

SUPER 6
TOURNAMENT RULES
OF
PORT ELIZABETH DEEP SEA
ANGLING CLUB
2016/17



PEDSAC

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PEDSAC SUPER SIX 2016 / 17 TOURNAMENT RULES

These Rules will apply to the 6 Legs of the 2016 / 17 PEDSAC Super 6.

1. PURPOSE

1.1 These fishing rules have been decided upon so that every participating angler should have a fair chance of proving themselves to be worthy anglers during the 2016/17 Super 6, while enjoying the comradery and sportsmanship of fellow anglers.

1.2 Pedsac Angling Rules are applicable.

1.3 MCM / DAFF / Parks Board rules and demarcations will be enforced.

2. ELIGIBILITY & PARTICIPANTS

2.1 Only boats with annual registration to PEDSAC are eligible to enter.

2.2 PEDSAC members and their guests are eligible to participate.

2.3 Juniors, less than 16 (sixteen) years of age at commencement of the 2016/17 Super 6 League are eligible to enter as juniors.

2.4 Juniors will participate in the Junior League and will be eligible for top junior prizes allocated to the Junior League, as well as top overall specie prizes.

2.5 Ladies will participate in the Ladies League and will be eligible for prizes allocated to the Ladies League, as well as top overall specie prizes.

2.6 If Ladies and Junior anglers elect to enter as senior anglers at the start of the Super 6 leagues, they may not revert back to their own category in the subsequent legs.

3. REGISTRATION & ENTRY FEE

3.1 Registration will take place on the Friday prior to the competition day, from 17h30 until 19h30.

3.2 Registration may be attended to in person or by a duly appointed representative.

3.3 The entry fee is payable in cash on registration.

3.3.1 Entry fee for senior club member anglers – R70.00

3.3.2 Entry fee for senior visitor anglers – R100.00

3.3.3 Entry fee for all junior anglers – R30.00

4. SKIPPERS BRIEFING

4.1 The skippers briefing will take place at 19h30 immediately after the close of registrations.

4.2 No deviation from these rules will be agreed upon at the skippers briefing.

5. TACKLE & EQUIPMENT

5.1 Anglers are restricted to the use of two rods per angler at any given time. Spare rods may be kept on board.

5.2 Maximum of two hooks per rod may be used.

5.3 Braid lines may be used.

5.4 The use of hand lines and electric reels will not be permitted, including the use of hand lines to catch baitfish.

6. SCORING

6.1 Points for prizes and league points will be allocated to participating anglers as follows:

6.1.1 Prize winners: Total weight of bag X number of species = weight points

6.1.2 League points will be determined as per the new IGFA league scoring system.

6.1.3 Best 4 out of six leagues will be used for final league positions.

6.2 Points will be allocated to top boat as follows:

6.2.1 Total number of points scored by participating anglers on boat ÷ participating anglers entered on the boat.

- 6.2.2 The boat points will follow the team should different boats be used on reasonable circumstances.

7. WEATHER COMMITTEE

- 7.1 A Weather Committee consisting of the Safety Officer and four participating skippers selected from various size boats will be appointed per leg.
- 7.2 The Weather Committee will convene at the commencement of the competition day and will make the weather-call.
- 7.3 The fishing day will not be called off on the Friday night unless there is a small craft warning and supporting weather data from all the major weather sites.
- 7.4 Should a selected weather committee person not be present at the weather call, a replacement will be elected from those anglers present to assess the conditions and make an appropriate and safe call.
- 7.5 No telephone calls from the comfort of a warm bed shall be entertained to call the competition off.
- 7.6 If the Saturday is called off by the weather committee, the Sunday will be allocated as the competition day should weather permit.
- 7.7 If the competition is called off after 3 hours of angling, it will be deemed a fishing day.

8. LEAGUE ADJUDICATION COMMITTEE

- 8.1 The League Adjudication Committee shall consist of the Competition Officer, the Club Captain and an elected angler (Kevin Clark) at the start of the Super 6, who will adjudicate the application of the rules.

