

# Chum Line



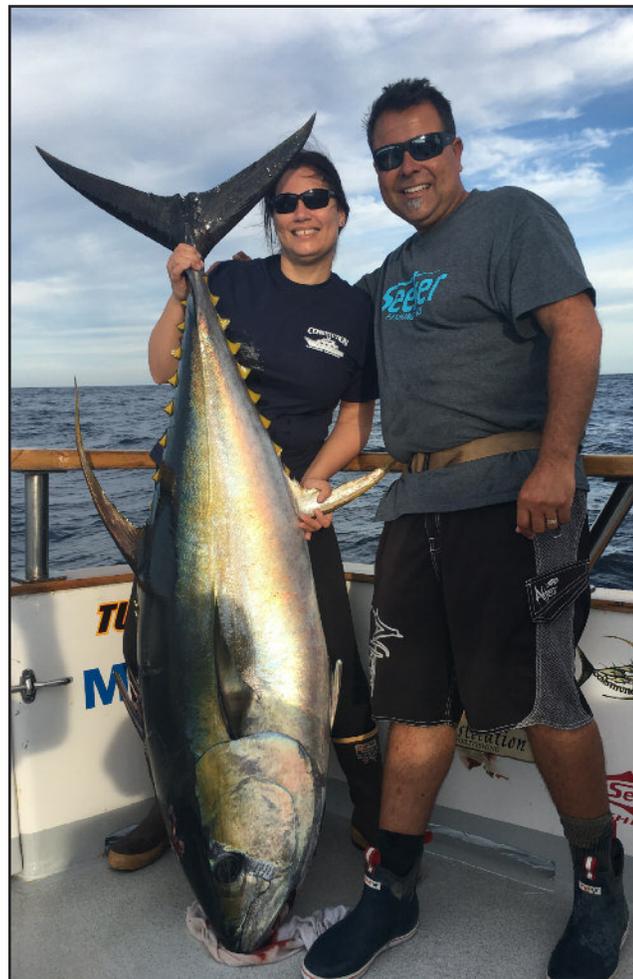
Good Sportsmanship is Worth More Than all the Fish in the Ocean

JUNE 2019

LARRC DINNER MEETING SPEAKER

## KEITH DENETTE

Keith Denette grew up fishing sport boats out of Port Hueneme, CA. His first deckhand position was at 12 years old onboard the Ellie M with Capt Bob Levy. He met his wife Nicole when she was 15 and he was 16. They purchased Dock Ski's gangion business when he was 17 years old. They supplied all the landings and retailers for many years. From 12 to 19 he worked on the Sea Watch, Estrella, Ellie M, New Bluefin, Morning Star and the China Clipper. At 19 years old he received his Captains License. At that point he was offered a very good position to run a handful of yachts and participated in a few marlin tournaments. They purchased their first home with Marlin tournament winnings from Catalina Island. They have two wonderful children, Hunter & Isabella. After 15 years of running private yachts they chose to purchase the Morning Star, their first sport boat. After 6 months of renovation they named her the Maximus. He took the Maximus to Puerto Vallarta where they started an ultra limited load giant yellowfin tuna fishery fishing the areas where most boats didn't venture to. After 10 years fishing the pristine waters of Puerto Vallarta they chose to purchase the 75' Constitution. She is a sleek, beautiful fiberglass vessel. Recently they purchased another sport boat. "The Poseidon, a 75' Knight & Carver, which their son Hunter is the captain of. Keith had his eye on her for many years and hoped someday they could own this vessel. Nicole still answers the phone and handles all the reservations. It's a true family operation.



**WE NEED YOU TO RSVP BY  
FRIDAY, JUNE 21, 2019.**

**IF YOU'RE BRINGING A GUEST, PLEASE ADD HIS/HER NAME TO YOUR RSVP.**

RSVP to Mike Godfrey @ [magodfrey2@yahoo.com](mailto:magodfrey2@yahoo.com) or [LARRCDINNERSVP@yahoo.com](mailto:LARRCDINNERSVP@yahoo.com)

**June 24, 2019**

**Lulu's Restaurant**

**16900 Roscoe Blvd. • Van Nuys, CA 91406**

**HAPPY FISHING - See you at the meeting**

# A Message from the President

By Mike Hartt

As we get into the Summer fishing season lets first look back at the past few months. We've completed another very successful Lou Berke Trout Derby and the May Vets trip. Thank you to all the volunteers that help make this possible. Unfortunately, we did need to cancel the Family Picnic this year due to lack of interest, but I'm open to suggestions to replace that event. I think an event that includes families and kids is still very important.

