

September 2002

September Meeting

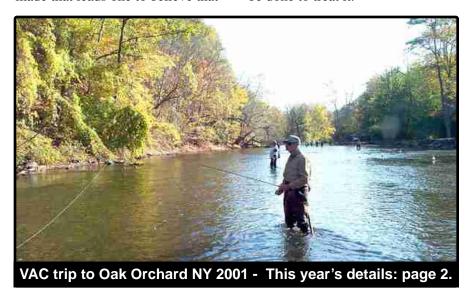
The monthly meeting will be held at the *Department of Game and Inland Fisheries* Building, 4010 West Broad Street at **7:00 PM, Tuesday September 24th**. The entrance and parking are at the rear of the building.

September Meeting Guest Speaker is Dr. Douglas Rowe

We are pretty well informed about the environment in which we fish. We understand the necessity of clean water, eelgrass, structure, tides and maybe even how to read the weather from the clouds passing over the boat from which we are fishing.

However, we may not give the sun its due in our understanding of our angling environment. The Virginia Anglers Club has invited Dr. Douglas Rowe, a practicing plastic surgeon and angler, to speak on the subject of skin care and damage that the sun and other elements can inflict on our hide. In discussing Doug Rowe's appearance, a lot of comments were made that leads one to believe that

a good number of club members have had repairs made to their skin already. These repairs sounded like they were necessary as the result of overexposure to the sun and might have been prevented with proper accommodation of the rays of the sun. Doug will present a discussion of the danger and results of overexposure to the sun and what can and cannot be done to repair this damage. Bring your questions with you and we all can learn from each other's experiences. Skin cancer is not a pretty sight when it becomes serious. Come and hear how to prevent it, recognize it and what can be done to treat it.



CATCHY COMMENTS

by Dennis Cline Your C.V. Kinnard Angler of the Month for August was Mike **Baucom**, who released a 23-0 monster flathead catfish on 2 general that scored 575 points!! Bet that one took Mike around the hole a few times and maybe even added a few gray hairs! Second place went to Fred Murray for his 21-8 flathead on 2 general scoring 537 points. **Robbie Robinson** took third with a 13-8 gar on 2 spin that scored 490 points. There were a couple of other 400-point fish that didn't place.

Congratulations as well to **Scott Johnston**, seeker of obscure records!
Scott was alert enough to recognize the absence of hickory shad in the IGFA record book. His entry of a 1-14 hickory is now the IGFA All Tackle world record! Don't you wish you had thought of it first? It's hard to believe that none were ever entered, considering how popular the fishery has been over the years, and especially for all the VAC catches recorded. Scott also added several more club records this month for croaker and gar.

Congratulations guys!

There are literally hoards of puppy drum all over the bay and in the surf. It may be one of the best year classes ever, and with the changes in possession limits that are in the works, we should have great drum fishing in the future! The fall season

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CATCHY COMMENTS

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is just beginning, with a few big fish coming from the bay. Surf action should pick up soon. Drum fishing has been good to the south as well, where **Quentin Corbett** released a 40-0 on 20 general back into the Neuse River.

ANGLING RULES

The board of directors approved changes in basic weights for blue catfish to take effect December 1, 2002. The new weights will be published in the November newsletter.

During the past two monthly meetings, the board reviewed and discussed at length the lines approved for use for club activities. There was no action taken and no change made in the current rule. The most recent line test report indicates a vast majority of non-IGFA rated lines exceed the IGFA limit for wet breaking strength. Of 52 lines tested, 77% failed and many exceeded the limit by 50% or more. Eighty percent of the IGFA rated lines passed, as did Stren Original.

Upcoming Angling Events

Oak Orchard New York - Trout and Salmon

October 21-25, 2002

Location: Oak Orchard River, NY (aprox. 10 hrs.

driving time)

Time: First light until dark

Awards: Cups for Highest point Salmon and

Brown Trout

Chairman: Fred Murray 320-4295

Rooms: Call Fred for motel list, rooms fill up fast

because of the great fishing.

