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LHPSSA NEWSLETTER

November 2024 Issue

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

LHPSSA Members:

As we move into the winter months in South Florida, we are seeing more cold fronts come through bringing a lot of fish migrations. This year has been very unusual with the amount of storm and hurricane activity creating unfishable winds for extended periods. Hopefully, all this wind will be gone and we can get back to fishing throughout the holiday season!!

The wahoo bite has really picked up with several club members making their way over to Bimini. They capitalized on nice weather windows and put some nice fish in the box on the high speed troll. Also, the dolphin bite really turned on with all this East wind pushing them in close to shore with many boats getting their limit just outside the 100ft depth range!!

Tournament Corner:

The Battle For Cancer Tournament had several club members fishing. The weather was a little choppy and the bite was not easy. However, there were some really nice fish brought to the scales including the tournament winner, a 43lbs Wahoo!! Other notable mentions were a 36lb Kingfish, a 34lb Kingfish, an 18lb Kingfish head that was sharked and a 22lb Cobia caught on a live mullet!!!

Be on the lookout for an upcoming wahoo trip. These are sometimes short notice due to weather windows, but definitely a great experience to shoot over to the Bahamas with other club members.

If you have not RSVP'd to your LHPSSA Holiday Party Invitation, please do so ASAP!! We currently have 65 guests and counting. Huge Thank You to Tom and Jane Wye for hosting the party at their beautiful house.

I look forward to seeing everyone at the club meeting on Nov 20th and Happy Thanksgiving to all!!

Sincerely,

Trae West
LHPSSA President

TOURNAMENT REPORT



TOURNAMENT CORNER:

Upcoming Tournament/Trip Schedule:

Guatemala Trip – November 30 – December 4th

Bimini Wahoo Trip - December 14 – 16

Sailfish Hat Tournament - January 4th

Backup date or 2nd Bimini Wahoo Trip - January 18-20

Sailfish Hat Tournament - February 15th

Venice Trip - February 20-23rd

Sailfish Boat Tournament - March 15th

Lucaya Tuna Trip - April 5-7th with backup date April 18-20th

Blackfin Tuna Hat Tournament – 4 pm – 8:30 pm - May 15th

Ocean Reef Trip - June 13-15th

Mahi Boat Tournament - June 28th

Mahi Hat Tournament – September 20th

Carl Treyz

LHPSSA Fishing Leaderboard as of 10/29/2024

(Apr 1, 2024 - March 31, 2025)

Offshore

Dolphin	Wahoo	Kingfish	Blackfin Tuna	Swordfish	Cobia
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Ryan Allison 30lbs	Tony Azeem	Mike Price 34lbs	Tom Wye 32 lbs	Tom Wye 71lbs	
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41.4lbs

Mike Price 14lbs	Trae West 37.2lbs		Tom Jones 29 lbs		
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Traewest 30Lbs.

Tom Jones 24 lbs

Inshore

Snook	Tarpon	Bonefish	Permit	Redfish (over 26 inches)
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Mike Price 1x		Nicole Paul-Hus 1x		Nicole Paul-Hus 1x
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Nicole Paul-Hus 1x

Special categories

- Most Sailfish Catches Per Day
 - 14/16 Meat Wagon – Tom Jones
- Most Outstanding Catch Nominations

Tournaments Results 2024/2025:

LHPSSA HAT TOURNAMENT FOR SAILFISH/MEAT FISH 4/13/24

- 1st.) Meat Wagon Tom Jones, Trae West and Richard Antone and Melnicoff
- 2rd.) Relentless – Steve Siegel & Bill Dudziak, Nolan and Sonnier
- 3rd.) Mays Runner, had Jay Mays, Tony Azeem, Kyle Branyon and Brendan Barry

LHPSSA FORT PIERCE INSHORE ANNUAL TOURNAMENT 4/27/24

- 1st was Guide Capt. Lam Nguyen with Darren Sonnier 29" Snook, Bruce Sullivan, and Owen Gall. Paid \$250, which was donated to Scuba4good

- 2nd was Guide Capt. Mark Yanno, John Piotroski, 29" Redfish, son JW, and David Kaznecki. Paid \$150, think it went to JW college fund 😊
- 3rd was Guide Capt. Adam White, Mike Price, Julia Price, David Stewart, and Steve Siegel with 28" Redfish. Paid \$100 donated to Scuba4good.