9. MINIMUM SIZE & LEGAL BAG LIMITS

- 9.1 The following species will not be fished:

- 9.1.1 Garrick
- 9.1.2 Seventy-Four
- 9.1.3 Brindle / Potato Bass
- 9.1.4 All Shark & Ray Species

- 9.2 A maximum of 10 (ten) fish per participating angler will be weighed.

9.3 The following species are to be of the minimum length as set out in annexure "A" hereto:

- 9.3.1 Yellowbelly Rockod
- 9.3.2 Catface Rockod
- 9.3.3 Other Rockods
- 9.3.4 Black Musselcracker
- 9.3.5 White Musselcracker
- 9.3.6 Red Steenbras

9.4 All other species are to be of the minimum weight as stipulated in annexure "A" hereto. A guideline length for minimum weight is provided on annexure "A" hereto.

9.5 Species not stipulated in annexure "A" are to be at least 1kg in weight.

9.6 MCM sizes and bag restrictions are applicable to all species, excluding the species mentioned in 9.3. as stipulated in annexure "A" hereto.

10. COMPETITION DATES

10.1 The 2016/2017 Super 6 will be fished on the following days.

- 10.1.1 Leg 1 – Saturday, the 1st of October 2016. (Sunday reserve day.)
- 10.1.2 Leg 2 – Saturday, the 29th of October 2016. (Sunday reserve day.)
- 10.1.3 Leg 3 – Saturday, the 26th of November 2016. (Sunday reserve day.)
- 10.1.4 Leg 4 – Saturday, the 28th of January 2017. (Sunday reserve day.)
- 10.1.5 Leg 5 – Saturday, the 25th of February 2017. (Sunday reserve day.)
- 10.1.6 Leg 6 – Saturday, the 25th of March 2017. (Sunday reserve day.)
- 10.1.7 Spare – Saturday, the 29th of April 2017. (Sunday reserve day.)

10.2 7 possible weekends has been set aside, of which only six will be fished.

11. COMPETITION TIMES

11.1 Competition starting times are subject to first light and will be confirmed at each skippers briefing.

11.2 Participating anglers may not leave the Port Elizabeth Harbour before the competition commencement time as per skipper's briefing and weather call.

11.3 All fish to be weighed in, must be on the lawn at PEDSAC accompanied by a participating angler of the boat by no later than 15h00.

12. WEIGH IN

- 12.1 The scales will open by no later than 15h00.
- 12.2 Fish must be clearly marked to distinguish between anglers.
- 12.3 The weigh master will mark the fish after being weighed.

13. PRIZE GIVING

- 13.1 The prize giving will commence at 17h00 on the competition day, or at such time as may be determined by the adjudicating committee, provided that the prize giving will not commence by later than 18h00 on the competition day.
- 13.2 The prizes will be allocated as follows (See details in annexure "B")
 - 13.2.1 All participating anglers who caught the heaviest of a particular species will be entered into the species draw consisting of 8 prizes.
 - 13.2.2 Top senior angler
 - 13.2.3 Top lady angler
 - 13.2.4 Top junior angler
 - 13.2.5 Top boat
- 13.3 Ten lucky draw prizes will be awarded to participating anglers who fished on the competition day.
- 13.4 In the event of a total blow-out, the main prizes will be carried over to the next league for a "Bonanza" weekend.

14. RADIO COMMUNICATION

- 14.1 All radio communication between participating boats will be on VHF Channel 68.

15. BOATS IN DISTRESS / HARBOUR TRAFFIC

- 19.1 Should a boat experience mechanical difficulty, all fish and one angler can be transferred to another boat in order to make the weigh in cut-off time.
- 19.2 Should harbour traffic prevent competition boats from entering the harbour in time for the 15:00 cut-off time, the competition officer must be contacted and permission requested to enter the port after harbour traffic has been cleared in order to weigh their catch.