Tips: Egg Patterns, stone fly nymphs on 6-10

wt. rods. A size 8 red and black nymph was hot for me last year and takes one minute to tie. Call me for info. Several members have made the trip in past years

and will be happy to offers tips. This is a great trip to catch 10-30 lb.chinook salmon and monster brown trout. Most days you will see numerous browns from 4lbs. to 8lbs. with a few 12-15lbs!

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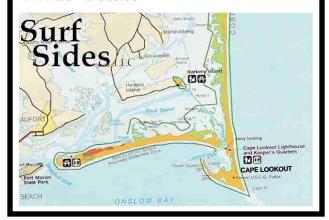
Fishing Charters at Cape Lookout for Albacore & Spanish Mackerel



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Tournament Results

by Fred Murray

Using a secret method I learned from Mike Cline I was able to "dominate" the Flathead/Smallmouth Tournament on the James River on August 24. The secret.....show up for the tournament and be the only person fishing! So maybe the fish were not exactly the trophies I had hoped to catch. Let's just say I did catch.... a tiny smallmouth and a 6 lb. 8 oz. flathead on 2#spin.

Virginia Anglers Club

VIRGINIA ANGLERS CLUB - 9/11/02

SPECIES	ANGLER	WEIGHT	<u>LN</u>	DIV.	DATE	LOCATION	<u>PTS</u>	<u>BAIT</u>
2002 SPECIES LEADE	ERS - SALTWATE	<u>R</u>						
AMBERJACK BARRACUDA BASS, BLACK SEA BASS, STRIPED BLUEFISH COBIA CROAKER DOLPHIN DRUM, BLACK DRUM, RED FLOUNDER GROUPER JACK, CRAVELLE MACKEREL, SPANISH MARLIN, BLUE MARLIN, BLUE MARLIN, WHITE SAILFISH, ATLANTIC SEATROUT, SPOTTED SHEEPSHEAD SNAPPER, OTHER SPADEFISH	E.S. ROBINSON M. KODROFF D.N. NOLAND R.L. WHITE D.N. NOLAND E.S. ROBINSON D. CLINE W.S. JOHNSTON B. SHEPHERD D. CLINE B. SHEPHERD ROB ROBINSON S.C. LEE G.D. SIDES J.C. WRIGHT M. KODROFF D.N. NOLAND F. COUSINS J.C. WRIGHT E.S. ROBINSON M. CLINE	30-0 31-0 4-6 34-0 12-8 28-8 2-0 5-0 32-0 58-0 6-8 9-0 33-0 1-12 REL. REL. REL. 3-0 6-11 7-14	6 8 4 4 4 8 2 4 16 2 80 30 80 2 12 12 88	PLUG PLUG PLUG PLUG FLY SURF GEN GEN GEN GEN SPIN GEN GEN GEN GEN GEN	08/01/02 07/28/02 06/11/02 01/12/02 12/23/01 07/28/02 08/05/02 06/18/02 05/10/02 05/10/02 05/26/02 05/26/02 05/27/02 06/20/02 05/26/02 05/27/02 06/11/02 07/02/02 08/03/02 01/26/02 05/30/02	OCRACOKE, NC OREGON INLET, NC TRIANGLE WRECK, VA VIRGINIA BEACH, VA RUDEE INLET, VA 102 TOWER, NC OYSTER, VA OFF HATTERAS INLET, NC EASTERN SHORE, VA EASTERN SHORE, VA EASTERN SHORE, VA OCRACOKE, NC HATTERAS, NC CAPE LOOKOUT, NC NORFOLK CANYON, VA OREGON INLET, NC OFF VA BEACH, VA ELIZABETH RIVER, VA ANGLO-AFRICAN WRECK OCRACOKE, NC "THE CELL", VA	333 387 291 680 312 316 400 166 266 414 325 128 275 175 156 148 100 200 111 131 228	JIG/LIVE BAIT TUBE JIG BUCKTAIL BUCKTAIL JIG CLOUSER CLOUSER PEELER CRAB BLUEFISH HD. MINNOW JIG/LIVE BAIT BUCKTAIL CLOUSER BALAO BALLYHOO BALLYHOO FIN-S CLAM JIG/LIVE BAIT CLAM
