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### Presidents Corner

By Les Kern

A job well done by **Bob, Rex**, and the rest of the board members for coming up with an exciting schedule for 2009. A special thanks to **Dave Kush** for booking the banquet and securing a great price. My job is really easy because of the efforts and commitments from our board and I would like to take them all with me on an all exclusive fishing trip to Panama this year. But first I have to check with are treasure Steve, I will let you know at the board meeting. Congrats to **Art Copenhaver** on winning the Avet combo and thanks to all the members who bought meal tickets, we are committed to buy 25 meals each month and this really helps our treasury, (not enough for Panama yet). See you all at the Feb. meeting where we vote on the annual awards.

**BAUQUET RESERVATIONS** Included with this newsletter is a reservation form for our annual Banquet. Please complete the form and mail it with your check to the club P. O. Box as soon as possible.

**ANNUAL FREE TRIP RAFFLE** Tickets and money for the "Free Trip Raffle" may be sent in with your banquet reservation or they may be turned in at the February club meeting or at the Banquet. Members are encouraged to sell as many of these tickets as possible for this is the biggest fund raiser our club has.

### 2009 TRIP INFORMATION

**ELDORADO**, this year we have reduced the "load" to 22 fishermen. In order to get this price we must list the trip as an "Open Charter" and the ELDORADO can sell spots to anyone that wants to go. If we can get 22 members and friends to sign up and pay before the ELDORADO sells any spots then the trip becomes a "Private Charter" and sign up is closed. Obviously this is the goal of our club so let's fill up these 2 trips quickly and make it our boat!!!

**PACIFIC DAWN**, this year we have moved our 2 fishing dates further apart and one of them is a Saturday. Last year both of our trips on this boat sold out so get your money in fast to hold your spot.

**RELENTLESS**, our usual day & ½ trip on this boat has been moved to September to fill in our schedule.

**TONY REYES**, we did this boat in 2006 and its back due to popular demand. This week long trip is probably the best value out there in terms of fishing time for your money. At last count there were only 5 spots left so if you're interested get your deposit in soon.

**SUCCESS**, this is our first trip using this boat. The **SUCCESS** is the newest boat in the San Diego fleet; its first year of operation was 2003. As you can see from schedule table the boat only takes 12 fishermen and that is the primary reason we booked this boat. We have NOT filled a 20 person, 2 day charter in the last 2 years. We are hoping that we have enough dedicated fisherman to fill a mid-week 2 day in early October. This boat is so popular that they didn't have an open day in July, August or September.

### TRIPS IN PLANNING

We are still looking for a White Sea Bass trip and will let you know when that is firmed up. Loreto and East Cape trips are also being looked into.

## GENERAL NOTES

This year we have not included license fees, California or Mexican, in any of our trip costs. Each fisherman will be responsible for his own license fees. For trips out of San Diego going to fish in Mexico the license fee will be collected on the boat before departure.

You will have noticed that we have not booked a ¾ day trip for 2009; we have NOT sold out a ¾ day trip for several years. This is because we have required a substantial group to hold the price at \$60 or less and even though the trips were not sold out they were still crowded. Our ELDORADO trips while more expensive than a ¾ day hold the promise of a very comfortable fishing experience with only 22 people on an 85 foot boat, please consider these trips for anyone you would have taken on a ¾ day boat.

## ISWAC 2009 FISHING SCHEDULE

TRIP	LEAVE	RETURN	BOAT	LOAD	PRICE	LANDING	TRIP CHAMPION
1	4/18	4/19	ELDORADO	22	\$145	LONG BEACH	
2	5/23	5/24	ELDORADO	22	\$145	LONG BEACH	
3	7/8	7/9	PACIFIC DAWN	20	\$205	FISHERMANS	Rex Routt
4	8/7	8/8	PACIFIC DAWN	20	\$220	FISHERMANS	Rex Routt
5	9/12	9/14	RELENTLESS	20	\$350	H&M LANDING	
6	9/20	9/25	TONY REYES	27	\$995	SAN FILEPE	Jim Padilla
7	10/6	10/8	SUCCESS	12	\$630	POINT LOMA	Rex Routt

### Trip Information

1. Overnight – fish Sunday
2. Overnight – fish Sunday
3. Overnight - fish Thursday
4. Overnight – fish Saturday
5. Day & ½ - fish Sunday. Price includes food
6. Five day trip Price includes food, License and filleting
7. Two day – fish - Wednesday & Thursday. Price includes food  
Nonmembers add \$15.00/trip

### MEMBER UP DATES by Dave Kush

It is with great sadness that I inform the ISWAC membership that one of our members and my very good friend, **Dan Cloutier** passed away Saturday, January 10, 2009 after battling cancer for most of his retirement years. **Dan** was just shy of 61 years and I will miss him.

Also, just to let you know, **Bob Stafford**, a member since 1995, is going in for bypass surgery on January 23, 2009. I know we all wish him the best and hope to see him out on the water later this year.

## EVENT SCHEDULE & ISWAC CONTACTS

### Monthly Club Meetings

Upland Hills Country Club  
1231 16th Street  
Upland, CA  
Time: 6:30-9:30 P.M.

### Board Meetings

Las Cazuelitas  
134 N. Second Avenue, Suite K  
Upland, CA  
909/985-1339  
Time: 6:30-9:00 P.M.

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