	66
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3	3	10	0	16	0	8	0	0	8	44	54
12	0	0	0	12	0	0	5	7	12	33	53
3	3	0	0	6	2	0	4	0	6	40	50
7	0	0	0	7	0	3	0	0	3	33	43
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SOCIAL NEWS:

Well folks, those who attended the "QUIZ NIGHT" and brought along their friends, are to be congratulated on a mighty fine roll-up. It is this type of assistance an organiser loves to receive, so keep up the good work.

The night can only be classified as "great" and its greatness can be attributed to such people as May and Lefty Griffiths, who took it upon themselves to assist by sending letters to many firms, asking for donations of which they received many. To all the donors, I say a very big thank you, for without your assistance the profit margin would not have been so great. To the volunteer judges, namely, Dianne and Les Leicester and Lois and Dennis Sharp, thanks for a job well done.

The profit made on the night was \$156.41 which will give us a mighty boost for the coming social functions.

Our next outing will be the Annual Picnic B.B.Q. and Car Trial to be held on October 19. The trial has been set and will commence at 9.30 a.m. from the North-West corner of the Entertainment Centre Car Park. An entry fee of \$1.00 per car will be required to cover the costs. The length of the trial will be between 40-50 miles (hopefully) so make sure you have plenty of petrol before taking off.

This will not be a time trial as we do not want any mishaps with speed throughout the trial, although you will be required to finish within a reasonable time.

The kids will be treated to free drinks, lollies and icecreams. Races and games will be held for all age groups, so come along and enjoy yourselves.

As I will not be in attendance owing to employment, I leave you all in the excellent hands of the (Vol) Social Committee, so give them all the support you can.

DARRAYLL RETALLACK

ROY LUNDY

RON KILMAHL

Sporting activities

Free goodies

Car Trial

Although there are a few B.B.Q. fires available, those who have portables are requested to bring them along.

"HEY MUMS", please bring along drinking utensils for the kids ginger beer, and when your child comes along to get his or her drink, would you please see that the tap, on the keg, is turned off correctly. We do not want to see a re-occurrence of a few years ago when the contents of the keg was wasted onto the ground.

"LADIES" remember at previous picnics the fine furniture which was made by Rudy Lerch and raffled, (Mrs Hew will remember). Well he has again donated his efforts in making another fine piece. Rudy's craftsmanship is a delight and any of his creations would be a worthy showpiece in anyone's home, so come along to the picnic, just to be in this tremendous raffle, if nothing else. Thanks Rudy.

The Social Committee extends a big welcome to all new members and their families and look forward to seeing you all at the Annual Picnic. This type of outing creates a great social atmosphere so come along and enjoy the fun. Older members can assist by moving around the crowd and introducing themselves and their wives to all new members.

Please mark the 6th December on your calendar, as this is the date of our Christmas Social. More details concerning this day will be in the next "Reel Talk".

B. LEICESTER
SOCIAL ORGANISER.

(Footnote to Social News)

Editor,

Anybody who missed the Quiz Night missed out on a lot of fun.

One of the highlights of the evening was when Darrayll Retallack won a facial- he sure could use one!

Tom Corcoran was going well in the toss for a reel and got piped in the grand final. But by this time he'd got the hang of it, and next time round won the 'trani'.

Baskers won three mugs and Ric Parker (green with envy) was heard to remark, 'and now that makes four'!

The best one of the night was the sportsman who, when asked, "What three weapons are used in fencing?" answered, Wire, Pickets, Asbestos.

Gough had his mates there too, when the Quizmaster asked, "what is the name for a group of Monkeys". The answer came back, "The Labour Party". Well done Brian and helpers, a good night!

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WAGO FIELD DAY:

I would like to thank Bob Klein for the following log of landmarks to Halfway Bay. Members travelling on this trip for the first time will find it most helpful. Last year a number of club members stopped at the Ruins (after driving all night), for a few hours rest.

We then all went through the last section in convoy. It would be a good idea to do this again this year. If I remember correctly, we left the Ruins about 8.30 a.m. Saturday morning.

