

Chum Line



Good Sportsmanship is Worth More Than all the Fish in the Ocean NOVEMBER 2019

LARRC DINNER MEETING SPEAKER

WAYNE KOTOW

The November LARRC dinner speaker is Wayne Kotow – Executive Director, of Coastal Conservation Association California. Come hear what Wayne has to say about what CCA is doing to protect your right to fish and increase your chances of a successful outing.

Wayne Kotow, a resident of San Diego, has a life-long passion for angling and conservation, and has worked with all facets of the fishing industry, from manufacturers to retail as well as the sportfishing fleet. He has also been on the board of directors of the Make-A-Wish Tuna Challenge for 11 years and has volunteered tirelessly to promote angling and conservation at other charity events, including the Poway Kids Fishing Derby, Crystal Pier Kids Fishing Derby, and Wounded Warriors events.



November 18, 2019
Lulu's • 16900 Roscoe Blvd.
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WE NEED YOU TO RSVP BY
FRIDAY, November 15, 2019.

IF YOU'RE BRINGING A GUEST, PLEASE ADD HIS/HER NAME TO YOUR RSVP.
RSVP to Mike Godfrey @ magodfrey2@yahoo.com or LARRCDINNERRSVP@yahoo.com

HAPPY FISHING - See you at the meeting

ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS

Submitted by Eric Rogger

◆ **TIME MAGAZINE.** . . devoted an entire issue (9/23/19) to environmental matters. Sorry if you missed it, but it does deal with items like Iceland losing glaciers, the Amazon deforestation and India's sweltering heat. It also lists positive things like increasing awareness and encouraging steps taken. The LARRC readership can be told here about a couple of members who have been affected by the recent California fires. Are the forced evacuations and consequent problems not a message for more of us to be engaged? Your decisions, back to fishing!

◆ **SIERRA CLUB (SEPT/OCT 2019).** . . reports that so far this year 182 dead gray whales have washed up on the Pacific Coast. They speculate that most likely these whales have starved because of changing fish populations in warming waters.

◆ **THE IMPORTANCE OF OUTDOOR RECREATION.** . . is reaffirmed for a second year by the Bureau of Economic Analysis which is an agency of the U.S. Dept of Commerce. Outdoor recreation supports 5.2 million jobs and has an output of \$778 Billion. Boating, fishing, Rving, hunting and equestrian sports are all part of this total. Source: Salt Water Sportsman Dec. 2019.

◆ **SALT WATER SPORTSMAN (Dec. 2019).** . . reports on the successful passage by the PFMC (Pacific Fisheries Management Council) of the use deep set buoy nets in the swordfish fishery. Off California the past use of drift nets has resulted for long in the indiscriminate bycatch of other sea life including turtles. Strong support by Bill Shedd, Chairman of CCA-Cal, helped pass this ruling which will considerably help recreational fisheries.

◆ **STARKIST TUNA.** . . was hit with a \$100 million fine for price fixing. The article in National Fisherman noted that the Justice Department enforces strongly anti-trust laws that fix prices for Consumer products.

◆ **WESTERN OUTDOOR NEWS.** . . had a story detailing prospects for a 365 day fishing license bill sponsored by the California Sportfishing League. (CSL) Supported by over 60 organizations representing anglers, boaters etc. assembly bill 1387 would possibly become a two year bill. It currently rests in the Senate. A great loss of recreational buyers might be reversed and see greater use of fishing and hunting permits. The state will benefit from the millions created by outdoor activities which rely on license sales for about 20% of its DFW budget. An online petition for anglers is available in support of AB 1387. Go online www.savefishing.com.

