

Chum Line

Good Sportsmanship is Worth all the Fish in the Ocean



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Our Annual Kids' Trip

is scheduled for July 11th out of Pierpont Landing.

Set the day aside NOW and help to make a bunch of kids happy! Deckhands will certainly have a feeling of having done "GOOD". Setting up will include food at the dock.

**We Need Deckhands and Captains...We Need You
to Sign Up for One of the Following Shifts...**

JULY 11TH

- 1) All Day: 6:00am — 5:00pm
OR
- 2) Morning Shift: 6:00am — 12:00 noon
OR
- 3) Afternoon Shift: 12:00 noon — 5:00pm

This is the 55th Annual Kids' Trip and is our major day for helping youngsters who do not normally have a chance to go fishing. LARRC members should all be there!

PLEASE CALL EITHER:

Paul Varenchik at (818) 341-5289 or (818) 521-7261.

or COMMUNICATE WITH

**Steve Simon at (818) 980-7470 or
email:simonmurphy08@ sbcglobal.net**

LARRC VP John Ballotti announced a new date for

KING OF THE CALICOS

This tournament will take place on **Sunday, September 18th.**

The boat is the *Thunderbird* berthed at

LA Harbor Sportsfishing, San Pedro (Ports of Call Village)

For details and rules please communicate with John Ballotti at email:

John.Ballotti@mattel.com



The First Fishing Board Guru —Our Guest for June 27th

Don & Ginger Parent started Allcoast in 1994 after Don had gone on his first long-range trip aboard the *Excel*. Being one of the very first sport fishing websites in the world, Allcoast attracted fishermen from many countries. With the assistance of Mel Auiler, who came aboard in 1996, Allcoast formed the first sportfishing message boards which over the years have built a huge world wide community of anglers.

Allcoast is now moving into news gathering with features like ReelTime Reports and Temp Break Charts and is at the center of new technology. The website has been a voice for organizations such as RFA, UASC, ASA, SAC and many others, helping to spread the catch and release message. Don wanted to thank **Mike Grossman** of LARRC for his input. This dinner meeting promises to be an eye opener for many of our computer "deprived" members.

Call in your reservations on the hot line (818) 808-4909 or email:
larrcdinnerrsvp@yahoo.com

MULTIPLE DAY CHARTERS- 2005

Private Charters by the LARRC represent a commitment and the full charter prices must be paid irrespective of number of participants. If you sign up you are responsible for the full amount of the trip cost in the event that you cancel and a replacement cannot be found. LARRC members are responsible for the conduct and financial obligations of their guests.

TRIPS UNDERWRITTEN BY THE LARRC MAY BE FOUND WITHIN THE BOXED AREA.

Alaska – Kingfisher Lodge, Sitka. June 11th to June 15th

Charter Master Arnie Cohen advises that this trip is now sold out. Cancellations do occur. For information call Arnie at (818) 366-3300 (w) or (818) 365-5834.(h)

RED ROOSTER III—4-Day Tuna Trip July 9th to July 14th

This trip is sold out.

RED ROOSTER III—3-Day Tuna Trip July 9th to July 14th

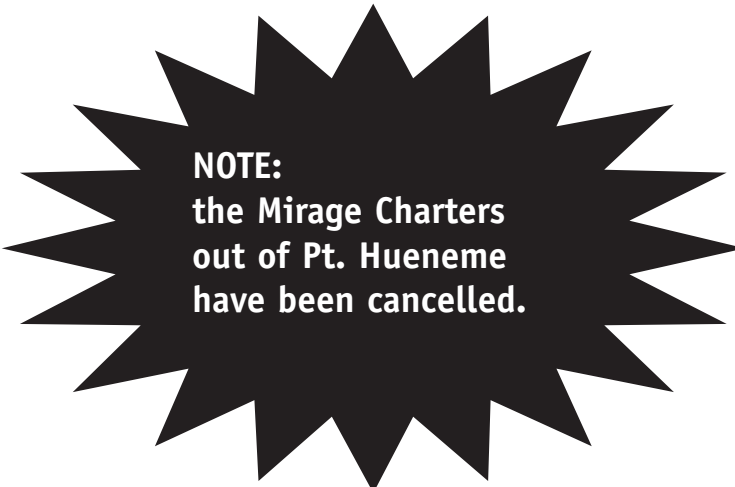
There are currently two openings on this trip. For information call Arnie Cohen at (818) 368-5834 (h) or (818)366-3300 (w) or the Red Rooster at email: www.redrooster3.com

PACIFIC DAWN Weekend Charters

San Diego—Fisherman's Landing 1 1/2-day trip August 28

Note the August Charter is now sold out!

