



GAMEX results 2016

The GAMEX fishing tournament was yet another great success story for the town of Exmouth, with anglers coming from VIC, SA, QLD, NT, TAS, New Zealand, Japan, South Africa, and of course, WA. There were 52 boats and 226 anglers that competed for the 25 main sections as well as many other daily and hourly prizes. There were raffles, auctions, kids clinics, elegant luncheons, a sponsor cruises, a Whaleshark media day, special guests, live music and some of the best camaraderie energy you could imagine to experience. Competitors rejoiced at the presentation evening with superb food while the prizes were given to the winners that included:

There is calculated to be over \$120,000 in cash, prizes, and giveaways during the event of GAMEX. An economic impact survey is being conducted to measure the money that is spent in the region for the event. All anglers are asked to complete the survey. Anglers are given the opportunity to learn, laugh, win, cry and fish during the event! GAMEX has the dates set for the next four years, so if you missed out this year, there's plenty of time to plan ahead. Go to www.egfc.com.au or www.gamex.net.au

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GAMEX PRIZES 2016:

Section 1: Sponsored by EXMOUTH IGA. Trevor and Jocelyn Clarke
HPS Game fish other than billfish or shark on 1kg

Runner up: Callum Horlock 6.2kg Mahi Mahi Mystic Knot (Pending State & Australian Record)

V\$50 Certificate +\$50Starcash

Winner: Matt Arscott 6.8kg Mahi Mahi Awesome

V\$700 Certificate + Shimano Stradic 10000 + Shimano Nano 1-4kg rod+ Platypus line + knife +\$100 IGA voucher +18ltr esky Top End Imports

Section 2: Sponsored by AUTOPRO/ALLENS CAR HIRE. Rowan and Kerrie Smith

HPS Game fish other than billfish or shark on 2kg line

Runner up: Andy Sutton 6.4kg Golden Trevally Reel Obsession

V\$50 Certificate +\$50Starcash

Winner: Matthew Horlock 6.5 kg Mahi Mahi Mystic Knot

V\$700 Certificate + Shimano Stradic Ci4 2500 + Shimano Nano 2-4kg rod +Platypus line +knife +\$50Starcash +18ltr esky Top End Imports

Section 3: Sponsored by EXMOUTH AUTOMOTIVE AND BOATING. Alan and Mandy Waddingham.

HPS Game fish other than billfish or shark on 3kg line

Runner up: Ben Pugh 8.0kg NB Mackerel Seatrx

V\$50 Certificate +\$50Starcash

Winner: Callum Horlock 18.9kg NB Mackerel Mystic Knot (Pending State & Australian Record)

V\$600 Certificate + Shimano Talica 8 +Platypus line + knife +\$50Starcash

Section 4: Sponsored by HOME HARDWARE EXMOUTH. Glenn and Anna Passmore

HPS Game fish other than billfish or shark on 4kg line

Runner up: Jason Hornhardt 15.8kg NB Mackerel Wet Dreams

V\$50 Certificate +\$50Starcash

Winner: Scott Turrell 17.6kg NB Mackerel Seatrx

V\$600 Certificate + Shimano Talica 8 +Platypus line+ knife +\$50Starcash

Section 5: Sponsored by POTSHOT HOTEL RESORT. Larry Burkett and Ian Ogden

HPS Game fish other than billfish or shark on 6kg line

Runner up: Scott Turrell 12.7kg NB Mackerel Seatrx

V\$50 Certificate +Exmouth Adventure tour

Winner: Mick Grasso 15.0kg NB Mackerel Wet Dreams

V\$700 Certificate + Shimano Talica 12 +Platypus line+ knife + Shimano Bag+\$50Starcash



Section 6: Sponsored by MG KAILIS. Stephan and Frank
HPS Game fish other than billfish or shark on 8kg line

Runner up: Mick Campbell 10.4kg NB Mackerel Seatrix

V\$100 Certificate + \$100 IGA voucher

Winner: William Roche 16.3kg NB Mackeral (Pending State & Australian Record)

