

Hooked on Fishing

MATAMATA FISHING CLUB NEWSLETTER

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Hi, what a great start to 2018, not our first competition for the season of course but the first for the new year. Sunday evening saw over 100 people in attendance at the weigh in and over 30 of them were children, great to see the juniors enjoying themselves so much ah.

While there was not a huge number of fish weighed in there was still plenty donated for the cooking. Many thanks to those who consistently give forth their prize catches. Phil and Chooky have that cooking down to a fine art, Wil has taught them well ah?, and thanks to a reconditioning job on the cooker by Comag, the fish quality was awesome. I would like to acknowledge and thank the team for donating their time for fixing our cooker, cheers guys.

The competition had prizes galore thanks to our excellent sponsors, Begovich Builders, Matamata Sportsworld, Splice Construction, and wow that meat from the Holmes family processed and packed by Matamata Butchery went down a treat, a great big thankyou to you all.

Next competition is a beauty, THE BIG FISH COMP it is called and last year it lived up to that, with Hayden Begovich catching a marlin. Let's

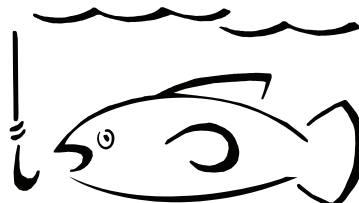
hope someone can do that this year. The Comp is sponsored by a great team of people, Matamata Marine, Challenge, Matamata Vets, Plumbco, and King Electrical, and a huge kids section sponsored by Waharoa Transport. This comp is a very good one. The game fish can be caught from midnight Thursday, while all the other fish categories are under the normal rules of starting midnight Friday night. Make sure you have a look at the prize list, it is well worth going out for a fish, and getting the kids out there. The weigh master has pointed out to me that there seems to be a wee bit of confusion at times at the weigh station. It appears that sometimes people are not sure who caught what fish. Please make sure as you land your fish on the boat that you clearly identify them as yours, this will obviously save time and confusion at the scales. Ways to mark fish are eg: Coloured rubber bands; cut off top of tail; cut off bottom of tail, side fins etc.

Sadly, Team Leander lost one of their crew last month, Paul Baker (Motor) was a much-loved team member and will be sadly missed.

Happy Fishing, Bungey
Make every day count my friends.



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UPCOMING EVENTS

Next Competition

3rd & 4th March 2018

Weigh in 4pm - 5pm

Next Committee Meeting

7th March 2018

Check out our website:

www.matamatafishingclub.co.nz



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Many thanks to all of our sponsors for this season. Remember to support them where possible.



POINTS SUMMARY

OPEN

Phillip Stevens	1433
Stephen Butcher	1371
Darrell Conder	1131
Nicky Telford	1017
Glen Clothier	947
Eileen Ward	943
Terry MacDonald	916
Robbie Reid	867
Jason Craw	858
Mellisa Craw	836

LADIES

Nicky Telford	1017
Eileen Ward	943
Melissa Craw	836
Stef Atkinson	821
Nadine Butcher	625
Michelle Strydom	589
Sheryl MacDonald	560
Colleen Montague	416
Corrina Kendrick	334
Zara Clifton	323

JUNIOR

Latham Begovich	809
Saxon Butcher	483
Dylan Goodwin	461
Beau Mitchell	436
Ella Ladd	401
Holly Henderson	376
Hunter Craw	349
Dion O'Leary	285
Isaak Crosland	244
Lucas McLeod	243

KANES KAYAK CHALLENGE

Kane Fort	291
Logan Craw	261
Kendall Dean	206
Peter Dean	172
Harry Fort	111
Zara Clifton	87

BOAT POINTS – TOP TEN

Team Butcher	3456
2 Legless	2673
Leander	2652
Reel Hooked	2528
Crawfish	2043
Just Rewards	1873
Lucy Rae	1861
Techno Viking	1621
KingFisher	1476
Cos We Can 2	1411

LANDBASE

Robbie Reid	867
Murray Morris	522
Arrum Ali	297
Julie Reid	33
Dion O'Leary	27
David O'Leary	26
Melissa Titterton	21
Vincent Alloway	20
Graham Hornsey	15
Oliver Titterton	15

