



Organizational Office Sport Fishing World Games 2019  
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## SHORE ANGLING WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

**36<sup>th</sup> MEN**

**27<sup>th</sup> LADIES**

**3<sup>rd</sup> MASTERS**

**2<sup>nd</sup> PAIRS**

LANGEBAAN, WESTERN CAPE PROVINCE, SOUTH AFRICA

### PERIOD OF THE EVENT

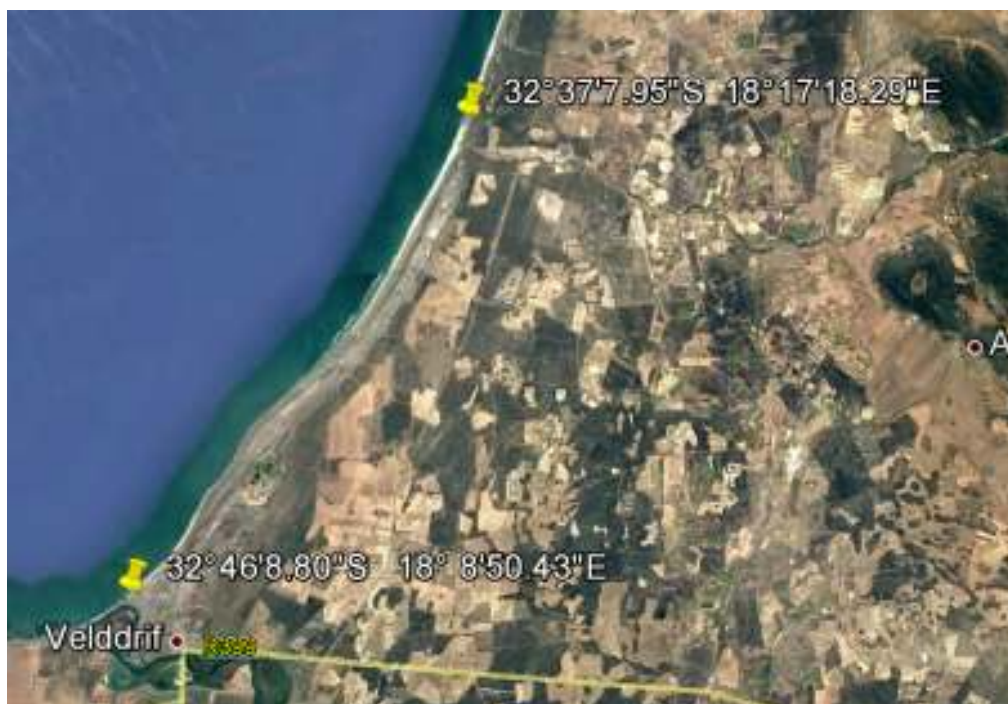
From: Friday, February the 8<sup>th</sup> 2019 (arrival of participating Nations)

To: Friday, February the 15<sup>th</sup> 2019 (departure of participating Nations)

### COMPETITION VENUE

The competition will take place in the venue of Langebaan.

The competition venue will cover the beach area **between Dwarskersbos North to Lapa to Bergriver mouth**. It is easy to be reached by the access roads.





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## **Welcome by the President of the South African Shore Angling Association**

Dear angling friends,

It is with great pleasure that we invite, on behalf of the South African Shore Angling Association, your national Federation to participate in the 2019 Shore Angling World Championships

We are honored to partner with SASACC and that C.I.P.S. and FIPS-M have granted South Africa, and the village of Langebaan the opportunity and trust to host the world's best sport sea anglers. We glad fully accept the challenge to present the most memorable tournament your Federation / Association will have ever experienced as our angling is the best in the world.

South Africa is the Rainbow nation of the world due to our various cultures and we invite you to share our hospitality and natural beauty.

May these championships take place in the true sporting competitive spirit, sporting cooperation and friendship among our sportspersons, federations and people's.

We trust except for angling everyone will benefit and gain lifelong friendships.

