

North East Coast Group Patrol

Saturday 17 & Sunday 18 January 2015

Fishcare Tasmania volunteers are planning a group patrol this weekend taking in fishing locations about the North East and East Coast. Right in the middle of Christmas holidays, volunteers will be checking that fish identification signage and measuring rulers are in good order as well as being available to answer questions that anglers may have. They will have a supply of Recreational Sea Fishing Guides, plastic measuring rulers, rock lobster and abalone measures and will also be demonstrating the <u>new fisheries App</u>. Without doubt volunteers will have plenty of tips and advice on fishing throughout these favourite holiday locations.

Parks Discovery Rangers Sarah and Anthea will also be on board with lots of cool shells and starfish. They would love to talk to children and adults about the animals that live in Tassie's wonderous fishy environment.

Below is an approximate schedule of the two days so if you see the blue fishy Fishcare trailer at any of these locations please come and say hello and have a chat.

Quenton Higgs

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Attending: David Bye, Dane Burgess, Gary Mondon, Mick Barrett, Quenton Higgs, plus Sarah Mahoney and Anthea Shedley both Parks & Wildlife Discovery Rangers.

Time	Location	Signage	Comments
Saturday 17 January 0900 -0930	Bridport (adjacent to tourist information office)	Check Sign & rulers	Meet Sue on site.
1015 – 1045	Blizzards Landing boat ramp	General info	Meet Sarah, Parks & Wildlife Discovery ranger
1100 - 1130	Mathers camping ground	General info	Community liaison
1145 - 1215	Ransons Beach	General info	Community liaison
1300 - 1330	Tomahawk (Recreation ground)	Check Sign & rulers	Community liaison
1430 -1500	Petal Point	General info	Community liaison
1530 - 1600	Little Musselroe Bay	General info	Community liaison
1645 -1715	Musselroe Bay (Fire Station)	Sign & Rulers	Community liaison Overnight Musselroe Bay
Sunday 18 January			
0900	Depart Musselroe Bay		Fishing research on the Swan
0945 - 1015	Deep Creek camping ground	General info	Community liaison 5 klms north of Eddystone.
1030 - 1100	Eddystone Point boat ramp	General info	Community liaison
1130 - 1200	Ansons Bay boat ramp	General info Check signage	Community liaison
1230- 1300	Policeman's Point day use area	General info	Community liaison

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