I want to again thank Cathy Needleman for hosting the club at her beautiful home for this past May meeting. We had an extremely good raffle and a great speaker as well. Only one negative that I feel I must address, and that is "no-shows". Having to remove a table of ten once the meeting had started was embarrassing for what otherwise was a great meeting. Thank you Cathy!

This July brings us to one of our most important events the "Kids Trip". Our committee has things well in hand for this important club function. For those that have already volunteered and those that would still like to volunteer, please contact Richard Stone and his team to reconfirm and get some specific assignments. We'll be reviewing all the pre-planning at our Board Meeting this month.

Our meeting this month is set for the 24th at LuLu's, so please confirm with Mike Godfrey so we have an accurate count.

Good Fishing

## LARRC Kids Trip on LA NBC News

Click on the link below to check out the video NBC aired on our amazing event!

[https://www.nbclosangeles.com/on-air/as-seen-on/Club-Takes-At-Risk-Youth-on-Memorable-Deep-Sea-Fishing-Trip\\_Los-Angeles-434888183.html](https://www.nbclosangeles.com/on-air/as-seen-on/Club-Takes-At-Risk-Youth-on-Memorable-Deep-Sea-Fishing-Trip_Los-Angeles-434888183.html)

If you haven't volunteered before, please join us! It is one of the most special days on the water.

## CALENDAR

### Board Meeting

June 17, 2019

Social Hour: 6:00pm Meeting: 7:00pm

Millie's

16840 Vanowen Street • Van Nuys, CA 91406



### Dinner Meeting

June 24, 2019

Social Hour: 6:00pm Meeting: 7:00pm

Lulu's

16900 Roscoe Blvd. • Van Nuys, CA 91406



### JUNE 17, 2019

Marine Mentors - Monte Carlo

Scott Schiffman

### JULY 15, 2019

Earl Warren Memorial Kids' Trip - San Pedro

### WEEK OF JULY 22, 2019

Bill Alpert

King of the Club Tournament

### AUGUST 5, 2019

Marine Mentors - Monte Carlo

Joel S. & Joseph M.

### AUGUST 14, 2019

Veterans' Trip

### OCTOBER 23, 2019

Veterans' Trip

### NOVEMBER 13, 2019

Veterans' Trip

### DATES TO BE DETERMINED

August - Marine Mentors - Randy Sharon

### SAVE THE DATE FOR 2020

### FEBRUARY 23, 2020

Annual Banquet

# ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS

Submitted by Eric Rogger

◆ **ALL ABOUT YOUR BAIT . .** The first item to draw our attention to this month comes from National Fisherman, a commercial fishing magazine. A new report –released in March by NMFS – indicates that the Pacific sardine fishery is overfished. Before any restrictions are passed for the current season (which begins July 1st) a scientific review by the Pacific Fisheries Management Council will be done. California Wetfish Producers are questioning the report saying the NMFS is not measuring sardine properly. Acoustical surveys – mostly offshore – do not tell the whole story according to the Wetfish Producers Assn. said Diane Pleschner-Steele.

◆ **A NEW SPIN ON FISHNETS. . .**A positive outlook can be gained by reading about an Italian company, Acquafil. They are producing a new type of nylon – ECONYL – thread which is being used by major manufacturers like Adidas, Levi Strauss and Speedo International. Econyl threads are made from recycled fishing nets which account for more than 40% if this company’s sales. A number of manufacturers normally using virgin nylon are switching to this recycled material helping reduce major ocean pollution. This story appeared in the *LA Times*. (5/12/19)

## ◆ NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC QUOTES . . .

(May/June 2019 Issue)

A 612 lb bluefin tuna was sold at the Tokyo fish market for \$3.1 million dollars. A new record for this endangered species. Necropsies of 50 stranded sea mammals in Britain found microplastics in all of them. A calf Orca was seen in Puget Sound and might be the first one to survive in three years.

◆ **ALGAE BLOOMS DECIMATE SALMON. . .**This column usually restricts its’ reporting to Pacific fishery issues but the following item carries so much international implication that all readers should take it to heart. The Norwegian Directorate of Fisheries announced the loss of about 8 million farmed salmon. The cause appears to be climate warming. Marine algae, a microscopic plantlike organism, is normal but under certain circumstances like slower currents and warmer water it can be much more concentrated and lethal to fish. Farmed fish don’t have the option of escaping these blooms. A spokesperson for the University College London said there is a “significant probability” that climate change played a role.

◆ **CHAS SCHOEMAKER COMMENTS. . .**Past President Charles Schoemaker submitted a story on Changing Climate. The story appeared in “Connecticut Fisherman –NBC Connecticut” It tells of warming oceans changing the “game” for Connecticut Fishermen. A local fisherman, Gary Yerman explained how his trips have changed from daily ones, to multiple day trips offshore to accommodate fishing conditions.

