



AUSTRALIAN SNAPPER CHAMPIONSHIP

Welcome to Whyalla in 2010

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Dear Competitor

Thank you for your entry in the 19th Australian Snapper Championship.

If you have attended previous events, you will have a good idea as to how the comp is run, what happens in the championship marquee and information that is available.

However, if this is your first championship then everything will be a new experience.

Whether you are a regular or first timer it is essential that you retain the remainder of your entry form for future reference.

If you have entered "over the counter" at either the Whyalla Council office or visitor centre, you will have received this letter and receipt at the time of lodging your entry.

If you have entered via post, you will have received this letter and receipt also by post, although nothing will be posted after the close of earlybird on March 12.

If you have entered on-line you are able to download this letter once you have submitted your entry.

Our website, now in its third year, is gradually being developed as the main source of information about the snapper championship - replacing much of our previous mailouts and printed information.

So, if you're keen about snapper fishing and Whyalla's Australian Snapper Championship, we encourage you to keep up-to-date with our website.

All media releases, special pieces of information and latest news will be added to the website as and when issued.

Obviously, we will cater for those who do not have internet or e-mail access, but moving to

the electronic era has been well received and supported by fishing enthusiasts, while making it easier for you to enter and giving you access to much more information.

We trust our website in general and the additional information and reminders will help prepare you for some great fishing. If you have any suggestions on how we can improve our website, please do not hesitate to pass on your thoughts.

Now you have entered, what's next?

Firstly, just start counting down the days, get your boat and tackle ready, book your accommodation for the big occasion, and of course, pack a change of clothes.

Secondly, check the latest information on our website covering some important reminders relating to fishing, boat safety and road rules.

We look forward to welcoming you at the Snapper HQ, where your information kit (also containing fishing and marina facilities maps) will be awaiting you between 5pm and 9pm on the Thursday and after 7am Friday.

If you still have any queries after reading the entry form and our website, please don't hesitate to contact:

Whyalla Visitor Centre
Phone toll free 1800 088 589.

On behalf of the Whyalla Council, our major partners and sponsors, and the many volunteers getting ready for a snapper Easter, we look forward to your participation and wish you well.

See you at the comp!

Rebecca Lichtenberger
Championship co-ordinator

IMPORTANT: On your arrival at Whyalla Marina

Every competitor must report to Snapper HQ either on the Thursday night or Friday morning, but in any event no later than the first time they fish.

YOU MUST:

- Have your name ticked off.
- Collect your information kit which will contain the official *Big Red* newsletter, fishing map, sticker, other fishing/boating info, and details of sponsor services and supplies.

- Collect your ID lanyard.
- Collect any outstanding receipts.
- Ensure any outstanding payments or entry form information is finalised.
- Check the info board for last-minute news items or warnings.

Although volunteers will be setting up in the marquee on Thursday afternoon, no information will be handed out until 5pm when Snapper HQ opens.



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