V\$700 Certificate + Shimano Talica 12 +Platypus line+ knife + Shimano Bag+\$100 IGA voucher

Section 7: Sponsored by EXMOUTH WHOLESALERS. Marie and Malcolm Hinkley

HPS Game fish other than billfish or shark on 10kg line

Runner up: Scott Turrell 10.9kg NB Mackeral Seatrix

V\$100 Certificate + \$100 IGA voucher

Winner: Steven Westerhuis 12.7kg NB Mackeral Live Action

V\$750 Certificate + Shimano Talica 16 +Platypus line+ knife + Shimano Bag+\$100 IGA voucher

Section 8: Sponsored by EXMOUTH FUEL SUPPLIES. Grant and Tammy Gregory

HPS billfish weighed in on 1-15kg line

Runner up: VACANT

Winner: VACANT

Section 9: Sponsored by EXMOUTH SMASH REPAIRS. Andy and Nikki Sutton

Heaviest billfish weighed in on 24-60kg line

Runner up: VACANT

Winner: VACANT

Section 10: Sponsored by EXMOUTH ESCAPE RESORT. David Gelespie

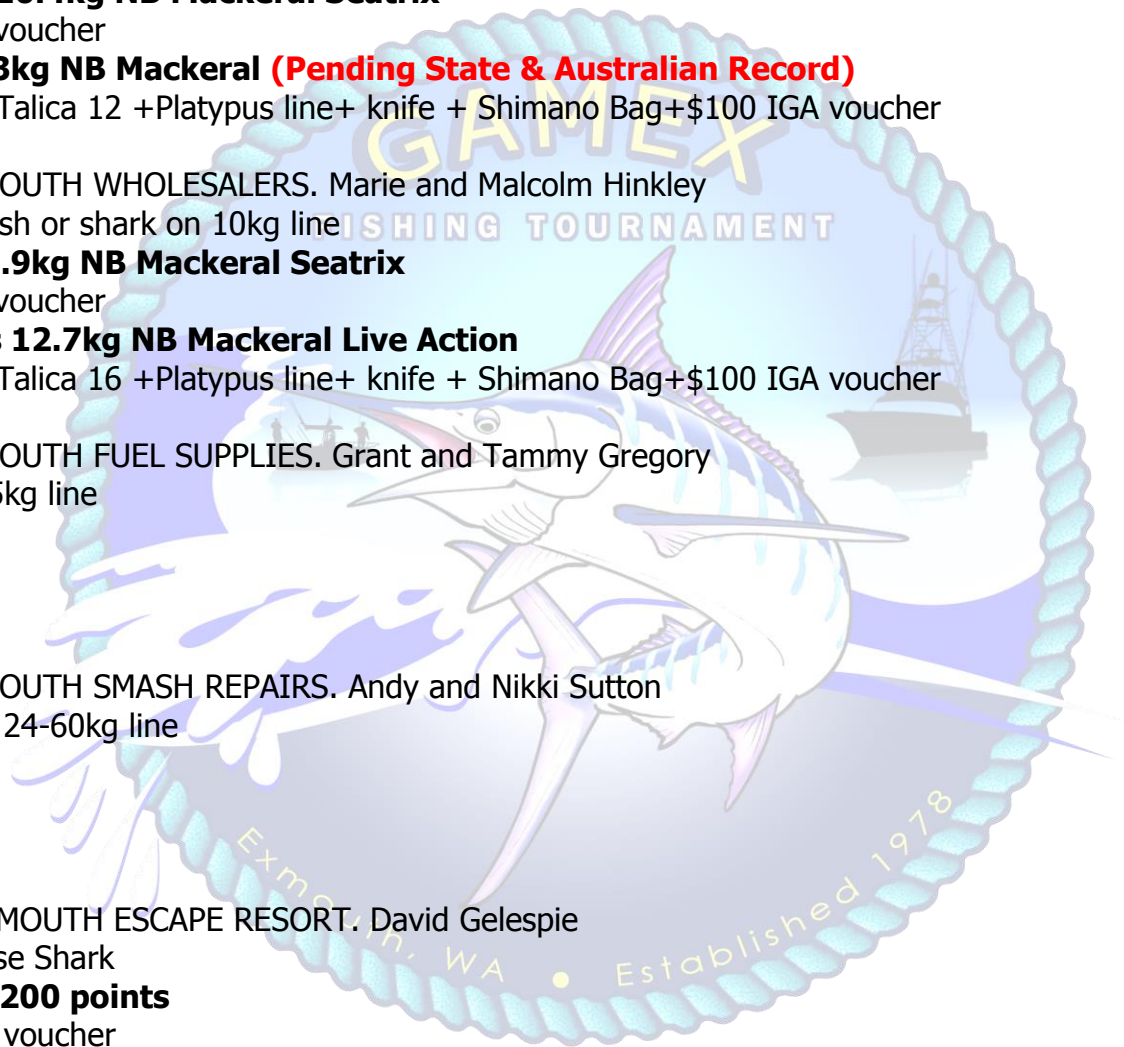
Champion Boat Tag and Release Shark

Runner up: Jakel 14 Tags 2200 points

V\$100 Certificate + \$100 IGA voucher

Winner: Seatrix 12 Tags 2400 points

V\$2000 Certificate+ Hook'em Rig Wallet and Gaff +Platypus line+ knife + Shimano Bag+ Shimano Talica 20 2speed+ Shimano Talica 25 2speed



Section 11: Sponsored by TOLL Exmouth Freight Company. Phill, Shane, Simon and crew
Champion Angler -Junior

Runner up: Toby Mason 1800 points 2 Species 2 Line classes Full Circle

V\$100 Certificate + \$100 IGA voucher

Winner: Callum Horlock 3345 points 4 Species 4 Line classes Mystic Knot

V\$1300 Certificate + Shimano Stella 6000 +Platypus line+ assorted Pakula lures

Section 12: Sponsored by DRIFTWOOD JEWELLERS. Barry Sullivan
Champion Angler -Female