Pierre du Preez  
SASAA President



## **Shore Angling**





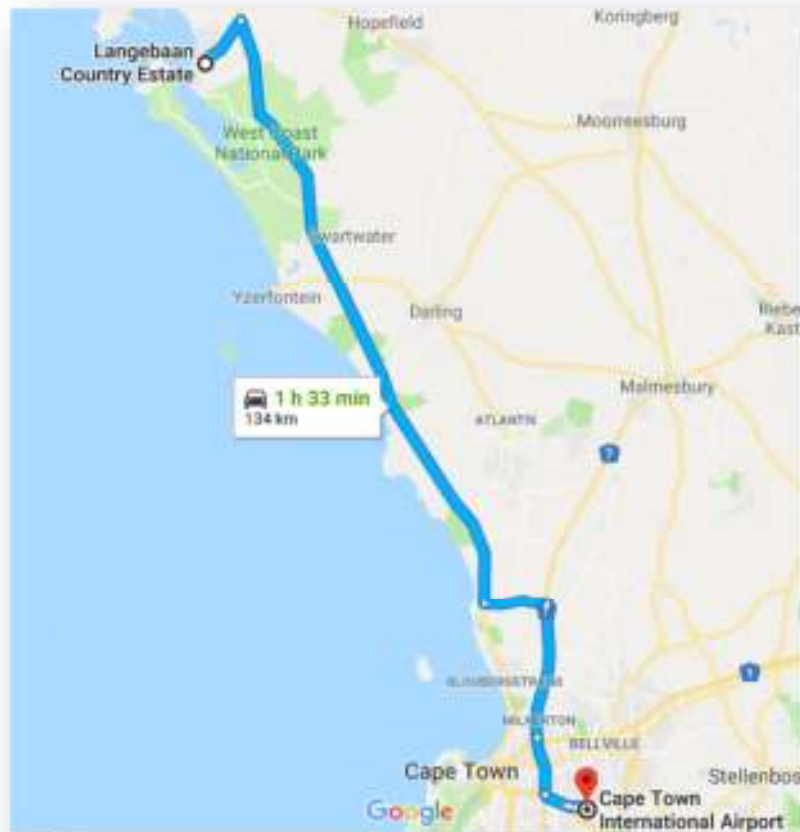
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## **WHERE WE ARE AND HOW TO JOIN US**



How to join us at Langebaan:

### **By flight:**

From your country, the team must fly to Oliver Tambo International Airport, Johannesburg and then connecting to Cape Town International.

### **By car:**

Delegates will be collected by bus at Cape Town International on the pre-arranged timings to be driven to Langebaan.

Delegates who prefer utilizing own arranged vehicle will travel by road on the following directions:

From Cape Town International take the R27 road from Cape Town towards Veldrif. Turn left onto the Oosterwal road into Langebaan.

Co-ordinates are: 33°6'14.96"S: 18°1'56.88"E

Langebaan is approximately 140km from Cape Town International.



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## **ACCREDITATION OF NATIONAL DELEGATIONS**

Once arrived in South Africa, all delegations shall report to the Secretariat of the Organizing Committee which will be situated at the Langebaan Country Estate on 8<sup>th</sup> of February 2019.

## **CONTACTS**

For general information concerning the registration, please visit the official website or contact the Organizing Committee. For specific information concerning the Shore Angling Championship and local logistics, please contact the Local Organizer Secretary – **PIERRE DU PREEZ** via email [2019worldchamps@gmail.com](mailto:2019worldchamps@gmail.com)

## **REGISTRATION FEE FOR DELEGATIONS**

The Nation team will be made up of 5 competitors and a manager.

Competition fee per competitor or individuals € 800

Competition fee for captains and managers € 688

Teams are allowed to attend the competition with 5 competitors, €800 = € 4 000-00

TEAM COST 4 688-00 €

Included in the participation fee:

- a. Hotel / house accommodation in double rooms, full board (breakfast, lunch, dinner) starting with dinner on Friday, 8<sup>th</sup> February, concluding with breakfast on Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> February 2019
- b. Transport to / from the competition sites
- c. Transport to and from the opening ceremony and entrance is included for teams.