FRESHWATER

Leyland Mangi	440
Colleen Montague	416
Ian Edgar	361
Janne Troughton	260
Bernie Montague	245
Vincent Alloway	173
Allen Cossill	150
Stephen Butcher	142
Bob Bevege	103
Chris Gray	62

SPORTFISH

Glen Clothier	36.9
Joel Mitchell	34.3
Phillip Stevens	24.1
Murray Morris	19.4
Hugh Mc Kean	16.4
Robbie Reid	15.2
Stephen Butcher	13
Darrell Conder	11.1
Melissa Craw	7
Graham Hornsey	6.1



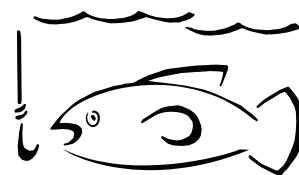
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2018 FEBRUARY COMPETITION RESULTS

4 February 2018

Paper Plus Colouring 0-10		Aiden Titterton		
Paper Plus Nippers Voucher		Saxon Butcher		
Paper Plus Junior 0-16 yrs Eel Voucher		Oliver Titterton		
Junior 0-9	1st Heaviest	Cory Bell	Snapper	3.270 kg
Junior 0-9	1 x Mystery	Raydon Laurent		
Junior 0-9	1 x Mystery	Hunter Crow		
Junior 0-9	1 x Mystery	Zach Louch		
Junior 0-9	1 x Mystery	Dylan Goodwin		
Junior 10-16	1st Heaviest	Xavier Bell	Snapper	3.450 kg
Junior 10-16	1 x Mystery	Dion O'Leary		
Junior 10-16	1 x Mystery	Xavier Louch		
Snapper	1st Heaviest	Jamie Dench	Snapper	3.955 kg
Snapper	2nd Heaviest	Jamie Dench	Snapper	3.035 kg
Snapper	1 x Mystery	Terry Macdonald		
Snapper	1 x 3 Bag	Nicky Telford		
Trout	1st Heaviest	Leyland Mangi	Trout	2.065 kg
Trout	1 x Mystery	Ian Edgar		
Trout	1 x 3 Bag	Allen Cossill		
Kahawai	1st Heaviest	Nicky Telford	Kahawai	2.020 kg
Kahawai	1 x Mystery	Nadine Butcher		
Tarakihi / John Dory / Trevally	1 x Mystery	Logan Crow		
Softbait	1st Heaviest	Russell Bell	Snapper	1.825 kg
Landbase Saltwater	1 x Mystery	Robbie Reid		
Measure Fish Snapper Only	1st Longest	Russell Bell		
Measure Fish Snapper Only	1 x Mystery	Corrina Kendrick		
Measure Kingfish Only	1st Longest	Not Struck		
Measure Kingfish Only	1 x Mystery	Not Struck		
Landbase Trout	1 x Mystery	Bob Bevege		
Marlin	1st Heaviest	Not Struck		
Game Fish	1st Heaviest	Sheryl Macdonald	Kingfish	5.885 kg
Game Fish	2nd Heaviest	Naldo Strydom	Kingfish	5.240 kg
<i>Game fish include Bonito, Albacore, Kingfish and Yellow Fin.</i>				
Laurent Motors Average Weight		Sheryl Macdonald		
Phil's Motorcycles Catch of the month		Eileen Ward		
Viking Kayak Challenge		Not Struck		
S&D Builders Landbase Saltwater Snapper	1st Heaviest	Robbie Reid		
S&D Builders Landbase Saltwater Snapper	2nd Heaviest	Not Struck		
Firestone Lucky Member Draw		Georgia Hutton		
HMK Kingfish Challenge		Not Struck		
Members Lucky Number Draw		Phillip Stevens		
Matamata SportsWorld 1000	\$50.00 Monthly Draw	Stu Louch		
New World Kids Catch of the Month		Charlotte Bell		
Arrum Ali \$50.00 Jackpot -Kingfish Landbase		Not Struck		
Wayne and Michelle Jones Junior 0-9	1 x Mystery	Chase Butcher		
Wayne and Michelle Jones Junior 10-16	1 x Mystery	Zach Louch		
Number of Anglers	56			
Number of Fish	238			
Total Weight of Fish	315.692 kg			
Average Weight	1.321 kg			