Water on the Halfway Bay track forced us to change the weigh-in venue. This could happen again. F.D.O. will post signs if necessary.

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TIDE PREDICTIONS (GERALDTON):

Sat.	11th Oct.	2.40 p.m.	0.6 m.	Low
		3.34 p.m.	0.6 m.	
Sun.	12th Oct.	10.47 p.m.	1.0 m.	High
		00.14 a.m.	1.0 m.	
		2.00 a.m.	1.0 m.	Low
		12.14 p.m.	0.6 m.	
Mon.	13th Oct.	11.24 p.m.	0.9 m.	High
		1.07 a.m.	0.9 m.	
		2.47 p.m.	0.9 m.	Low
		1.33 p.m.	0.6 m.	
		11.55 p.m.	0.9 m.	

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SINKERS FOR WAGOE:

Rick Parker and "the boys" are having a sinker night before our General Meeting so that there will be plenty of sinkers for the members for Wago Field Day. Bring some silver and take home lead!

FROM RUINS AT LYNTON STATION TO COTTAGES AT LUCKY BAY AREA(LEAVE GATES AS YOU FIND THEM)DISTANCES ARE KILOMETRESPREPARED - OCTOBER 1974

- 0.0 Ruins on RIGHT - take LEFT fork - RIGHT fork is private road to station homestead.
- 0.3 Cross GRID - river is on LEFT - station homestead visible on RIGHT.
- 2.7 Take road RIGHT - straight on is to PORT GREGORY.
- 2.9 Cross GRID - carry straight on - LEFT is to PORT GREGORY - RIGHT is to station homestead.
- 5.7 WINDMILL on LEFT - Hutt Lagoon on LEFT - low hills on RIGHT.
- 6.6 Go through first GATE.
- 9.1 WINDMILL On RIGHT.
- 9.3 Go through second GATE.
- 11.2 WINDMILL on LEFT.
- 14.1 WINDMILL on LEFT.
- 16.2 New road - take LEFT FORK.
- 16.8 Cross GRID.
- 20.5 Go through GATE.
- 22.6 Turn LEFT through FENCE GATE.
- 23.6 Always take CENTRE of THREE TRACKS. This applies no matter how much water may be over the THREE TRACKS or the area as the CENTRE TRACK has a sandy base. Definitely AVOID RIGHT HAND TRACK as this has a muddy and treacherous base.
- 23.7 Confusion of tracks - use best one heading for beach.
- 25.6 Cottages - YOU HAVE ARRIVED!

A.A.A. REPORT:

As I did not get the August A.A.A. Report to the Editor in time for publication, I will combine both the August and September A.A.A. Reports.

The main item on the Agenda at the August meeting was the Election of Officers for the coming year. The Officers elected were:

President	: George Brown
Vice President	: Jim Strong
Treasurer	: R. Cook
Secretary	: Peter Beeson
Recorder	: R. Flood
Australian Sporting Council Delegate	: P. Foster
Property Officer	: D. Gilbert
Competition Co-ordinator	: D. Gilbert

Further points to come out of the meeting were:-

1. A letter from the Queensland Division of the A.A.A. notifying us that the 1977 Australian Championships would be held at Calandra on the South East Coast between the 16th and the 30th of July, 1977.
2. That the A.A.A. would move to Room 103 at the Perry Lakes Stadium from the September meeting onwards.
3. The Election of a Drycasting Sub-Committee for the Drycasting Championships and adoption of new Rules.
4. A Report on the Death of R. Skobla at Rottnest.
5. After much heated discussion it was decided that the Points for the State Fishing Championships at Yallingup would be 4 points per kilo and 1 point per fish.

The September Meeting was held at the new premises at Perry Lakes in such better surrounds than previous, with a shortened meeting time of 7.30 to 10.30 p.m. owing to having to have all vehicles off the area before 10.45 p.m.

The following points were discussed at the meeting.

1. Nominations for the Sportsman of the Year with 10 nominations being received; the eventual A.A.A. Nominee being, Roy Ruby, from the Offshore Boating Club.
2. A brief report from John Butler on the finances for the Albany Convention in which he said that all clubs would be receiving repayments of loans shortly.
3. Denis Gilbert resigned from the post of Property Officer owing to changing his employment.