### **COMPANIONS MUST PAY**

- d. Cultural / entertainment program
- e. Gala dinner / closing ceremony (banquet)
- f. Baits for competition and official practice
- g. FIPS/M starting fee and CIPS organizing fees

Please Note:

Cost for additional bait for own practice days will be available at:

Pilchard's	€ 4.00/kg
Chokka / Squid / Calamari	€ 15.00/kg
Mullet	€ 7.00/10 each





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For Senior and Ladies Championships one team maximum per Nation, made up of 4 minimum and 5 maximum persons each are permitted to attend the competition.

For Master Championships a maximum of two national teams can participate.

For Pair Angling. For a team min 2 – max 3 pairs (national ranking). But for this kind of championship we allow also a participation of a single pair. So 1,2,3 pairs / nation can participate. The single pairs count only for the individual (pair) ranking.

The registration fees include organizing costs, opening and closing gala ticket, insurances, the hotel accommodation on breakfast basis, meals at the venue and diners according the program, FIPS-Mer fees as well as the according to rules.

The cost of the Opening Ceremony tickets for accompanying people is € 30,00 per person and return flights to Johannesburg are additional.

### **REGISTERING FOR THE EVENT**

The Organizing Committee shall receive the registration form completely filled in on the website [www.fishingworldgames2019.co.za](http://www.fishingworldgames2019.co.za) together with the proof of payment of the registration fee via bank transfer by the deadline of 1 September 2018, to the account held in the name of SASACC World Games 2019.

Name of the Bank: Standard Bank  
Account No. 221284702  
Branch Code: 018505  
SWIFT/BIC: SBZA ZA JJ

All the other information on the event will be provided on the official website of the World Games.

### **OFFICIAL OPENING CEREMONY**

All the Nations are to go to the gathering point of the opening ceremony at the Nelson Mandela Square, Sandton City, Johannesburg. A street parade will start at 10h30 to the Sandton Convention Centre.

The opening ceremony of the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the Sport Fishing World Championships will take place in Johannesburg, on Saturday, February the 9<sup>th</sup> 2019, at 11h00 at the Sandton Convention Centre.

After completion of the Opening Ceremony the Nations' Teams can depart to Cape Town and then Langebaan.



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**February 2019**

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**CAPTAIN'S MEETING**

The captains meeting will take place at the Langebaan Golf Estate in Langebaan. [www.langebaanestate.co.za](http://www.langebaanestate.co.za). on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> February 2019, from 14h00 and the drawing of sectors for all angling days will follow.

Delegations who are planning not to be present at this day are requested to authorize another nation's captain whom will be present or the organization to proceed with the drawing on their behalf.

**OPENING CEREMONY – STREET PARADE**

Official Opening Ceremony – Street Parade is on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2019.

**OFFICIAL TRAINING PROGRAM**

Official training day is on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2019.

**PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY - CLOSING GALA DINNER**

Official Proclamation of winners and presentation of awards will be held at 19h30 on **Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2019** at the Athene Conference Centre in Langebaan.



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## **PROGRAM**

### **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> February 2019**

Teams arrive in Langebaan

14h00 Meeting between the Directorate and **Men** team captains  
Meeting between the Directorate and **Ladies** team captains  
Meeting between the Directorate and **Masters** team captains  
Meeting between the Directorate and **Pairs** team captains

14h30 Drawing of fishing sectors for all competitors and days of competition

18h00 Teams depart for dinner

### **Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> February 2019**

01h00 Wake up.

02h00 Depart by bus to Cape Town International Airport

04h00 Arrive airport

05h00 Board flight

05h30 Depart

07h30 Arrive Johannesburg

08h30 Travel by bus from airport to Opening Ceremony

09h30 Arrive at ceremony venue

10h30 Opening Ceremony

15h00 Departure to Oliver Tambo International Airport

16h00 Arrive at airport

17h00 Board flight

19h00 Arrive Cape Town International airport

20h00 Travel by bus from airport to Langebaan

22h00 Final arrival of participants at accommodation at Langebaan Golf Estate.