TRIGGERFISH WEAKFISH	J.C. WRIGHT B. SHEPHERD	4-0 8-8	12 2	GEN FLY	08/15/02 05/23/02	OFF SANDBRIDGE, VA CHESAPEAKE BAY, VA	80 425	CUT BAIT DECEIVER
2002 SPECIES LEADE	ERS - FRESHWAT	ER						
BASS, LARGEMOUTH BASS, ROCK BASS, SMALLMOUTH BASS, STRIPED (LL) BASS, WHITE BOWFIN CARP CATFISH, BLUE CATFISH, CHANNEL CATFISH, FLATHEAD CRAPPIE GAR PERCH, WHITE PERCH, WHITE PERCH, YELLOW PICKEREL, CHAIN SHAD, AMERICAN SHAD, HICKORY SUNFISH TROUT, BROOK TROUT, BROWN TROUT, RAINBOW	L. KIMBROUGH B.L. NOLAND G.N. CARTER M. KODROFF R. MATTHEWS E.S. JOHNSTON E.S. ROBINSON D. CLINE S. DAVIS M. BAUCOM ROB ROBINSON ROB ROBINSON F. COUSINS L. HOUSER B. HENDERSON D. CLINE M. KODROFF S. DAVIS B.L. NOLAND J.P. ROUNTREY R. MATTHEWS	4-14 0-13 4-9 7-0 1-2 9-10 7-4 55-0 7-8 23-0 2-0 13-8 1-0 1-8 3-8 3-4 3-9 2-9 2-8 6-4	4 2 4 2 4 4 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	SPIN PLUG SPIN GEN SPIN GEN SPIN SPIN SPIN FLY SPIN SPIN FLY FLY FLY FLY	05/23/02 02/25/02 04/24/02 03/09/02 08/02/02 01/27/02 03/09/02 04/24/02 08/09/02 01/31/02 07/24/02 04/19/02 03/02/02	CORBIN'S POND, VA NOTTOWAY RIVER, VA PAMUNKY RIVER, VA LAKE GASTON, VA YADKIN RIVER, NC CHICKAHOMINY LAKE, VA CHICKAHOMINY RIVER, VA JAMES RIVER, VA PRIVATE POND, CHFLD, VA JAMES RIVER, VA JAMES RIVER, VA JAMES RIVER, VA JAMES RIVER, VA CHICKAHOMINY RIVER, VA ROANOKE RIVER, VA ROANOKE RIVER, NC PRIVATE POND, CHFLD, VA MEADOW RUN CREEK, VA SMITH CREEK, VA CRIPPLE CREEK, VA	243 216 456 175 150 296 241 687 272 575 320 490 320 400 350 288 400 360 410 166 625	RUBBER WORM PLASTIC WORM SMOKE GRUB RICO TOPWATR SASSY SHAD MINNOW SILVER BUDDY CUT SHAD MICKEY FINN LIVE TUBE JIG SILVER BUDDY SHAD FLY ROADRUNNER SILVER BUDDY SHAD FLY WOOLY WORM WOOLY WORM WOOLYBUGGR NYMPH SPINNER
2002 DIVISION LEADI	ERS - SALTWATE	<u>R</u>						
WEAKFISH BARRACUDA BASS, STRIPED BARRACUDA BASS, STRIPED	B. SHEPHERD E.S. ROBINSON R.L. WHITE M. KODROFF D. CLINE	8-8 33-0 34-0 31-0 43-0	2 8 4 8	PLUG SPIN	05/23/02 08/01/02 01/12/02 07/28/02 12/23/01	CHESAPEAKE BAY, VA OCRACOKE, NC VIRGINIA BEACH, VA OREGON INLET, NC EASTERN SHORE, VA	425 366 680 387 430	DECEIVER LIVE BAIT BUCKTAIL TUBE LIVE EEL
2002 DIVISION LEADI	ERS - FRESHWAT	ER						
TROUT, BROOK CATFISH, BLUE SHAD, HICKORY TROUT, RAINBOW	B.L. NOLAND D. CLINE M. KODROFF R. MATTHEWS	2-9 55-0 3-4 6-4	2 4 4 2	PLUG	12/02/01 03/09/02 03/14/02 12/22/01	MEADOW RUN CREEK, VA JAMES RIVER, VA ROANOKE RIVER, NC CRIPPLE CREEK, VA	410 687 325 625	WOOLYBUGGR CUT SHAD DART SPINNER

