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Greetings Members

August was a terrific month for your Deep Sea Fishing Club. Despite a long stretch of incredibly hot days, our members got out fishing and have some amazing stories to tell. Here are just a few of the **highlights**:

- Club members **Scott Demarest, Dave Easton, and Jeff Neuman** went shark fishing with Carl Robinson out of Cedar Key on Aug. 22 (or thereabouts). What a day they had! Caught 20 sharks including Scott's 8 ft. hammerhead ([Click here to see video and pics](#)). They also caught a couple of small black tips which they kept to eat. In all, a terrific day fishing!
- The Club's first-ever multi-day trip on **The American Patriot** was a huge success. Despite the hot weather, 21 Club members and 3 guests caught their limit of American Red Snapper and numerous other species. Fish stories were created, friends were made, and

freezers are now stocked with plenty of great fish. Great job by all who made this a successful trip. ([Click here to see the recap](#)).

- Six Club members ventured out from Ponce Inlet, FL on August 15th for a 12-hour Club trip on the **Waterproof**. The gang caught their limits of Amberjacks and Vermillion Snappers and also caught 3 nice Kingfish and a Wahoo! They also released one sailfish. As always, Captain Tim and Mate Cody did another outstanding job!



Lastly, 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. [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!!!



Deep Sea Fishing Club Fall Fish Fry Picnic

Thursday, November 2, 2023

WHERE: CAMP GENEVA

36450 Via Marcia, FRUITLAND PARK

WHEN: 11 AM TO 3 PM

WHO: Members and spouses/partners only, please

COST - \$12.00 Per Person

Where to get tickets - Club meetings at Everglades Recreation Center

- **Monday, September 4th**
- **Monday, October 2**

OR, Contact Everett Belter 2026 San Leonardo Way (352) 753-5931

**REMINDER - Water and soda will be provided by the Club.
If you want adult beverages it's BYOB, please.**

**WE WELCOME YOUR FROZEN FISH DONATIONS.
Coolers will be available at both Club meetings to accept
your donation.**

Volunteers are greatly appreciated!

**Monthly Club meeting is Monday, September 4th at
Everglades Rec Center**

The monthly meeting of The Villages Deep Sea Fishing Club will be on **Monday, September 4, 2023**, at the Everglades Recreation Center. **For the Sep 4th meeting (Labor Day). We are asking members to share their fish stories and tales (or lies) at the meeting. Come prepared!** 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.



**4-day Pulley Ridge Deep Drop trip - ONLY 2
SPOTS LEFT**

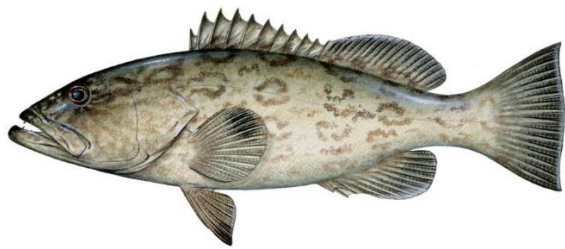
If your bucket list has a long-haul fishing trip on it and you want to experience fishing at depths of over 800 feet with electric reels, **you need to act fast!** Your Deep Sea Fishing Club is heading to Pulley Ridge on The American Patriot for deep drop (electric reel) fishing on an exciting 4-day trip. **Get your spot as this trip is almost full!**

Monday, October 21 thru Thursday, October 24, 2024

COST - \$1,650 (+Mate and Chef tip)

Electric reel rental is available for an extra charge. Fish cleaning is available at reasonable rates.

Contact Ken Jagodzinski for more information (386) 986-7655 or to get signed up.



Gag Grouper season opens September 1st

Get ready for some great fishing when the recreational Gag Grouper season **in the Gulf of Mexico** starts September 1st and ends November 10th, 2023, or sooner if catch limits are achieved. A legal "keeper" Grouper must be 24 inches in total length and will carry a daily bag limit of 2 fish. Come experience the thrill of catching this fighting fish on numerous Club charters that are available for members. [CLICK HERE](#) to see the charters.



Deep Sea Fishing Club Media Sites -

Everything you need to know about Our Club is at your fingertips. It's easy! Click here to go to our [WEBSITE](#), bookmark it, and come back often for breaking news and updates. We also have a new [Facebook page](#). "**LIKE**" the page and "Follow" it. You can post your fishing trip photos, share your fishing experiences, or simply see the fishing experiences of other members. If you want us to post pictures for you, simply email them to dsfcpictures@gmail.com and include a brief description.



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!!