



## The Nomads Tide - A Monthly Brief January 2012



### Important Dates to Remember

#### Nomads Prizegiving

- Summerplace, Boksburg
- Saturday 4 February 2012 @ 19h00
- R250 per couple
- Please book with [Magriet Nel](mailto:Magriet.Nel@nomadsfishing@gmail.com)  
([nomadsfishing@gmail.com](mailto:nomadsfishing@gmail.com))

Nomads would like to remind those who have not yet returned their trophy's to do so ASAP as they have to be sent for engraving for the 2011 winners.

Additionally, please advise [Magriet Nel](mailto:Magriet.Nel@nomadsfishing@gmail.com) with the details of your Billfish catches/releases during 2011.

#### 2012 Rosebowl

The TSC organisers have been busy finalising the upcoming Southern Gauteng Interclub at Sodwan Bay from 3-8 March. Kindly ensure send your completed entry form to [Mandy Webster](mailto:Mandy.Webster@aptprint.co.za) ([mandy@aptprint.co.za](mailto:mandy@aptprint.co.za)) or fax (011) 792-6570 along with shirt sizes by no later than 10 January.

All entries are subject to the Parks Board restriction on the number of boats that may launch, and therefore have to be handled on a first come, first serve basis as well.

The draft rules have been circulated to all the club chairmen for distribution to their members. The final rule booklets will be issued at pre-registration at TSC Club House on Saturday 18 February 2012

Entry forms are available on the TSC website: [www.tscfishing.co.za/rosebowl-2012/](http://www.tscfishing.co.za/rosebowl-2012/)

For more information, please contact Mandy Webster - the TSC Secretary on 083 602 8254

#### Nomads Closed

- 8-12 October at Ponta do Oura

### Nominations

#### 2012 Natal Deep Sea Rod & Reel Interclub

The Natal Deep Sea Rod and Reel Club has the pleasure in inviting your club to send a team of 3 anglers to complete in our Gamefish Species Interclub competition to be held at our Club on the weekend of 18th and 19th February 2012.

Briefing to be held on Friday 17th February 2012.

Launching of boats will be through Durban harbour

The competition will be fished on 10kg line class under IGFA rules with scoring on SADSAA rules for a species competition

If interested, please contact [Alex Lockyer](mailto:Alex.Lockyer@nomadsfishing.co.za) 082 414 1657

#### 2012 Pennington Interclub

Pennington Ski Boat Club takes pleasure in inviting your club to send a team of two anglers to compete in our Gamefish Species Interclub competition.

DATE: 17th & 18th March 2012 (Briefing 16th March 2012 @ 19h00)

Launching shall take place at Pennington Ski Boat Club.

The competition is fished on 10kg line class with IGFA rules and SADSAA scoring system for a species competition.

Teams wishing to bring their own boats may do so, but please advise us as soon as possible in this regard.

If interested, please contact [Alex Lockyer](mailto:Alex.Lockyer@nomadsfishing.co.za) 082 414 1657



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## 2012 All Coastal Interprovincial

SGDSAA are calling for a team to represent SGDSAA at

### ALL COASTALS BOTTOMFISH INTERPROVINCIAL

- 9 - 12 March 2012
- Xmas Vale Skiboat Club
- 10 Kg

Anglers interested are to send Lynette Adams their nomination forms by **25 January 2012**

## 2012 Junior Nationals

SGDSAA is calling for Nominations for the following:-

- U16 JUNIOR NATIONALS 2012
- U19 JUNIOR NATIONALS 2012

Venue	Knysna, Southern Cape
Date	28-31 March
Line	10kg
Species	Bottomfish
Cost	Between R5,000 & R8,000 per angler

Nominations for U16 and U19 teams are to be with Lynette Adams by **Saturday 21 January 2012**

## Iland Lures Photo Competition

Every month Iland Lures will give away a hamper consisting of Iland Lures to the value of between R 1500.00 and R 2000.00 for the best picture/video displaying a catch with an Iland Lure. The competition will be hosted on Iland Lure's website ([www.ilandlures.co.za](http://www.ilandlures.co.za)).

Entries will have to be accompanied with detail about the catch ie. Date of catch, destination of catch, kind off Iland Lure and the colour, species, released yes or no, weight, time, duration of catch, angler, boat, skipper, ski boat club etc. As from 01 February 2012, up to end of February 2012, anglers will be able to submit their photos/videos on our website and the first prize will be announced on our website

Ps. Any pictures taken prior to date of this e mail may also be submitted

## ICASA ENTERS INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE SOUTH AFRICAN MARITIME SAFETY ASSOCIATION

21 December 2011

Johannesburg - The Independent Communications Authority of South Africa has entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the South African Maritime Safety Association (SAMSA) appointing the latter, as an expert, to perform certain functions as provided for in the MoU.

SAMSA shall, among other things, perform the following functions for and on behalf of ICASA:

1. Issue all Marine Operator Certificates on behalf of ICASA
2. Review all previously accredited training institutions and re-accredit as deemed required
3. Revise the relevant Marine Operator's certification as per the ITU Regulations
4. Set the requirements necessary for individuals to obtain approval as Designated Examiners for the written and practical examining of candidates for issuance of Long and Short range (Non-SOLAS) Radio Operator Certificates, GMDSS (GOC) and first and second class RADIO Electronic certificates

The Authority is of the view that this MoU will go a long way in strengthening the relations between both parties and in making sure that there is seamless certification of Marine Radio Operators among others. The MoU became effective from 06 December 2011 and therefore replaces the one signed in May 2006.

Source:

<http://www.icasa.org.za/AboutUs/Newsroom/tabid/280/ctl/ItemDetails/mid/1067/ItemID/1050/Default.aspx>