### **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2019**

10h00 Breakfast. (Note), Lunch packs will be delivered to fishing venue

11h00 Roll call – Bait issue

13h00 Start of OFFICIAL TRAINING

17h00 End of Training. Buses return to accommodation

19h00 Conversion of fish measurement to weight. Captains meeting if required

19h00 Dinner

21h00 Announcement of results of official training to team captains



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**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2019**

07h00 Breakfast. (Note), Lunch packs will be delivered to fishing venue  
09h00 Roll call – Bait issue  
11h00 Start of Competition Day 1  
15h00 End of match. Buses return to accommodation  
17h00 Conversion of fish measurement to weight Captains meeting if required.  
19h00 Dinner  
20h00 Announcement of Day 1 Results

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2019**

09h00 Breakfast. (Note), Lunch packs will be delivered to fishing venue  
11h00 Roll call – Bait issue  
13h00 Start of Competition Day 2  
17h00 End of match. Buses return to accommodation  
19h00 Conversion of fish measurement to weight Captains meeting if required  
19h00 Dinner  
21h00 Announcement of Day 2 Results

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2019**

09h00 Breakfast. (Note), Lunch packs will be delivered to fishing venue  
11h00 Roll call – Bait issue  
13h00 Start of Competition Day 3  
17h00 End of match. Buses return to accommodation  
19h00 Conversion of fish measurement to weight Captains meeting if required  
19h00 Dinner  
21h00 Announcement of Day 3 Results

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2019**

05h00 Breakfast. (Note), Lunch packs will be delivered to fishing venue  
07h00 Roll call – Bait issue  
09h00 Start of Competition Day 4  
13h00 End of match. Buses return to accommodation  
15h00 Conversion of fish measurement to weight  
18h40 Buses depart for GALA DINNER  
19h00 Teams and Guests ushered to tables  
19h30 **CLOSING CEREMONY**  
**Proclamation of winners and presentation of awards**  
20h00 Dinner

**Friday 15 February 2018**

07.30 am Breakfast and departures of the delegations





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## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

### **A. INSURANCE**

The Organizer undertakes to have Public Liability in place.

### **B. MEDICAL CERTIFICATES AND MEDICAL STAFF**

1. Each national organization is accountable for the data entered / supplied for their team and ensure that all the team members are fit to take part in the competition
2. The Organizer will have medical competent staff available for the duration of the competition

### **C. ANTI-DOPING CONTROL**

All the participants / competitors partaking in the championships implicitly include the acceptance of ALL the sports anti-doping rules of WADA.

### **D. VISAS**

Visas are required for visitors. Contact your nearest South African consular representative.

### **E. STATE FLAG AND ANTHEM**

National organizations are responsible for supplying the Organizer with at least one (preferably two) flag of their country, of the prescribed size, as well as a CD with their national anthem in MP3 format or on a memory stick.

### **F. MEDALS AND OTHER RECOGNITIONS**

The winners will be awarded medals - gold silver and bronze - by FIPS-M, while the Organiser will offer cups and other commemorative awards.

### **G. MEANS OF PAYMENT (CURRENCY)**

The currency in use is ZAR, (Zuid Afrika Rand, South African Rand) but payments could be made in other valid convertible currencies (through exchange in banks or exchange offices for Euro), or by American Express, Master, Diners or Visa cards.



