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Russell Volunteer Fire Brigade International Gamefish Tournament 2019

ENTRY FORM

We can arrange your accommodation and charter boat if required.

Entries Close 6pm on Briefing Night (4th April 2019).

Minimum of 1 x Brigade/Ex-Brigade Personnel per team.

Entry fee covers price of tournament, dinner and prize giving. Extra dinner tickets are available for non-anglers.

See attached rules for fishing times and radio procedures.

TEAM INFORMATION

Brigade Name: _____

Team Captain: _____

Captain Address: _____

Captain Cell Phone #: _____ Captain Email: _____

Team Member: _____ Email: _____

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Team Member: _____ Email: _____

BOAT INFORMATION

Boat Name: _____

Please check applicable:

Trailer Boat / Non-Trailer

Private / Charter



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IGFA INFORMATION

If any team members belong to an IGFA affiliated fishing club, please list them here. An additional \$25.00 club affiliation fee applies for each team member who has no club affiliation listed:

Anglers Name:	Club Name:	Membership #:

TOURNAMENT FEES

DESCRIPTION	NUMBER	FEE	TOTAL
Tournament Fee per Angler (<i>covers tournament, dinner and prize giving</i>)		\$100.00	
Affiliation Fee per non-IFGA Angler		\$25.00	
Voluntary Jackpot		\$5.00	
Extra Dinner Tickets		\$30.00	
Tournament Polo Shirts (<i>Please indicate size and quantity</i>) XXXXL ____ / XXXL ____ / XL ____ / L ____ / M ____ / S ____ / XXL		\$45.00	
TOTAL ENCLOSED/DEPOSITED			

Cheques payable to: Russell Volunteer Fire Brigade Fishing Account
Or Bank Deposit to:
Account: Russell Volunteer Fire Brigade Fishing Account
Account Number:

TO THE SECRETARY, RUSSELL FIRE BRIGADE GAMEFISH TOURNAMENT;

We wish to enter a team in the RUSSELL FIRE BRIGADE INTERNATIONAL GAMEFISH TOURNAMENT to be held 5th & 6th April 2019. We have read, understood and agree to abide by the rules laid down by the committee. We understand the Tournament Committee’s decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.

Signed Team Captain: _____



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GAMEFISH TOURNAMENT RULES FOR 2019

1) Participation

- a) Contest open to all Brigade and Ex-Brigade Personnel and associate members.
- b) Ladies Section open to wives, girlfriends etc.

2) Fishing

Fishing for named species with rod and reel ONLY;

- a) Billfish Marlin - all species (Black, Blue, Striped), and Broadbill. Marlin Min. weight 75kg to be eligible for trophy and prizes
- b) Tuna Blue Fin, Yellow Fin and Big Eye
- c) Yellowtail Kingfish Min. length 750mm - limit 3 per angler per day, maximum of 6 per boat per day.
- d) Sharks Hammerhead, Mako, Blue, Thresher, Bronze Whaler, Tiger (min. 100kg)
- e) Snapper Min. length 300mm - limit 1 per angler per day (No points for Snapper)
- f) Broadbill may be caught on any line weight up to 60kgs, on either nylon or braid, from stop fishing on Friday at 1700hrs til start fishing at 0700hrs on Saturday. This is its own individual section as points will not be allocated to overalls tournament points. NOTE: Broadbill still count towards tournament points if caught during normal tournament hours. See rule 2 Section A

3. Line Weight

Line weight classes up to and including 37kg

4. Verification

The weigh master may request all tackle used in the capture or tag and release be presented to them. A sample of line may be taken to be tested for line class.

5. Points Awarded

Points are awarded on the following formula: Weight of fish x 100 / line weight. 30% bonus points for under 24kg line. 30% penalty points for over 24kg line. Sharks and kingfish are awarded 35% of formula above

6. Tag and Release Points

Billfish: 37kg line class - 350points
24kg line class - 400points
Under 24kg line class - 450points

Shark, Tuna and Short billed Spearfish - 100points

Yellowtail Kingfish - 25points

7. IGFA Rules

All fish must be caught in accordance with IGFA rules.

8. Fish Weighing

All fish to be weighed at Russell ONLY

All fish must exceed line weight except Billfish & Sharks & Snapper (see 2a, 2d & 2e)

8. Weigh Sheets & Tag Cards

To be completed BEFORE arrival at Russell Wharf

9. Fishing Area

Poor Knights to Cape Karikari

10. Fishing Times

Friday 0700 - 1700 hrs Saturday 0700 - 1600 HRS Optional return to base or stay out Friday night only (notify your intention to Russell Fire)

- a. Radio Call Up Friday & Saturday 1205 hrs Friday 1705 hrs Saturday 1605 hrs Please call in all hook ups and captures Radio Frequency VHF Channel 03 Base Station "Russell Fire" on air Friday 0630 - 1900 hrs Saturday 0630 - 1900 hrs
- b. Please be aware that on Saturday, the last day of fishing, all tag cards and fish must be presented to the Russell Weigh Station by 1800hrs to qualify as a tournament fish.

Any further format or rule changes will be notified at the briefing.

At least 1 team member per team MUST be present at the briefing.