The A.A.A. are looking for somewhere to store the trailer and assorted gear so if any member has room, could they please notify the A.A.A. Delegates.

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A.A.A. REPORT Cont'd.

Records passed in for the two months were:

	<u>Length</u>	<u>Girth</u>	<u>Weight</u>
	<u>cm</u>	<u>cm</u>	<u>kg</u>
1. Freshwater Cobbler Caught in the Blackwood	48	29	1.248
2. Blue Groper Caught at Windy Harbour	116.8	91.4	35.38
3. Thread Fin Salmon Caught 80-mile Beach	122	52	9.545
4. Short Headed Worm Eel Caught at Scarborough	65	12.5	0.6
5. Black Banded Sea Perch Caught off Triggs	41	32	1.1
6. Five Barred Goat Fish Caught at Rottnest	40.5	27.8	1
7. Many Spotted Sweetlip Caught at Norwest Cape	72.6	58.7	7

Well that is about all, except to wish the clubs Angling Team all the best at the Championships.

Roy

FIELD DAY:

Points Tally rounding to nearest .05kg.

Example:	5.25 kilos	= 11 points
	5.3	= 11 "
	5.4	= 11 "
	5.5	= 11 "
	5.6	= 11 "
	5.7	= 11 "
	5.75	= 12 "
	5.8	= 12 "
	6.0	= 12 "

PERSONAL PROFILE. DOUG EDWARD.

This is a new series that will consist of a question and answer interview conducted by the Editor.

- Ed. Doug, how old are you?
 D.E. Fifty Eight unfortunately.
 Ed. And married?
 D.E. Yes, for thirty five years.
 Ed. How about family?
 D.E. Only one son. My son is Rod who is an electronic engineer with the A.B.C.
 Ed. Doug, what is your wife's name?
 D.E. Dorothy, and I think most of the older members of the club will remember her.
 Ed. How long ago since you joined the Club Doug; can you remember when you joined?
 D.E. Well, it's a long time ago, it was about 1952. I think in those days the meetings were held at Aussie Cycles in Hay Street.
 Ed. You'd be a founder member of the club wouldn't you Doug?
 D.E. No, not a foundation member at all, as far as I can recall, back in that time, there were very few members anyway.
 Ed. Yes, it was a very small club back in those days, what positions have you held in the Club since you have been a member?
 D.E. Well, I think it was the first Annual General Meeting that was held at Marlborough House, that must have been about 1952 or 53, I was out cooking the chickens in the kitchen, when I came out, someone said 'you are the new Secretary of the club', and on that occasion Blue Hampton, who had been at that time a club member for less time than I, had been shanghaied into being President!
 Ed. I'd think it more of a compliment than a shanghai, and it would seem that you have been 'cooking the chickens and looking after the social side for a long while then?'
 D.E. Well, I think I held the position of Secretary for five years, but in the early days things were not organised as they are now, and I think I was Secretary, Pool Talk Editor, Field Day Officer and Dry Casting Officer. I remember somebody gave me a complement once saying, 'if we didn't have Doug, we wouldn't have a club'. It's nice to see the club organised as it is, where you have people running each particular section. In those days it was too much on me to do this.
 Ed. Yes, well it spreads the load doesn't it, and makes each one lead a little lighter. What are your interests outside angling?
 D.E. Well, I think my most important relief from work, is possibly gardening and this is my only expression with nature.
 Ed. What about your family's interests Doug, what do your family like to do, your wife and your son?
 D.E. Well, my son has never liked gardening but I'm beginning to get him into that kind of business. My wife has always had to put up with my

PERSONAL PROFILE-DOUG EDWARD cont'd.