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## H. BAITS

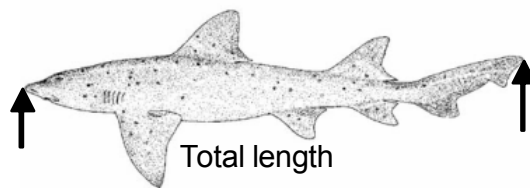
The following types bait will be supplied per day **PER COMPETITOR**:

- ▶ Mullet 10 number
- ▶ Sardine 1 kg
- ▶ Chokka / Squid / Calamari 500 gram

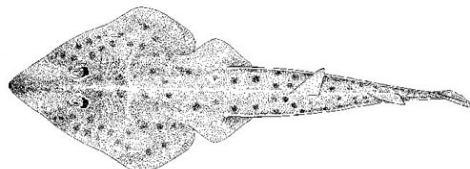
## I. FISH SPECIE

Many species of fish are caught in the area but the predominant species are:

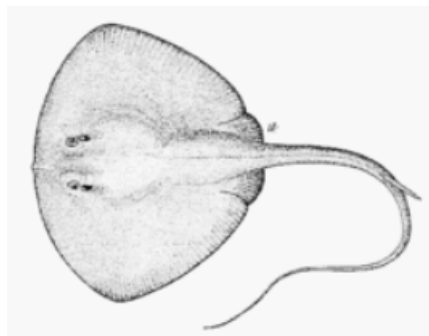
Smooth Hound



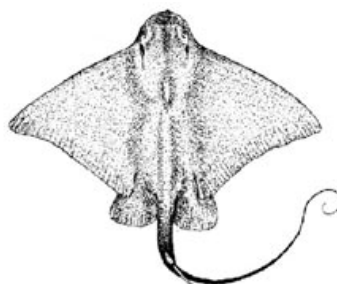
Guitar Fish



Blue Ray



Eagle Ray





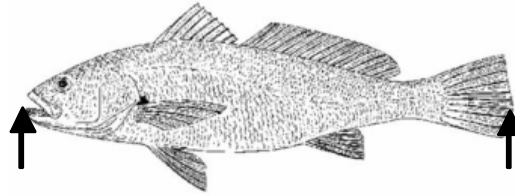
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Cob



Total length

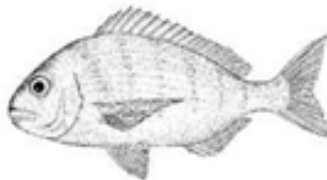
St Josephs



Spear Nose Skates



White Stump Nose



Blacktail





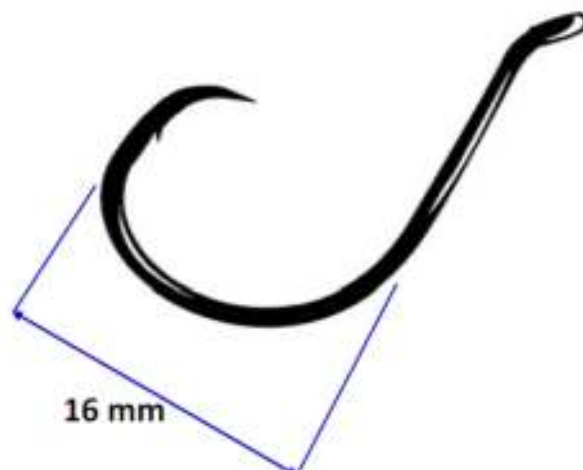
<b>Dogfish (Striped)</b>	<b>Poroderma africanum</b>
<b>Gully (Spotted)</b>	<b>Triakis megalopterus</b>
<b>Hound (Smooth)</b>	<b>Mustelus mustelus</b>
<b>Blueray</b>	<b>Dasyatis chrysonota</b>
<b>Duckbill ray</b>	<b>Pteromylaeus bovinus</b>
<b>Eagle ray</b>	<b>Myliobatis aquila</b>
<b>Electric (marbled)</b>	<b>Torpedo sinuspersici</b>
<b>Guitarfish (Lesser)</b>	<b>Rhinobatos annulatus</b>
<b>Spearnose</b>	<b>Raja alba</b>
<b>Stingray (Short-tail)</b>	<b>Dasyastis brevicaudata</b>
<b>Blacktail</b>	<b>Diplodus sargus capensis</b>
<b>Hottentot</b>	<b>Pachymetopon blochii</b>
<b>Kob (Dusky)</b>	<b>Argyrosomus sp.</b>
<b>Leervis</b>	<b>Lichia amia</b>
<b>Mullet (Striped)</b>	<b>Liza tricuspidens</b>
<b>Steenbras (Westcoast)</b>	<b>Lithognathus aureti</b>
<b>Stumpnose (White)</b>	<b>Rhabdosargus globiceps</b>

