



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

December 2011 Newsletter

Notes from the President

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It's time for our Christmas Party and annual fund raiser. The prizes are going to be top shelf, food will be good, and fun will be the order of the night. If you haven't made your reservation, get it in to Mary right away (395-0398)!

I would like to extend thanks to all of you who helped with Kid's Fishing on the causeway. I had several parents go out of their way to thank us for our participation. Thanks are also in order for those of you helping with our party, canvassing merchants, and helping with the dozens of details. I also appreciate those of you who have or will write letters in support of Mick Denham's challenge to us on improved local water quality.

On the fishing front, we can now take 4 Red Grouper and 2 Red fish daily. With gags, trout, and snook closed, this is a nice relief. Some nice gags were caught at the end of the season, including a beautiful "27 incher" by Ron Nixon literally just out his back door. Nice going Ron!

See you at the party!

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NEXT MEETING

Christmas Party December 13, 2011



Where: Doc Ford's Sanibel Rum Bar and Grill

When: December 13, 2011

6:00pm Appetizers &
Cash bar.

7:00pm Dinner

Price: \$25 per person.



Harry Hennessy instructs one of our young guests at the SIFC and Ding Darling sponsored Kid's Fishing Day on the Sanibel Causeway.

Membership Dues

Dues for the 2011-2012 Season are now due. A form is attached to the newsletter email and on the Club website. You must have your dues paid by January 30th to participate in outings.

Next Club Outing

Our first outing of the season will be a Grouper Grab on Dec 10/11 for inshore and offshore respectively. (See full 2011-2012 outing schedule on the club website).

Contact Kevin Vertesch to see if slots are available if you did not sign-up at the last meeting.

Score cards will be on the club website prior to the outing.

2011-2012 Meeting Schedule

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| Dec (Party) | 13 |
| January | 10 |
| February | 15 |
| March | 13 |
| April | 10 |
| May | 8 |

[Click for Christmas Party Flyer](#)

2011 SIFC CHRISTMAS PARTY MENU

DOC FORD'S

APPETIZERS

Veggie platter
Peel and eat Shrimp
Spring Rolls

SALAD

Mixed greens with assorted dressings

ENTREES

Sherried Beef
Chicken Piccata
Lime Panko Crusted Fish

SIDES

Green Beans
Rice Pilaf
Au Gratin Potatoes

DESSERTS

Key Lime Pie
Cheesecake
Cookies