Runner up: Jo Decker 1210 points 2 Species 3 Line classes Saxon Raider

V\$200 Certificate + Birds Eye View Voucher

Winner: Jan Prince 2835 points 5 Species 8 Line classes Awesum

V\$1500 Certificate + Jewelry from Driftwood Jewelers +Platypus line+ knife

Section 13: Sponsored by ENGEL REFRIGERATION. Barry Sullivan
Champion Angler -Male

Runner up: Matt Arscott 3775 points 5 Species 4 Line classes Awesum

V\$300 Certificate + Birds Eye View Voucher

Winner: Mark Hourn 5217 points 9 Species 11 Line classes Real Obsession

V\$1300 Certificate + 40ltr ENGEL +Platypus line

Section 14: Sponsored by EXMOUTH TACKLE AND CAMPING. Steve and Louise Riley
Champion Angler (HPS) Tag and Release Billfish -Junior

Runner up: Toby Mason 1400 points 3 tags Full Circle

V\$120 Certificate + Tag Pole

Winner: Riley Smith 1900 points 4 Tags Pelagic Hooker

V\$1500 Certificate + Stella 8000 + Pakula Lures + Platypus line

Section 15: Sponsored by RAY WHITE EXMOUTH. Mark and Diane Lucas
Champion Angler (HPS) Tag and Release Billfish -Female

Runner up: VACANT



Winner: Jan Price 500 Points 1 Tag Awesum

V\$1000 Certificate + Tiagra 30WLRS + Pakula Lures + Platypus line

Section 16: Sponsored by NOVOTEL NINGALOO RESORT. Larry Burkett, Garry Cossil, Darren Cossil.
Champion Angler (HPS) Tag and Release Billfish -Male

Runner up: Brendan Hawker 3200 points 8 tags Poppa George

V\$250 Certificate + Exmouth Smash Repairs voucher car detailing \$250

Winner: Peter Grant 3400 points 9 tags Zulu

V\$1000 Certificate + Tiagra 30WLRS + Pakula Lures + Platypus line

Section 17: Sponsored by VIKING KAYAKS. Viking Kayaks Australia.
Champion Team Kayak

