

WEST PALM BEACH FISHING CLUB 2016 ANNUAL CLUB TROPHY WINNERS



January 1st through December 31st



Final Results

The Nora Award



Presented annually to the member catching the heaviest snook within Florida. (must be weighed on land or suitable stable surface)

Larry Wade 34 lb., 7 oz. snook caught, weighed & released on 80 braid tackle casting a Rapala lure at the Lake Worth Spillway on 8/10/16.



The Beinecke Atlantic Blue Marlin Trophy

Presented annually to the member scoring the most points for blue marlin releases in Bahamas (100 pts.) and Florida (300 pts.)

Wayne Jenkins..... 600 pts. (3 in the Bahamas on 6/8 & 9, 1 off Jupiter, FL on 9/17)

The Tracy Schneider Memorial Trophy



Presented annually to the member scoring the highest total points for sailfish releases in Florida waters based on the following point values: caught and released on live bait (100 pts.), dead bait (300 pts.), pure artificial lures (500 pts.), and fly (1000 pts.).

Jacob Lepera 11,600 pts. (101 on live bait, 5 on dead bait)

The Donald S. Leas III International Angling Trophy

Presented annually to the member who makes the most outstanding catch or catches in international waters (and or including Hawaii & Alaska). Can be fresh or salt water.



Nick Smith 135 Pacific sailfish releases on Fly 20 tackle in Guatemala (Jan. 25th - 27th & Mar. 4th - 6th). 11 Blue marlin on Fly 20 in Quepos, CR (May 8th - 10th). 38 blue marlin releases on Fly 20 tackle in Costa Rica (Jul 10-20). 11 blue marlin on Fly 20 in CR (Jul. 30 - Aug 1), 4 blue marlin & 2 sailfish releases on Fly 20 off CR (Sep. 21-22). 115 striped marlin releases in Mag Bay, Mexico (Oct. 17 - 21). 3 Pacific sailfish & 118 striped marlin all on Fly 20 in Mag Bay, Mexico (Nov. 6-9 & Nov. 24-27).



The Richard Jeck Memorial Billfish Tagging Trophy

Presented annually to the member who tags the most billfish, including swordfish, off Florida & the Bahamas. Anglers must use approved Billfish Foundation or National Marine Fisheries Service tags. Minimum of 20 fish must be tagged to win award.

Wayne Jenkins..... 25 sailfish tagged & released