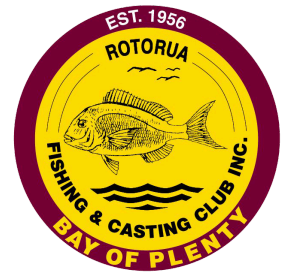


ROTORUA FISHING AND CASTING CLUB INCORPORATED

NEWSLETTER



JANUARY 2025

President's Comment

The Bonanza is just around the corner, and everything is in place for another fabulous event. Thanks so much to all the members that turned out at the January Club weekend for the working bee, the premises are looking sharp! I wish all participants in the Bonanza a fruitful day, and look forward to seeing many of you at Matata School for the prize giving on Sunday afternoon, 26th January. Thank you to our event coordinator Steven Shand for his work on the 2025 Bonanza, it takes a unique skill set to pull everything together for a seamless fun and successful event.

Jenny
President



Club Weekend - Boy's Night Out

We recently held a successful working bee with an impressive turnout. A big thank you to all members who generously contributed their time and effort.

Following the working bee, five of us ventured to Rodgers Road for the boys night out. Early on, several small kahawai and undersized snapper were caught. The highlight of the afternoon came when Blue's rod bent right over with a nice trevally, which measured an impressive 45 cm. I was fortunate to land a legal-sized snapper measuring 35 cm, as well as a decent-sized rig.

The weather was a bit unpredictable, with a few passing showers during the afternoon.

Best of luck to everyone competing in the Snapper Bonanza competition over Auckland Anniversary Weekend.

Our next club fishing event is scheduled for the weekend of February 15th and 16th, in collaboration with the Opotiki club. For those planning on fishing the next club fish, here are the tide times for Whakatāne from Friday, February 14th, to Sunday, February 16th:

Date	High Tide	Low Tide
Fri, Feb 14	21:29 pm (1.9 m)	15:37 pm (0.6 m)
Sat, Feb 15	9:51am (2.0 m)	3:45am (0.5 m)
Sat, Feb 15	22:11pm (2.0 m)	16:19 pm (0.5 m)
Sun, Feb 16	10:31am (2.1 m)	4:26am (0.4 m)

(Metservice Whakatane) (NZST).

Tight lines,

Sam



Membership Points to Date

Senior Men:

Sam Thomson	210.735
Harold Hofmann	204.835
Jayden Swinbank	95.870
Steven Shand	72.310
Corey Warrander	28.540

Veteran Ladies:

Cheryl Brown	10.000
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Veterans:

Blue Hobbs	88.425
Gary Treloar	40.000
Barry Hand	20.000
Dave Brown	10.000
Barry Gordon	10.000
Ernie Jones	10.000
Patrick Reid	10.000

Next Club Weekend

15 - 16 February

Club Fishing Weekend with Opotiki
RFCC Clubrooms

Updated Information for February Club Weekend

Location: RFCC Clubrooms

Registration: 9am

Fishing Start: 10 am Saturday 15 February

Final Weigh In: 9 am Sunday 16 February

Cost: \$5 per rod

There will be a raffle.

15- 16 February Tide Times

Tides are as follows: (Metservice Whakatane)

- Saturday 15 Feb Low Tide 03.45
 High Tide 09.51
 Low Tide 16.19
 High Tide 22.11
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- Sunday 16 Feb Low Tide 04:26



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Committee Meeting - Monday 17 February 2025 - 7pm

ZOOM LINK - a link will be emailed to all committee members prior to the meeting.

Please ensure your apologies are emailed to secretaryfcc1956@gmail.com prior to the meeting commencing.

Club Membership 2024 / 2025

The club bank account details are:

ROTORUA FISHING AND CASTING CLUB

Account Number: 38-9011-0887680-00

Reminder that every member must complete and sign a membership form. When visiting the club for whatever reason, even if it is for a short period of time please remember to sign in.

2025 Important Dates

26 January 2025

56th Annual Bonanza

15-16 February

Club Fishing Weekend with Opotiki

RFCC Clubrooms

21-23 March

Raglan Trip

(Alternative will be Kawhia)

11-13 April

Club Fishing Weekend