AS USUAL COMMENTS AND WRITTEN CONTRIBUTIONS WILL BE WELCOME... Eric Rogger [wstridge@aol.com](mailto:wstridge@aol.com)

The Foundation Acknowledges this  
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*In Memory of Tom Hancock*  
Marilyn Hancock

## Health and Happiness

Linda Simon is our contact for "Health and Happiness" - please contact Linda either by phone (818-980-7470) or email ([simonmurphy08@sbcglobal.net](mailto:simonmurphy08@sbcglobal.net)) for any information about our club members/family - i.e., happy or sad news; health issues; graduation or congratulations, etc.

## Chum Line Advertising

Do you have a business that fellow members would be interested in? If so, place an ad in the monthly Chum Line!!

### Advertising Pricing

1/8 page: \$20 per month or \$240/year

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**Buy 12 months and get one month free!**

Checks should be made payable to LARRC. The ad will be published once payment and graphics are received.

Contact Sophia ([fishnsoph@gmail.com](mailto:fishnsoph@gmail.com)) or Donald ([donald@dgoldsobel.com](mailto:donald@dgoldsobel.com)) for more information.

Thank you!!

# Veterans on the Betty-0

LARRC partnered with Larry Brown today to host 20 disabled veterans from the West Los Angeles VA on a fishing trip on the Betty-O out of Marina Del Rey. They caught a ton of fish, had a ton of laughs and smiles, great homemade breakfast sausage compliments of Sir William Davis, great cheeseburgers by Chef Patty, great service from Captain Mike and his jolly crew of Josh and Johnny. Thanks to all of our LARRC volunteers, Joe Mahfet, Ron Glider, John Goss and Fred Blasetti and especially all of our veterans and sponsors.



## LARRC's William Davis Honored

By Larry Brown

William Davis was honored at a recent Veterans fishing trip for his many contributions to the fishing community and specifically for his contributions to the veterans fishing program. William, among many other talents, is a master sausage maker. For the last couple of years he has supplied all of the veterans trips with his delicious homemade sausage which Chef Patty Reinsch cooks up into the world's best sausage and egg breakfast sandwich. All the volunteers and veterans belly up to the bar for a healthy serving of William's delicious sausage. Sometimes I think the Vets come for the sausage, not the fishing. Thank you William for the love you put into your sausages and the generosity and contribution to making our veterans fishing trips a great success.



William Davis receiving the award from Larry Brown with Fisherman Phil Bell, Captain Mike and Chef Patty Reinsch witnessing the honor.

# June Ghostbusters, Pac Dawn 2019 Spring Charter

By Keith Heerd

On May 24th and 25th the Los Angeles Rod and Reel Club once again kicked off the charter season with our annual Pacific Dawn Overnight trip to the beautiful Channel Islands, just 45 miles offshore from Ventura, California. In between some very bad weather, the boat left Thursday night with cooperative weather, as both calming winds and seas made for a very relaxing trip over to the islands. The charter was full; with 17 very excited anglers ready to test their skills in a quest to catch some of the elusive White Sea bass and hard fighting yellowtail that had been showing up on the prior weeks' fish reports.

The captain and excellent crew on board were: Captain Mike, Ben, Hunter, Dominick, and manning the galley was Spencer. They had the Pacific Dawn prepared in immaculate condition for our journey. They were also super helpful with advice on the appropriate rigs and terminal tackle for our targeted species: White Sea Bass, aka the Grey Ghost. On board were regulars: Joel Zide, Lee Harris, Norm Weinstein, Michael Dickter, Donald Goldsobel, Carol Chow and her husband Charter master Keith Heerd. Also joining us this year were members Jim Carlisle, Jan Howard, Richard Stone, and 3 generations of Feits: Ted, his beguiling son David and charming grandson, Oliver. Non-members included: a returning Sam Garcia and new to the charter: Alex Kaufman and his fishing buddies, the 2 Vadims.

Everyone began to wake up Friday morning around 4:30am, the boat was stopped in a spawning mass of *Doryteuthis opalescens*, the opalescent in-shore squid, and a favorite meal of White Sea Bass. In the dark our crew worked diligently to fill a floating live bait receiver and then the boat's bait tanks to the brim. The squid were so plentiful that the net from the floating receiver broke away. Of course the net did foul in the prop; Hunter valiantly jumped into the cold dark waters to cutaway and retrieve the mess. The conditions and bait were perfect for the hunt. Fishing began before the sun was up and soon the sea bass started biting. Many fish were hooked and fought that morning, with 10 ghosts hitting the deck. Notable Ghostbusters were, Richard Stone, who scored with 2 very nice White Sea Bass, his first ghosts, and Carol Chow hauled in her first-ever White Sea Bass

too. Dr. Ted Feit brought up the jackpot winner, a White Sea Bass which looked to be every bit of at least 45 pounds (see the picture of Ted's fat and sassy ghost). We may never know the exact weight, but that might be another fish story Ted can tell later.



