



The Sanibel Island Fishing Club

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December 2017 Newsletter

Words from Warren

Here we are at the start of the Holiday Season. Thanksgiving just behind us, and the rest already on the horizon. A wonderful time of the year! A time to celebrate!

Happy Holidays!

A great time to remind you of our Annual Christmas Party which will be held at The Community House on December 12th. This is a fun social AND our annual fundraiser. The funds raised are used in our efforts to support causes that will eventually lead to CLEAN WATER!

It will take time to fix this enormous problem, BUT if we do nothing we will all lose. The fish stock will suffer... So; bring a little extra cash to buy raffle tickets, AND bid on our Silent Auction Items! Please! We have a plethora of folks gathering those items as we speak; as well as a host of volunteers making this party happen! Put yourself and a guest into a Holiday mood and join us! If you haven't made a reservation, please do it NOW! [Attached to this newsletter is a copy of the invite.] I look forward to seeing YOU and YOUR guest[s] at the party.

We had a good turnout at last month's meeting. Always good to see. Two young guys from Whitney's gave us a report on what they were catching, and with what.

It was followed by our first outing of the year. That seemed to go well too! Mary Laser's Team won. AND, my boat didn't break down. Both good things.

SIFC 32nd Annual Christmas Party!!!

Still time to sign up – call Warren (328-248-9736) or Bill Goodman (901-487-1056) by **December 6th** or use signup sheet attached to newsletter e-mail.



WHEN: Tuesday, December 12, 2017

WHERE: Sanibel Community House

TIME: 6:00 pm Appetizers & cash bar
7:00 pm Dinner

Catered by Leslie Adams!

Membership Dues for the 2017-18 Season are now due. Also, all must have a signed waiver on file.

A form is attached to the newsletter email and on the Club website. You must have your dues paid to participate in outings.



Teams Teigen and Vertesch head home after the Inshore Slam and weigh in at the Waterfront.



Where were these big trout at our November outing?

Next Club Outing

The Sunday, December 17th outing in December will target sea trout plus a mystery fish. Details & sign up at the Christmas Party.

2017-2018 Meeting Schedule

Dec (Party)	12
January	9
February	6
March	13
April	10
May	15

2017-2018 Outing Schedule

Dec	17
January	14
February	10*
March	18
April	15
May	20

*Sheepshead outing will be on Saturday, Feb 10th, followed by weigh in and fish cleaning. A fish fry will take place the next day, Sunday, Feb 11th. Extra filets will go to F.I.S.H.

2017-18 Captain of the Year Standings after Nov, 2017 Outing

Mary Laser	20
David Lewis	19
Tom Butcher	18
Warren Teigen	17
Duane Thurow	16
Kevin Vertesch	15
Mike Ziegler	14

For complete listing of Angler of Year standings, check our website.



Merry Christmas from Rol, Marc and Charlie!