## J. OTHER

- 6.1 Minimum size of 15cm as per FIPS/M rules.
- 6.2 Galjoen is out of season and will not score points.
- 6.3 Only stewards / marshals will be permitted to remove hooks from fish with poisonous spikes.
- 6.4 The fish will be measured by a steward for the classification. The length and Species of the fish will be recorded on the competitors match card, a weight to length conversion system will be used by the organization. A copy of the Conversion table will be supplied to each captain at the first meeting.
- 6.5 FIPS-M rules are strictly applied and can be downloaded from:

<http://www.fips-m.org/statutes-rules-gb>

**Only circle hooks with minimum 2'0 size (16 mm) allowed:**





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## **K. FISHING TACKLE SHOP**

There are three (3) fully equipped tackle shops in Langebaan or within 20 km.

The Organizers will ensure the shops have appropriate tackle in stock.

## **L. SPECIAL ARRANGMENTS**

Should a team wish to arrive earlier for training/practice or to stay after the official competition the Organizer will provide at the following price.

Daily (full board), per person sharing per day **60-00 €**

Daily (full board), per person **not** sharing per day **75-00 €**





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## **M. EXPRESSION OF INTEREST**

Nations who are considering participating in this Championship are requested to complete this form and e-mail or fax to the number or address below:

# **You are under no obligation.**

Please complete. Reply by **31<sup>st</sup> JULY 2018**

### **EXPRESSION OF INTEREST - MANIFESTATION D'INTÉRÊT**

<b>NATION</b>	<b>LADIES</b>	<b>E-MAIL</b>	<b>MOBILE No.</b>
<b>SOUTH AFRICA</b>	<b>YES</b>	<a href="mailto:2019worldchamps@gmail.com">2019worldchamps@gmail.com</a>	<b>0027 72 177 5419</b>



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## **REGISTRATION FORM / ANMELDEFORMULAR**

**RETURN BEFORE 01/09/2018**

**FIPS-M 2019 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP SHORE ANGLING**

**OFFICIAL REGISTRATION - ENREGIS TREMENT OFFICIEL**

NATION: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Tel: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Competitors, Name &amp; Surname</b>	
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Competitor	
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Competitor	
Competitor	

Official Registration per COMPETITOR

(all inclusive) 800€ x ..... competitors

Extra days \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ competitors x 60€


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**RETURN BEFORE 01/09/2018**

**FIPS-M 2019 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP SHORE ANGLING  
OFFICIAL REGISTRATION - ENREGIS TREMENT OFFICIEL**

NATION: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Tel: \_\_\_\_\_

Registration	Name & Surname	Amount
Captain		
Reserve		
Manager		
Accompanying		
Accompanying		
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Official Registration per (ABOVE)      Full board € 688 x \_\_\_\_\_

Extra days \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_ persons x € 60