◆ **THE WORLD'S LARGEST SALMON RUN.** . . we've written about the Pebble Mine/Bristol Bay issue a number of times- is now again threatened. Alaska's Governor – Mike Dunleavy – met with Pres. Trump aboard Air Force One during a stopover after a G20 summit in Japan. The EPA staff had been hoping to stop this project from going forward when it received the news from EPA General Council, Matthew Leopold, that restrictions on the mine had been lifted. Various minerals are to be extracted from the area which involves building pipelines, hundreds of miles long and crossing more than 200 streams which had been blocked in 2014 by the EPA. A Canadian Company, Dynasty Minerals started the project. (Oct. 2019 Saltwater Sportsman report). The LA Times reported – (10/9/19) Alaskan organizations have now filed sued against the EPA for reversing the original decision.

As usual comments and written contributions will be welcomed. Thanks... Eric Rogger wstridge@aol.com

PAC DAWN TRIP DATES for 2019

• **Nov. 30, 2019** Pac Dawn Overnight Fishing Rock Cod/Ling Cod/Sheepshead/ potential for Yellowtail/Halibut and Sea Bass. Out of Ventura to Pacific Fishing Landing \$295. Charter Master Mark Manculich
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**PAC Dawn will remain in San Diego.
We have cancelled the trip.**

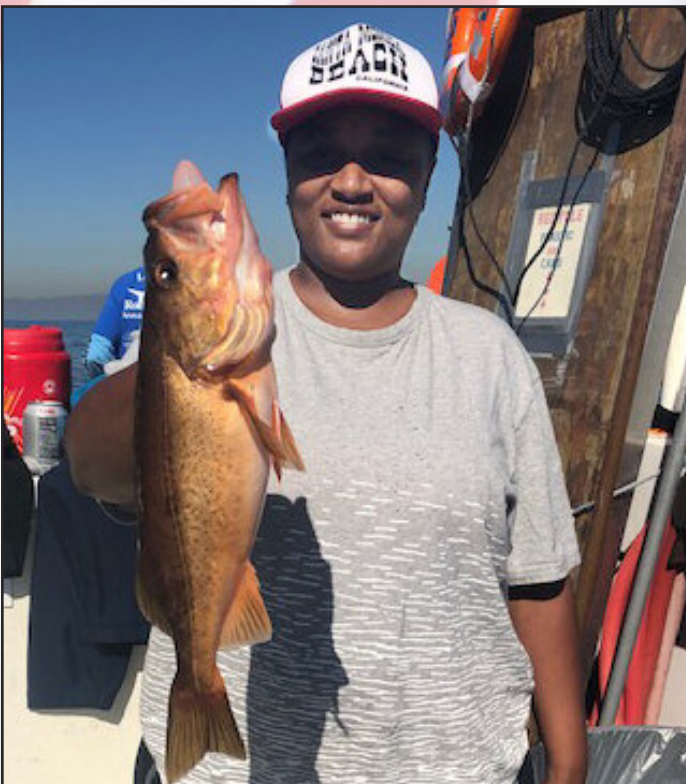
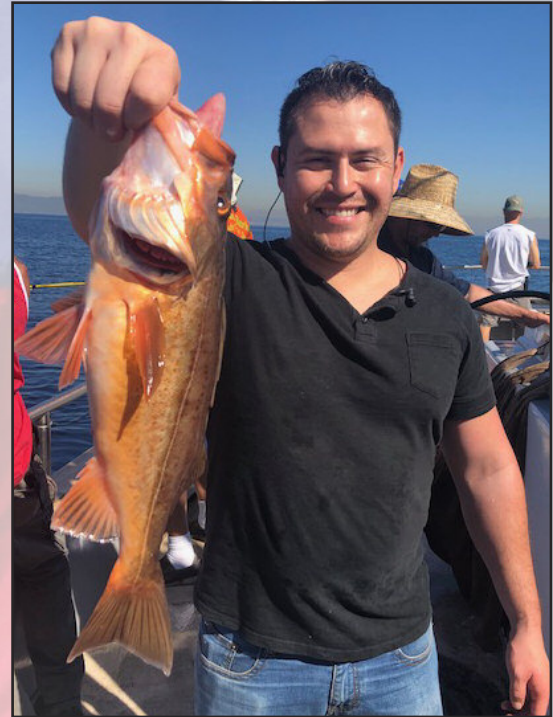
OCTOBER VETERANS' TRIP