Runner up: VACANT

Winner: VACANT

Section 18: Sponsored by MANDURAH JETTY CONSTRUCTIONS. Graeme and Kerry Heel.
Champion Team Tag & Release Billfish – Boats 7m & Under

Runner up: Poppa George 3200 points 8 tags

V\$350 Certificate + Exmouth Smash Repairs voucher car detailing \$250 Fishing World Subscription

Winner: Y-Stress 3300 points 7 Tags

V\$7500 Certificates + \$2000 Cheque + \$2500 Simrad voucher + 2x Stella 18000 + Pakula Lures

Section 19: Sponsored by EXMOUTH AIR AND ELECTRICAL. Leigh Freestone and Hayley Dellar.
Champion Team Tag & Release Billfish – Boats over 7m

Runner up: Zulu 3400 points 9 tags

V\$700 Certificate + Angling Adventures Voucher + Bluewater Magazine, Fishing World, Subscriptions

Winner: Pelagic Hooker 5600 12 Tags

V\$7500 Certificates + \$2000 Cheque + \$2500 Simrad voucher + 2x Stella 20000 + Pakula Lures

Section 20: Sponsored by FURUNO. Rhys Whittred from Taylor Marine in Perth.

Champion Boat (HPS) Tag & Release Sailfish

Runner up: Nomad 800 points 2 tags



V\$300 Certificate + Bluewater Magazine, FishLife, Fishing World, Subscriptions

Winner: Pelagic Hooker 1600 4 tags

V\$7500 Certificates + \$2000 Cheque + FURUNO unit + Craig Smith Marine Artwork 1x Stella 10000 1x Stella 20000

Section 21: Sponsored by REEL TEASER FISHING ADVENTURES. Ross Newton and Tracey Rushford.

Champion Boat (HPS) Tag & Release Marlin

Runner up: Zulu 3200 8 tags by time from Poppa George by time

V\$500 Certificate + 2x Maui Jim Sunglasses, Fishing World Subscription

Winner: Pelagic Hooker 4000 8 tags

V\$8000 Certificates + \$2000 Cheque + Craig Smith Marine Artwork 2x Tiagra 50WLRSA 2x 80WLRSA+ Pakula Lures

Section 22: Sponsored by STARMART EXMOUTH. Dirk and Anne Clatworthy.

Champion Boat (HPS) Overall Capture/tag and Release

Runner up: Reel Obsession 6005 points 11 line classes 11 Species

V\$1400 Certificate + 2x Maui Jim Sunglasses, Bluewater Magazine, FishLife, Fishing World, Subscriptions

Winner: Mystic Knot 6301 points 11 line classes 10 species

V\$7000 Certificates + \$2000 Cheque + 2x Tiagra 50WLRSA 2x 80WLRSA+ Pakula Lures, Hook'em Gaff, Hook'em lure/tackle roll + Home Hardware Webber + Drift Image

Section 23: Steve Pitman trophy -Most Skilled Angler.

Thanks to Whitey's Tackle in Australind

Angler with the most species on the most line classes

Winner: Mark Hourn 11 line classes 9 species

V\$1000 Certificate + tackle from Whitey's Tackle

Section 24: George King Memorial Trophy – Top Tagging Captain.