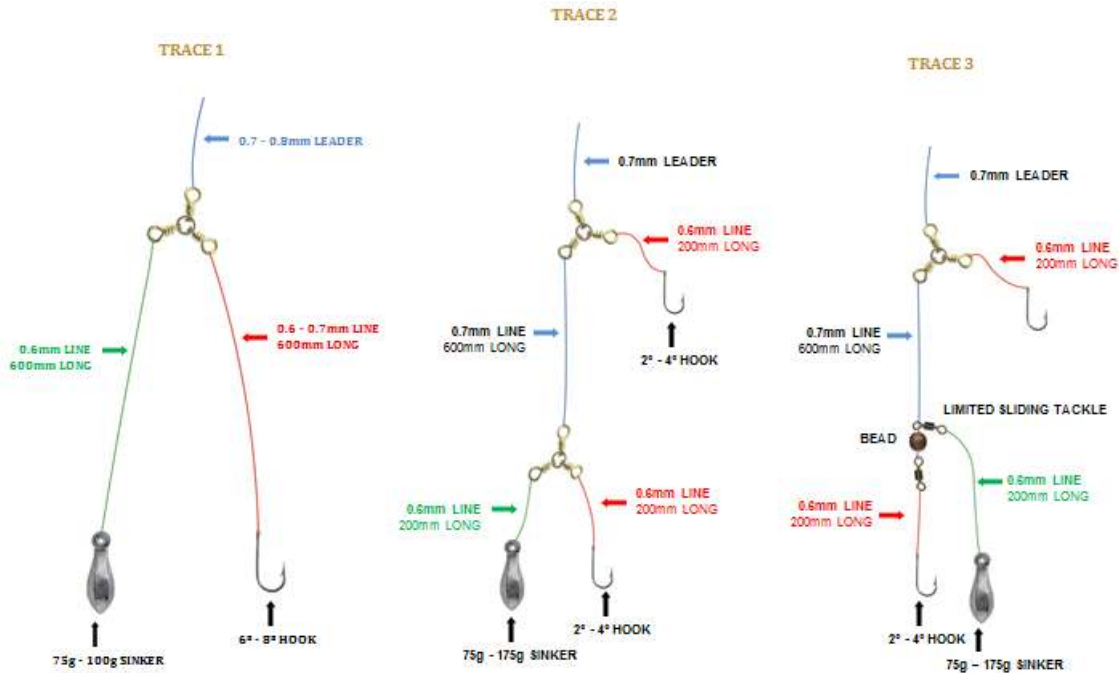

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## TRACES



## TOURNAMENT ANGLING ON THE WEST COAST

### Introduction

Tournament angling on the West Coast is different, VERY different! It is simply like no other area in South Africa. The water is shallow, VERY shallow, usually less than a meter deep. REALLY flat, there is simply no swell.

Because of the cold Benguela current the water is normally very cold except in the protected bays such as St Helena Bay and Saldanha Bay where the sun warms the water, as it is so shallow in the case of St Helena bay and because of the Langebaan lagoon in the case of the Saldanha Bay area. The result is that all the angling is done in these two bays. In both these bays the water can be as warm as 24° C and so most of the fish are concentrated there.

Bergriver Mouth to Dwarskersbos and Varkenvlei

The road to Dwarskersbos runs parallel to the coast, making it very accessible by any vehicle. The first entry point is at the beacon. From this point it is possible to follow the coast all the way to the swartbossie, a distance of two to three kilometers. Because of the track being a 4x4 track it is fished less often than the rest of the area, but often produces good fish, especially bull rays. The most popular area fished is from the swartbossie to the Lapa. This area is heavily fished by local anglers, fishing for cob and galjoen, [every year a few giant cob are caught by anglers fishing for galjoen with white mussel] for the competitive angler this can be the most productive area and has been known to produce great numbers of fish.



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The Lapa the fish are generally taken on a long cast and because of this it usually fishes better on a low tide. Again this area has quite a lot of reef and it is important to know where they are as again the fish seem to swim along these rocky areas.

From the Lapa to Dwarskersbos there are numerous reefs, which open on the low tide. This whole area [+/- 3kms] is a good area for all the flat fish, especially blue rays.

The water along this area is normally brown and flat and because of this the predominant bait is sardine and mullet

### Langebaan

This is the area that produces the most Smooth hound fish. It also produces Lesser Guitar fish [most of the Lesser Guitar fish are the round nose specie which grow slightly larger than the standard Lesser Guitar Fish], Bull Rays and the odd Kob is also caught.

In Langebaan first important spot is the Spit in Langebaan, which is a prime spot for catching smooth hounds. It fishes best from two hours before low tide till two hours after low tide, as this is when the current is slack.

Because of the fish being targeted, squid is very important bait in this area. The smooth hounds here seem to prefer squid above any other bait. Mullet are the second most important bait, especially a slightly larger mullet so that a reasonable bait can be made of the head. Sardine is important for Lesser Guitar Fish bait. The bait allocation for this area will be Squid, mullet and sardine.