Cancellations do occur... Call Jim Carlisle for info (562)598-0940 or email: jamesnc@earthlink.net. or co-charter person Jan Howard at (949) 837-1431 or email: saltwaterwoman@cox.net



**NOTE:
the Mirage Charters
out of Pt. Hueneme
have been cancelled.**

QUALIFIER 105 – 7-Day Skiff Trip June 4th — June 11th

THIS TRIP IS CURRENTLY SOLD OUT...
CONTACT CHARTER MASTER DAN FELGER FOR INFO.

QUALIFIER 105 – 5-Day Tuna Charter July 13th — June 18th

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CONTACT CHARTER MASTER DAN FELGER FOR INFO.

QUALIFIER 105 – 5-Day Tuna Charter

1-Departure: Noon, Wednesday Sept. 7

2-Return: 7am Monday, Sept.12

3-Cost: \$1695 per person

4-Limited load: 23 Chartermaster may overbook by one.

5-Not included: soft drinks, beer, tackle, fish cleaning if permitted, crew tips, jackpot, Mexican permits and fuel surcharge.

8-Deposit: Payment must be received prior to July 1st. This is a LARRC charter and when you sign up you are obligated to the club in case a replacement cannot be found. Club members are responsible for the conduct and fees of their guests.

9-Checks: payable to LARRC. **Send to Dan Felger at 860 Hampshire Rd. Suite W, Thousand Oaks, CA 91361. Call (805) 370-1632.**

FISH-OF-A-LIFETIME OPPORTUNITY!!!

The September Q105 trips have always been one of our most productive charters, peopled mostly by the same club members each year. We've been promised a light El Nino year which may mean tuna on the way down but it's also the best time to hit Benitos & Cedros for yellowtail. Your main reason for going should be the option the boat has to travel to Guadalupe. The last two years the boat has gone there and experienced fantastic fishing. Last year a guest, Steve Crump, caught a YT that weighed in @ 84.9 lbs. Arnie Cohen caught one last year that was his fish a lifetime – another YT @84.9. Finally, Tommy Lambert, a crew member on the 105 caught a YT at Guadalupe which scaled out at 91.6 lbs. Your chance at a lifetime fish. Contact Dan Felger, Charter Master for info. Only a few spots left.

Person of Good Will!

Board Member Steve Simon was born in Manchester, England. He came to the US at age 5 and began his love of fishing at an early age when his father would take the family to the Malibu Pier, which happened virtually every month during the summer.

With an understanding wife, Linda, he's been on the water as much as possible. Since joining the LARRC in 1993, the idea of compassion and unselfishness has taken on a whole new meaning. He's been involved in the Kids Trips and originated the Hansen Dam experiences for a different category of



Steve Simon

kids. Also involved in fund raising for our good causes as well as the LARRC annual picnics, this guy is the perfect example for "Mr. Pitch - In".

Mr. Pitch-In lives in Valley Village with Linda - his wife of 35 years. One son, Eddie (25) lives in Hollywood. Fishing is just not a hobby. At any given time, you can see a fishing boat dry docked next to his house. We must assume that this keeps the denial at a minimum when Steve is not able to go fishing for any extended amount of time. Maybe his camera man job is encroaching!

Steve honors his position on the board of directors and the many friends and memories which have come about as a result of his association with LARRC. ■

WANTED: YOUR OLD TACKLE!!!

The Los Angeles Rod & Reel Club Foundation will be conducting its annual parking lot swap meet in the very near future...

What do we sell at this event? Fishing tackle of course! This occasion is a great way to get rid of that old gear that hasn't been in the water since maybe the Nixon administration.

Do you have a rod, reel, tackle box or some other item that fits this description? Want to make a donation for a great cause? (like the Kid's Trip, Mentors' Trips or Trout Derby?)

Just call Steve Simon at 818 980-7470 or Frank Polak at 818 881-8634 for more information. Or just bring your items to the next Club Meeting.

