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**Next Membership Meeting**  
**Tuesday, June 26, 2012 - 7:00 PM**  
**Skilligalee Restaurant**  
**Glenside Ave, just North of Broad Street**  
**Come ~ 5:30 PM and enjoy good company**  
**over dinner from the menu**



**BACKLASH**  
*Commentary from the*  
*Board of Directors*  
*-By John Wetlaufer, Sr.*

### MAY FISH FRY – ONE TO REMEMBER – TWO LUCKY WINNERS

The Annual Fish Fry was the best ever and there was no end in the variety or quality of the fish donated and the preparation there of. We all owe one large “THANK YOU” to the cooking crew....

Buddy, Danny and Ryan Noland, Ricky Dale and Jeff and Angie Doughty. Thanks to all who donated fish. The raffle of the two World Record Catch mounts and framed certificates, generously donated by Bill Duval in memory of Gene DuVal, added \$175.00 to the General Fund of the VAC. Again this year, member Fred Murray arranged for the Fish Fry to be held at the Maymont Nature Center. Read more about the Fish Fry and the winners of the casting contest and the mounts on page 7 of this issue of The Angler.

### JUNE PROGRAM (BEING DEVELOPED)

(Watch for announcement of the program in a VAC Info E-mail)



## TWO NEW MEMBERS VOTED IN AT JUNE BOD MEETING

Karen Green, wife of member Gary Green, and Damien Seckora became members of the Virginia Anglers Club at the June 12<sup>th</sup> Board of Directors Meeting. Gary sponsored Karen and Stamford Niou (“Now”) sponsored Damien. Both new members were present at the Fish Fry too. Damien’s fourteen year old son, Michael, also attended the Fish Fry and sat thru his father’s orientation. Michael is already an experienced and proven angler and will likely be very active in the Youth Tournament. Karen, Damien and Michael will be formally introduced at the June Membership Meeting. More information about Karen and Damien and their pictures can be found on page 7 of this Angler.

## OPERATION DRY WATER - INCREASED BUI ENFORCEMENT - JUNE 22-24, 2012\*

### Never Boat Under the Influence!

Boating Under the Influence (BUI) is dangerous. Nationwide, over 17% of boating-related fatalities are a result of alcohol use. Sun, wind, noise, vibration and motion intensify the effects of alcohol, drugs and some medications. They can slow reaction times, impair vision and lead to boating accidents. Also, operating a boat with a Blood Alcohol Concentration (BAC) of .08% or higher is illegal. Penalties may include fines, jail, impoundment of boats, and loss of boating privileges. Curbing the number of alcohol and drug-related accidents and fatalities is key to achieving a safer and more enjoyable environment for recreational boating.

For more information on Operation Dry Water, visit <http://operationdrywater.org>.

## “OPERATORS LICENSE” REQUIRED FOR SOME STARTING JULY 1, 2012\*

On July 1, 2012, the law requires *all* PWC operators, and motorboat operators age 30 and younger who operate boats with motors of 10 horsepower and greater to have completed a boating safety education course and carry such proof in their possession while operating the vessel.

## NEXT VAC TOURNAMENT – VIRGINIA/CAROLINA FLOUNDER

**July 21-22 (blow date July 28-29)**

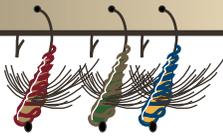
The next tournament in the VAC 2012 Tournament program is a flounder tournament with fishing encouraged in both Virginia and North Carolina waters. Angling Activities Chairman Parks Rountrey’s very complete review of the flounder tournament is found on page 10 of this issue of The Angler.

## EASTERN SHORE SURF TOURNAMENT NOT TO BE THIS YEAR

The weather just did not cooperate and the 2012 edition of the Annual Bernie Skydanek Memorial Eastern Shore VA Surf Tournament had to be cancelled. Someone rolled out the Beryl for the first scheduled weekend and the blow date just was not fishable. Member Bob Shepherd worked hard and put together a great program. He even did a little pre-fishing to see what was biting. Bob had put the tournament plan back in the tackle box where it will be ready for next May.

