



BOUNTY FISHING RULES

1. TEAMS

Teams are to comprise 2 anglers fishing from the same boat.

2. HOURS OF FISHING

Hours of fishing will be as designated by the Event organisers. Any competitor found to be fishing outside these hours will have that days catch results eliminated. A second breach will see the competitor disqualified permanently from the Event.

3. TACKLE

Rod and reel fishing only. Maximum of 1 rod per angler to be used at any one time. Line is to be a minimum of 6kg. Braid lines can be used.

4. LANDING NETS AND GAFFS

Landing nets only can be used to assist in landing fish. Knotless landing nets are recommended.

5. METHOD OF FISHING

Lure and fly only are permitted.

6. FISHING AREA

Only fishing in the Fitzroy/Keppel Bay Net Free Zone within the area designated on the Bounty map is allowed. Fishing is restricted to the tidal area of the Net Free Zone.

Freshwater lagoons and above the barrage are out of bounds. Any competitor found to be fishing outside these boundaries will have that days catch results eliminated. A second breach will see the competitor disqualified permanently from the Event.

7. POINT SCORING

Points will be allocated based on the length of the fish measured to the nearest half centimetre with one competition point awarded per millimetre for fish from 300mm to 400mm (eg 400mm fish = 400 points). Fish 405---600mm will receive 2 points for each mm over 400 (eg 600mm fish = 400 + 200x2 = 800 points). Fish 605---800mm will receive 3 points for each mm over 600 (eg 800mm fish = 400 + 200x2 + 200X3 = 1400 points). Fish 805---1000mm will receive 4 points for each mm over 800mm (eg 1000mm fish = 400 + 200x2 + 200X3 + 200x4 = 2200 points). Fish 1005---1200mm will receive 5 points for each mm over 1000mm (eg 1200mm fish = 400 + 200x2 + 200X3 + 200x4 +200x5 = 3200 points). A chart is included showing the points per length and this will be used to calculate the points for each fish. In the event of a tie on points the winner will be the person with the least number of fish.

8. TAG AND RELEASE

The Bounty is a tag and release only event. Any fish not tagged and released are not eligible for competition points.



9. ELIGIBLE SPECIES

The following species are eligible for points in this event.

Barramundi
Barred Javelin
King Threadfin
Blue Threadfin
Mangrove Jack
Golden Snapper (Fingermark)
Goldspotted Rockcod
Blackspotted Rockcod
Dusky Flathead

10. PROOF OF CATCH

A photograph of each fish tagged will be required. Fish will not be eligible unless a photograph is supplied. Photographs must show the fish on the measuring ruler supplied along with the fisher's ID tag. Photographs or videos supplied to the Bounty may be used on the website/Facebook or in material produced in relation to the event.

11. REPORTING CATCH

It will be a requirement of each team member to have a mobile smart phone with the Track My Fish App loaded and operational. After each capture the team is required to report the catch within a reasonable time to allow accurate tracking of progress in the event. In the event of no reception, photos etc. should be downloaded as soon as reception resumes. **GPS and date/time must be activated on the entrant's phone.**

Daily sheets should be returned at the end of each competition day and, if necessary, this can be via electronic means. **Completed sheets must be handed in at headquarters at the completion of the event along with tagging equipment including the applicator, measuring ruler and any unused tags.**

12. LOCATION OF CATCH

Catch details will be used for later scientific evaluation. Grid maps will be available if necessary to accurately identify catch location details, however these details are recorded via the App.

13. BREACH OF RULES

Any dispute or breach of the competition rules will be determined and adjudicated by 2 members of the Bounty committee whose decision will be final. A proven breach may result in loss of competition points or disqualification of the team.

A compulsory registration/briefing will be held on the Wednesday evening. Registration will be followed by a briefing to provide technical details of tagging fish etc. and any updates to event rules/conditions.



POINTS FOR FISH CAUGHT IN ROCKY BARRA BOUNTY 2018

Length	Points	Length	Points	Length	Points	Length	Points
300-- 400mm	Same as length						
400	400						
405	410	605	815	805	1420	1005	2225
410	420	610	830	810	1440	1010	2250
415	430	615	845	815	1460	1015	2275
420	440	620	860	820	1480	1020	2300
425	450	625	875	825	1500	1025	2325
430	460	630	890	830	1520	1030	2350
435	470	635	905	835	1540	1035	2375
440	480	640	920	840	1560	1040	2400
445	490	645	935	845	1580	1045	2425
450	500	650	950	850	1600	1050	2450
455	510	655	965	855	1620	1055	2475
460	520	660	980	860	1640	1060	2500
465	530	665	995	865	1660	1065	2525
470	540	670	1010	870	1680	1070	2550
475	550	675	1025	875	1700	1075	2575
480	560	680	1040	880	1720	1080	2600
485	570	685	1055	885	1740	1085	2625
490	580	690	1070	890	1760	1090	2650
495	590	695	1085	895	1780	1095	2675
500	600	700	1100	900	1800	1100	2700
505	610	705	1115	905	1820	1105	2725
510	620	710	1130	910	1840	1110	2750
515	630	715	1145	915	1860	1115	2775
520	640	720	1160	920	1880	1120	2800
525	650	725	1175	925	1900	1125	2825
530	660	730	1190	930	1920	1130	2850
535	670	735	1205	935	1940	1135	2875
540	680	740	1220	940	1960	1140	2900
545	690	745	1235	945	1980	1145	2925
550	700	750	1250	950	2000	1150	2950
555	710	755	1265	955	2020	1155	2975
560	720	760	1280	960	2040	1160	3000
565	730	765	1295	965	2060	1165	3025
570	740	770	1310	970	2080	1170	3050
575	750	775	1325	975	2100	1175	3075
580	760	780	1340	980	2120	1180	3100
585	770	785	1355	985	2140	1185	3125
590	780	790	1370	990	2160	1190	3150
595	790	795	1385	995	2180	1195	3175
600	800	800	1400	1000	2200	1200	3200

* The same formula will apply for fish over 1200mm