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**Vice President: Ed Eich    Treasurer: Steve Newman    Secretary: Ida Donegan**  
[Send us an email](#) - We'd love to hear your thoughts!



## Greetings Members

December is the last month to take advantage of fantastic Grouper fishing in the Gulf of Mexico. Next year's recreational season for Gag Grouper in Gulf state waters will be open from September 1st until November 10th. According to the FWC, the modification "is intended to prevent overfishing, improve stock abundance, and help ensure future gag fishing opportunities." This regulation change will impact the Club's ability to offer charter options in most of 2023. **Don't delay** . . . get your Grouper charter booked now and don't miss out.

As always, your active participation will help our Club become even stronger. Sign up for a charter, get involved with the Club operations, or both. If you have any ideas on what we can do to improve our Club, please drop us a note and share your thoughts.

## December Meeting

**Monday, December 5<sup>th</sup>** is our [monthly meeting](#) at Everglades Rec. Center. Doors open at 6 PM and the meeting will begin at 6:30 PM. The guest speaker is a representative from the Sumter County Sheriff's Department. The topic is a subject important to all of us and is entitled "Vial of Life" - how to keep your property in the Villages safe. **Your Villages ID card is needed.**

## Club Vice President nominations being accepted

There is an opening for Club Vice President effective January 1, 2023. Ed Eich, our current VP, is stepping down for personal reasons. The term will be for 1 year. Per the Club's By-Laws, nominations will be presented at the December meeting. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Ken Jagodzinski at (386)-986-7655.



## Share a ride to Club meetings

Hey Club members, help out a fellow member with a ride to a monthly meeting. If you live North of route 466 and want to help out a member(s) get to meetings, drop us a note and let us know you can help. If interested [CLICK HERE](#) to send us an email.

We will convey your information to the member looking for a ride.

**Membership Renewal** - it's that time again. You have until March 31, 2023, to pay your **\$10 annual** membership renewal. You can pay at a club meeting or send in your check to . . .

**Ida Donegan**

**DSFC Secretary**

**1884 Sagamore St.**

**The Villages, FL 32162**

**(Check payable to DSFC)**



## **DSFC Gift Certificates are now available**

Want that special gift for the person that has everything? Send them a gift certificate for something they love to do - Go on a saltwater fishing trip. It won't take up any space in the closet or a dresser drawer and trust me, it will get used. If you are at a loss for a holiday or special occasion gift or you just want to send something to show you care and are thinking of them... click on this link to send a [Go Fishing Gift Certificate](#). You'll be glad you did.



## **Fishing Club Apparel makes a great Holiday gift**

The Club has partnered with Custom Apparel to provide official Deep Sea Fishing Club apparel at terrific prices. You can order online or stop by and see their selections and place a custom order. The store is located at 3451 Wedgewood Lane in the Southern Trace Plaza. You can also [CLICK HERE](#) for more info.



**Available fishing charters for December** We've got lots of opportunities to go fishing in December. [CLICK HERE](#) to see the latest schedule.

### **Test your fishing club knowledge (answers below)**

- 1.) How do you book a charter and get out fishing?
- 2.) How do I renew my membership dues?
- 3.) My kids are looking for a great Holiday gift for me. How do I give them a few ideas?
- 4.) I have a neighbor that's looking to join the Club. What do I tell him?
- 5.) I had a monster day of Grouper fishing and am looking for a different recipe to prepare it. Got any ideas?

### **Answers**

- 1.) Click on [THIS LINK](#)
- 2.) That's an easy one. Click [HERE](#)
- 3.) Another easy one. Just [CLICK HERE](#) for the answer
- 4.) We made that one simple. Click [HERE](#) to find the answer
- 5.) WOW we're on a roll! A simple [CLICK HERE](#) gets you multiple suggestions

Congratulations, you get the prize!!!! Our website contains a wealth of information on anything you need or want to know about our fishing Club. Have fun and explore!!!!

***Until next month, "Tight Lines"***