

HAVE YOU REJOINED FOR 2007



You can renew your membership, pop in to Seagull Fishing Tackle at Greatstone to renew your membership. The deadline is the 7th of February (the AGM).

Remember if your membership lapses and if the club has to limit it's membership you will have to join the queue!

The membership has been held this year to £5. £2 of that is ring fenced for beach cleaning. The Club part funds through the Romney Marsh Countryside Project a beach cleaner for Dungeness, this we believe gives fishermen more "ownership" of the point. Keys to the barrier are available as usual to members from Richardson's Fish Shop (opposite the Pilot) and at Seagull Fishing Tackle Greatstone.

Affiliated Clubs wanting to use the road must for their matches must book through our chairman Phil Tapp to avoid over crowding.

If you can help run the Club in any way...don't be shy give Tony a call on 01797 366837...we need you!!!

DUNGENESS ANGLING ASSOCIATION C/O 31 TAYLOR ROAD, LYDD-ON-SEA, ROMNEY MARSH, KENT. TN29 9PA



NEWS WINTER 2006/7

STEVE'S SUCCESS COD & SOLE OPEN'S

Many thanks to Steve and Kim Field for there hard work in running our 2 New Opens. The turnouts were a bit disappointing but sole and cod were weighed in. we can build on success and we hope to run these events in 2007 as well as a last years Club Series of 3 which we hope to run again in the spring. As well as the RNLI Open in March

AGM

This years AGM will be held on Wednesday the 7th of February at 7.30pm. Location St. Peters Church Hall, (along side the Church) Roberts Road, Greatstone.

KEYS...

Do we change the Padlock and keys for 2007 (we would plan the change in March if we go ahead) this is to be discussed at the AGM...so please attend.

Come along and have your say! Help us plan the way ahead to improve access and activities for fishermen at Dungeness.

We need your ideas and support.

The Plan for 2007 -) A DAA THREE MATCH SERIES

Steve Field has kindly again agreed to run a three match series for members. You can contact him on 07815190013.

We are looking for sponsors any volunteers? The intention is to have a prize for the combined weight over the three matches.

Each match will be on a catch & release with a sweep on the day. Check out the tackle and bait shops for dates and times.

The Sole Open

We plan to run the 2nd Sole open. This builds on the success of the aunorganical match in 2006. The planned date is 16th of September 2007. Look out for more details closer to the date.

The Cod Open

As the plan for the Sole open we intend to hold a 2nd Cod open the turn out was not great, but we did weigh in two Codling. There was confusion in the publised date and other clashes.

The date for 2007 Cod open is the 11th of November again look for details closer to the event.

Steve needs help

We need more help to run succesful matches on Dungeness be it pegging out the beach or at the booking and weighing in the more help the better...contact Steve or make yourself known to Tony or Phil.

What a clean beach

Last years increase in the membership fees from £3 to £5 gave us £2 per member, and with 600+ members this generated over £1200 a year to part fund a beach cleaner/warden for Dungeness. This is now in place and Chris Shaw is doing a great job. Reports into me at the shop tell me Dungeness has never been cleaner...well done Chris and his line manager Owen Leyshon of the Romney Marsh Countryside Project for running a tight ship.

For the Sixth year The RNLI Dungeness Open 2007

Fish for the EA cup!

Steve Field has kindly agreed to run and organise our annual beach open on Dungeness point. The match will take place on Sunday the 4th of March (fishing from 10.00 to 15.00)

**ALL PROFITS TO THE DUNGENESS
LIFEBOAT 100% PAYOUT, SUPER PRIZES
PENN QUALIFIER**

Entry fee £10 per person. To book contact Steve Field on 07815190013.

DON'T DELAY THE LIMIT IS 75 PEGS

**PRIZE GIVING TO BE HELD
AT THE PILOT PUB
BATTERY ROAD, DUNGENESS**

Clubs...keep it clean !!

Be warned any Club holding matches using the EA road without booking through Phil or reported for dumping fish on the EA road will find there affiliation to the DAA being withdrawn and there use of the road being stopped. We cannot allow our access for the majority being threatened by a few Clubs.