MANY THANKS TO OUR FEBRUARY 2018 SPONSORS

**Begovich Builders • Terry and Carol Holmes and Family • Matamata Butchery Ltd
Matamata SportsWorld • Splice Construction Ltd**



MARCH COMPETITION CATEGORIES

3rd & 4th March 2018 – Weigh-in 4pm-5pm

Game fish caught Friday - Sunday

1st Heaviest Big Fish	\$750.00
2nd Heaviest Big Fish	\$350.00
3rd Heaviest Big Fish	\$200.00

Big Fish must comply with sport fish rules – NO sharks, tag and release marlin, will be equivalent value of 100kg marlin, with photographic proof.

Qualifying weights for fish in 'Big Fish' category:

Marlin over 90kg
Kingfish over 10kg
Tuna over 10kg
Snapper over 5kg
Trout over 2.5kg

NB: Fish caught by a junior will qualify for heaviest fish.

Other fish caught Saturday and Sunday only:

1st Heaviest Snapper	\$100.00
1st Heaviest Kahawai	\$100.00
1st Heaviest Trout	\$100.00
1st Heaviest Land Base	\$100.00
1st Heaviest Terakihi / John Dory / Gurnard / Trevally	\$100.00
Junior Girl 0-9	\$50.00
Junior Boy 0-9	\$50.00
Junior Girl 10-16	\$50.00
Junior Boy 10-16	\$50.00
Paper Plus Colouring Competition 0-9	Voucher
Paper Plus Nippers	Voucher
Paper Plus Eel 0-16	Voucher
Phil's Motorcycles Catch of the Month (decided by weigh master on the night)	
SportsWorld 1000	\$50.00 Voucher
Viking Kayak Challenge	
S&D Builders Landbase Challenge (Meat Voucher)	1st Heaviest
S&D Builders Landbase Challenge (Meat Voucher)	2nd Heaviest
Firestone Lucky member Draw	
HMK Kingfish Challenge	
Laurent Motors Average Weight	
Fishing Club Jackpot	
New World Kids Catch of the Month	
Arrum Ali \$50.00 Jackpot -Kingfish Landbase	
Wayne and Michelle Jones Junior 0-9	1 x Mystery
Wayne and Michelle Jones Junior 10-16	1 x Mystery

WAHAROA TRANSPORT JUNIOR COMPETITION

1st Heaviest Snapper 0-9	SW Voucher	\$50.00
1st Heaviest Snapper 10-16	SW Voucher	\$50.00
1st Mystery Weight Snapper	SW Voucher	\$25.00
2nd Mystery Weight Snapper	SW Voucher	\$25.00
1st Heaviest Trout	SW Voucher	\$50.00
1st Mystery Weight Kahawai	SW Voucher	\$25.00
1st Mystery Trevally / John Dory	SW Voucher	\$25.00
1st Mystery Terakihi / Gurnard	SW Voucher	\$25.00
1st Heaviest Sprat	SW Voucher	\$50.00
1st Mystery Sprat	SW Voucher	\$25.00
1st Heaviest Eel	SW Voucher	\$50.00
Spot Prizes		\$100.00
Total		\$500.00



