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Newsletter – Mar 2007

Coming Events

March meeting - 14 Mar. George will be speaking on his recent trip to the US chasing largemouth bass, possibly Stuart will speak also on his recent trip to Southland New Zealand.

George's Trip to Christmas Island

George spoke last year on his trip chasing bone fish and I've been pestering him for the images since then. Well, here are some:









18 Feb - 'Natives' at Lake Burley Griffin

Two reports:

Peter:

Nope not even a baby redfin.

Charlie:

Bruce, Alek and I met at the car park across the road from the aquarium then did some lure casting till about 11am.

Saw some big carp swimming around and some small red's, Alek caught 2 small reds and I had 3 reds .

Had a good little chat and the day was nice...not too hot, No perch or cod around quite a few electric powered boats and

kayaks trawling around. All I could see was little red's being caught.

Some photos:



Alek?



Charlie

MINUTES OF CAA MEETING 14 Feb 2007

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Members present: Bill, Stefan, Peter, Alan, Max, Norm, Steve, Graeme, Charles, Scott, Les, Greg and Bruce, Owen (new member) and Mark (new member).

Apologies: Ian, John and Geoff.

Acting President, Bill declared the meeting opened.

General Business

Bill advised members of the situation with Ian's wife Sheila. She is quite ill in hospital and Ian is focussing his efforts in supporting her. The thoughts of all in the association are with Sheila and Ian in this worrying time.

Treasurer's Report

\$883.67 at bank, \$100 in cash. Renewal of venue hire due estimated at \$275. The club boat motor is in for repairs with no estimate of cost at this stage.

All members are encouraged to pay dues. Electronic transfer into the club's account has been proven to work and this provides a convenient mechanism. Use the following format

BSB Number 032-727

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Note/Remarks ##Name## 06-07 CAA Subs

Fishing Reports

Peter had taken redfin to 2lb+ on soft plastics and 'power minnow' up near Scrivener Dam.

Owen noted carp fishing to be quiet at the moment in Lake Burley Griffin - general conclusions blame storms bringing muck into the lake.

Bruce spoke of yellow belly in the Molonglo arm of the Lake.

Norm spoke of 3 rainbows at Wallace Island Lake Eucumbene at dusk - warned of the extensive muddiness.

Stefan has been spotting in the Queanbeyan River near the old cemetery on Erin St - big carp.

Forthcoming Events

Discussion was had regarding a day after natives on LBG (Sun 18 Feb).

<u>Speaker</u>

Bruce spoke on natives and spinning/bait gear in general. Much interest generated on the merits of different reels

Stefan

Bill

Treasurer

Secretary