



KBC Members-Only Competition

18th or 19th of November 2017

Rules

Fishing competition will commence at 7.00 AM on Saturday 18th November and will finish at 4.00 PM. Postponement day will be Sunday 19th November should the weather be unsuitable on Saturday 18th. Eeeling will commence at 8.00 PM on Friday 17th and end at 4.00 PM on Sunday 19th November

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A huge thank you to our generous sponsor: **Boat City**. Please show your support by giving them a visit on Main Road North Paraparaumu. Boat City have a fantastic range of boating and fishing equipment and as a KBC Member you are entitled to an in-store discount.

Eligibility

- All participants must be a full financial member of the Kapiti Boating Club.
- All contestants must complete the attached registration form to be eligible for this competition
- All vessels must be in a sea-worthy condition and must contain a minimum of one life jacket per crew member - Flares and an appropriate first aid kit are also recommended.
- All boats must have minimum 2 types of communications. E.G. Fixed VHF radio, Hand held VHF radio and / or mobile phone(s) in a water tight bag.
- Spot checks can, and may be carried out by the Committee or members of Coastguard Kapiti Coast during the competition.
- N.B. The Kapiti Boating Club is not responsible for placing anglers on boats.

Skippers Responsibilities

- The Skipper has full responsibility for whoever is in their party throughout the competition.
- Each skipper is to provide us with full crew details as part of the registration process.
- It is each angler's responsibility to determine if the weather and sea condition are safe for fishing. It is the skipper's responsibility to ensure they only take a vessel out in conditions that are appropriate to both the type of vessel and their skill level.
- It is the skippers' responsibility to ensure that the boat is sea-worthy and not overloaded – know your limitations and keep within them.

Species

- Senior Club Members - Snapper, Blue Cod, Kingfish, Kahawai, Gurnard and Terakihi.
- Junior Club Members - Club species plus Parrot fish, Scarpie and Eel.
- Any fish weighed in must be taken home.
- Any undersized fish will result in the angler being disqualified and may lead to the disqualification of all team members on that boat at the discretion of the competition's Committee.

Briefing

- Briefing commences at 7.00pm on Friday 17th November 2017 at the Kapiti Boating Club.
- The skipper or the skippers designated representative (who must be a member of your crew) must attend briefing. All others are welcome and encouraged to attend – the Bar will be open and food will be available

Fishing Area

- Fishing is permitted between Fisherman's Table – Paekakariki and Otaki beach
- Any boat found fishing outside of this area or within the marine reserve will be disqualified.

Eeling Area

- Anywhere that is legal and you have permission from the land owner(s).

Registrations

- Registration for this competition is compulsory.
- 6.30pm-8.30 pm Friday 10th of November at the Kapiti Boating Club
- 6.30pm-8.30pm Friday 17th of November at the Kapiti Boating Club

Please note - THERE WILL BE NO REGISTRATIONS ON THE DAY OF THE COMPETITION! (i.e.) Saturday the 18th and Sunday the 19th

Fishing Times and Weigh-ins

Saturday 18th November 2017

- Launching can start before 7am but all boats must remain within 100 metres of the shore until competition start horn is sounded at 7am.
- Weigh-in at Kapiti Boating Club 4pm-6pm
- All Eels caught after the weigh times on Saturday must be photographed, showing your wristband; Eel and time/date in the photo to show weigh master at weigh in. Eels are to be weighed in within weigh in times. They can be chilled only, not frozen.

Sunday 19th November 2017 (If postponed on Saturday 18th November)

- Launching can start before 6am but all boats must remain within 100 metres of the shore until competition start horn is sounded at 6am.
- Final weigh in at Kapiti Boating Club 1pm-3pm
- Any boat leaving prior to starting times each day will be disqualified from that days fishing.
- Bleeding - Kahawai and Kingfish must be bled when caught.

The final times for contestants to be in the weigh-in queue is 6pm on Saturday 18th November 2017 and 3pm on Sunday 19th November 2017.

We recommend that you take care of your fish. - All fish presented at weigh-in need to be kept **fresh**, I.E. kept on ice or chilled. Failure to do so may result in your catch being disqualified and not eligible for prizes. Only legal healthy fish will be accepted and the organisers reserve the right to reject any fish presented at their discretion.