**GOLDEN FLOW
SNAPPER CHALLENGE**
Current leader is
Robbie Reid
8.640kg



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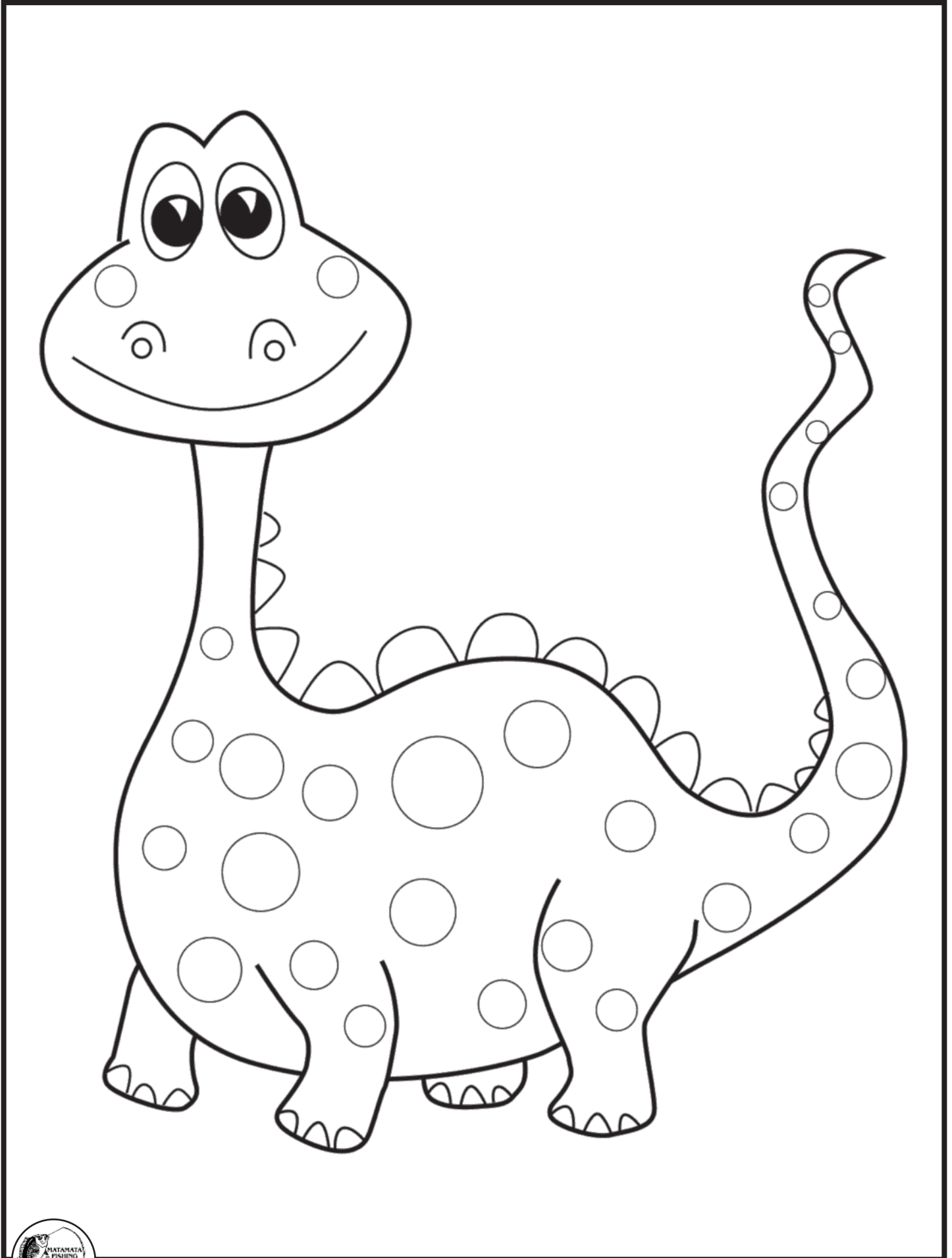
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DECEMBER	FEBRUARY	
Comag Ltd J Swaps Golden Flow Honey Viking Kayaks	Matamata SportsWorld Begovich Builders Splice Construction Ltd Terry and Carol Holmes and Family Matamata Butchery Ltd	
MARCH	APRIL	
Challenge Matamata Matamata Veterinary Services Plumb Co (2004) Ltd King Electrical Matamata Marine Waharoa Transport (1995) Ltd	L J Hooker Matamata Matamata Auto Services and Electrical Kids Comp – Waharoa Transport (1995) Ltd	
MAY	JUNE	
AMI Insurance Matamata Fairview Motors Paul Jones Contracting Laurent Contractors – Vaughan and Grayson Laurent	Arrum Ali Allenco Marine Harry Fort Decorators	
JULY		
Kerry McKinley Memorial Members Competition Matamata Tractors and Machinery • Bell and Graham Solicitors • Install Tech		
MONTHLY SPONSORS		
Laurent Motors Average Weight Phils Motorcycles Catch of the Month Firestone Lucky Member Draw S & D Builders LBase Saltwater Snapper Matamata SportsWorld 1000 Arrum Ali	Mr Chips New World Matamata Plan Bee Apiaries HMK Kingfish Challenge Viking Kayak Challenge Inhouse Design and Print Wayne and Michelle Jones	
MONTHLY LUCKY MEMBER DRAW \$100.00		
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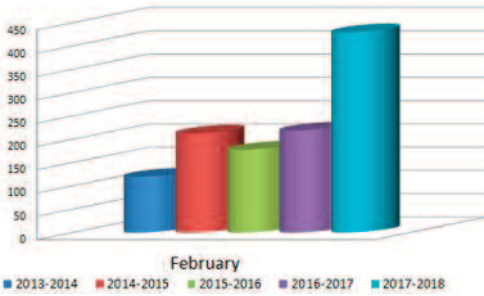