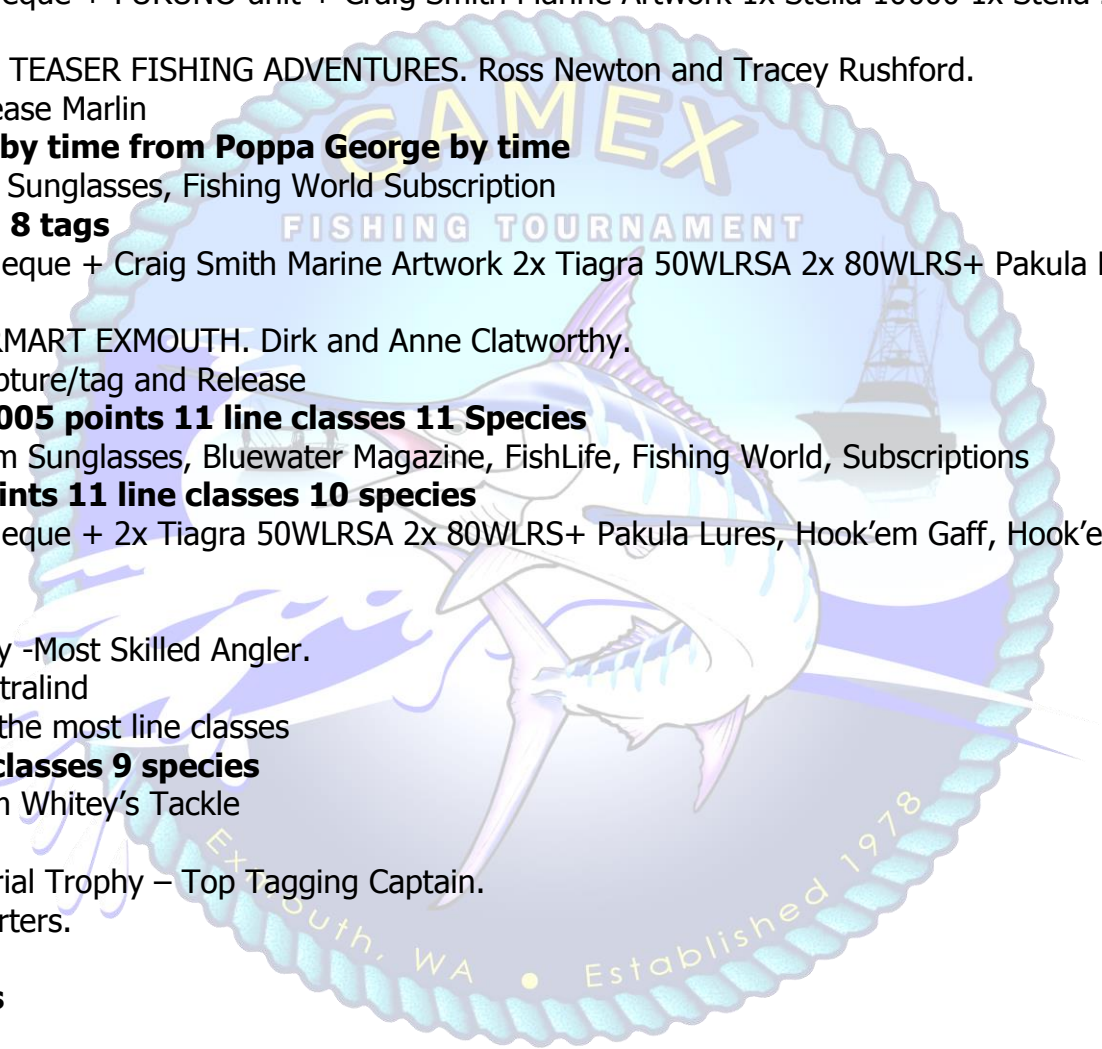
Thanks to Mahi Mahi Fishing Charters.

Captain with the most tags

Winner: Eddie Lawler 12 tags

V\$200 Certificate +Print framed

Section 25: Phil Tickle Memorial Trophy -Most Meritorious Capture



Greatest weight to line class ratio

Thanks to Siesta Park

Winner: Matt Arscott 6.8kg Mahi Mahi on 1kg

V\$500 Certificate + Holiday at Siesta Park

V\$1500 Daily Prizes thanks to Tackle World Exmouth

Day 1

First Tagged billfish **WINNER: Toby Mason Full Circle**

Day2

Highest point scoring fish weighed in **WINNER: Mark Hourn 5.3kg Mahi Mahi on 1kg**

