



# The Nomads Tide - A Monthly Brief August 2010



## Important Dates

Some important dates to diarise:

### SGDSAA Prize Giving

- Friday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2010
- Terrace Restaurant, Benoni
- Awards for 2009 and 2010

### Nomads Boat Testing

- Saturday 13 November 2010

### Nomads Calcutta Competition

Nomads would like to organise / arrange a Calcutta based competition to Inhaca Island, just off Maputo in Mozambique.

Suggested fishing days would be from 15-18 September 2010.

Please note that this event is still in discussion mode and interested parties are to please contact Mitchell Moore for more details.

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### Bikers Breakfast Run

Nomads has arranged for a "Bikers Breakfast Run" for those biking enthusiasts.

Details are as follows:

- Sunday 10 October 2010
- Leave Total garage on Hendrik Potgieter drive at 10h00 for lunch at the Upper Deck restaurant at Hartebeespoort Dam

Kindly note this event is open to all.

Restaurant bookings are essential so if you wish to attend the event or join in at the luncheon, please contact Dorrette Els to make a reservation.

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### Nomads trip to Kenya

There has been a late withdrawal from the Kenya trip and a single spot is now available.

Those interested are to please contact Colin Green.

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## SADSAA Office Bearers as voted in 20 August 2010

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### Feedback from Bermuda by Paul Verheul

Here is a photo of my Blue Marlin T/R (150lbs) which I caught in Bermuda on Monday 12 August fishing on Overproof, a boat owned and skippered by Peter Rans.

We unfortunately only fished one day as a cyclone arrived, down scaling to a tropical storm, and we had a blow out for two days. (We thought we have storms, this was a mother).

A very far away place to travel, 36 hours in the plane, but boy what a place to fish. We stayed at Pompona Beach Club, a really great hotel and only 10 minutes to the fishing grounds.

I caught this Marlin at a reef called Challenger Banks.

The Americans beat us on a time out as they got their fish 2 hours before us, but SA still leads 2 to 1. (We beat em at Costa Rica and Guatemala 2008/2009). Next year Madeira here we come. The Grander is still avoiding me.

The Nomads guys will have a reel blast fishing at this destination and they have some Cocktails that blow your head off!

Regards, Paul Verheul

