



The Yzerfontein annual snoek classic 2024

COMPETITION ENTRY FORM

14 or 15 December 2024
(one day event)

BOAT NAME: BOAT REG NO:

Male | Female | Junior | Shirt Size | (S—XXXXL)

SKIPPER: M F J YBC NO:

CREW 1 M F J YBC NO:

CREW 2 M F J YBC NO:

CREW 3 M F J YBC NO:

CREW 4 M F J YBC NO:

CREW 5 M F J YBC NO:

CREW 6 M F J YBC NO:

CREW 7 M F J YBC NO:

POSTAL ADDRESS:

ADD CONTACT DETAILS: CELL 1: CELL 2:

NEXT OF KIN: CELL:

E-MAIL ADDRESS:

(Note that all craft to have a valid seaworthy certificate, skippers to have a certificate of fitness and all crew to have a valid fishing licences).

ENTRY FEE: YBC MEMBER: R300 / NON MEMBER: R450 / JUNIOR 12 - 16: R50.00

(Juniors not eligible for main prize—T&C's apply)

**BANKING DETAILS FOR EFT: YZERFONTEIN BOAT CLUB / YZERFONTEIN BOOTKLUB, STANDARD BANK,
ACCOUNT NO: 083 262 970, BRANCH CODE: 051001 (DARLING)**

PLEASE USE BOAT NAME AS REFERENCE

Please send completed entry form, proof of payment & signed indemnity form to info@zyerboatclub.co.za

For more information, please contact Iain van der Spuy | 083 455 5818



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RULES
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- 1) The competition is open to all members of the public.
- 2) The competition is for recreational vessels. No commercial boats may take part in the event.
- 3) Valid angling permits are required to enter the competition and all craft to have a valid seaworthy certificate, skippers to have a certificate of competence.
- 4) **Entry fees for the competition is R450.00 per angler. Yzerfontein Boat Club members pay R300.00. Juniors between 12 & 16 will pay R50 and will NOT be eligible for the main prize. The first 200 entries will be guaranteed an event shirt.**
- 5.) Competitors can fish anywhere in a 15 NM radius from the Yzerfontein harbour. Anyone fishing outside this area will be disqualified. Boats registered below Category C may only fish as far out to sea as licensed.
- 6.) Full team entries are required (skipper and full-crew). Entries with skipper's name only will not be accepted.
- 7.) Boats are limited to a maximum of 7 anglers and a skipper, thus 8 on board.
- 8.) Prizes will be handed to the various advertised Snoek categories, with the main prize being the heaviest Cape Snoek. The Organisers will determine all the relevant categories and communicate them accordingly.
- 9.) A minimum of 3 anglers per boat is the requirement to compete and qualify in the TOP BOAT Category.
- 10.) All fish/crayfish entered for the weigh-in will be handed back to the angler, and only fish in contention may be kept for verification by the Weighmaster. Only fish/crayfish entered for the weigh-in will qualify for the prizes and weights must be verified at the weigh-in station.
- 11.) Only one fish/crayfish may be entered per angler and only one prize will be awarded per entry.
- 12.) Fish will be weighed in a whole state. The organizers will tag the entered fish in the presence of the angler and reserves the right to gut the fish for verification. This will be done in the presence of the angler and a witness. The weighmaster's decision is final. The angler/skipper must sign the weigh sheet.
- 13.) Only fish/crayfish caught during the Classic will be accepted.
- 14.) Organisers, sponsors, and Boat Club committee members are permitted to enter as no unfair fishing advantage is gained by their affiliation to the event.
- 15.) The competition dates will be on Saturday, 14th of December. If this day is not fishable, then the event may be extended to Sunday the 15th of December. In the unlikelyhood of both days being unsuitable, participants will NOT BE REFUNDED but each registered angler will be entered into a raffle and stand a chance to win a SELECTION of the sponsored prizes EXCLUDING the Main Prize. Recipients need to be present in order to claim their prizes.
- 16.) To avoid congestion and for safety purposes no mass start will take place. Boats may launch from 05h00 daily and proceed to sea. IF LAUNCHING SLOWS DOWN DUE TO CONGESTION, PLEASE REVERT TO BUDDY ARRANGEMENT. PICK UP PREVIOUS BOATS' VEHICLE DRIVER AND DELIVER TO HIS BOAT – REPEAT PROCESS.
- 17.) The weigh-in will open at 11h00 and closes strictly at 15h00 when the scales will be taken down.

