



# The Sanibel Island Fishing Club PO Box 989 ♦ Sanibel, FL 33957

## October 2017 Newsletter

### Words from Warren

Welcome to the start of the Sanibel Island Fishing Club's year. Hope everything is fine with your abode. It sounds like things are getting back to more normal after Irma.

The opening meeting is going to be a social. Come and meet your old fishing buddies.

There will be NO outing this month. We are short of boats and captains. Next month we start.

Sign up to volunteer to help on the Christmas party. We need lots of volunteers. Please consider helping.

I am writing this from Flin Flon, Manitoba, Canada where I am on a dream fishing trip. Have already caught a 41 3/4" Northern Pile. That size record lasted a day. Having a great time, which it is all about.

Hope you got to enjoy a summer fishing trip as well. Tight lines. Hope you catch a picture fish this year.

Warren Teigen  
President  
POTSIFC

### NEXT MEETING

**WHEN:** Tuesday - October 10, 2017  
**WHERE:** Sanibel Community House  
**TIME:** 6:30pm Pizza  
7:00pm Meeting

### *October Meeting Agenda:*

At our October 10<sup>th</sup> meeting, members will have a chance to catch up on the summer's events, fishing stories and current fishing situation with each other. There will be no formal presentation, just some good SIFC comradery!

### *SIFC Wins "Best Original Design" in the Sanibel Fourth of July Parade!!*

Charlie Sobczak and Marc Yelenich teamed up to represent Sanibel Island Fishing Club in the Sanibel 4<sup>th</sup> of July parade!! Their efforts lead to the club winning the "Best Original Design" competition in the parade. Congratulations!! Below is Marc's patriotically decorated fishing boat on parade day. Also representing the club on parade day were members Curt Will, Ron Fields, Don and Judy Cook. The float included sharks and killer whales being caught by anglers. Goldfish and Pirate Booty were rained on the children along the parade route. Thanks to all who represented our club so well!!



### SIFC Monthly Meeting Schedule 2017-18:

- October 10 Community House
- November 14 Community House
- December 12 Christmas Party
- January 9 Community House
- February 6 Community House
- March 13 Community House
- April 10 Community House
- May 15 Community House

### 2017-18 Outing Dates

- October = no outing
- November 19
- December 17
- January 14
- February 10 (fish fry on Sun, February 11)
- March 18
- April 15
- May 20

### 2016-2017 Angler of the Year Final Standings

See our website for the final results:

<http://www.sanibelislandfishingclub.com>



Our club's Outing Director, Mary Laser, teamed up with Matt Mitchell and Brad Agerton to win the Low Key Tiki Redfish Challenge. Their "Reel Tight" team took home \$1800 for the victory. Mary also caught this 32" snook to take the large snook Calcutta.