By Steve Simon

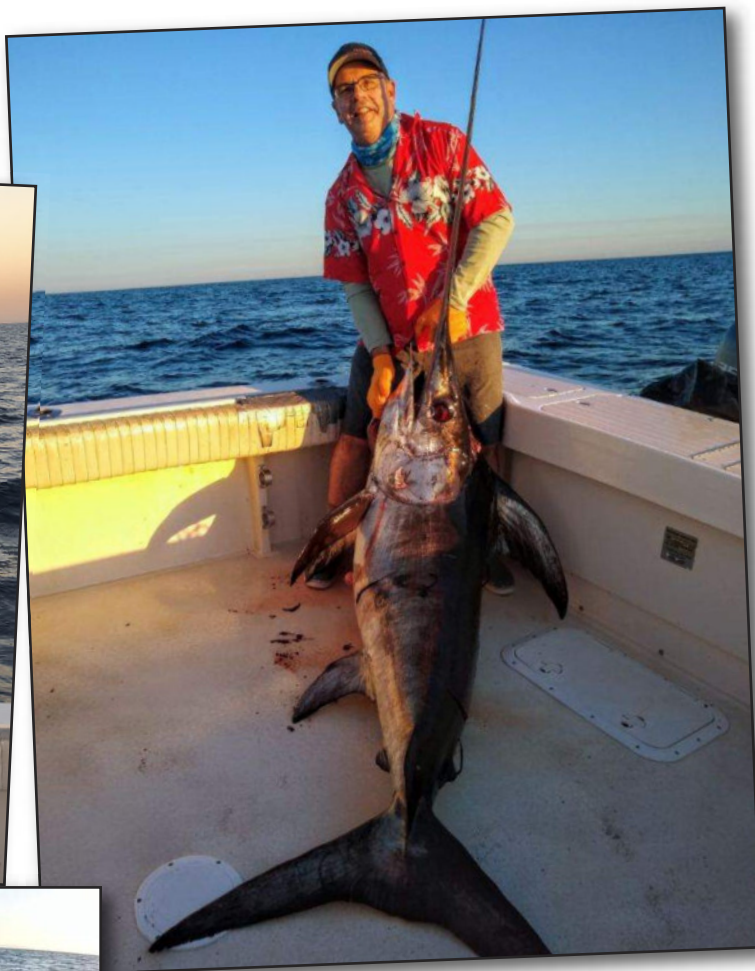
On Oct. 23 2019 we had our 3rd Vet's Trip of 4 for 2019. We had 14 Vet's plus 2 supervisors and 7 LARRC volunteers: myself plus Joe Mahfet, Mike Godfrey, Dave 6 Morgan, Paul Varenchik, Ron Glider and Charles Davis. Thanks to Captain Mike Reinsch, his wife Patty and crew of the Betty-O. Our last trip of the year will be on Nov. 13th.



This Veteran served two tours in Afghanistan, he said this was the first time in his life he actually caught a fish. Not only did he land the 1st fish on the boat, but also later he landed the biggest!



Members. . .



On Friday October 25 Jim Carlisle and Fumio Ogashi had the good fortune to tag-team this swordfish near Catalina while fishing with Captain Brandon Hayward of Bight Sportfishing. Who would have thought that we've begun to successfully target local swordfish. This was swordy number 5 for Brandon in the past month.

Chum Line Advertising

Do you have a business that fellow members would be interested in? If so, place an ad in the monthly Chum Line!!

Advertising Pricing

1/8 page: \$20 per month or \$240/year

1/4 page: \$40 per month or \$480/year

1/2 page: \$80 per month or \$960/year

Full page: \$160 per month or \$1920/year

Buy 12 months and get one month free!