ANNEXURE “A”**SUPER 6 SPECIES WEIGHTS AND MINIMUM LENGTHS**

<u>Species.</u>	<u>Guideline length</u>	<u>Required weight.</u>	<u>Bag Limit</u>
Red Roman	cm	1.2kg	2
Basterman (Santer)	45cm	1.5kg	5
Dik Bekkie (Panga)	37cm	1.0kg	5
Daggerhead	40cm	2.0kg	1
Scotsman	45cm	1,5kg	1
Miss Lucy	cm	2.0kg	1
Carpenter	43cm	1.0kg	4
Kolstert	34cm	1.0kg	5
Hottentot (blue & brown)	35cm	1.0kg	5
Yellowbelly Rockod	65cm	Length applies	1
Catface Rockcod.	50cm	Length applies	5
Other Rockods.	50cm	Length applies	Per specie
Black Musselcracker	60cm	Length applies	1
White Musselcracker	60cm	Length applies	2
Red Steenbras	70cm	Length applies	1
Bank Steenbras	45cm	1.5kg	5
Wit Steenbras (Pignose)	60cm	3.5kg	1
Grunter.	45cm	1.2kg	5
Kabeljou	60cm	2.0kg	5 1 / person over 110cm.
Baardman	50cm	1.5kg	1
Geelbek	62cm	2.0kg	2
Geelstert / Yellowtail	50cm	1.5kg	10
Elf / Shad	43cm	1.0kg	4
Galjoen	40cm	1.2kg	2
Gurnard	45cm	1.0kg	10
Stokfish	40cm	1.0kg	5
Kingklip	60cm	1.0kg	1
Bonnito / Skipjack Tuna	50cm	1.5kg	10
Yellowfin Tuna	55cm	3.2kg	10

Species not allowed

1. Garrick / Leervis.
2. Seventy four
3. Brindle / Potato Bass
4. Sharks

Maximum of 10 fish per person.

ANNEXURE "B"**PRIZE MONEY ALLOCATION.**

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| 1. Top Senior Angler: | R1,500-00 |
| 2. Top Lady Angler: | R1,000-00 |
| 3. Top Junior Angler: | R 800-00 |
| 4. Specie Draw Prizes: | |
| • Specie 1 | R1000-00 |
| • Specie 2 | R 900-00 |
| • Specie 3 | R 800-00 |
| • Specie 4 | R 700-00 |
| • Specie 5 | R 600-00 |
| • Specie 6 | R 500-00 |
| • Specie 7 | R 400-00 |
| • Specie 8 | R 300-00 |
| 5. Top Boat: | R1,500-00 |

Total: R10,000-00

THE EASTERN CAPE MOTORS HEAVIEST FISH WEIGHED FOR THE DAY

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| 6. Random Lucky Draw Prices. | |
| • Draw 1 | R 150-00 |
| • Draw 2 | R 150-00 |
| • Draw 3 | R 200-00 |
| • Draw 4 | R 200-00 |
| • Draw 5 | R 200-00 |
| • Draw 6 | R 300-00 |
| • Draw 7 | R 300-00 |
| • Draw 8 | R 300-00 |
| • Draw 9 | R 300-00 |
| • Draw 10 | R 400-00 |

Total: R2,500-00

ANNEXURE "C"**BONANZA PRIZES FOR YEAR-END PRIZE GIVING.**

The sponsored prize money is for the heaviest nominated species weighed as detailed over all six Super 6 legs combined.
The sponsored prize money will be awarded to the winning species angler during the Pedsac Annual Prize Giving.

BIGGEST YELLOWFIN TUNA OVER 25KG BLG Logistics.	R20,000-00
BIGGEST YELLOWTAIL OVER 18KG BLG Logistics.	R10,000-00
BIGGEST DAGGERHEAD OVER 4KG BLG Logistics.	R 5,000-00
BIGGEST POENSKOP OVER 8 KG BLG Logistics.	R 5,000-00
BIGGEST RED STEENBRAS OVER 10KG Teknicrane Lifting Solutions.	R 5,000-00
BIGGEST MARLIN OVER 80KG Elmech Electrical.	R 5,000-00
BIGGEST MISS LUCY OVER 4KG R&M Plumbers.	R 2,500-00
BIGGEST BASTERMAN OVER 4KG LMCS	R 2,500-00
BIGGEST GEELBEK OVER 8KG LMCS	R 2,500-00
BIGGEST KOB OVER 35 KG Toyota Financial Services	R 1,000-00



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