Also in the mix that morning were some yellowtail, snacking on our squid offerings; we picked up 8 very nice forketails. Then as the sun broke through around 11am, the pelagic bite dropped off, Captain Mike took the boat into deeper water where he rounded out the trip putting us all on some quality Pacific Rock Fish, many with rather large shoulders. The ending fish report for 17 anglers: 10 White Seabass, 8 Yellowtail, 4 Whitefish and 115 Rockfish. The Pacific Dawn is ONLINE at [www.pacificdawn.com](http://www.pacificdawn.com).

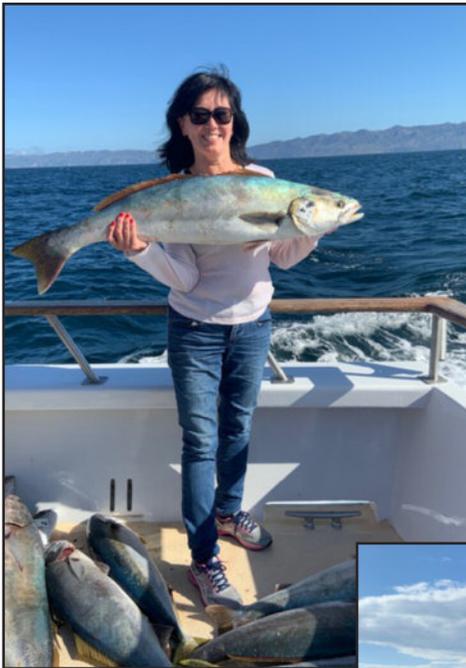
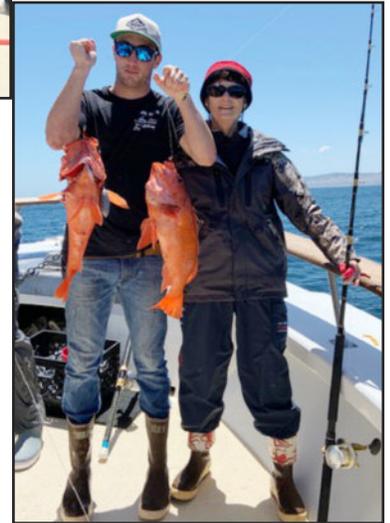
The generous sponsors for this year's trip were Hookup Baits, providing a set of lures for each angler on the trip. Everyone was delighted to pick from the wide selection of their hand-crafted premium lures. Also sponsoring this year were Bob Sands Fishing Tackle; Club member Sal Vallone the club a solid favor by donating a number of flat fall lures and the grand prize, a very nice Squall Jig Bag, by Calcutta (which went home with Lee Harris). Lastly, Sal's trout fishing pal, Ed Fisher, the owner of 4 Wheel Specialties Unlimited rounded out this year's raffle prizes with an assortment of sportsman's knives.

It was a great adventure and an amazing way to start the Memorial Day weekend. Everyone on board had a wonderful time and caught plenty of fresh wild caught fish for the long weekend's festivities. Thank you to everyone: the crew, the anglers and especially our awesome sponsors: #hookupbaits [www.hookup-baits.com](http://www.hookup-baits.com), [www.bobsandsfishingtackle.com](http://www.bobsandsfishingtackle.com) and [www.4wheelspecialtiesunlimited.com](http://www.4wheelspecialtiesunlimited.com)

# June Ghostbusters, part 2

By Ted Feit

The club charter on the Pacific Dawn left Ventura Harbor 10 o'clock Thursday, May 23 to scour the ocean for live squid. The boat found a bonanza of the tasty calamari and loaded up. We started fishing before dawn in a pod of spawning squid. An hour and half later the bass flipped their glutton button and began to bite. Richard Stone and Carol Chow landed their first white sea bass. Richard actually landed two! The croakers were fat and sassy, in the 20 to 40 pound size range. Hefty yellowtail were also chasing the squid and biting. David Feit – a veteran on many rock cod trips – was thrilled to land his first yellowtail. I landed the bruiser sea bass of the day and won the jackpot. After 11 a.m. the boat switched fishing modes and went after denizens of the deep. The fisherman loaded up on nice reds, chuckleheads, and other tasty bottom fish. Sunny skies and a gentle swell accompanied the productive fishing – thank you weather gods! Enabled by Captain Mike and the great crew of the Pacific Dawn, everyone on the boat had a wonderful experience.