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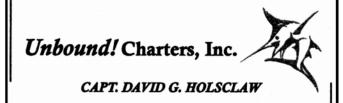
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2000 TOP OPOUR	ATOUES SALTIM	ATED 6 E	DE01	IVA/ A T	FD // 0041			
2002 TOP SPOUSE CA	AICHES - SALIW	AIER & F	RESI	HWAII	ER (LOCAI	<u>L)</u>		
PICKEREL, CHAIN	J. JOHNSTON	3-8	2	_	01/29/02	DRAGON RUN, VA	350	SASSY SHAD
CROAKER FLOUNDER	S. CLINE S. CLINE	2-7 3-0	2 4		08/02/02 04/27/02	OYSTER, VA OYSTER, VA	325 150	STINGSILVER MINNOW
DRUM, RED	S. CLINE	REL.	•		04/26/02	MYRTLE ISLAND, VA	142	PEELER CRAB
2002 TOP YOUTH CA	TCHES - SALTWA	TER & FR	ESH\	WATE	R (LOCAL)			
							470	OLIAB
CATFISH, BLUE	G. SHEPHERD	25-0	12	GEN	12/02/01	JAMES RIVER, VA	178	SHAD
NEW CLUB RECORDS	S - SALTWATER							
AMBERJACK	D. CLINE	14-0	4		06/10/02	65 DEGREE TOWER, NC	254	BUCKTAIL
BASS, BLACK SEA BASS, STRIPED	D.N. NOLAND R.L. WHITE	4-6 20-0	4 4		06/11/02 01/12/02	TRIANGLE WRECK, VA VIRGINIA BEACH, VA	291 333	JIG BUCKTAIL
BASS, STRIPED	R.L. WHITE	34-0	4		01/12/02	VIRGINIA BEACH, VA	680	BUCKTAIL
BASS, STRIPED	F. COUSINS	26-0	6		01/12/02	VIRGINIA BEACH, VA	400	BUCKTAIL
BASS, STRIPED	L.J. SPURLIN	29-0	12		01/09/02	RUDEE INLET, VA	241	BUCKTAIL
BASS, STRIPED	D. CLINE	43-0	40		12/23/01	EASTERN SHORE, VA	430	LIVE EEL
BLUEFISH CROAKER	R.K. DALE D. CLINE	18-0 1-15	12 4	SPIN FLY	06/10/02 08/05/02	TRIANGLE WRECK, VA OYSTER, VA	200 258	JIG CLOUSER
CROAKER	D. CLINE	1-14	6	FLY	08/05/02	OYSTER, VA	187	CLOUSER
CROAKER	D. CLINE	1-14	8	FLY	08/05/02	OYSTER, VA	150	CLOUSER
CROAKER	D. CLINE	1-14	12	FLY	08/05/02	OYSTER, VA	125	CLOUSER
CROAKER	D. CLINE	1-13	16	FLY	08/05/02	OYSTER, VA	103	CLOUSER
CROAKER CROAKER	W.S. JOHNSTON D. CLINE	1-10 2-4	6 8		08/17/02 08/02/02	GWYNN'S ISLAND, VA OYSTER, VA	130 150	FIN-S STINGSILVER
DOLPHIN	W.S. JOHNSTON	5-0	4	FLY	06/02/02	OFF HATTERAS INLET, NC	166	CLOUSER
DRUM, BLACK	B. SHEPHERD	32-0			05/10/02	EASTERN SHORE, VA	266	PEELER CRAB
FLOUNDER	B. SHEPHERD	2-0	2		05/23/02	OYSTER, VA	200	DECEIVER
JACK, CRAVELLE	S.C. LEE	33-0	16		05/26/02	HATTERAS, NC	275	BUCKTAIL
RUNNER, RAINBOW SPADEFISH	J.W. REWALT M. CLINE	12-4 9-2	16 8	GEN	07/06/02 06/01/02	PINAS BAY, PANAMA "THE CELL", VA	153 228	PANAMA STRIP CLAM
