

(December 2022)

### **OVERVIEW**

River Heads Fishing Club Inc (RHFC) was formed in mid 2009 by a group of four local fisherman. Currently having 40 members, which comprise of men, women and juniors with a varied age group – all of whom actively enjoy their fishing.

RHFC is also associated with (and all its members are presently also members of) the River Heads Progress Association Inc (RHPA), which enables us to fully utilise the River Heads Community Hall and all of its facilities.

RHFC and its members are part of QAFCA Inc (Queensland Amateur Fishing Clubs Association Inc) which is the parent body of 7 divisions and more than 100 clubs which is a diverse group which include competitive anglers, fish stocking groups, fly fishers, kayakers, as well as those who simply want to enjoy fishing as a social pastime.

Our aim is to be an effective fishing club without too many formalities. It is a great opportunity to meet a friendly group of people with similar interests. We focus on learning from each other.

RHFC welcomes all men, women and children from the Fraser Coast area. You do not have to reside in River Heads to become a member.

# **FISHING & SOCIAL ACTIVITIES**

RHFC conducts monthly 'Fish Meet' competitions. These comps are inclusive of all club members that wish to participate. Monthly points are tallied, culminating in the end of year awards night.

A "Fish Meet" is held on the first full weekend (Fri-Sun) of each month excluding January. Fishing can be conducted anywhere from Woodgate to Tin Can Bay (Including all areas of Fraser Island). Fishing time begins at 5.00am Friday through until 3:00pm on Sunday. Our social get together starts at 2pm on the Sunday at River Heads Community Hall, with official recording of fish/photographs starting at 3.15pm. It also includes a free Sausage Sizzle and a nominated activity. e.g. Knots & Rigs, How to throw a cast net, Talking Tactics etc. Full competition rules are in a separate document and any changes are put to members for a vote.

The Hall is licenced, so drinks are available. It also has a pool table, dart board and a big screen TV. A fenced children's playground is adjacent to the hall.

#### **COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

These are held at River Heads Community Hall on the Wednesday prior to fish meets starting at 6.00pm. All welcome.

#### ANNUAL FEE

Initial sign up is only \$25 per adult + \$45 per year or a pro-rata system (\$5 per fish meet month) if joining during the year. Juniors under 16 are free (with a paying adult). Initial sign up fee is waived for a partner living at same address. QAFCA membership is included.

PLUS:

(Official Club Shirts are available for purchase from the Club registrar for \$20). Also, a free sausage sizzle is available at each Fish Meet and the RHPA provides you with a free meal at River's Cafe for your birthday if you are a financial member of RHPA. Great value!

## **HOW DO I JOIN / CONTACT?**

Simply fill out an application form or come along to one of our Fish Meets, General Meetings or:

Email <u>riverheadsfishingclub@gmail.com</u>
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