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# A Trip of Firsts

By Nick Ekdahl

On May 5th my brother Kris and I decided to celebrate Cinco de Mayo by what else? Fishing of course! We signed up for a Wil's Tackle charter on the Pacific Dawn out of Ventura Sport-fishing. We were tired catching dinky "aquarium" fish when surf fishing and the reports of limits of White Sea Bass and some Yellow Tail mixed in helped us make our decision. They had some open spots left so we signed up and started sorting our tackle for bottom fishing and included a rod or two dedicated to the exotics. We kept our eyes on the weather. Finally, it was time to load up



*Pacific Dawn and Crew*

and make the drive to Ventura. We left early Sunday and drove the back way to beat some traffic. This would be the first deep sea fishing trip since my craniotomy in October last year and the anticipation of hooking something that wanted to pull back was running very high! After an uneventful drive we parked in the fishermen's lot and made our way into the shop. We had a nice

discussion the employees and they were able to give us the fish report for the day; very encouraging! We signed the manifest and since we were the first to arrive our numbers were 1 & 2. That being done we turned our attention to cocktail hour and dinner. It was the first time we had been to the restaurant at the landing since it had changed hands and its name; the Rhumb Line has become the Water's Edge. We sat at the bar, relished our cocktails and watched the boats as they came in. First the Amigo. We scrutinized the catch as it was unloaded... Several anglers had opted for gilling and gutting their catch so we could see the sizes of the fish. There were some big Lings, White Fish and Sheep-head... we were remarking about this when we saw the



*Live Squid*

crew bring up a handful of Alaskan sized Ling Cod and that was when we really got excited! Dinner arrived and we turned our attention to



*Nick with Chucklehead*

some of the best Cochinita Pibil ever! It was the special of the night and it was spectacular. Kris had the chicken parmigiana which was equally as good! Eventually our boat, the Pacific Dawn, docked. We focused our attention fully on the departing passengers and their catch. Again, there were plenty of bags of fillets and several large "Basketball Eater" sized Ling Cod that had been gilled & gutted that were handed over the side. We were filled with anticipation. We board at about 8:00, Kris scored the bunks while I scored the tackle box positions. We then racked our rods on the starboard side as it seems Pat favors that side for the drifts. We got the customary Captain's talk from Pat about where we would be going, what species we would be targeting and how to rig up for them along with a safety discussion as well. Kris and I set about rigging our rods for White Sea Bass and bottom grabbers. We also introduced ourselves to this new crowd of anglers that were regulars on a Wil's Tackle charters. Everyone was friendly and nice. This stayed true to the end of the trip, lots of laughs with our new friends and not a jerk among them, all were patient with the inevitable tangles. We hit the bunks for a smooth ride out to San Nicolas Island, yet another first as we had never fished out there before! I woke up when the boat stopped, and the anchor was being set. We got our boots on and headed up on deck. We had live squid for bait for the White



*San Nicolas Island*

Sea Bass and possibly Yellow Tail. The technique was to fly line the squid using a 1/2 to 3/4-ounce egg weight before

## A Trip of Firsts continued



Kris with Chucklehead

a 3/0 or 4/0 hook. Fishing this set up went on for about an hour and a half with no hook ups, so Pat decided it was time to move on to the rock fish grounds. San Nicolas was close by and it was clear enough to see the geography and the military installations. We watched a large personnel transport plane made a low pass on its way to landing on the island. Another treat was the breakfast burritos being cranked out

of the galley by the cook JJ; they were excellent! We changed over to out bottom rigs and strips of thawed squid and got ready to drop while Pat positioned the Pacific Dawn perfectly. There were two gentlemen using electric reels on this trip. These were not the gigantic plug-in reels that you see on TV shows about super deep fishing for Tilefish or Alaskan Halibut. These were the size and shape of a large Tranx with a relatively small battery pack. In talking with the owners, I discovered that they had some extra batteries and a charger and that would be enough to get him through a day's worth of fishing. My fishing career just got extended a few years once I no longer have the energy to reel myself; hopefully that's a couple of decades away yet! It was a thrill to feel the first bites on my first drop! I set the hooks and reeled up a very nice two-bagger of Chucklehead rockfish. Kris brought some impressive Vermilions and the rest of the anglers we're doing well on quality rockfish and legal Ling cod. I caught a very nice Sheephead that the deckhands were able to slab out for me. And so, our day passed with a few changes to different spots. We ended up with limits of rockfish and Ling cod and a bunch of happy fishermen. Pat steered us back towards Ventura about 1:30 -



The Fishing Ekdahls

2:00 and we settled in for a long 5-hour boat ride home. Kris and I stayed on deck to view our catch and take a few pictures. After that we hit our bunks for a nice nap on the way home. We arrived around 8:30, off loaded our gear and loaded the car. The crew brought up our fish and we very nearly filled both of our coolers with bags of big fillets. It was a great trip for the first time out in 2019 and since my craniotomy. It was a trip of firsts!

