

NAC - Hook, Line & Chatter



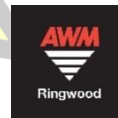
March 2026

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Committee – Greg Sherar, Phill Coats, Rob Mennilli, Terry Minette, Graeme Nicol



Next General Meeting:- 15th April 2026

There's been a bit happening since the last newsletter:-

Feb 4th was the Sinker making night at Greg Sherar's property. Thanks Greg for the use of the shed and equipment. A range of sinkers were produced for those present.

Feb 18th – In place of a general meeting a Burley night was organised (at Greg's again! And Thanks again). Donations of frozen bait along with pellets Tuna Oil etc went into the grinder. The "product" was then packed into plastic temp spouting and cable tied into Burley Packs. Word is the Burley goes alright from those that have used it!

Feb 20th a few members headed to Port Welshpool and a number of Gummys were landed along with a few Flathead. A good time was had by all and the menu at the Rusty Gurnard didn't disappoint. There was also a skills session on Tyre changing organised at the last minute!!!



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Mar 4th was a special talk night delivered by Nikki of Purple Patch Fishing. Nikki had plenty of good info for the upcoming Lake Tyers Comp.

Mar 6-9th NAC travelled to Lake Tyers for an InterClub Comp against Gippsland Lakes Angling Club. Reports are that the hospitality from GLAC was appreciated with members utilising the local taxi service (wise decision) Not too many Flatties hit the nets but the standout was a 73cm boated by Greg Sherar. That along with 3 other Duskie caught by Graeme O'Toole. The Inaugural Comp resulted in NAC bringing home the magnificent Trophy.



As many of you are aware this year has been one of a relaunch for NAC. There have been a few new initiatives introduced and for the first time in the history of NAC we are going to have a Presentation Night (July 17th at Mullum Rooms). These initiatives have not been without teething problems but like everything new, once people get the hang of it things will run smoother. One of the new initiatives is the NAC "End to End" Comp. This is where Anglers take a photo of their catch on a Brag Mat along with their ID card and the lengths of one fish per species are added together to finish up with a total length of catch for the year. You can upgrade during the year eg You catch a 40 cm Snapper in Sept and send the photo in, In Oct you bag a 55cm Snapper, the photo of this fish replaces your 40cm fish. Below is the standing of those that have submitted photos to the NAC Members messenger group.