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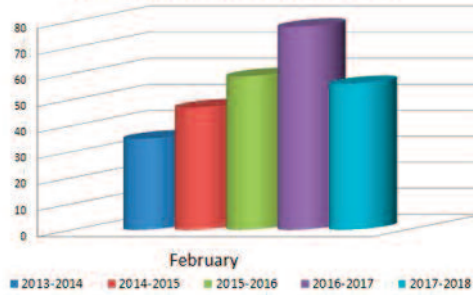
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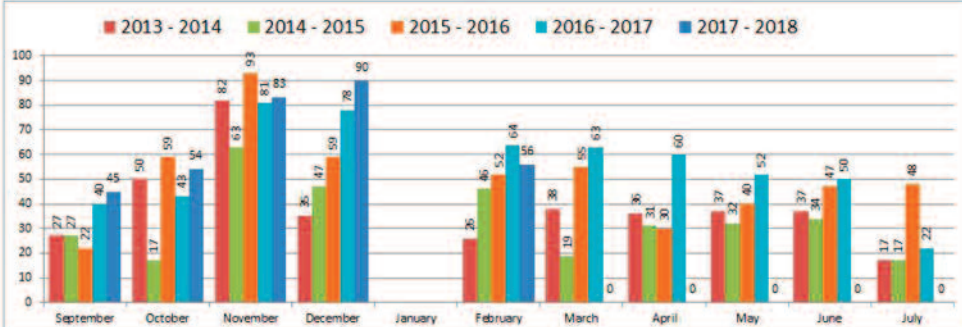
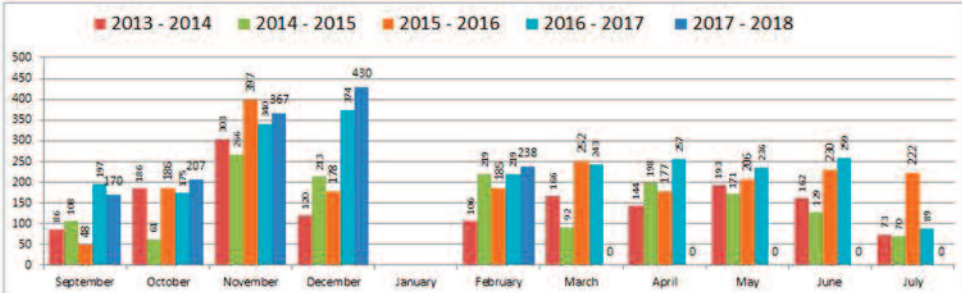
Number of Fish Caught



Number of Members weigh in fish



Matamata Fishing Club - Top Graph Fish Caught, Bottom Graph Number of Fisho's



Matamata Fishing Club - Fish Numbers Caught

	Sep-17	Oct-17	Nov-17	Dec-17	Feb-18	Mar-18	Apr-18	May-18	Jun-18	Jul-18	Grand Total
Snapper	97	142	231	278	139						887
Kahawai	50	18	57	55	57						237
Trout	16	25	36	37	17						131
Trevally	3	3	13	8	5						29
John Dory	1	2	1	4							8
Gurnard	2	3	4	28	2						39
Terakihi		10	8	4							22
RedSnapper											
Hapuka											
Billfish											
Kingfish	3	3	9	11	2						28
BlueCod	1		4								5
Porae			1								1
Moki											
Mackeral				2							2
Eel			2	2	2						6
Maomao											
ReefFish											
Bass											
Barracouta		1									1
RedCod											
Rays											
Sharks											
Skip Jacks					11						11
Albacore				3							3
Other			1	1							2
Fish Numbers Caught	170	207	367	430	238						1412

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\$100 drawn at prizegiving of each competition





**Weigh in
4-5pm**



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