

16th—18th March  
2018

Bongaree, Bribie  
Island



is proud to host the 5th annual

# Brisbane Tuna on Fly Fly Fishing

## Competition

The Brisbane Fly Fishing Club invites all fly fishers to join us for the fifth annual Brisbane Tuna on Fly competition at Bongaree on Bribie Island, the world class Fly Fishery of Morton Bay and the mighty Longtail and Mac Tunas of the Sunshine Coast.

The competition has great prizes & giveaways provided by our great sponsors in a family friendly atmosphere.

New Fly Fishers are most welcome with experienced anglers in our club all too happy to share information on this wonderful fishery.

Accommodation is available at the Bongaree Caravan Park with accommodation ranging from cabins to camping.

Evening meals will be available from the Bribie Island Bowls Club where the tournament briefing will occur on the Friday night and

the de-brief on Saturday night along with the last man standing draws for a variety of fly fishing equipment.



## ORDER OF EVENTS

### Friday — 16 March

**7:45 pm** Event registration

### Saturday — 17 March

**6:00am** Fishing Day 1 till 4pm

**7:30 pm** De-brief of Day 1 and major prize draws to be held in 'The Lounge' on level 2 of the Bribie Bowls Club.

### Sunday — 18 March

**6:00am** Fishing Day 2 till 12pm

**1:00 pm** All boats are required back at the Bongaree Boat Ramp.

**1:15** Sausage sizzle and trophy presentation.

For Accommodation Bookings please contact

Bongaree Caravan Park, Welsby Parade, Bongaree, Bribie  
Island on (07) 3408 1054

Mention you are part of the BTOF.

For more information & registration forms please visit

[www.bffc.org.au](http://www.bffc.org.au)

For all other enquiries, please contact:

Norm: 0423 202 818



## The Brisbane Tuna on Fly Fishing Competition

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# Brisbane Tuna on Fly

## Registration Form

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Vessel: \_\_\_\_\_

Boat Captain: \_\_\_\_\_ Boats Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Hull Colour: \_\_\_\_\_ Length: \_\_\_\_\_ Registration No: \_\_\_\_\_

Manufacturer: \_\_\_\_\_ No of Anglers on the boat: \_\_\_\_\_

*Teams must consist of a minimum of two (2) anglers with a maximum of three (3) anglers per boat*

**Entry fee is \$50.00 per angler**

Payment of entry fees must be made prior to commencement of fishing by EFT to the club's bank account, or in cash to the BFFC Treasurer at the Event Registration. If paying by EFT, please use Surname in Reference. The club's account details are as follows:

Acct Name: Brisbane Fly Fishing Club Inc

Acct BSB: 484-799

Acct No: 507702280

Angler #1 Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Post Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile No: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Member Type (Circle): M F J

Angler #2 Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Post Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile No: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Member Type (Circle): M F J

Angler #3 Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Post Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile No: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Club: \_\_\_\_\_ Member Type (Circle): M F J

**Additional non fishing crew i.e.; all others persons on the boat during the tournament**

Name/s: \_\_\_\_\_

Addresses: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Numbers: \_\_\_\_\_



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## Competition Rules. Regulations and other information

### Fishing Rules

IGFA rules for Fly Fishing apply at all times with the maximum tippet breaking strain of 10kg's or less. A maximum of 30cm's of shock tippet is allowed.

### Competition Points System

In Bluewater	Longtail Tuna: 500 points	Yellowfin Tuna: 500 points
	Mac Tuna: 200 points	All other Tunas: 100 points

### On Flat-water

The alternative flat water point score system where offshore conditions are not suitable for competition is that all species will be awarded one (1) point per centimetre.

### Competition Categories

- Champion Team (boat award)
- Champion Angler (individual award)
- BTOF award for the most meritorious capture or the most infamous occurrence during the competition

### Lucky Angler Prize Draws

To be eligible for any lucky angler prize draws, the winner must be **present** at the draw.

### Boat Captain / Driver

The Boat Captain / Driver may be an angler or a non fishing driver and must hold an appropriate maritime licence. Unlicensed drivers are not permitted at any stage during the competition.

### Insurance

All vessels competing in the event must have current full comprehensive pleasure craft insurance including legal liability cover of Ten (10) million dollars. The onus is on each team to ensure they have adequate insurance.





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#### Event Communication

Communication for the Brisbane Tuna on Fly tournament will be by mobile phone only. Please ensure your mobile phone/s are switched on at all times.

#### Briefings

The event and safety briefing will be held at 8:00 pm at the Bribie Island Bowls Club. Competitors and guests are invited to dine in the Bowls Club prior to the briefing, at least one (1) angler from each team is required at the briefing.

