**West Australian Undersea Club**

**SouthWest Challenge Spearfishing Competition 2016**

Register by emailing completed forms to West Australian Undersea Club by 11:00am Friday, February 19. waunderseacompetitions@gmail.com

1. The competition will be on Saturday, February 20.
2. Cost of entry is $10 per person and is open to all members of the WAUC.
3. Start: 5:45am from anywhere south of Bunbury.
4. Finish: 2:30pm at Ocky’s Water World in Bunbury next to the Casuarina Dr. boat ramp.
5. Weigh-in commences at 3:15pm
6. It is a freedive only competition
7. Every diver must register with a partner. Each diver to tow a float with flag. Each pair must have signed off by the notified finish time.
8. Competitors must be immersed in the water at time of spearing the fish.
9. One fish of each species to be submitted per pair.
10. Burleying is only permitted using fish speared on the day.
11. Prizes awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd pairs, most meritorious and mystery weight fish (open only to those who haven’t won a prize). Spearfishing organizer has final say on prize allocation.
12. Should the day be cancelled, the competition will be postponed to the following day/weekend. Refunds will be given if the competition is cancelled.
13. It is each individual’s responsibility to be aware of marine sanctuary boundaries. Anyone diving in a sanctuary will be disqualified.
14. All fish to be submitted gutted and gilled and divers should ensure that fish are thoroughly cleaned. If however you believe you may have a record fish, certified club scales will be available at the sign off area prior to gutting and gilling for potential records.
15. Skippers are allowed

Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Partner’s Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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 Cost of entry is $10 per person for WAUC members.

Bank Details: West Australian Undersea Club,

BSB: 086495 Account: 561399074

Please use reference: SW, initial, surname

Any questions, call Chris: 0437 882 522 or Joe 0415 956 545

**RELEASE AGREEMENT**

I agree that it is my own responsibility that I am physically fit and qualified for engaging in the 2016 SouthWest Challenge Spearfishing competition.

I realize that such diving and spearfishing activities inherently have dangers to my person from or caused by currents, sea conditions, sharks and other marine creatures, the activity of other people in boats and in the water and their equipment.

I realize that the activity of breath hold diving involves the danger of “shallow water black out” if not conducted with caution and due care on my part. I have at least a general understanding of the term **“shallow water blackout”.**

I understand that advice and information provided on the competition area and conditions are given in good faith but this advice and information should be treated with caution with final decisions being the responsibility of the competitor.

For the consideration of the facilities, equipment, and services and advice provided by you, I, for myself, my executors, administrators and assigns, and for the child (if applicable) herby absolutely release and discharge the, it’s individual members, their agents, appointees and assigns, from and against all claims whatsoever arising out of the death, personal injury loss of or damage to personal property, that I or the child (if applicable), may suffer or sustain in any way connected with the above mentioned spearfishing competition, and I hereby indemnify and agree to keep indemnified West Australian Undersea Club It’s member clubs, and it’s individual members, their agents, all appointees and assigns against all claims whatsoever by me or the child or by any person claiming through me, or through the child on my behalf, in any way arising, and this discharge may be pleaded in bar to any such claim.

The fish I spear remain in my possession. I am responsible for adhering to the size limits, bag limits and other restrictions placed on my catch under government legislation.

I have read the competition’s rules and agree to abide by them.

I have read the above and understand its meaning and effect and declare that I am over 18 years of age.

Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Partner’s Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**If under 18 years of age, guardians’ names and signatures as well-**

Guardian’s name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Guardian’s name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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