Checks should be made payable to LARRC. The ad will be published once payment and graphics are received.

Contact Sophia (fishnsoph@gmail.com) or Donald (donald@dgoldsobel.com) for more information.

Thank you!!

Members. . .



Larry Brown and non resident members Larry Diamant and David Lodge had a successful 7 day trip aboard the Royal Star! It was a Larry Brown Charter with lots of great giveaways and raffles! An added bonus was the \$1,200 raised for Veterans Fishing trips. Thank you to all the passengers who contributed to helping us put on these great trips. Also, the LARRC Foundation received a bundle of used rods and a sealed box of used reels!! The trip that keeps on giving!! Thank you Larry Brown!



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CALENDAR

Board Meeting

November 11, 2019

Social Hour: 6:00pm Meeting: 7:00pm

Millie's Restaurant

16840 Vanowen Street • Van Nuys, CA 91406



Dinner Meeting

November 18, 2019

Social Hour: 6:00pm Meeting: 7:00pm

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16900 Roscoe Blvd. • Van Nuys, CA 91406



SAVE THE DATE FOR 2020 FEBRUARY 23, 2020

Annual Banquet

APRIL 17, 2020

Lou Berke Catfish Derby

Health and Happiness

Linda Simon is our contact for "Health and Happiness" - please contact Linda either by phone (818-980-7470) or email (simonmurphy08@sbcglobal.net) for any information about our club members/family - i.e., happy or sad news; health issues; graduation or congratulations, etc.

Los Angeles Rod and Reel Club Foundation & AmazonSmile

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CHARTERS 2020

DATE	DESTINATION	AVAILABILITY	CONTACT
Feb 7- Feb 23	Red Rooster III 16/13 (Option to fly home from Cabo San Lucas) Targeting cow tuna at possible destinations such as Hurricane Bank, Buffer Zone, or PV	OPEN Cost: \$5,575 Limit - 23 passengers	Contact Maria 619-224-3857 office@redrooster3.com www.redrooster3.com
May 21- May 22	Pacific Dawn Overnight trip targeting Rock Cod, Ling Cod, Sheephead with potential for Yellowtail, Halibut and White Sea Bass	OPEN Cost: \$TBD Limit - 17 passengers	Contact Keith
Jun 20- Jun 27	Royal Star 10am departure, generally returns at 8am on final date	OPEN Cost: \$2,125 Limit - 23 passengers	Contact Tracy 619-224-4764 rs@royalstarsportfishing.com www.royalstarsportfishing.com
Jul 26- Aug 3	Intrepid Perfect variety trip with The Ridge and Alijos Rocks as possible destinations. Wahoo, Tuna, Dorado, Yellowtail, and Grouper	OPEN Cost: \$4,490 Limit - 26 passengers	Contact Steve 619-224-4088 www.fishintrepid.com
Sep 1- Sep 6	Red Rooster III 5 Day Targeting Yellowfin Tuna, Bluefin Tuna, Yellowtail, etc. Guadalupe Island potential destination	OPEN Cost: \$2,525 Limit - 25 passengers	Contact Maria 619-224-3857 office@redrooster3.com www.redrooster3.com

NOTE:

LARRC members signing up for club charters are obligated to pay full fare in the event they cannot make the trip. The club will attempt to fill your space and you may try to do the same in a timely manner. There may be surcharges this year based on fuel price increases. Bunks are assigned by the charter master in order received. So book early! If you have any special needs please make the charter master aware of them at the time of booking.