### Los Angeles Rod & Reel Club Foundation

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# LA BOCANA TRIP WITH BAJA FISHING CONVOYS AND ORCHID MARTINEZ-GUEVARA

## Ready for a great fishing ADVENTURE?

Below is the information for our La Bocana trip. This is a great opportunity to fish on shore for grouper, calicos and off shore, tuna wahoo and sierra. Many species. Fish the estuary for shallow water light tackle fishing. Get a couple of friends together, have your own panga and live the good life. Fly in and out, Cross Border Express border crossing, no waiting! Generous weight allowances on the plane.

## THIS IS SOMETHING YOU JUST MUST DO!

Orchid Martinez-Guevara, of Baja Fishing Convoys has put together a trip for us. She asked me to be the Charter Master and I accepted. Lets make this trip happen!

Dates: October 17-22, 2019 (6-Day trip with 4 days of fishing)

Cost \$2095 per person. Includes 4 days of fishing 7AM - 3PM. Lodging in new, well appointed, beachfront cabins. Daily continental breakfast, boat lunch. Dinner s are at the restaurant. They will prepare your catch! Ceviche, tacos, a la parilla...any way you want it. Your choice of a great menu...not included in the cost, but the cost is very reasonable. Plenty of beer, etc. Last time I was there they made the most fabulous ceviche, fish tacos, lobster, shrimp dinner.. They run a tab for each person.

Fish processing is additional. \$2 per pound finished product vacuum sealed and frozen.

Transportation: We will fly out of Tijuana Airport. Park on the U.S. side, walk over the pedestrian (CBX) bridge and check-in. Orchid can assist us in purchasing those CBX passes ahead of time so we don't wait in line. We fly to Guerrero Negro and are driven to La Bocana. For those of you who went to Cedros last year, the trip is on the same plane as the one we took to Cedros. Seats 13 passengers. Our group will be a group of 12. Orchid will accompany us. The drive to La Bocana is about 2.5 hours. This has improved from last year's drive time of 7 hours each way. And not to



forget, this new flight out of Tijuana will require NO driving across the border on the way back!

Baggage: Allowance of 3 rods at no additional fee. Weight limit going is 50 pounds free. Returning same basic limit with an allowance of up to a total 70 pounds. Anything over 50 is an additional charge. Pack light.

La Bocana is a co-operative fishing community on the Pacific side of the Baja Peninsula. It is an area frequently fished by the San Diego long range boats. They have in-shore and off-shore fishing. Estuary fishing is also available for those that enjoy fly-fishing or fishing for smaller species. There are Gulf and Broom Tail Grouper. Great fish. Other fish to catch are wahoo, tuna, dorado, yellowtail, sierra, bonito, sheeps head, white sea bass, black sea bass, silver curvina, spot-ties, triggerfish, even bottom fish! Calico fishing here is among the best there is in the Baja Peninsula! Some guys have been known to catch over 18 different species at La Bocana.

I will be taking depositis from club members only unil July 4. After that I will reach out to other sources. If you have question, you can call me, Donald Goldsobel or text (818) 970-4578. [Donald@dgoldsobel.com](mailto:Donald@dgoldsobel.com)



Donald Goldsobel's

# CALLING ALL COOKS

## Oven Baked White Seabass

Preheat oven to 425 degrees. Place a rack 6 inches from the top-heating element

I prepared this fish with a method that works well with most mild, not oily fish. Twenty minutes before cooking the fillets, they were seasoned with salt and pepper. A mayonnaise dressing was prepared to coat the top of the fillets while they roasted. Quantities are up to the cook. Mix mayo with paprika, minced green onion and Yuzu or lemon juice. Taste it! Spread on fillets and place on a rack over a foil-lined tray. Place in the preheated oven till the internal temperature is 120 degrees. About 12-14 minutes. Let sit a few minutes before serving.

# CHARTER ANNOUNCEMENTS



## PAC DAWN TRIP DATES for 2019

Check your calendars and sign up for the Club trips on the Pacific Dawn!!