LHPSSA HAT TOURNAMENT FOR BLACKFIN TUNA 5/15/24

- 1st place Relentless: Steve, Mike Lynch, Carl Treyz, John Swanson, Dave Maurer, Maurice
- 2nd place Meat Wagon: Tom, Trae, Tony, Mark Intreglia
- 3rd place Jay mays had to get back to his lift apparently caught one

Ocean Reef

- 1st Brett's boat – Brett Normandeau, Bill Lucas, Joel Brow, Brian Paperny, Tom Heller
- 2rd - Ruy's Rodriguez boat
- 3th – John Piotrowski

Dolphin Hat Tournament June 30th

- 1st.) Relentless – Steve Siegel & Bill Dudziak, Michael Lynch, Tom McAlpin, Charlie Berkely, Lou Sottini
- 2nd.) Escapade - Mark Intregila, Kyle Branyon, Dave Maurer
- 3rd.) ISLAND MOON - Tom Heller, Brow, Sonnier Gina, Kyle Clement

Drift boat 9/14

- **1st place: Eric Kaszubinski 1.49lb yellowtail**
- **2nd place: Carl Treyz 1.44lb yellowtail**
- **3rd place: Tony Azeem 1.12lb yellowtail**

Chokoloskee 10/5

- 1st)
- 2rd)
- 3rd)

Sword Fish Tournament 10/26

- 1st)
- 2rd)
- 3rd







DIVE REPORT



Dive update:

November has been a solid month for the club divers. Lobster limits on every dive and still some nice fish mixed in to shoot. The lobsters have been shallow so get them now while they are here. One more month left in grouper season, and don't forget that hogfish season is now closed until May 1st. We have some dive events on the calendar, including our annual end of season lobster dive and raft up on March 30th.

Upcoming Dive Events:

Club End of Season Lobster Dive and Raft-Up - March 30th

Freedive Trip - July 18-20th

Mini-Season – July 30-31

Lobster dive and raft up – August 30th

Steve Siegel





NEW MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

Scott Lazarus - recently moved to Florida and currently lives in Ft Lauderdale. Scott is a lifetime fisherman and is looking to be active in the community and connect with fellow fishermen. Scott is president of Office Furniture Group and owns a 23 Boston Whaler. Please join us in welcoming Scott to the club!

UPCOMING EVENTS

11/20 - LHPSSA Meeting

Due to the Thanksgiving holiday, our LHPSSA Club meeting is this Wednesday, November 20th at 6:00pm at Galuppi's!

Apparently our guest speaker might be Tito's and fish stories...

Looking forward to seeing all my good friends at the meeting!

11/30 - 12/4 - Pacific Fins Guatemala Trip

12/13 - Holiday/Boat Parade Party

12/14 - 16 - Bimini Wahoo Trip

1/4 - Sailfish Hat Tournament

2/20 - 23/25 - Venice La Trip

SOCIAL MEDIA

Next meeting is THE WEEK BEFORE THANKSGIVING Wednesday November 20th

Next Event is the Holiday Party at Tom Wye's House in LHP - Friday December 13th. Invites and details have been sent out. Please RSVP if you haven't already.

Keep sending pictures and videos to WhatsApp!!

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Call or Text – John Piotrowski, or Trae West and request to be added

ADD US ON FACEBOOK AND INSTAGRAM

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/LHPSSAPublic?mibextid=LQQJ4d>

Instagram: @LHPSSA

If you don't have social media, check out our Website for the Upcoming EVENTS Calendar
<https://lhpssa.org/events/>

Remember, to submit photos and videos, please either text them to the WhatsApp group or send them to me directly-

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Sincerely,

Jackie Sabins

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