Contact Andrew Ratzky - Aratzky@att.net

LARRC Club Charters in **BLUE** Larry Brown Shared Charters in **GREEN**

Los Angeles Rod & Reel Club Foundation

Tribute Opportunity

Tribute Cards are available when you want to send your thoughts or feelings for –

- Congratulations
- Graduation
- Anniversary
- Illness
- Appreciation
- Best Wishes
- New Home
- Baby Announcement
- Bar/Bat Mitzvahs
- In Memorandum

Your LARRC Foundation is a charitable organization. Donations maybe deducted. Tributes will be posted in the Chum Line. Tribute cards will be sent to recipient.

Information Request and Donations may be addressed to:

Mrs. Tammy Steinman
5826 Ostrom Avenue, Encino, CA 91316
818-987-2645 • 818-345-6104 Fax
tammy2508@socal.rr.com

TROPHY CONTENDERS 2019 as of October 31, 2019

SPECIES	LINE TEST	ANGLER	LBS.	OZ.	SPECIES	LINE TEST	ANGLER	LBS.	OZ.
MEN'S OCEAN WATER					WOMEN'S FLY ROD				
Bass, Calico	30	Joel Steinman	4	4	Perch, Sacramento	7	Sophia Huynh	Released	
Mackerel, Spanish	25	Joel Steinman	2	6*	Trout, Cutthroat	7	Sophia Huynh	3 Released	
Marlin, Blue	120	Nick Ekdahl	140	TAPED	Trout, Kamloop	7	Sophia Huynh	Released	
Yellowtail	35	Michael Kickter	28	0*	Trout, Rainbow	7	Sophia Huynh	4 Released	
MEN'S FLY ROD					WOMEN'S FRESH WATER				
Perch, Sacramento	7	Kevin Boyle	Released		Steelhead	12	Cathy Needleman	14	0
Trout, Rainbow	7	Kevin Boyle	Released		WOMEN'S RELEASED JUNIOR MEMBERS				
MEN'S FRESH WATER					Barracuda	30	Kevin Steinman	Released 1	
Bass, Lg Mouth	4	Andy MacDonald	6	4	Bass, Calico	30	Kevin Steinman	Released 5	
Bass, Lg Mouth	6	Steve Simon	6	12	Bass, Calico	30	Kevin Steinman	2	8*
Bass, Lg Mouth	8	Steve Simon	7	13	Bass, Lg Mouth	8	Camryn Warren	2	1
Trout, Brown	3	Mark Manculich	2	9	Bass, Lg Mouth	8	Camryn Warren	1	2
MEN'S OCEAN RELEASED					Bass, Lg Mouth	8	Brooke Warren	1	8
WOMEN'S OCEAN WATER					Bass, Lg Mouth	8	Brooke Warren	1	0
Swordfish	100	Cathy Needleman	287	2*	Bluegill	8	Brooke Warren	0	.55
Tuna, Bluefin	15	Sophia Huynh	43	0*	Bluegill	8	Alexis Warren	0	.5
Tuna, Bluefin	50	Cathy Needleman	93	0	Bluegill	8	Alexis Warren	0	.48
Tuna, Bluefin	80	Cathy Needleman	134	55	FIRST GAME FISH OF THE YEAR				
Tuna, Bluefin	130	Cathy Needleman	218	0	White Sea Bass	40	Cathy Needleman	29	8
Tuna, Bluefin	130	Cathy Needleman	231.62	Taped-	March 19, 2019				
Tuna, Bluefin	130	Cathy Needleman	283	0	FIRST ALBACORE OF THE YEAR				
Tuna, Bluefin	130	Cathy Needleman	307	5*					
White Sea Bass	40	Cathy Needleman	29	8					

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Step #1: Enroll in the Ralphs Reward Program if you are not currently enrolled.

Step #2: Print out this page and take it with you the next time you shop at Ralphs.

Step #3: At check-out, have the LARRC barcode swiped by the cashier together with your Ralphs Rewards Card/phone number.

Notice: The Ralphs LARRC Barcode needs to be swiped only once to link your Rewards Card to LARRC. Future shopping trips will help raise money for LARRC when you use your Ralphs Reward Card at check-out.



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