## PROGRAM CHAIRMAN MIKE OSTRANDER CASTING ABOUT FOR PROGRAM IDEAS

First Vice President – Programs, Mike Ostrander, needs ideas for programs. If you have a speaker, topic or activity in mind that would make a good program, please contact Mike [mike@jamesriverfishing.com](mailto:mike@jamesriverfishing.com) or (804) 938-2350 (C)]. Varied and interesting programs are the key for keeping members coming to the membership meeting. If you have a skill or the story of a special fishing trip on which you went, there is no shame in stepping forward to put on a program



**A REMINDER - NO COUNTRY STORE AT THE JUNE MEMBERSHIP MEETING**

The Country Store will not be open at the June Membership Meeting. If you have a special need for something from the Country Store before July 24th, give Eddy a call or send him an e-mail. The Country Store will reopen during the July 24<sup>th</sup> Membership Meeting and feature the very popular mix or match sale of the VAC drink coozie and VAC “croakie”, two for one dollar. Eddy has restocked black and white copies of the VAC decal will be available at \$2.00 each.

**NO VAC BOARD OF DIRECTORS’ MEETING IN JULY**

The Board of Directors of the Virginia Anglers Club will not meet in July. If any Member has an item that needs to come to the Boards attention between June 11<sup>th</sup> and August 14<sup>th</sup>, please advise Glenn Carter H (804) 282-8755 O (804) 330-1733 C (804) 543-5349). The work of the Board will be handled electronically during the period noted

**For The Leadership Team**

**John Wetlaufer, Sr., Secretary**

\* From the May 13<sup>th</sup> (electronic) Edition of the DGIF Outdoor Report



**CATCHY COMMENTS**  
by Buddy Noland

With another month behind us, the freshwater entries are beginning to slow with the spawning season about over and saltwater is expected to increase with the rise in water temperatures. Recent reports have the Spadefish at the CBBT and Light Tower, Cobia in the bay all the way up to York Spit Light, and Flounder turning on at the CBBT.

Again this month, the youth entries are a welcome surprise. Scott Johnston, “the elder”, took his grandchildren to Lodge Creek for some White Perch fishing. Ethan Farley, age 7, caught an 11 ounce perch on 4# spin for 149 points. But his older brother Ryan, age 9, beat him out for the “youth award lead” in the 7-12 age group, with and 12 ounce White Perch worth 163 points. Both anglers were using a red headed jig with a twisted tail. Good job by both of Julie’s children!

**Parks Rountrey** started the past month out with a 10 ounce Sunfish entry on 2# fly for 208 points fishing with **Bob Brown** on a private pond. Not quite heavy enough though to unseat Bob Shepherd’s 1 pound catch and Which continues to lead in both the “species” and “heaviest” categories.

Once again, **Charlie Fasano** went back to Boone Lake Tennessee again this year and landed a Brown Trout “release” entry for his Anglers Rating. Charlie was using live bait for the general category entry.

*CATCHY COMMENTS continued on Page 4...*



**Buddy and Ryan Noland with a pair of nice dolphin**



**David Nobles** had several nice entries this past period. Fishing at Mossey Creek, **David** caught a 3 pound, 8 ounce, Rainbow Trout on 2# fly worth 273 points and taking both category leads. The next week out of Key West, Florida, **David** caught a 4 pound, 8 ounce, Little Tunny on 20# fly and an 18 pound Permit on 16# fly for a non-local entry. The Permit was worth 150 points and both were fooled by a crab imitation fly.

Fishing for Redear Sunfish at Western Branch Lake, **Billy Nicar** landed a 2 pound fish on a nightcrawler worth 200 points. Billy was using 4# line for his general category entry. Several weeks later, **Billy** was fishing the Nottoway River and caught a 1 pound, 2 ounce Roanoke Bass worth 296 points on a crankbait. Both entries will lead the “species” and “heaviest” categories.

