

The Villages Deep Sea Fishing Club - August Newsletter



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Greetings Members

Well, 24 Club members and guests are venturing out on Monday, July 31st for a 4-day fishing bonanza on The American Patriot. It should be an incredible trip as we head out about 125 miles west of Key West to a place called Pulley Ridge. This marks the first time our Club has staged a trip of this magnitude. We will be fishing depths of approximately 300 feet and will be utilizing a range of techniques that include bottom fishing, jig fishing, trolling, and anything else our members can come up with. I'm hoping there are some friendships to be formed, fish tales to be made, and lots of laughs and camaraderie to be had. Hopefully, it will be the start of some incredible multi-day charter options. We will have lots of pictures and videos from the trip and will post these to our Facebook page as well as showcase our trip at the September meeting. Stay tuned for all the highlights.

We hope you are taking advantage of the fantastic fishing opportunities our Trip Coordinators work very hard to bring to you each month. Please make an effort to get out on at least 1 charter. Your participation makes our Club even stronger and ensures that Captains will continue to offer our Club the number of fishing days and variety of trips we've enjoyed over the years. Captains are reporting the fish bite is very active. [CLICK HERE](#) for the latest charters available. Our trip coordinators are eager to get you signed up and out fishing. Now it's up to you!!!

***** NEWS *****

NEWS FLASH... shallow water grouper trips.

Capt. Louie Agriro out of Shrimps Landing in Crystal River has announced that his Sep. trips for shallow water grouper must be filled by our Aug. monthly meeting (Aug. 7). If not, he will take them back and fill himself. This tells you just how successful these trips are. He is offering the club \$100 discount from his regular price per trip. His fees are: \$1000 for 3, \$1100 for 4 and the available dates are Sep. 11, 12, 18, & 19. In the gulf you can still harvest 2 gag grouper and he nearly always limited out last year. <https://www.deepseafishingclub.org/louie-argiro.html>
Contact Coordinator: Jim Scheer (352) 643-0433 jamesbscheer@gmail.com to sign up right away or you can do so at the Aug. 7 meeting. After that, any trip not filled will be gone.

*****NEWS*****



**Monthly Club meeting is Monday, August 7
at Everglades Rec Center**

The monthly meeting of The Villages Deep Sea Fishing Club will be on **Monday, August 7, 2023**, at the Everglades Recreation Center. Our guest speaker this month will be For this month's meeting, our guest speaker will be Captain Jimmy Tibleer Of BVO Fishing Charters out of New Smyrna Beach. Captain Jimmy will talk about the inshore and offshore charters he offers. For more information about him and his charters, click [HERE](#). As always, the doors will open at 6 PM and the meeting will start around 6:30 PM. Don't forget your Villages ID card for entry.



[Latest fishing Regulations on our website](#)

All the latest Florida fish and game regulations for the Gulf of Mexico and the Atlantic Ocean are now available on our website. The site also contains charts on the time of year that is best for each species. Click [HERE](#) to view the latest regulations. So, before you head out on your next charter, be sure to check out what species you are allowed to keep, what size limits are in effect, and any other requirements that you should know.



[Staying hydrated during the hot days](#)

It's important for anglers to make sure they are drinking enough fluids while out fishing. Remember, it is important to drink water before, during, and after your time on the water. You may think that you are not exerting yourself a great deal while fishing. That's simply not true. Your body continues to sweat and that leads to dehydration. The exact amounts of water needed vary from individual to individual (gender,

exercise environment, type of exercise, and intensity of exercise are all factors).

How can you prevent dehydration?

- **Don't wait until you are thirsty! Thirst is an early sign of dehydration and if you wait until you are thirsty, you have already begun to dehydrate.**
- **Drink water before, during, and after exercise.**
- **Dress for the environment.**
- **Be especially mindful if you are wearing rain jackets or ponchos on a rainy day.**

Be smart while out on the water. We want to see you at your best!



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We welcome your comments, speaker or program ideas, questions, tell us what's on your mind, or simply a message to tell us we're doing a great job! [CLICK HERE](#) to send us a message.

Until next month - Tight Lines!!