#### Non-Attendance at Briefings

If for whatever reason a team is unable to attend the briefing, one (1) member of the team must contact the Tournament Director for pertinent event details.

If due to extenuating circumstances the paperwork and entry fees are not submitted to the competition organisers prior to the commencement of fishing, then the committee, in its discretion, may allow the late lodgement of entry forms and fees if those forms and fees are lodged with the committee by 7:30 pm on the first day of fishing.

#### Daily De-Brief

A de-brief will be provided at the Bribie Island Bowls Club at 7:30 pm on the Saturday night. Competitors and their guests are invited to dine at the Bowls Club prior to the de-brief.

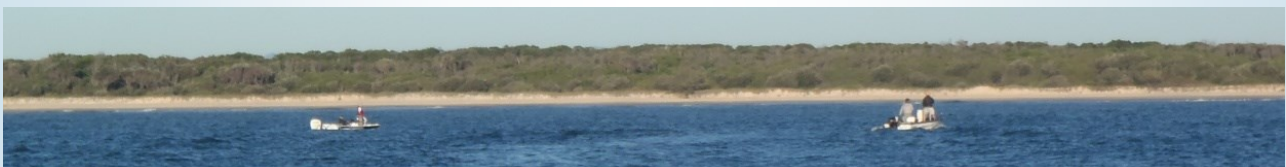
The presentation of trophies and prizes will be vicinity of the Bongaree Boat Ramp at 1:15 pm on the Sunday.

#### Weather Conditions

The competition aims to provide anglers with a first class fly fishing experience in the near offshore waters of Moreton Bay, Bribie Island and the Sunshine Coast. If at the discretion of the committee, the weather is assessed as not suitable for offshore fishing, the following day may be declared a flat water competition day and competitors will be invited to only fish in the protected waters of the Pumistone Passage.

Independent of the committees advice on the prevailing weather and competition conditions, it is the responsibility of the Captain and team of each vessel to decide whether to launch and compete on each day of the competition and to remain on the water during the competition.

**Competitor safety is the club's highest priority**







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### Accommodation

Accommodation is available for competitors at the Bongaree Caravan Park on Welsby Parade, Bribie Island. The contact number for the park is 07 3804 1054, mention your involvement in the BTOF when making your booking.



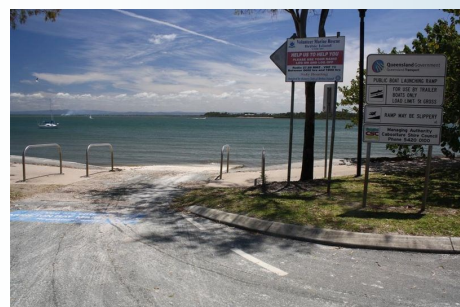
### Social Events

The social events will be held at the Bribie Island Bowls Club along with the briefings as per the schedule. Your family and guests are most welcome to join us. The Bowls Club is located on Welsby Parade which is a short walk from the Caravan Park.



### Boat Launching Facilities

The boat ramp at Bongaree is located across the road from the Bongaree Caravan Park making it very handy to competitors.