**Art Conway** has entered another nice Crappie from Chickahominy Lake. **Art** was using 4 spin and a Kalin Crappie jig for his catch. Art has entered 20 Crappie this season!

**Bob Schepker**, the renowned Flounder fisherman, entered a 1 pound, 1 ounce, Croaker on 4# spin. **Bob** was fishing Hills Bay and the fish brought in 106 points.

**Bob Shepherd** had the heaviest entry this past newsletter period with a 36 pound Red Drum. **Bob** was surf fishing alone off one of the barrier islands and enticed the drum with a peeler crab. The 257 point fish now leads the “surf division”, “species” and “heaviest” categories.

Fishing on a very private pond, **Stuart Lee** caught a 450 point Carp on 4# spin. The fish weighed 18 pounds and was fooled by a tube jig. The Carp will lead the “species” and “heaviest” division but fell just shy of taking the “spin division” from **Fred Cousin’s** 458 point Largemouth entry.

Lastly, the **Noland’s** were fishing off Hatteras this past weekend for Dolphin. Fish up to 18 pounds were caught but only singles were found and nothing to cast a light line to for an entry. Maybe next time!

**Keeping it reel,  
Buddy**



Sal Peluso with a nice 38-11 Cobia caught in the surf



Danny Noland with a nice dolphin



Rob Choi with a decent little flounder



Lee Rothgeb with a 28.3lb and 43.2lb Alligator Gar



Rob Choi with a citation Sheepshead

# Pictures from the Maymont Fishfry



Bill and Carol DuVal



Jeff and Angie Doughty



David Noble coaching Steve Skakandy and Vic Skakandy doing distance casting in the background



Ricky Dale

**WELCOME NEW MEMBERS  
KAREN GREEN AND DAMIAN SEKORA**

**HAVE YOU CONSIDERED A  
MANUALLY INFLATABLE PFD?**



Boating Safety Education Coordinator Stacey Brown set up a "real time" demonstration for Outdoor Report Editor David Coffman to see for himself how comfortable and practical the manual activation inflatable PFD was. Coffman is convinced verifying, "I pulled the manual "rip cord" and before I could count to 3 the vest was fully inflated! I was surprised that it inflated so quickly and quietly, no boom or pop! After inflation the PFD was lightweight and fit securely. I'm anxious to use it on my next canoe or boat fishing trip as the range of motion for tying on lures, casting, or paddling was not impeded at all!" photos by Lee Walker.

Karen Green is the wife of VAC Member Gary Green and lives in Mineral, VA. Karen angling has been focused on salt water and much of it was spent in Florida waters. In 2005, she boated the largest speckled trout and red fish caught by members of the Gainesville (FL) Offshore Fishing Club during that year. In the past five years, Karen's catch list included a colorful array of red fish, blue fish, scarlet snapper and yellow snapper. Her main interest in angling is inshore saltwater. Karen's picture records her first king salmon (26 lbs.) caught early on a rainy morning on the Kasilof River while fishing near Soldotna, AK.



Damian Seckora is a neighbor of Stam Niou. Stam brought Damien, his son Michael and friend Tony Notaroberto as his guests to the Fish Fry. Damien lives in Midlothian, VA. Damien's membership application listed a nice mix of salt and fresh water caught in the past five years. His preference is saltwater fishing.

Meet these two new members at the June 26<sup>th</sup> Membership Meeting.