SPADEFISH	D.N. NOLAND	3-2	4	FLY	06/01/02	VA BEACH, VA	204	FLY
WEAKFISH	B. SHEPHERD	8-8	2	FLY	05/23/02	CHESAPEAKE BAY, VA	425	DECEIVER
NEW OLUB DECORD								
NEW CLUB RECORDS	S - FRESHWATER	<u>. </u>						
BASS, LARGEMOUTH	W.S. JOHNSTON	4-8	6	FLY	06/27/02	DRAGON RUN, VA	225	CLOUSER
BASS, SMALLMOUTH	G.N. CARTER	3-7	6	FLY	02/25/02	PAMUNKY RIVER, VA	250	CLOUSER
BASS, SMALLMOUTH BASS, SMALLMOUTH	G.N. CARTER G.N. CARTER	4-2 4-9	6 2		02/23/02 02/25/02	PAMUNKY RIVER, VA PAMUNKY RIVER, VA	253 456	MODEL A SMOKE GRUB
BASS, WHITE	W.S. JOHNSTON	1-0	4	FLY	05/29/02	DETROIT RIVER, MI	114	CLOUSER
BASS, WHITE	W.S. JOHNSTON	1-6	8	FLY	05/29/02	DETROIT RIVER, MI	100	CLOUSER
BOWFIN	E.S. JOHNSTON	9-10	4	GEN	08/02/02	CHICKAHOMINY LAKE, VA	296	MINNOW
CATFISH, BLUE	D. CLINE	55-0 53-0	4	GEN	03/09/02	JAMES RIVER, VA	687	CUT SHAD
CATFISH, BLUE CATFISH, BLUE	S. DAVIS R.J. BROWN	52-0 14-0	8 4	GEN	07/29/02 02/03/02	JAMES RIVER, VA CHICKAHOMINY RIVER, VA	433 311	CUT SHAD SILVER BUDDY
CATFISH, CHANNEL	S. DAVIS	4-13	2	FLY	04/24/02	PRIVATE POND, CHFLD, VA	240	MICKEY FINN
CATFISH, CHANNEL	S. DAVIS	7-8	4	FLY	04/24/02	PRIVATE POND, CHFLD, VA	272	MICKEY FINN
CATFISH, FLATHEAD	M. BAUCOM	23-0	2	GEN	08/09/02	JAMES RIVER, VA	575	LIVE
GAR	W.S. JOHNSTON	3-14	2	FLY	09/08/02	CHIPPOKES CREEK, VA	193	DECEIVER
GAR GAR	W.S. JOHNSTON	7-8 6-8	6 8	FLY FLY	09/08/02 07/24/02	CHIPPOKES CREEK, VA	214	DECEIVER
GAR	W.S. JOHNSTON ROB ROBINSON	0-o 11-4	o 16	GEN	06/04/02	JAMES RIVER, VA CHICKAHOMINY RIVER, VA	144 102	CLOUSER DEAD MINNOW
GAR	W.S. JOHNSTON	7-0	6		09/04/02	CHIPPOKES CREEK, VA	155	SASSY SHAD
PERCH, WHITE	D.D. COMPTON	1-1	12		03/23/02	COHOKE MILLPOND, VA	106	MINNOW
PERCH, WHITE	R.J. BROWN	1-3	4		04/02/02	JAMES RIVER, VA	237	SPOON
PERCH, YELLOW	W.S. JOHNSTON	1-2 1-7	4 4	FLY GEN	02/06/02 03/07/02	DRAGON RUN, VA	257	CLOUSER
PERCH, YELLOW PERCH, YELLOW	C. PETERS L. HOUSER	1-7	6	SPIN		PAMUNKY RIVER, VA PAMUNKY RIVER, VA	230 230	MINNOW ROADRUNNER
PERCH, YELLOW	G.N. CARTER	1-6	12	SPIN	03/02/02	PAMUNKY RIVER, VA	157	ROADRUNNER
PIKE, NORTHERN	M. KODROFF	6-8	4	GEN	06/25/02	LABRADOR, CANADA	162	MUDDLER

