

# GETAWAY OUTDOORS

## LOCAL FISHING REPORT



## GERALDTON REGION

### 3rd August 2017

#### OFFSHORE

African Reef has produced the goods as of late with anglers venturing south of town being handsomely rewarded. Dhufish up to 90cm, baldchin groper and pink snapper have made up the bulk of catches.

Pensioner's Bank is turning up plenty of small to medium size dhufish at the moment with fish ranging from just size to up around the 6kg mark.

West of town over the coral patches anglers have been gathering a nice feed with mixed bags of dhufish, baldchin groper and pink snapper coming from 35 – 40m of water .

Those fishing north of town out from Drummond's Cove have encountered some reasonable dhufish to 7kg along with mixed bags of spangled emperor, baldchin groper and pink snapper.

#### LANDBASED

Along the beaches, tailor catches have been patchy with fish in the 40 – 45cm range coming from Westbank, Drummond's Cove and Coronation Beach. Larger specimens have been taken around the reef breaks with Separation Point and Explosives producing some solid greenbacks up to 70cm.

Pages Beach has produced some large hauls of sand and yellowfin whiting early in the morning with anglers achieving better results casting further out amongst the sand patches.

Seal rocks has provided some respite from the large swells with anglers picking up some good hauls of skippy in recent times.

#### FISHING NEWS

The Geraldton & Districts Offshore Fishing Club are hosting '**The Great Calamari Cooking Challenge**' **this Friday the 4th of August 6.30pm** at the GDOFC clubroom (multi-purpose facility). Open to all members and guests.

FREE ENTRY. TO REGISTER YOUR INTEREST OR FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 0427 778 564

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