**SHEPHERD AND MURRY DOUBLE WINNERS AT FISH FRY**

In addition to the monthly raffle for the Green Top Sporting Goods gift certificate, the Fish Fry featured two additional opportunities to win something to take home. A Chatillon scale was offered as the prize for the distance casting contest and a second Chatillon scale was offered as the prize for the highest accumulated accuracy casting points. The scales were generously donated by Green Top Sporting Goods. Long hours casting on the James River paid off for Fred Murray who won both casting events. The two World Record mounts and framed certificates were won by Bob Shepherd. Eddy J. (Johnston) Noland won the drawing for the Green Top monthly gift certificate. The evening seemed a little strange with no Noland coming forth to claim any of these five awards.

**HELP KEEP ANGLING LEGAL – REPORT VIOLATIONS**

**Freshwater**

**If you suspect or witness an angling or hunting violation, report it to VADGIF Wildlife Crimeline at 1-800-237-5712.**

**Saltwater**

**If you have a need to report to the VA Marine Resources Commission any emergency, boating accident or other violation, call the Marine Police Dispatch Center toll free at 1-800-541-4646**

## TOP ARTIFICIAL BAITES FOR SUNFISH\*

(From the 6-13-12 Issue of the DGIF (electronic) OUTDOOR REPORT)

By Chris Dunnivant, VDGIF Angling Education Coordinator

Sunfish are plentiful in Virginia's lakes, ponds, rivers and streams and they are a lot of fun to catch – especially with artificials. The most common in our waters include bluegill, redear, redbreast, pumpkinseed and warmouth. For other species such as bass, there are thousands of lures and techniques to choose from, but the lure selection is much simpler with sunfish and they are typically easier to catch.

The following are my top lures for sunfish. I will fish all of them on 2-4 lb. monofilament line. I fish with larger rods and reels than the common ultra-light and micro outfits. A larger reel gives me a bigger spool for increased casting distance, smoother drag and higher gear ratio. A longer rod assists in longer, more accurate casts and allows for greater control of my lure and the fish once hooked. I often use a 5' to 5 1/2' light action rod with 2 lb. test and 6' to 7' medium-light to medium action rod when using 4 lb. test.

**Curley Tail Grub** – The grub is the mainstay for sunfish and if I could fish with only one bait; this would be it. In clear water or for finicky fish use a 1" grub on a 1/32 oz. jighead with 2 lb. line. For aggressive or larger fish, use a 1.5"-2" grub on a 1/16 oz. head. For deeper water, heavy current or wind; scale up to a 3/32 or 1/8 oz head. I prefer jigheads without a collar. Plastic grubs will last a lot longer and stay on well. The bulky collar often tears up the grub after catching a few fish. Retrieve with a steady swimming action and adjust your rod angle and speed to control the depth of your bait.

**Trout Magnet** – It may be designed for trout, but it will flat out catch the sunfish. Use the smallest swivel you can buy, #10 or #12, above about 12-18" of 4-6 lb. test mono leader to prevent line twist and to add a little weight. Cast out and let it fall naturally through the water column; this is when most strikes will occur. Hop it a couple times after the initial fall and let it fall again, then reel it in and try another cast.



**Slider Grub** – This grub has a small paddle type tail that is more subtle than a curly tail grub. I use this for larger sunfish, when fish are nipping at a curly tail or in cold water when I want less action. I often shorten the bait by clipping off the tip of the grub at the first or second rib.

**Garland Baby Shad** – A shad shape grub that has a straight tail and is perfect for vertical presentations, deep water or fishing on the bottom. The erratic fall and natural minnow shape is irresistible.

**Beetle Spin** – A classic! Use the smallest 2 sizes, 1/32 and 1/16 oz. These baits typically come with a straight body grub, but any grub can be used in its place. They are very weedless which makes them great for beginners. Fish with a steady retrieve to keep the blade spinning.

**Thill Night 'N Day Float, •'be" Oval** – This is not a lure, but a must-have tool for sunfish. Works perfect for presentations along deeper weed-lines, around boat docks or when fish are not in a chase mood. Any float will work, but the Thill float is tops!

