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# WEST VALLEY SPORTSMEN'S CLUB

The next scheduled meeting is on the first Wednesday of the month,  
11/04/2020  
at the

Elk's Club Lodge

20925 Osborne St.

Canoga Park

The meeting will begin at 7:30 Wednesday.

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Please join us for the November

meeting. The dinner begins around 7:00.

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Dinner will be provided by the Elks.

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## From the Bridge

Hello everybody, hope all is well.

We have been working with the Elks Lodge to hold our Christmas luncheon. The date is not locked down yet, but should be Sunday, December 6th between 11:00 and 2:00.

For the November meeting, the lodge will be providing corned beef sandwiches with a side of homemade pasta salad.

Look forward to seeing everybody there.

-Todd Stetz



Tight lines and Calm Seas.

Your Captain,

-Todd Stetz



## New club record!

Club member, Harold Guy, punched his "300 Club" ticket with this bluefin tuna.

He caught this cow on the kite aboard the Pacific Dawn, out at the Cortez Bank.

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## Get Onboard! -Ed Plevack

Hey Guys,

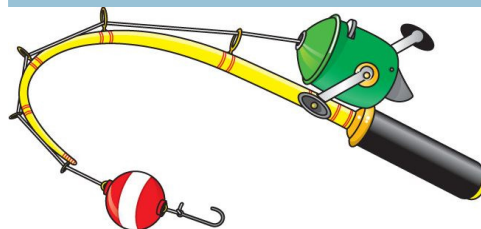
Well our two day went from good on day one to great on day two.

Day 1 we started out looking for exotics but none were to be found. Got limits of nice rockfish and whitefish.

Day 2 we went about as far west as you can go, venturing to the far west end of San Miguel. I remember fishing there about 30 years ago. Anyway great fishing for Reds. We ventured back inside a little and had the best fishing for Lings so far this year.

Next trip is SUNDAY, Nov. 15. I have a few spots left, and this is the last trip for awhile so jump on it.

Tight lines,  
-Ed



## Side Casts -Bill



Hello friends,

Happy November all !!!

We all had some fun on the two day, Sorry to say it was all rockfish. The weather dismissed our plans to go for the Blue fin. Fun was had by all.

Club Points for the trip :

- 1 - Floyd Lovejoy got first both days for 12 points total.
- 2 - Charles Davis and Ed Brashard both had 2nds for 5 points.
- 3 - Ed Plevack and Jake Lorimar both had 3rds for 4 points total.

See you all at the meeting,

-Bill.

# Fishing Charters 2020



Date	Landing	Boat	Cost	Fishing for:	Note
Mar-01	Hook's	New Hustler	\$175 Limited Load 17	Best Bite	BLOWN OUT
Apr-04	Hook's	New Hustler	\$175 Limited Load 17	Best Bite	Covid 19'd
May 16	Hook's	New Hustler	\$175 Limited Load 17	Best Bite	Lv. Friday PM Fishes Saturday
Jun 26-27 2-Day	Hook's	New Hustler	\$400 Limited Load 17	Best Bite	Lv. Thursday PM Returns Saturday
Aug 1	Hook's	New Hustler	\$175 Limited Load 17	Best Bite	Lv. Friday PM Fishes Saturday
Oct 9-10 2-Day	Hook's	New Hustler	\$400 Limited Load 17	Best Bite	Lv. Thursday PM Returns Saturday
Nov 15	Hook's	New Hustler	\$175 Limited Load 17	Best Bite	Lv. Saturday PM Fishes Sunday

## Club Standings 2020

Points are earned by club members, on club fishing charters, as follows:  
 One(1) point for going on charter.  
 Five(5) points for first place. Total six(6) points.  
 Three(3) points for second place. Total four(4) points.  
 Two(2) points for third place. Total three(3) points.  
 Jackpot money goes to biggest fish in the Jackpot whether member or not.



### As of October Charter

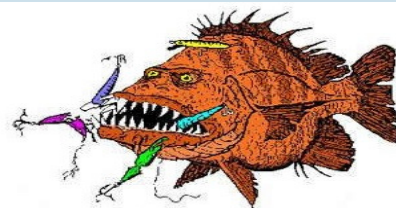
18 Floyd Lovejoy	4 Glenn Q.	2 Mike Milas
15 Jim Shuster	4 Jake Lorimar	1 Donna Winters
10 Ed Plevack	3 Bob Melton	
10 Robert Allen	3 Chase Lovejoy	
8 Charles Davis	3 John Randall	
8 Harold Guy	2 Janet Lammons	
7 Bill Chartar	2 Jim Johnson	
5 Ed Brashard	2 Lynn Freed	

Please let me know if you notice any missing points, misspells, or things that are flat out wrong. Thanks - Tom