Prizing Giving

- Prize giving will be at Kapiti Boating Club at 5.30pm Sunday 19th November 2017
- You can have an appointed representative claim any major prize(s) on your behalf at prize giving in your absence. **You must be present to receive any spot prizes!!!**
- Prizes will be awarded for the heaviest fish in each species and the average weight for each species for both the Senior and Junior categories.
- If two or more fish of equal weight become eligible for a prize, then they will be ranked according to their weigh in times with preference given to those weighed in first.
- Spot Prizes – Friday the 17th Saturday the 18th and Sunday the 19th. Members must be present and wearing their tournament ID wrist band to claim a spot prize.
- If the organisers deem the weather and/or sea condition unsafe on Saturday 18th the competition will be postponed to Sunday 19th. If the decision is made to cancel the competition on both days all prizes will be drawn at random from registrations, on Sunday night.

FOOD WILL BE AVAILABLE FROM THE KITCHEN AT GREAT PRICES ON BOTH NIGHTS!

Tackle

Fishing will be with rods and reels only. Kontikis, kites, nets, spearguns, hand-lines or longlines are not permitted.

Public Liability

Neither the Tournament organiser, nor any director, official, contractor or employee of the Tournament organiser shall have any liability in connection with the Tournament for any damage caused to any vehicle, boat or other property, or loss of property or personal injury or damage of whatever nature or kind howsoever caused.

By purchasing a ticket, you agree to all these rules and regulations.

Weigh masters Indemnity

- It is the responsibility of anglers to present their completed catch to the weigh-station.
- It is the skipper's responsibility to ensure that fish are properly secured in transfer from boat or vehicle to the weigh in station.
- Anglers are warned to be careful when lifting catches off their boats.

Rule Changes

- The Competition Committee reserves the right to change the rules should it be deemed necessary in the interest of the competition (any changes will be notified as soon as practical).
- Kapiti Boating Club reserves the right to prohibit an angler's entry to this tournament.

Entry Implies Acceptance of Rules

- Completion of an entry form for the competition is deemed to constitute acceptance by all anglers referred to in that form of rules presented and any violation of the rules may bring about team disqualification.

Radio Calls

- All boats are recommended to be equipped with VHF, and be in radio contact with Tournament Base at all times on the designated Channel 77 (Waikanae Boating Club).
- All vessels must register with the 'Waikanae Boating Club' or 'Waikanae Marine' when leaving the beach. Clearly state your boats name and the number of people on board.
- Radio them again on your return each day.
- Use Channel 16 for Mayday or PAN PAN calls (this is the default emergency channel)

Bad Weather

- The Competition Committee reserves the right to cancel the days fishing in the event of unfavourable weather conditions as safety is paramount.
- In the event of cancellation of the days fishing we will advise by VHF radio, on the white board in the club rooms and / or in person at the club rooms.

**“Kapiti Boating Club” 2017 Members-Only Competition
18th and 19th Nov 2017**

REGISTRATION FORM: 2017

Team Skippers/Captain Name:		
Address:		
Email:		
Current Member number:		
Phone Day:	Phone Evening:	Mobile (on board during tournament):
Please note we need all the following information for Health and Safety so please complete fully to ensure we can accept your entry:	Boat Make & colour:	Boat type launch or trailer:
Boat Name:	Motor Make & HP:	Trailer Registration:
Boat Length:		
Extra/comments:		
Team Members Name	Club member - Senior \$20.00 pp	Club member - Junior \$10.00 pp
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Total Fees Payable	\$	\$

DECLARATION

As Team Captain and on behalf of my team, I agree to abide by the Rules of the Competition and agree to carry out the instructions of the Tournament Officials and accept their decisions as final and binding upon my crew and me. I also indemnify the organising committee against any losses, damages or untoward expenses caused or incurred by my crew or myself. I consent to the collection of details on this entry form by the organisers for event registration and for the promotion and benefit of this Tournament. This consent is given in accordance with the Privacy Act 1993. I acknowledge my right to access and correction of this information.

SIGNED: _____ DATE: _____