Fishing for sunfish with artificials opens up a new and fun dimension in fishing that is often overlooked. Not only is it sporting to catch these feisty fish on light tackle, but catching a variety of species such as bass, crappie, pickerel and catfish is common. Give it a try and you will be hooked!

Listen for "The Weekly Wildlife Segment" with Chris Dunnivant, Saturdays, 9-11 am during the "The Weekend" with Anthony Oppermann on Richmond Sports Radio 910 - WRNL -AM. Listen to the latest or past segments on the YouTube channel, theopps83.

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## Boat/Motor/Trailer FOR SALE

### 20-0' Alumacraft (welded) Center Console - year 2010

115 HP Yamaha O/B 2-stroke motor with starting battery (warranty thru 2014)

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2 - Pedestal seats

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Anchor and line

Boat and motor covers

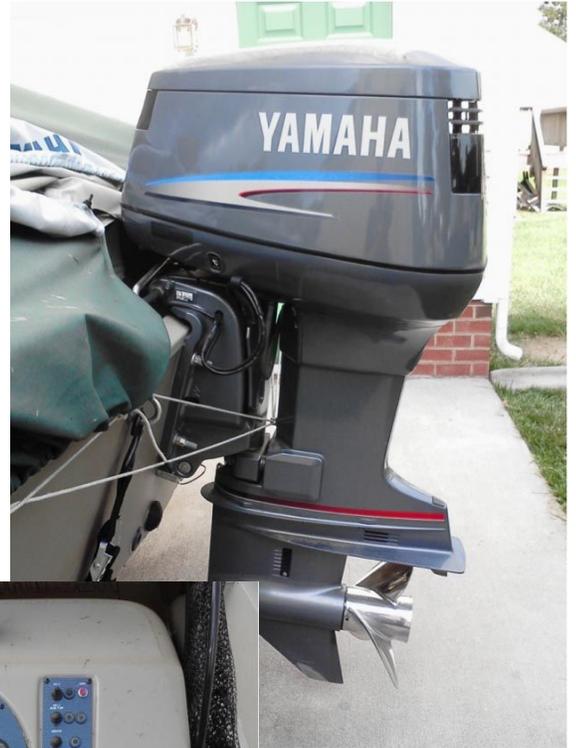
#### *Note:*

Very low hours. Used less than 10 times.

#### *Contact:*

Buddy Noland for details (804) 691-0615

*Price: \$15,500*



## Tournament News

### Virginia/Carolina Flounder: July 21-22 (blow date following weekend)

Doormat flounder action will peak in mid summer and we have a tournament right on time. The tournament is open to all Virginia and North Carolina waters. Popular spots for large flounder this time of year include the buoy 36 area and the Chesapeake Bay Bridge Tunnel in VA. Inlets and wrecks are most popular in NC. We will recognize three places for heaviest weight fish and three places for highest point fish. First = 3 pts. Second = 2 pts. Third = 1 pt. These points will apply towards the annual Saltwater Tournament Angler of the Year competition. A fish can be entered by weight or points (angler must declare which category) but not both ways for 1 fish. One angler can enter only two fish. It is possible to win both weight and points divisions by entering 2 different fish. Call in entries within 24 hours from end of tournament to Angling Activities Chairman Parks Rountrey 804-349-6001. You cannot change the entry category once you have registered it with the Chairman.

You do not need to fill out cards. Tournament First Place Awards for weight and points = Anglers Choice: Traditional pewter cup, \$40 Green Top gift certificate or a VAC Banquet ticket. Contact Chairman to confirm event if weather is questionable.



