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As per Environmental Conservation Law 13-0338, New York State law now requires that all participants use non-stainless steel non-offset circle hooks exclusively.

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23RD ANNUAL MAKO, THRESHER & TUNA TOURNAMENT

\$15,000 IN CASH, PLUS TROPHIES!



**OVER \$100K IN
CASH AND
PRIZES IN 2014!**

CAPTAIN'S MEETING & BEER BUST

Thursday Night, August 20, 2015

TOURNAMENT FISHING

2 DAYS OR OVERNIGHT

Friday, August 21 - Saturday, August 22, 2015

STAR ISLAND YACHT CLUB & MARINA

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New for 2015:

Get your reservation in early, because Star Island Yacht Club & Marina's 23rd Annual Mako, Thresher and Tuna Tournament is guaranteed to be our best one yet. For the first time, we have expanded the tournament beyond sharks to include any species of tuna, including Blue Fin. As part of this expansion, we have also increased the number of prize categories and raised the total prize amount to \$15,000.

Also new for 2015, you may now fish overnight. We often heard from participants in the past that they would have liked to stay out overnight, in the event they didn't have fish to weigh in for the first day, or if they weighed in earlier and wanted to get a headstart on Day Two. You can now do this; however, you can only weigh in one shark per day. Provided that National Marine Fisheries regulations are followed, you may weigh in more than one tuna per day and may weigh in tuna multiple times per day.

We have also made a number of improvements around Star Island to better accommodate our guests and tournament participants. We are pleased to announce that we now have high-speed fuel pumps available at all of our slips. In another change, the Star Island Grill welcomes our new chef, Tom. When you are here, you will have to check out its updated and expanded menu.

We hope to see you this year!

2014 TOURNAMENT WINNERS:

WEIGHT	BOAT NAME	CAPTAIN/ANGLER	PRIZE
Heaviest Mako: 205 lbs.	"Scott Free"	Capt Scott Shapiro Angler: Matt Fuller	\$2,500
2nd Heaviest Mako: 186 lbs.	"Tiramisu"	Capt. Joe Letizia Angler: Ray Cooke	\$1,500
3rd Heaviest Mako: 172 lbs.	"Rigger"	Capt. Tom Brown Angler: Mike Higgins	\$1,000
Heaviest Thresher: 224 lbs.	"Janusz"	Capt. John Lowe Angler: Jay Sutphen	\$2,500

Total Prize Money: \$145,000.00 + Custom Trophies and Other Prizes
 Total Entries: 47; Number of Boats: 47; Number of Anglers: 180
 Number of Makos Weighed: 8 Number of Threshers Weighed: 1

2015 PRIZES:

(BASED ON MINIMUM OF 25 BOATS)

Heaviest Mako	\$2,500
2nd Heaviest Mako	\$1,500
3rd Heaviest Mako	\$1,000
Heaviest Thresher	\$2,500
2nd Heaviest Thresher	\$1,500
3rd Heaviest Thresher	\$1,000
Heaviest Tuna	\$2,500
2nd Heaviest Tuna	\$1,500
3rd Heaviest Tuna	\$1,000
Total	\$15,000

23RD Annual Mako, Thresher and Tuna Tournament:

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Thurs., August 20, 2015	Captain's Meeting	7:30 PM
Fri., August 21, 2015	Coffee/Danish	5:00 AM
	Fishing	6:00 AM
	Coffee/Danish	5:00 AM
Sat., August 22, 2015	Fishing	Return by 5:00 PM
	Awards	7:30 PM

NEW FOR 2015 - OVERNIGHT FISHING

RULES & REGULATIONS:

- As per Environmental Conservation Law 13-0338, New York State law now requires that all participants use non-stainless steel non-offset circle hooks exclusively.
- All boats must sail from and return through Lake Montauk each fishing day.
- Each boat will be issued a tournament number, which must be prominently displayed in the port side cabin window.
- No boat may leave the inlet before 6:00 A.M on Friday. In order to weigh in, all boats must return through the inlet and have checked in with a committee boat by 6:00 P.M. on Friday and 5:00 P.M. on Saturday. However, if you do not have a fish to weigh in, or if you have weighed in, and want to go out again for overnight fishing, you may. **While you are only allowed to bring in one shark per weigh-in period, you may bring in as many tuna of any species, including Blue Fin, in accordance with National Maritime Fisheries rules.**
- The weigh-in scale will be open Friday 6:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M; Saturday 6:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.
- Minimum weight on all Makos is 100 lbs. Threshers, 150 lbs. Tuna will be measured in inches as per National Maritime Fisheries rules. Minimum Tuna size will be decided by National Maritime Fisheries rules at the time of the tournament.
- Fish weighed that do not meet the minimum weight may count against a team's qualifying fish weight.
- All I.G.F.A. tackle rules apply. Use of mammal blood or flesh is strictly prohibited. No guns, bang sticks or harpoons.
- Fishing will be held each scheduled day, Captain's choice, no weather committee. Only one day needs to be fished for the tournament to be considered official.
- All boats must clear the inlet and check in with the committee boat by 6:00 P.M. on Friday and 5:00 P.M on Saturday. Weights will be rounded to the nearest pound, with exact 1/2 lbs. being rounded up.
- In the event of fewer than 25 boat entries, the prize money will be adjusted accordingly in proportion to the number of entries.
- Should there be a tie in any cash prize category, the prize money will be divided equally among the winners.
- In the event of a boat disability, contestants are allowed to transfer to another boat not entered in the Tournament, and fish in the name of the original. Fish may not be transferred to another boat.
- Any protests must be presented, at the time of the alleged infraction, to the Tournament Directors. They, and the Weighmaster, shall serve as judges in such cases and their decision is final.
- In the event of a two-day blow, as per boat safety and judge's decision, prize monies and trophies will be awarded by a drawing.

ENTRY FORM:

FOR RESERVATIONS: EMAIL, FAX, MAIL, PHONE

RETURNING CUSTOMER

SPECIAL REQUESTS: _____

NAME: _____ CUSTOMER #: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY/TOWN: _____

STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE # H: _____ CELL: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

VESSEL NAME: _____

LENGTH: _____ BEAM: _____ YEAR: _____

MAKE: _____ MODEL: _____

ELECTRIC: 30 AMP 50 AMP 100 AMP

CC#: _____

EXPIRATION DATE: _____ SECURITY CODE: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

DEPOSIT: _____

BALANCE: _____

CANCELLATION POLICY: There is a 15-day cancellation policy for the tournament entry. Dockage: A credit will be issued if the slip is re-rented for the tournament. Dockage credit can be utilized before Labor Day on Sunday-Thursday nights, excluding holidays and tournament dates. Dockage credits can be utilized on any day after Labor Day, excluding tournament and holiday dates. Dockage is subject to availability. All cancellations must be faxed or emailed. Credit must be used within one year of the dockage reservation date.

RESERVATION DATES

ARRIVAL (After 12pm): _____
 DEPART (Before 12pm): _____

ENTRY FEE \$750 PER BOAT

TOURNAMENT DOCKAGE FEES:

Transient rates for this tournament will be \$.50/foot up to 59' and \$.60/foot for 60' and up. Utilities are \$30 for 30-amp and single-cord, 50-amp service and \$50 for two-cord, 50-amp service. For transient dockage, please check the appropriate box on the entry blank and mail payment to reserve your slip reservation. Dockage is available on a first-come, first-serve basis. Dockage for the tournament is a three-night minimum stay.

PAYABLE TO:

STAR ISLAND YACHT CLUB

MAIL TO: STAR ISLAND YACHT CLUB Tournament Division
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