- interests and possibly does not have any of her own.
- Ed. Has she never had any desire to join the club and take part in the club activities?
- D.E. Dorothy always has taken part in club activities and I think this is the case with most committee wives; especially in the early days. We used to have Committee Meetings at a persons home, and on a lot of occasions, when other places were not available, our home was always open.
- Ed. Whereabouts do you hail from Doug, where were you born?
- D.E. Well, I was a country boy, I was born in Northam about 1917. Came to Perth in 1935, and started in the Company of G. & H.O. Mills.
- Ed. And where did you go to school, did you go to school in the country?
- D.E. Yes, I got my education at Northam high school.
- Ed. What about the forces, did you spend any time in the forces?
- D.E. When I was 16 I joined the Army in Northam, they found out by age of course and expelled me from that. When I came down from Northam, I joined the 16th Battalion Cameron Highlanders and stayed in that regiment and rose from the rank of Lance Corporal, to Corporal, to Sergeant, to Sergeant Major to Lieutenant, and when the A.O.F. was formed, I was a Commissioned Lieutenant for six years.
- Ed. Looking forward for the club, from here on, what sort of things would you like to see the club look forward to for the future, in terms of the club competition, existing, juniors, opening the club to lady members and possibly even a boating section?
- D.E. They are a lot of questions to ask possibly, but my main interest of course is to conduct the club as it was originally intended. The thing I like to see at the present is the number of juniors coming in, and the competition they are taking place in- and winning! I'm quite confident that in a few years time we will see some of these youngsters taking part in the committee, and, in time, being a president of this club.
- As far as boating is concerned- you go beyond the realms now, of the normal person, who joins the club to surf cast, and this is what we are. I remember years ago we just went, all in a truck, we had twenty members all in the one truck. It wasn't long after that we all got cars and went our own ways. We lost a lot of personal things that way. And then later on you got the Landrovers, and then we went by boat to Rottnet, and so it goes on. I don't know, this is possibly progress, I can't see anything against any of the suggestions you have made. As for women coming in, well, after all, a man joins the club, but he doesn't join it himself, really, his family is part of his joining.
- P.S. I would like to thank Doug for coming forward and giving me this interview, and give you fair warning to members, I will be around with my tape recorder looking for more targets.

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Surf Casting & Angling Club of W.A.

Dear Members,

Thank you all very much for your kind donation. It is very much appreciated by myself and the children.

It is a wonderful feeling in this day and age to think people such as yourselves will get together and help others.

Rick was a very proud member of F.A.A.C., and was very impressed with the friendship and close knit of the members and members of other clubs. We both made many friends and had many good times to remember.

In many ways you have all helped me to cope through our loss. It is something not easily forgotten, and I hope in a way I may be able to repay your kindness one day.

We are settling in well, keeping my chin up and looking forward to a happy future.

Well my best regards to everyone. Hope too many big ones aren't getting away.

My heartfelt thanks once again.

Sincerely,

Jenny Skobla.

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The fund for Mrs. Skobla is still open and any donations should be sent to the Treasurer, Allen Hair or to President, George Holman.

PROBE INTO 'OFF ROAD' VEHICLES:

A Committee of Federal M.P.'s will investigate the impact of trail bikes and 4 x 4 vehicles on the environment.

They will look at mini bikes, trail bikes, four wheel drive cars and station wagons, dune buggies and snow vehicles. The Committee would consider controls on such vehicles.

The value of some of the vehicles for some purposes was not questioned. But their ready availability and versatility placed greater burdens on national parks and other semi wilderness areas.

The Committee will look at the extent of damage caused by such vehicles and the need for, and nature of, any measures that could minimise these deleterious effects.

Advertisements for the Off Road Vehicles Enquiry will be placed throughout Australia. The Committee has set October 24th as the closing date for submissions.

Written submissions are invited from persons and organisations interested in placing evidence on this reference before the Committee. The Committee may invite those making submissions to give supporting evidence at a public hearing.

Those intending to make submissions should write promptly to:

The Clerk,
House of Representatives Standing Committee
on Environment and Conservation,
Parliament House,
Canberra, A.C.T. 2600.

before the closing date.

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GAME FISH BADGE:

Application forms are required by the Recorder for fish caught in the Open Section; i.e. other than on field day.
(Field Day captures are recorded by F.D.O.)