Day3

Boat with the most tagged marlin **WINNER: Poppa George 2 tags**

Day 4

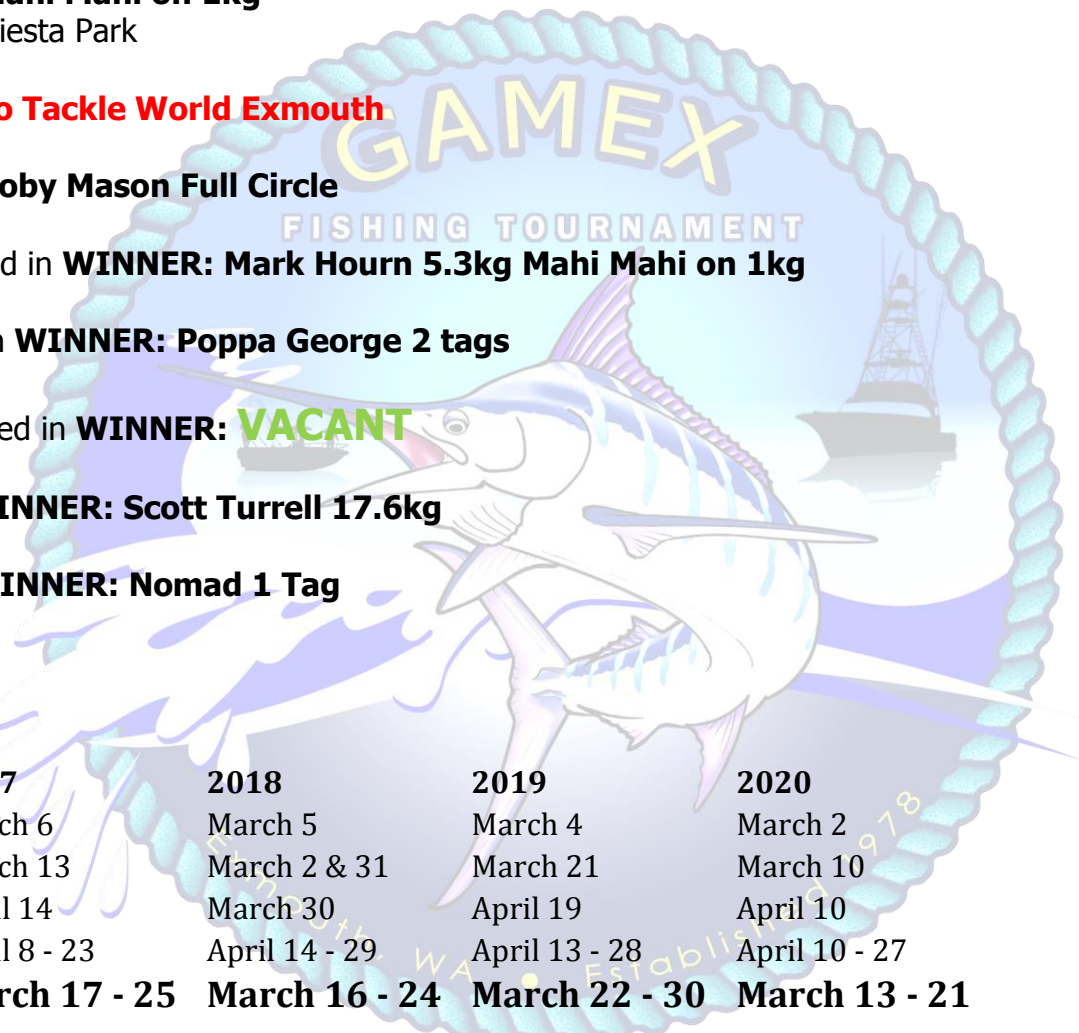
Highest point scoring tuna weighed in **WINNER: VACANT**

Day5

Heaviest mackerel weighed in **WINNER: Scott Turrell 17.6kg**

Day6

Boat with most tagged sailfish **WINNER: Nomad 1 Tag**



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The EGFC is a non-profit organisation that is run predominantly by volunteers.

We thank all sponsors and volunteers and supporters of EGFC, who help make it the great club it is.

Make sure you drop in to the clubhouse any weekend...it's a great location with fabulous food and cold drinks.

If you can assist with eth EGFC for any time, it would be greatly appreciated.

Kindest regards

The EGFC Committee.