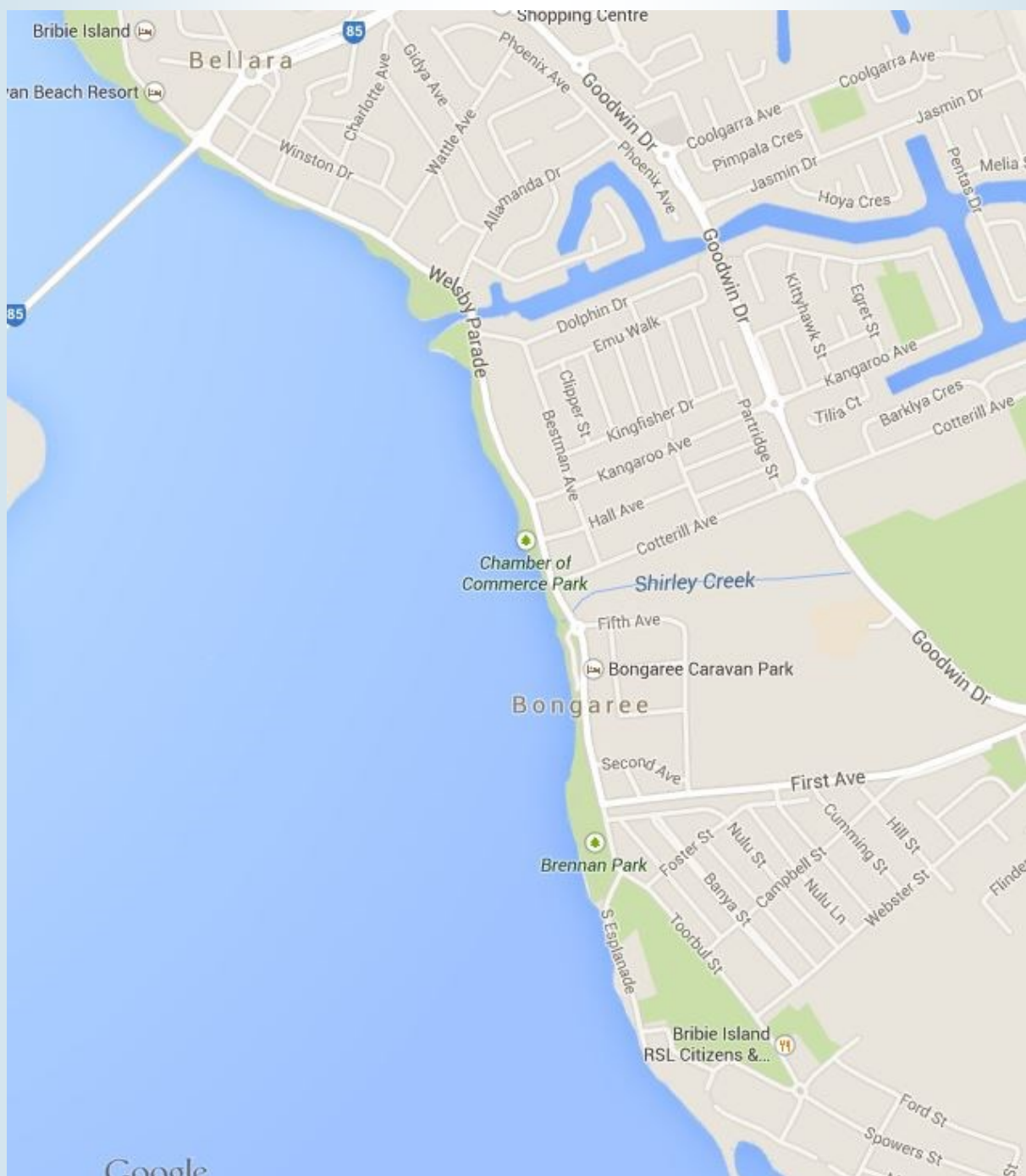


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## Street Map of the Area

The map below may assist competitors new to the area to locate the accommodation and other facilities.





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#### Boat Launching

All vessels must be launched from the Pumistone Passage either at Bongaree or at the Spinnaker Sound Marina for competition purposes.

All vessels shall assemble at the Bongaree Wharf for the shot-gun start by the Tournament Director at 6:00 am on the Saturday.

Please allow right of way to non-related competition boat traffic.

#### Prior to Launch

Prior to launching for a days fishing, each team Captain is to provide the Tournament Director / Committee with the following information:

- Team name;
- Number of persons on-board; and
- Intended return time.

#### Upon Return

On safe return to the boat ramp, the team Captain is to provide the Tournament Director / Committee with the following information:

- Team name; and
- Confirmation of safe return.

#### Competition Fishing Times

The fishing times for the BTOF are as follows:

- Saturday 13 May 17 - 6:00 am to 4:00 pm
- Sunday 14 May 17 - 6:00 am to Competitors must return to Bongaree Boat Ramp by 1:00 pm.

#### Contacts

The following club members are the points of contact for all matters relating to the Brisbane Tuna on Fly competition:

- Club President—Norm Good      0423 202 818

**The Brisbane Fly Fishing Club wishes all competitors a weekend of long rods and fast fish.**

*Thank you for your participation and support & thank you to Tackle Safari, Todd Fishing Solutions & all our other generous sponsors.*





## Competition Declaration

All competitors must complete the following declaration -

In consideration of your accepting me / us as a competitor or guest (as the case may be), we release the Brisbane Fly Fishing Club from any liability arising from the conduct of the tournament.

I / We hereby indemnify the Brisbane Fly Fishing Club Inc and agree to keep Brisbane Fly Fishing Club Inc indemnified against all claims, damages, costs or loss that I / We may suffer resulting from pecuniary amounts that may be claimed or awarded against the Brisbane Fly Fishing Club Inc arising from personal injury or other loss including property damage. This indemnity includes all my / our invitees, licensees and guests.

Additionally I declare that my vessel has full comprehensive pleasure craft insurance including legal liability of \$10 million dollars, the required safety equipment to compete in this event. I / We understand the rules and conditions of the event and confirm that the boat driver / Captain is correctly licensed under applicable maritime regulations.

I / We have read and understand the above

Angler #1 signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Angler #2 signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Angler #3 signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Non-fishing crew signature: \_\_\_\_\_