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Virginia Beach Anglers' Club

TIGHT LINES

November 2013

Fish Bites

Fishing report by Russell Willoughby

October 15- Caught the limits of puppy drum.
Great bite going on now! Left 'em biting.



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Events

November 2: *ADOPT A SPOT*

November 7: Club Meeting at Foundry
United Methodist *Chris Belcher* from Bull
Island Outdoors, on rockfish

November 6-9: *Cape Hatteras Surf
Tournament*

November 21: Board Meeting

December 5: Christmas Party, General
Elections

December 13-14: VBAC Rockfish Rodeo

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or remove your name from this list.*

Nags Head Surf Tournament

Andy's 19"
puppy drum



Adopt-a-Spot

We had 7 members join in the November 2nd, VBAC Adopt a Spot Clean-Up. It was the last clean up of the 2013 year. Thank you all for all your help! Come join us on January 4th to start off the 2014 Adopt-a-spot cleanup year. Make it your new Year's resolution to help out VBAC community service programs! Again, thanks to all who have helped us continue our focused service project. You make a great impact on our community.



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Additionally, BULL ISLAND OUTDOORS offers:

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When: Sunday, November 10th: 8am-4pm (mainly for beginners)

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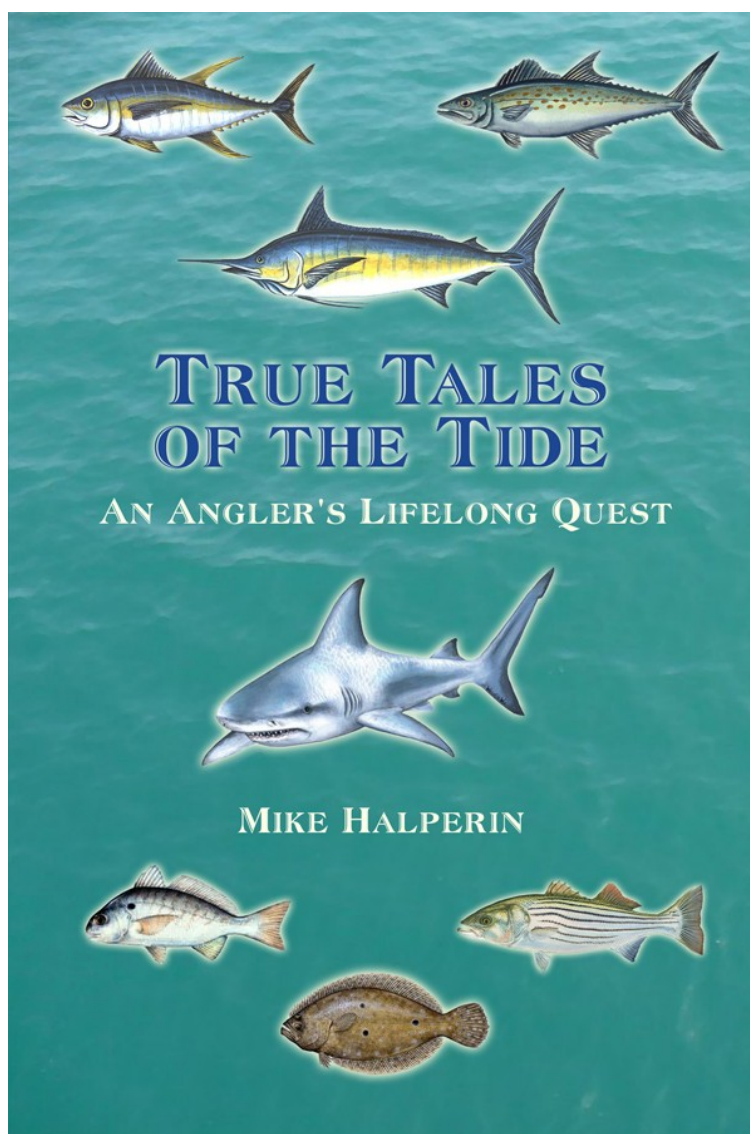
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Check out Mike's on-line fishing column for the City of Virginia Beach on Shore Lines at www.vbfun.com/visitors/shorelinesblog
Visit there to see the latest area catches under Shorelines by m.halperin.



Happy Holidays to All!

1st Annual VBAC Fall Fishing Flea Market...



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VBAC MISSION & OBJECTIVES

The purpose of the Virginia Beach Anglers' Club is to encourage sport fishing, both freshwater and saltwater, while supporting prudent governmental and other policies that promote the preservation, conservation and ecology of all marine life.

Our objectives are to:

- Monitor legislative and regulatory activities relating to management of local and regional fisheries and participating actively, where appropriate, to assure the adoption of sound management policy and practices that best serve the interests of VBAC members.
- Promote interest and participation in recreational angling by conducting programs and activities that encourage sport fishing.
- Educate members and others in the techniques of sport fishing to enhance their enjoyment of the sport.
- Conduct social activities that create a wholesome climate for deriving the maximum pleasure from sport fishing by members, their families and guests.
- Plan and conduct fundraising activities to provide the revenues needed to support these objectives.

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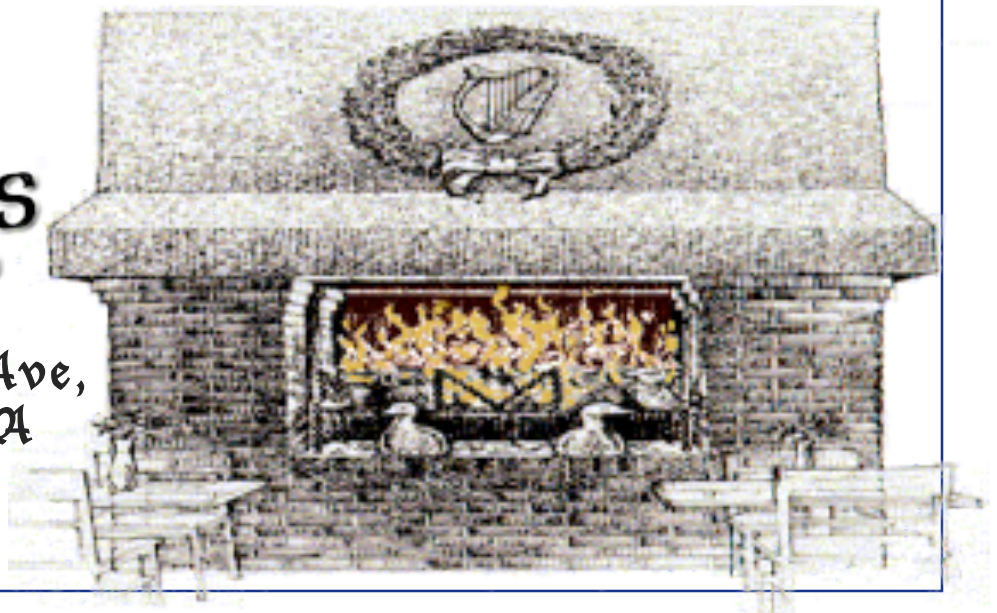
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