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- 18.) Skippers are responsible to ensure that their boat and anglers comply with the harbour and Snoek Classic rules.
- 19.) The Skipper's briefing will be on Friday 13th December at 18h00 at the Yzerfontein Boat Club, Beach Road, Yzerfontein.
- 20.) Goody bags will be available at the BOAT CLUB FROM Thursday 12th December from 16H00 to 19H00.
- 21.) The organisers have stipulated and will interpret the rules. All decisions made by the organizers will be deemed to be final and no correspondence will be entered into. Any objections must be lodged within 1 HOUR of the scales closing.
- 22.) The prize-giving will be held on the final evening of the Classic (provisionally 14th of December) at the Yzerfontein Sport and Recreational Club, just below the Boat Club, at 18h00. Recipients need to be present in order to claim their prizes.
- 23.) All unclaimed prizes will be forfeited. MEAL VOUCHERS WILL BE ISSUED WITH SKIPPERS GOODY BAGS TO EACH SKIPPER ON Friday, 13 DECEMBER FROM 16:00—19:00. SKIPPERS BRIEFING WILL COMMENCE AFTERWARDS AT 18:00. THOSE NOT ABLE TO COLLECT CAN DO SO ON Saturday 14th DECEMBER 2024 at the scales in the harbour from 11:00 till 15:00.
- NO MEAL WILL BE PROVIDED WITH OUT A MEAL TICKET. IT WILL BE SERVED DIRECTLY AFTER THE PRIZE GIVING FUNCTION. Additional meal tickets will be for sale after prize giving.
- 24.) The entry fee for the Snoek Classic excludes the municipal Harbour tariff.
- 25.) The Skipper, on behalf of all crew, must sign the official registration form including indemnification and acknowledgement that the main prize is subject to a 3-day waiting period in the event of any objections lodged before the official handover.
- 26.) Crayfish may only be fished at the island using nets. Boats with divers or seen cray fishing at harbour will be disqualified.

COMMUNICATION AT SEA – **IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY THE NSRI WILL BE ON STANDBY ON CHANNEL 16.**

CALL SIGN IS STATION 34 ALL OTHER COMMUNICATION DURING THE EVENT WILL BE ON CHANNEL 71.

CONTROL BOAT WILL BE

CHAOS WHO MAY HAND OVER TO **WILDCHILD** DURING THE DAY. THE ORGANISERS WILL COMMUNICATE THIS.

A WHATSAPP GROUP WILL BE ESTABLISHED TO KEEP EVERYONE INFORMED ON THE WEATHER CALL (FIRST CALL FRIDAY AT 16H00). PLEASE KEEP CELLPHONES WITH YOU AT ALL TIMES. PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOU ARE A SKIPPER AND GET NO WHATSAPP MESSAGES FROM THE ORGANISERS.

WEATHER COMMITTEE IS SEAN BEUKMAN, KOBUS BEUKES & GEORGE PHIPPS.

QUESTIONS – Iain van der Spuy (Chairman) 083 455 5818—info@yzerboatclub.co.za

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INDEMNITY FORM

By signing this document, the Skipper, on behalf of himself and his crew, confirms that they have read and fully understand the rules of the competition and also, indemnifies the Yzerfontein Boat Angling Club against any claims and they accept full responsibility for their own safety.

I, ID Number,
hereby agree to the above terms. (Please print name)

Signed at on this day of
2024.

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(Signature)

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