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TIN CAN BAY FISHING CLUB - KIDS FISHING DAY

LETTER TO PARENT OR GUARDIAN

The Tin Can Bay Fishing Club Inc, is conducting a Kids Fishing Day at Norman Point, Tin Can Bay on **Sunday 5th April 2020**, for children between the ages of 7 and 15 years.

The activity is designed to train children in techniques that are applicable to fishing in South Eastern Queensland with experienced Fishing Club Members.

Our club is more than happy to have any eligible kids participate in the Kids Fishing Day.

Nominations are restricted to children who have not completed this event in the past and are only accepted after the Secretary has received a correctly completed Registration/Consent Form.

The Registration/Consent Form is on page 4. Please read the attached documentation thoroughly then sign and return to Secretary, Tin Can Bay Fishing Club 33 Dolphin Ave, Tin Can Bay 4580, **by Friday 27th March 2020.** **Once your application has been accepted your booking will be confirmed.**

As the day is fully sponsored by QLD Govt. - Dept. of Agriculture and Fisheries. There is **NO COST** to parents or your child for the day.

Your child must be accompanied by a parent or guardian for the full duration of the day and must be accompanied by that person when they require to leave the area for any reason – toilet.

The Tin Can Bay Fishing Club will be supplying morning tea, water, lunch and all fishing equipment. It is required that appropriate sun protection be worn by all participants.

The following are the minimum dress requirements:

- **Broad brim hat (baseball type hats are not permitted)**
- **Long sleeved shirt**
- **Closed-in footwear suitable to wear in water (Thongs/Sandals are not permitted)**
- **Sunscreen lotion**

Tin Can Bay Fishing Club realise the need to educate young anglers about “Sun Smart” behaviour and the need for appropriate protection from the sun while outdoors in order to reduce the risk of skin damage from exposure to the sun.

The Sun Safety guidelines are consistent with the Queensland Cancer Council Sun Safety Guidelines.

During the day, participants will be taught:

1. Bag limits and rules for Saltwater Fishing as prescribed by Queensland Fisheries
2. The technique of tying a fishing knot
3. Rigging a line
4. Casting using a fishing rod
5. Practical fishing session at Norman Point

At least one Parent or Guardian is required to be in attendance throughout the day and is welcome to share morning tea and lunch with us.

If after you have registered, please inform me ASAP if your child is unable to attend on this day as there are only 25 positions available and we will have children on a waiting list who would like to participate.

We require parents or guardians to arrive with the kids at 8.00 am to sign the child in so that we can get the day underway by 8.30 am. Parents must also sign them out on departure.

Blue Card Holders and Fist Aiders will be in attendance on the day.

If you require any further information, please contact the Secretary on 0437 242-171 or you may Email: tcbfishingclub@bigpond.com

Club Event Coordinator

Tin Can Bay Fishing Club Inc.

General Information

Ground Rules:

- Have fun
- Get involved
- One person to talk at a time
- Be on time
- Do not interrupt
- Listen and learn
- No money or valuables to be carried by participants
- No alcohol or cigarettes permitted at this function

Safety:

- Never go anywhere alone - fish with a friend
- Fishing Gear: Beware of line cuts, hook punctures, flying sinkers & hooks
- Fishing: Handling fish (spikes, cuts), no steep banks, slippery banks or boggy areas, no swimming or fishing while standing in the water.
- All participating children must wear the following:

Hats - broad-brimmed

Sunscreen

Long-sleeved shirt

Enclosed footwear (Note: Thongs/Sandals are not permitted)

Health:

Parents should notify organisers of any likely medical problems or prescribed drugs to be used or required by their children during the course of the outing.

Parents must hold these drugs should they need to be administered. Club members will not be responsible to administer any medication.

Organisers will supply:

- First aid kit and qualified first aid persons
- Insect spray
- Spare sunscreen
- Scissors or cutters to be used for cutting fishing lines
- Morning Tea / BBQ lunch and water.

**TIN CAN BAY FISHING CLUB INC.
REGISTRATION/CONSENT FORM**

Tin Can Bay Fishing Club - Kids Fishing Day - Sunday 5th April 2020

(Complete one Form for each child)

I..... (Full name of Parent / Guardian)
(PLEASE PRINT)

of
..... (Address)

PERMIT..... AGE..... (Full name AND AGE of participant)

To take part in the TCBFC - Kids Fishing Day activities associated with Tin Can Bay Fishing Club Inc. on Sunday 5th April 2020, at Norman Point, Tin Can Bay, QLD.

I will bring to the event at 8:00 am and I will stay until the completion of the event, no later than 1:30 pm.

I have been informed that my child shall come in the **appropriate dress** – detailed on pages 1 & 3, which is a condition of their participation, with due regard to the "Sun Smart" Safety Guidelines.

I am aware that my child will be required to be logged in with the location supervisor upon arrival and logged out when leaving the area.

I assert that I have the necessary authority to grant such permission and I have read and understand the promotional material.

I am aware that I am responsible to be in attendance at the venue throughout the full period of the activity and will be responsible to accompany my child to and from any other area e.g. toilet.

I/We hereby indemnify the organisers against any harm or damage that may arise from this event or associated activities, except for any harm or damage due to the negligence of the organisers.

Any Special Dietary Requirements:

Mobile phone number: **Email address:**

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Dated this day of 2020

I (give / do not give) my consent for any photographs of my child taken during the "Kids Fishing Day " to be used in any promotional material or in the media

Signed: **Date:**