



2019 Surfcasting Competition

Two-day event

The annual Surfcasting Competition was held Saturday and Sunday, 2 & 3 February 2019.

What perfect conditions for a great and humorous group of anglers who cast out 117 rods at our Surfcasting competition.

Lovely warm conditions with a bit of an easterly breeze made sea conditions perfect and with the wind behind you made some great casting conditions. The first time for many years we had three Snapper weighed in along with a variety of sizes of Kahawai and Herrings that were landed over the two days.

With a catch, measure and release policy for any Stingrays caught proved to be a great inclusion in the rules with 12 Rays being hooked with only 2 landed and first prize for a Ray went to one measuring 1100mm across the wing tips.

There was one lady angler that persevered for nearly 40min on a massive Ray only to lose it close to the surf. Even with such a loss she is a new comer to the sport and she is adamant she will be back next year to have another go.

Be like her and let us see you take part at next year's Competition.

If you have something to add, maybe a witty story, please let the webmaster know at webmaster@tangimoanaboatingclub.kiwi so that it can be included.