•**Aug. 4 & 5, 2019** Pac Dawn two day targeting Tuna, Yellowtail & Dorado out of Fisherman's Landing \$815. Chartermaster Mark Manculich 818 613-6575 [mmanculich@socal.rr.com](mailto:mmanculich@socal.rr.com)

•**Nov. 30, 2019** Pac Dawn Overnight targeting Rock Cod/Ling Cod/Sheephead/ and potential for Yellowtail, Halibut and Sea Bass. Out of Ventura Sportfishing Landing \$295. Chartermaster Mark Manculich 818 613-6575 [mmanculich@socal.rr.com](mailto:mmanculich@socal.rr.com)

### 5 Day Red Rooster III Charter Opportunity September 3 - 7

A Larry Brown LARRC co-sponsored trip on the Red Rooster III

An amazing 5 day long range trip in September is normally sold out by now. We have a couple of spots remaining. Take advantage of this opportunity to fish a 5 day in September on the Red Rooster. It's a perfect time of the year and a perfect length trip for those who want to go long range, but don't have a lot of time.



**Cost is \$2,145**

The price includes private staterooms, internet service, a great crew, and phenomenal meals from the galley. Gratuities and fish processing are not included.

Contact:

Andrew Ratzky  
310-435-8365, [aratzky@att.net](mailto:aratzky@att.net)

# Members. . .



Great mid-May 2-Day trip on the 6-Pack boat Rail Time out of Huntington Harbor. LARRC members (L to R) Randy Sharon, Jeff Chuang, Rick Uribe, Jim Carlisle, Tom Carlisle, and Jan Howard were fortunate to successfully capture 2-day limits of White Sea Bass to 37#, plus quality yellowtail and halibut. Fun times!! Thanks, Jim Carlisle



Cathy Needleman is all smiles and very happy to be on the water again! Pictured here with Brandon Hayward and some beautiful catches!



Cathy Needleman caught this 57-pound white seabass on 60 lb spectra and 40 Blackwater flo. A leadhead called "Gitzem" with squid. WSB has been so elusive this year that I feel blessed to catch this beauty. Brandon Hayward was the Captain.



Randy Sharon with a beauty of a white seabass!!

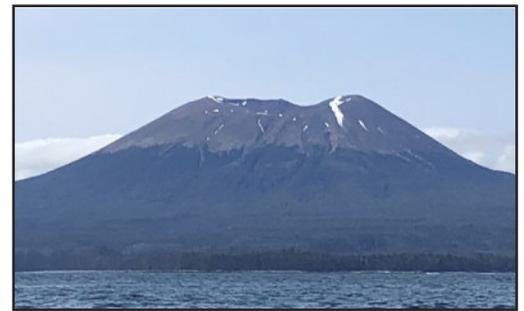
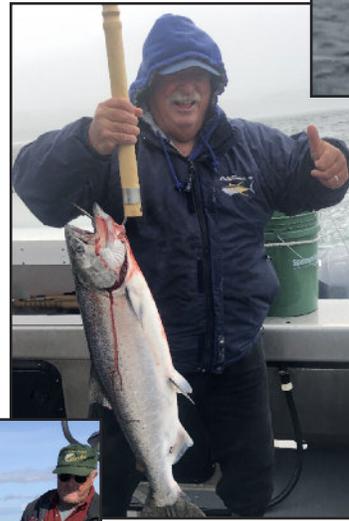


Steve Simon and Andy MacDonald were on Westlake June 4th and Andy was lucky enough to land this brute: 6lb 1/4 oz on 4lb test.



Here is Steve Simon with a his own impressive catch.

# Sitka



## Los Angeles Rod and Reel Club Foundation & AmazonSmile

### What is AmazonSmile?

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# CHARTERS 2019

DATE	DESTINATION	AVAILABILITY	CONTACT
<b>Jun 30- Jul 5</b>	<b>Intrepid</b> A seven day trip. Prime time for Tuna and Yellowtail Wait list only, but give it a shot.	<b>WAIT LIST</b> Cost: \$TBD	Contact Steve 619-224-4088 <a href="http://www.fishintrepid.com">www.fishintrepid.com</a>
<b>Jul 28- Aug 4</b>	<b>Intrepid</b> A seven day trip on the amazing Intrepid! Permits included and no fuel surcharge. Bluefin, Yellowfin, Yellowtail, Dorado Leaves on a Saturday so no traffic. Waitlist for now, but go for it!	<b>WAIT LIST</b> Cost: \$TBD	Contact Steve 619-224-4088 <a href="http://www.fishintrepid.com">www.fishintrepid.com</a>
<b>Aug 17- Aug 23</b>	<b>Red Rooster III</b> Six days on the amazing Red Rooster III. Baja Islands and a great time for Yellowfin and Bluefin. Wait list only, but give it a try.	<b>WAIT LIST</b> Cost: \$2,570.00	Contact Maria 619-224-3857 <a href="http://www.redrooster3.com">www.redrooster3.com</a>
<b>Sep 3- Sep 7</b>	<b>Red Rooster III</b> A Larry Brown LARRC co-sponsored NEW trip Get Ready! LARRC committed to a number of slots on this amazing 5 day trip. Perfect time of the year and perfect length	<b>OPEN</b> Cost: \$2,145.00	Contact Maria 619-224-3857 <a href="http://www.redrooster3.com">www.redrooster3.com</a>
<b>Sep 28- Oct 5</b>	<b>Royal Star</b> Seven days. Leaves and returns on a Saturday so no traffic. Great Fall fishing! Guadalupe Island?	<b>SOLD OUT</b> Cost: \$2,150.00	Contact Tracy 619-224-4764 <a href="http://www.royalstarsportfishing.com">www.royalstarsportfishing.com</a>
<b>Oct 17- Oct 22</b>	<b>La Bocana Baja Fishing Convoys</b> 6 Days, 4 Days of fishing. Fly from Tijuana	<b>OPEN</b> Cost: \$2,095	Contact Donald Goldsobel 818-970-4578
<b>Oct 27- Nov 6</b>	<b>Intrepid</b> 10 days on the Intrepid. Leaves on a Sunday. Big variety of fish at the Ridge and Alijos Rocks Tuna, Dorado, Wahoo, Yellowtail and Grouper	<b>OPEN</b> Cost: \$TBD	Contact Steve 619-224-4088 <a href="http://www.fishintrepid.com">www.fishintrepid.com</a>