## VIRGINIA ANGLERS CLUB - 6/10/12

SPECIES	ANGLER	WEIGHT	LN	DIV.	PTS	DATE	LOCATION	BAIT
<b>2012 SPECIES LEADERS - SALTWATER</b>								
BASS, BLACK SEA	JH Sheffield	2-12	6	Spin	203	1/6/12	65 Deg. Tower, NC	Hopkins
BASS, STRIPED	JH Sheffield	42-0	6	Gen	560	12/31/11	Eastern Shore, VA	Eel
BLUEFISH	M Kodroff	11-0	12	Plug	122	12/15/11	Oregon Inlet, NC	Jig
CROAKER	Johnny Wetlaufer	1-7	6	Spin	129	5/3/12	Rappahannock River, VA	Fin-S Fish
<b>DRUM, RED</b>	<b>B Shepherd</b>	<b>36-0</b>	<b>50-0</b>	<b>Surf</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>5/6/12</b>	<b>Eastern Shore, VA</b>	<b>Peeler Crab</b>
SEATROUT, SPOTTED	F Cousins	8-6	2	Spin	558	12/27/11	Elizabeth River, VA	Mirrolure

<b>2012 SPECIES LEADERS - FRESHWATER</b>								
BASS, LARGEMOUTH	F Cousins	6-14	2	Spin	458	4/20/12	Elly's Pond, VA	Artificial Worm
<b>BASS, ROCK &amp; ROANOKEW</b>	<b>Nicar</b>	<b>1-2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Spin</b>	<b>296</b>	<b>5/16/12</b>	<b>Nottoway River, VA</b>	<b>Crankbait</b>
<b>CARP</b>	<b>S Lee</b>	<b>18-0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Spin</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>5/21/12</b>	<b>Private Pond, VA</b>	<b>Tube Jig</b>
CATFISH, BLUE	B Shepherd	52-0	6	Gen	489	2/3/12	James River, VA	Cut Shad
CATFISH, FLATHEAD	RJ Brown	27-0	4	Gen	365	12/2/11	James River, VA	Cut Bait
CRAPPIE, ALL	Robbie Robinson	1-11	2	Plug	267	2/18/12	Chickahominy River, VA	Blade Bait
GAR, ALL	F Cousins	9-14	2	Plug	359	1/7/12	James River, VA	Grub
PERCH, WHITE	ES Johnston	1-0	2	Fly	333	4/3/12	James River, VA	Fly
PERCH, YELLOW	Robbie Robinson	1-9	2	Plug	411	3/3/12	Chickahominy River, VA	Blade Bait
PICKERAL, CHAIN	F Cousins	3-1	2	Gen	306	12/9/11	Lake Cohoon, VA	Art. Worm
SHAD, AMERICAN	M Kodroff	4-0	4	Spin	239	3/13/12	Tar River, NC	Dart
SHAD, HICKORY	F Cousins	2-4	2	Fly	321	3/13/12	Roanoke River, VA	Shad Fly
SUNFISH, ALL	B Shepherd	1-0	2	Spin	263	3/17/12	Private Pond, VA	Grub
SUNFISH, REDEAR	D Nobles	0-10	2	Fly	125	4/14/12	King William Pond, VA	Wooly Bugger
<b>SUNFISH, REDEAR</b>	<b>W Nicar</b>	<b>2-0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Gen</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>5/2/12</b>	<b>Western Branch, VA</b>	<b>Night Crawler</b>
<b>TROUT, RAINBOW</b>	<b>D Nobles</b>	<b>3-8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Fly</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>6/2/12</b>	<b>Mossey Creek, VA</b>	<b>Wooley Bugger</b>

<b>2012 DIVISION LEADERS - SALTWATER</b>								
SEATROUT, SPOTTED	F Cousins	8-6	2	Spin	558	12/27/11	Elizabeth River, VA	Mirrolure
BLUEFISH	M Kodroff	11-0	12	Plug	122	12/15/11	Oregon Inlet, NC	Jig
BASS, STRIPED	A Campbell	26-8	12	Fly	331	12/29/11	York River, VA	Half & Half Fly
<b>BASS, STRIPED</b>	<b>JH Sheffield</b>	<b>42-0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>Gen</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>12/31/11</b>	<b>Eastern Shore, VA</b>	<b>Eel</b>
<b>DRUM, RED</b>	<b>B Shepherd</b>	<b>36-0</b>	<b>50-0</b>	<b>Surf</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>5/6/12</b>	<b>Eastern Shore, VA</b>	<b>Peeler Crab</b>

