

NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 2022



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WHAKATANE





Welcome... to the December edition of your club newsletter, the last for 2022!!! If you were one of the nearly 200 people that came along to our quiz night in November, THANK YOU for supporting the EBOP Hospice and your club. **We raised an astounding \$12,000**. Thanks to everyone who made this event possible especially the wonderful Mandy! Nga Mihi!

Thanks to everyone who made this event possible especially the wonderful Mandy! Nga Mihi! If you are a current member that lives locally and you haven't received your current membership card, please pop into the club to pick it up from behind the bar. If you live out of town give the ladies in the office a call and they will send it out for you. This is also a great time to update your details with the office, especially that all important email address. Email office@wsfc.co.nz with your updated details or phone the office on 07 3070334.

Summer Memberships are available now and at only \$30 for six months, would make an ideal Christmas gift for that friend or whanau member that you keep signing in ;p

We have the awesome sounds of 'THE ENDZONE' to see in the New Year. It's going to be an amazing night and is open for members and non-members and with only a \$10 koha to enter see you there, no excuses! The childrens Christmas party is on Saturday the 10th of December. Gifts are \$10 per child to go into Santa's sack. Keep an eye out on the clubs social media for further details. As we wind down 2022 we would like to thank all of our members for their support this year. The club has bounced back really well after three COVID disrupted years so thank you all. *Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to You and Your Whanau*.

UPCOMING DECEMBER

3rd ~ Whale Plumbing
Christmas Hams Tournament
14th ~ Wednesday Club Night
Final for 2022 - Hams Night
16th ~ Friday Club Night
Final for 2022 - Hams Night
25th ~ Club Closed
31st ~ New Year Rage to
THE ENDZONE from 8pm \$10
Koha Members & Non-Members

HEADS UP ~ January 2023 4-6th New World Juniors Tourny



Adrian & 'The Gambler'
Crew ~ Winners of
Landmark Homes
7 Species & Snapper
Tournament 2022

Whale PLUMBING
LIMITED

Christmas Hams
Tournament 2022!

3rd December 2022

Snapper

Gurnard Kahawai
Trevally Tarakihi

Over \$6000 worth of hams up for grabs!

• Raffles
• Spot Prizes

Enter at the club or go to:



Fishing News... The Landmark Homes 7 Species & Snapper Tournament was low on numbers but really successful. The feedback has been super positive. Thanks Edward and the team for the amazing support. Whale Plumbing are supporting the Christmas Hams Tournament this year, make sure you get along and support them and your club for this tournament. Reports are coming through of YFT active up north so they are not far away. The new Box Tuna Tournament Entry Pack is available on our website or from the club, watch out on our social media pages for when it is activated by the tournament committee. A reminder that it is THE ANGLERS RESPONSIBILTY TO CLAIM CLUB, NATIONAL, OR WORLD RECORDS. The club will assist where we can but it is, and has always been, the anglers responsibility to ensure all paperwork is accurate and completed correctly. **NZSFC News...**Our NZSFC representative Havden reports:

- The Kai Ika program is strengthening as it is rolled out across Aotearoa. We want to get this programme up and running here so please give one of the guys a call if you want to be involved. Check it out at www.kaiika.co.nz
 NZSFC National shirts will be out this season and available through the club. You can brand them with your
- own team name. The club will have more details as they come to hand.
- The NZSFC continue to fight for our right to fish. Proposed increases in protection areas and reserves continue so the fight goes on! To learn more head to www.Legasea.co.nz
- Changes to Recreational Rules for Hapuku and Bass are effective 28th of November 2022.

To find out more head to www.beehive.govt.nz/release/new-recreational-rules-support-hapuku-and-bass-fisheries

From Your Committee...

- The Club By Laws have been amended and passed. Changes are 13.5 Tackle and 28.0 Conduct.
 Please make yourselves familiar with these from the clubs website or there is a hard laminated copy available in the clubs paper stand.
- It was passed that Sarah-Lee, as the Club Office Manager, be approved as a Club Signatory.
- Sponsors are required for Onebase and the Anniversary Game Tournaments.
- Committee did not object to requesting a \$10 koha towards the cost of the band on New Year's Eve.

Minimum length for Kahawai for the Juniors Tournament set at 50cm.

Keep up to date ~ the Club Facebook Page has over 7000 followers ~ are you one of them?



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