**NOTE:**

LARRC members signing up for club charters are obligated to pay full fare in the event they cannot make the trip. The club will attempt to fill your space and you may try to do the same in a timely manner. There may be surcharges this year based on fuel price increases. Bunks are assigned by the charter master in order received. So book early! If you have any special needs please make the charter master aware of them at the time of booking.

Contact Mike Hartt or Ted Feit

LARRC Club Charters in **BLUE** Larry Brown Shared Charters in **GREEN** Malibu Fish'n Tackle, Tom Trainer Shared Charters in **ORANGE**

# TROPHY CONTENDERS 2019

## as of May 31, 2019

SPECIES	LINE TEST	ANGLER	LBS.	OZ.
<b>MEN'S OCEAN WATER</b>				
<b>MEN'S FLY ROD</b>				
<b>MEN'S FRESH WATER</b>				
Bass, Lg Mouth	4	Andy MacDonald	6	4
Bass, Lg Mouth	6	Steve Simon	6	12
Trout, Brown	3	Mark Manculich	2	9
<b>MEN'S OCEAN RELEASED</b>				

SPECIES	LINE TEST	ANGLER	LBS.	OZ.
<b>WOMEN'S OCEAN WATER</b>				
White Sea Bass	40	Cathy Needleman	29	8
<b>WOMEN'S FLY ROD</b>				
<b>WOMEN'S FRESH WATER</b>				
Steelhead	12	Cathy Needleman	14	0
<b>WOMEN'S RELEASED</b>				
<b>JUNIOR MEMBERS</b>				
<b>FIRST GAME FISH OF THE YEAR</b>				
White Sea Bass	40	Cathy Needleman	29	8
		March 19, 2019		
<b>FIRST ALBACORE OF THE YEAR</b>				

## Earn Money for LARRC Foundation By Shopping at Ralphs!



Here's How:

**Step #1:** Enroll in the Ralphs Reward Program if you are not currently enrolled.

**Step #2:** Print out this page and take it with you the next time you shop at Ralphs.

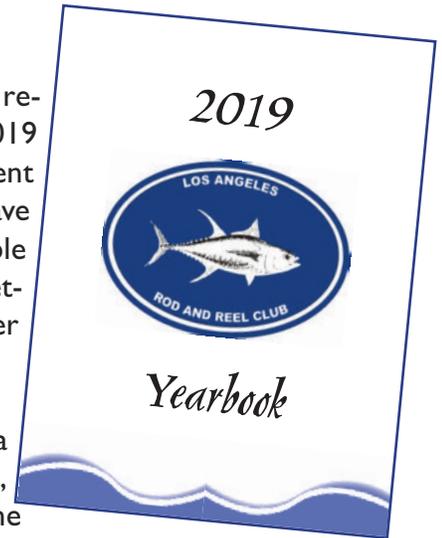
**Step #3:** At check-out, have the LARRC barcode swiped by the cashier together with your Ralphs Rewards Card/phone number.

*Notice: The Ralphs LARRC Barcode needs to be swiped only once to link your Rewards Card to LARRC. Future shopping trips will help raise money for LARRC when you use your Ralphs Reward Card at check-out.*

## Yearbooks

If you have not received your 2019 yearbook; President Mike Hartt will have yearbooks available at the board meetings and dinner meetings.

If you notice a typo or misprint, please send the correction to Mike Hartt [mhartt@att.net](mailto:mhartt@att.net)





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