2005 – Annual LARRC Family Picnic

August 21st is the date for this Lake Sherwood event. The cost will be \$25 per family. Time is 1 pm through 7 pm. There will be boating, fishing, a BBQ, Volley ball and exciting talks by LARRC luminaries. Your reservations must be received no later than 8-15-05 listing all in your party. You cannot be admitted to the lake without this prior reservation. Contact: Steve Simon 818 980 7470 or email: simonmurphy08@sbcglobal.net ■

Interclub Tournament Scheduled

The annual interclub tournament has been set for July 30th out of LA Harbor Sportsfishing aboard the Thunderbird. Cost is \$150 which includes a \$15 galley credit and prizes. Departure is set for 9 p.m. July 29th. Call Paul Varenchik for info: 818 341-5289 ■

LARRC Pioneer Members & Past

Presidents Night

2005 Club President Bob Selvin has announced that he is planning a "Presidents Dinner" at the time of the October 24 meeting. Still living pioneer members and past presidents from the 70's are offered a dinner for two, and transportation if necessary.

Interested in participating? Call Bob Selvin at 310 474-4143 or email: calicobob1010@aol.com ■

Advice From DR. Phil...

This was passed on to Chum Line by someone who obviously feels that too many at the LARRC are too stressed out for one reason or another.

Dr. Phil proclaimed "The way to achieve inner peace is to finish all the things you have started".

So look around the house to see what things have been started but not finished. Before leaving the house finish off that bottle of Merlot, the white Zinfandel, a bottle of Bailey's, a long ago opened bottle of Kahlua, a package of Oreos, the remainder of both Prozac and Valium prescriptions, the left over cheesecake, some saltines and remains of a box of chocolates.

You have no idea how freaking good this will make you feel! Pass this on to someone you know who is in need of inner peace. ■

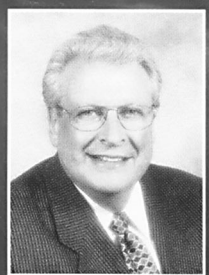
Trophy Winners as of May 25, 2005

SPECIES	LINE TEST	ANGLER	LB.	OZ.	
OCEAN WATER					
Amberjack	30	Earl Warren	32	10	
Mackerel, King	20	Barry Cohn	6	0	*
Tarpon	25	Barry Cohn	45	0	*
Tuna, Yellowfin	60	Dennis Saylor	110	0	
Tuna, Yellowfin	80	Eric Rogger	223	7	
Tuna, Yellowfin	100	Al Scow	204	0	
White Sea Bass	16	Barry Cohn	22	0	
FLY ROD					
FRESH WATER					
Bass, Striped	8	Joel Steinman	2	8	
Steelhead	16	Don Lee	12	8	
Trout, Rainbow	6	Paul Varenchik	9	4	*
MEN'S RELEASED					
WOMEN'S					
Amberjack	30	Pamela Warren	28	8	*
SARDINES					


* New Club Record

FIRST GAMEFISH OF THE YEAR
Barry Cohn – White Sea Bass
2-9-2005 22.0 oz

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Waterless Fish Technology Wins Business Award

A Filipino marine biology graduate student at Silliman University, in the Phillipines, won a \$25,000 cash prize at a University of San Francisco business plan competition.

Bonifacio Comandante Jr. submitted one of 150 business plans. His work involved a waterless transport technology which allows producers to ship live fish excluding 75% of their shipping costs (water).

The inventor accidentally stumbled upon his "anti-stress salt solution"—which puts fish into a state of hibernation—while he was experimenting on the sex reversal of groupers in Palawan in 1987.

Transporting fish without water is a two step process that involves conditioning the fish—starving it for 24 hours, cleaning its stomach and setting a desired temperature—and dipping it in an organic blend. Putting a fish into a dormant state slows its metabolism and decreases its breathing rate. He

has tested 12 species of fish including groupers and tilapia.

The process should be most useful in the transport of live food fishes, whose global trade volume now reaches more than 55,000 tons yearly. Using waterless transport, the industry could save \$248 millions annually Mr. Comandante said.

(Source: RFA Jim Martin) ■

Keeping LARRC members up to date...

Sturgeon Caviar Poachers Caught in Bay Area

Nine people were arrested in Northern California after a two month surveillance.

White Sturgeon can produce up to 10 to 20% of their body weight in roe (caviar) but California does not allow a commercial catch or sale of the fish. The caviar may bring up to \$140 per pound or \$15.99 per ounce in the deli.

(Source LA Times 5/4) ■

Keeping LARRC members up to date...

MLPA Progresses

Recreational Fishermen will please note that the Marine Life Protection Act initiative is making progress. A decision has been made to designate a 200 mile piece of our coast (Point Conception to Pigeon Point) as the first of three areas to face restrictions.

The Central Coast area has seen the appointment of an administrator and the appointment of 29 members and 10 alternates to a regional stakeholder group. Under direction of the BRTF (Blue Ribbon Task Force) these interested parties will help develop regional goals and develop recommendations. They may also serve as a source of suggestions for alternate MLPA areas.