# Saltwater Records

*-Verified by either a photo or by another club member who was present.*

*-Does not have to be on a club charter.*



Fish Species	Weight	Date	Member	Boat / Location
Amberjack	30 lbs.	Jun-2016	Tony Urban	La Paz, Mex
Barracuda (Pacific)	8 lbs.	Jun-2017	Chase Lovejoy	Speed Twin
Black Sea Bass	125 lbs.	Nov-1999	Karen Haney	Mirage (released)
Cabrilla	26 lbs.		Al Stoeckli	Jose Andreas, Mex
Calico Bass	8.5 lbs.	Jun-2015	Bob Tuttle	Cedros Is., Mex
Dorado	58 lbs.		Bill Charter	East Cape, Mex
Grouper	90 lbs.		Bob Stiles	Midriff Is., Mex
Halibut	288 lbs.	Jun-2008	Tom Nickel	Gustavus, Alaska
Ling Cod	45 lbs.	Jun-2003	Ed St.Jean	Alaska
Marlin - Black	594 lbs.		Sailor Jack Esson	Hawaii
Marlin - Blue	345 lbs.		Bill Charter	East Cape, Mex
Marlin - Striped	170 lbs.		Sailor Jack Esson	
Pargo	15 lbs.	Jun-2016	Tony Urban	La Paz, Mex
Red (Vermillion)	8.2 lbs.	Mar-2000	Ed Plevack	Mirage
Roosterfish	70 lbs.		Bill Charter	East Cape, Mex
Sailfish	101 lbs.	Jan-1995	Jerry Richkind	Mazatlan, Mex
Salmon - Coho	13 lbs.	Aug-2009	Stan Young	Milbanke Sound, BC
Salmon - King	46 lbs.	Aug-2009	Gary Bond	Milbanke Sound, BC
Sand Bass	6 lbs.	Jul-2012	Chase Lovejoy	Speed Twin
Shark - Mako	120 lbs.	Year 2000	LeRoi Crandall	Qualifier 105
Sheephead	25 lbs.		Charles Davis	Mirage
Skipjack	23 lbs.	Sep-2002	Karen Haney	Ocean Odyssey
Spearfish	55 lbs.	Year 1978	Stan Young	Kona, HI
Swordfish	?	* 2020 *	?	Anacapa?
Tuna - Albacore	46 lbs.	Jul-2004	Ray Hallit	Islander - 4 day
Tuna - Big Eye	138.5 lbs	Sep-1984	Sailor Jack Esson	Coroloma trip
<b>Tuna - Bluefin</b>	<b>300 lbs</b>	<b>Oct-2020</b>	<b>Harold Guy</b>	<b>Pacific Dawn</b>
Tuna - Yellowfin	307 lbs	Feb-2013	Sailor Jack Esson	American Angler
Wahoo	75 lbs.		Lynn Freed	Red Rooster
White Sea Bass	53 lbs.	Jun-2012	Floyd Lovejoy	Speed Twin
Whitefish	9.9 lbs.	Sep-2019	Janet Lammon	San Quentin, Mex
Yellowtail	58 lbs.	Nov-2002	Jim Rowe	Qualifier 105

# October Club Meeting



(stock photos)

- Our main charter boat, the New Hustler, has moved from Hook's Sportfishing, to the Ventura Sportfishing landing, which is operated by Tucker McCoombs.
- The annual club Holiday Dinner will likely have a different format this year. We are working with the Elk's club to put on a luncheon.
- November 15th will be the last club trip of 2020. Floyd has come from behind to grab the lead, but its far from over.
- Top recruiter, Charles Davis, has brought us another new member. Welcome aboard Jake Lorimer.
- New member, Jim Johnson won the rod at the October club raffle.
- Tony Urban had 3 winning tickets to win the reel, as well as some sinkers & jigs, and the hooks and line.
- Other raffle winners were: Bob Tuttle-fighting belt, Mike Milas-sinkers and jigs, James Lammon-pliers set, Jim Shuster-sinkers and jigs, and Gary Willoughby- rockfish jig.



## October Club Charter Winners



## Sunshine Corner -Michele Stetz

### Happy November Birthday !

To: Chase Lovejoy, Peter Tang, Tony Urban, Ray Hallit and Robert Kerl.

### Happy November Anniversary !

To: Bill and Lisa Chartar.

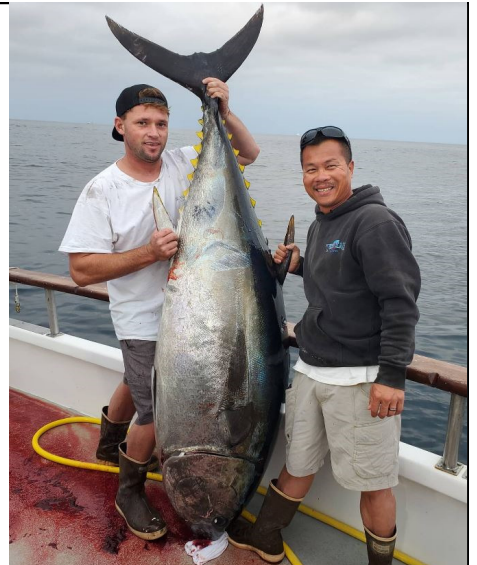
~In memory of Jerry Richkind ~

# Back Cast:

Harold Guy in  
Tuna Town.



Tucker McCoombs,  
skipper of the  
Endeavor.



## JIGS R US

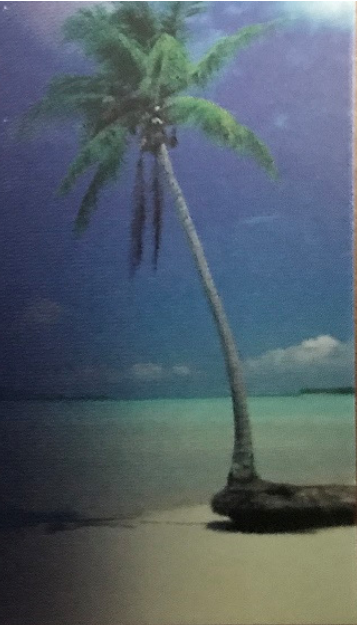
VINTAGE TUNA JIGS

BONE, BALDYS, WOOD, ABALONE, OLD  
IRON, AND HORN BOUGHT AND SOLD

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