### **APPROPRIATE TACKLE**

Because of the size of the fish being targeted an angler will need two sets of rods and reels. When fishing for Smooth hounds an appropriate rod would be 4m and a 6 to 8 ounce tip. When fishing for the smaller flat fish a 3.5m and a 4 to 6 ounce tip would be better. The problem of two rods can be overcome by having one rod with two different tips.

The reels that are mostly used are the Shimano or Daiwa 20 or 30. It would be appropriate to have a reel filled with a good quality nylon with a diameter of 0.50mm and one with 0.45 mm. for shock leaders a range from 0.65 to 1.00mm would be suggested.

For terminal tackle sinkers should range from simple teardrop sinkers 75gr to 175gr. When there is current in the Langebaan area the breakaway with wires in them will be needed. Here only heavy sinkers would be needed 150 to 175grs. The hook range would be from 3/0 to 6/0 for the lighter fishing, while 7° to 10° will be needed for the heavier fishing.

It would not be advisable to use more than two hooks at any one time as the fish are of such a size that they may break each other off even when fishing with two hooks this happens.





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### CONSERVATION

South African angling is VERY conservation conscious and will insist that all fish be returned to the water as soon as possible with as little trauma as possible. We also allow no gaffing of fish as all the fish here can easily be landed without being gaffed. The use of circle hooks **minimum 2'0 is compulsory** but if a hook is swallowed by a fish the trace must immediately be cut. We also insist that no rays be turned on their backs when removing hooks as this can cause them permanent damage.

### WARNING

Some of our fish have spikes and can cause ugly wounds. The most dangerous are the barbel as their spikes have venom which can cause extreme pain. The blue rays and the duckbill rays have a spike on their tail which can also cause ugly wounds. The St Josephs have a spike on their backs which should be handled with caution.

In Conclusion the West Coast looks forward to welcoming all competitive anglers to our waters, may you all enjoy your stay and come back again as this is probably the last frontier of angling in South Africa.

### BAITS

**THE BELLY OF A SARDINE**

1. The belly part is cut out with a sharp knife.
2. Make a slit on both sides of the backbone and insert it. The bait is now hooked, leaving the point of the hook protruding from the skin side. Finally the bait is neatly secured with thin cotton.



**Remark:**  
This is a very effective bait, as the strong flavour in the stomach is set free in the water to attract fish quickly. Furthermore, the white belly ("stomach") is very likely to draw the attention of predators.

**SARDINE FILLETS**

After having removed the head and tail of the sardine, cut out the two fillets on both sides of the backbone. Cut through the flesh of each fillet in the length, stopping before cutting through the skin. Hook the first fillet at its broad side so that the hook protrudes from the flesh side. Fold the bait along the length slit around the hook shank and secure it. The second fillet is now placed on the first one and secured. Separate the head portion of the sardine over the bait for extra flavour and you will end up with a most tempting bait for amongst others lob, shad and even white steenbras.



**FILLETTED SARDINE**

The photo shows a sardine that has been filleted from the top of the back, like a steak. The hook, with foam rubber around the shank, is inserted at the skin side. The filleted sardine is now wrapped around the hook shank as shown and secured.



1. Cut a strip of chokka as indicated.
2. Thoroughly soften the part above the broken line.
3. Insert the hook at the dot and secure the softened part to the hook shank. The completed slim bait can be seen at the bottom of the page.



**Remark:** With this bait as a basic, you can also try the following variations, which may pleasantly surprise you:

- Add one or two sandprawns to the basic bait.
- Slide a piece of bloodworm, which has been turned inside out, down your hook trace. Pull it over the basic bait (like a sleeve) and secure with thin cotton thread. This juicy bloodworm, with the two chokka "legs" hanging free, is one of the most tempting baits to offer a white steenbras.



An angler showing one of many white steenbras caught on a slim chokka bait.