The stakeholder group will serve for the next year, meeting at various strategic locales. Early next year the MLPA blue ribbon task force will make recommendations to the DFG which in turn will ask the Fish & Game Commission to act. It is interesting to say the least that the California Resources Agency and the Department of Fish & Game are partnering with the Resources Legacy Fund Foundation. The RLFF is a privately sponsored entity.

(Source: WON 5/20) ■

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LINDA CAYWOOD
WAYNE CAYWOOD

3166 E. THOUSAND OAKS BLVD.
THOUSAND OAKS, CA 91362



Third Annual
LARRC FAMILY PICNIC

::: Sunday, Aug. 21, 2005

on the beautiful shores of
Lake Sherwood :::

::: 1 p.m. to 7 p.m.

**boating, fishing, delicious BBQ, volley ball,
horse shoes and much more!**

\$25 per Family

Please send in
form and payment
by **August 10.**

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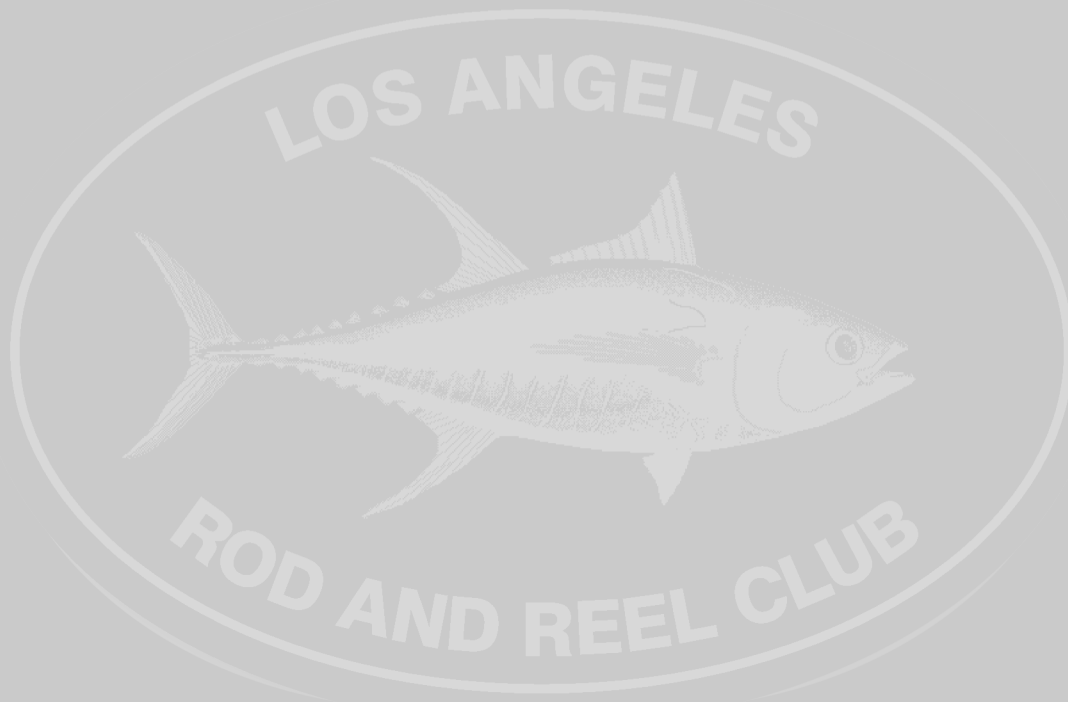
YES! We want to come to the Third Annual LARRC Family Picnic!

Guest Names: 1) _____ 3) _____
2) _____ 4) _____
5) _____ 6) _____

\$25 per family. NO PAYMENTS ACCEPTED AT LAKE.

Directions: 101 Freeway to Westlake Blvd. off ramp; south approximately 2 miles to Potrero Road; right approximately 1.8 miles to Stafford; left to guard gate; first immediate left and then first left again at Lower Lake Road; .6 mile to Maid Marion Park (on the left).

Please note: Lake Sherwood is a private community and the Lake is managed by the Homeowners Association. Fishing is regulated by the California Department of Fish and Game. Anyone attending must be on the guest list no later than Aug. 10, in order that your name can be registered at the guard gate. If you are not registered you will not gain entrance. Absolutely no alcohol or fireworks.



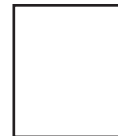
**Have you
remembered to
include your
check?**

**Please send in form and payment
by August 10.**

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