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BASS, BLACK SEA	JH Sheffield	2-12
BASS, STRIPED	L Houser	45-0
BLUEFISH	M Kodroff	11-0
CROAKER	Johnny Wetlaufer	1-7
<b>DRUM, RED</b>	<b>B Shepherd</b>	<b>36-</b>
SEATROUT, SPOTTED	F Cousins	8-6

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BASS, LARGEMOUTH	F Cousins	6-14
<b>BASS, ROCK &amp; ROANOKEW</b>	<b>Nicar</b>	<b>1-2</b>
<b>CARP</b>	<b>S Lee</b>	<b>18-0</b>
CATFISH, BLUE	B Shepherd	52-0
CATFISH, FLATHEAD	RJ Brown	27-0
CRAPPIE, ALL	W Nicar	1-15
GAR, ALL	F Cousins	9-14
PERCH, WHITE	GN Carter	1-6
PERCH, YELLOW	Robbie Robinson	1-9
PICKERAL, CHAIN	F Cousins	3-1
SHAD, AMERICAN	M Kodroff	4-0
SHAD, HICKORY	A Campbell	3-0
SUNFISH, ALL	B Shepherd	1-0
SUNFISH, REDEAR	D Nobles	0-10
<b>SUNFISH, REDEAR</b>	<b>W Nicar</b>	<b>2-0</b>
<b>TROUT, RAINBOW</b>	<b>D Nobles</b>	<b>3-8</b>

### TOP YOUTH CATCHES - FRESHWATER (LOCAL)

SUNFISH, ALL	Claire Watkinson (5 yrs.)	0-9	2	Spin	148	4/30/12	Private Pond, VA	Plastic Grub	0-6 yo
<b>PERCH, WHITE</b>	<b>Ryan Farley (age 9)</b>	<b>0-12</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Spin</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>5/17/12</b>	<b>Lodge Creek, VA</b>	<b>Red Head Jig</b>	<b>7-12 yo</b>

### NEW CLUB RECORDS - SALTWATER

SEATROUT, SPOTTED	F Cousins	8-6	2	Spin	558	12/27/11	Elizabeth River, VA	Mirrolure
BASS, STRIPED	L Houser	45-0	16	Gen	281	12/23/11	Chesapeake Bay, VA	Eel
BASS, STRIPED	A Campbell	26-8	12	Fly	331	12/29/11	York River, VA	Half & Half Fly
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PERCH, WHITE	GN Carter	1-6	8	Fly	269	4/1/12	James River, VA	Shad Fly
CATFISH, FLATHEAD	L Houser	23-8	8	Plug	267	4/13/12	James River, VA	Silver Buddy
SUNFISH, ALL	D Nobles	0-11	2	Fly	229	4/14/12	King William Pond, VA	Wooly Bugger
SUNFISH, REDEAR	D Nobles	0-10	2	Fly	125	4/14/12	King William Pond, VA	Wooly Bugger

### HIGHEST POINT NON-LOCAL CATCH - SALTWATER (LOCAL)

<b>PERMIT</b>	<b>D Nobles</b>	<b>18-0</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>Fly</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>5/8/12</b>	<b>Key West, FL</b>	<b>Crab Imitation Fly</b>
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# Robert Thomas

## Fishing Adventures

Fly Casting & Fly Tying Instruction  
Equipment: Rods, Reels, Lines, etc.  
Fly Tying Materials & Tools  
Hosted Trips

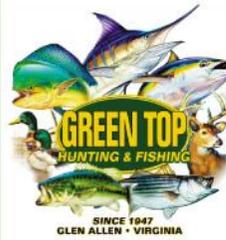
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