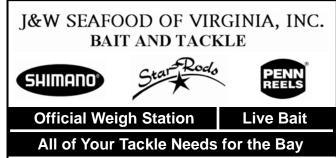
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2002 HIGHEST POINT NON-LOCAL CATCHES - SALTWATER										
BONEFISH PERMIT RUNNER, RAINBOW SAILFISH, ATLANTIC SAILFISH, PACIFIC	Q. CORBETT L.J. SPURLIN J.W. REWALT W.B. DUVAL J.W. REWALT	6-0 15-8 12-4 REL. REL.	8 16 16 6 16	GEN GEN GEN GEN GEN	08/11/02 05/07/02 07/06/02 02/02/02 06/30/02	BOODLE CAY, BAHAMAS MUD KEY, FL PINAS BAY, PANAMA MIAMI, FL PINAS BAY, PANAMA	120 110 153 625 375	FIDDLER CRAB LIVE CRAB PANAMA STRIP LIVETHREADFIN PANAMA STRIP		
2002 HIGHEST POINT NON-LOCAL CATCHES - FRESHWATER										
BASS, ROCK BASS, WHITE PIKE, NORTHERN TROUT, BROOK TROUT, STEELHEAD	D. CLINE W.S. JOHNSTON D. CLINE M. KODROFF J.R. SIDES	1-4 1-0 7-2 6-4 14-0	2 4 2 6 8	SPIN FLY GEN FLY FLY	08/18/02 05/29/02 08/23/02 06/25/02 04/02/02	LAKE WINNIBIGOSHISH, MN DETROIT RIVER, MI LAKE WINNIBIGOSHISH, MN LABRADOR, CANADA OAK ORCHARD CREEK, NY	333 114 285 555 254	MEPPS AGLIA 4 CLOUSER SHAD RAP GREY WULF EGG SUCK LCH		

C.V. KINNARD AWARD COMPETITION - 2002											
ANGLER	FIRSTS	SECONDS	THIRDS	PLACES	POINTS	AVERAGE					
DENNIS CLINE	3	1	2	6	2366	394					
BOB SHEPHERD	2	1	0	3	1382	461					
FRED MURRAY	0	2	1	3	1278	426					
GLENN CARTER	0	1	1	2	716	358					
SCOTT DAVIS	0	1	1	2	643	322					
MIKE BAUCOM	1	0	0	1	575	575					
ROB ROBINSON	0	0	1	1	490	490					
FRED COUSINS	1	0	0	1	454	454					
JOHN FOSTER	0	0	1	1	420	420					
ELLY ROBINSON	0	1	0	1	300	300					
TOTALS	7	7	7	21	8624	411					



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