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## Wahine Tournament Saturday August 1, 2009

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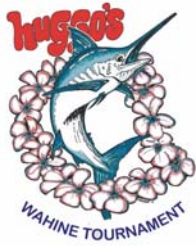
Over the past 40 years, Huggo's has become a Big Island tradition, and an unparalleled destination for fine seafood served at the water's edge. Family owned and operated, Huggo's believes it is important to be involved in our community. Each year, we host two major fund-raisers (and participate in many more) to help human services organizations and other charities right here in West Hawaii. This is our fourteenth year with the Huggo's Wahine Fishing Tournament, as one of our major fund raisers. With your help and participation Huggo's Restaurant and "On The Rocks" will donate proceeds from this fund raiser to Family Support Services of West Hawaii.

Many people have stepped forward to help with this annual event and we want to extend our biggest Mahalo to all of the sponsors, volunteers and employees, who have come together to make this fund raiser possible.

We wish to welcome all of the Wahine Anglers, Captains, Crew and guests who are participating in the Annual Wahine Fishing Tournament, and wish you all the best of luck!

Mahalo nui loa,

Eric von Platen-Luder  
Huggo's Restaurant



# 14th Annual Wahine Tournament

Huggo's Wahine Tournament dates are set for Saturday, August 1, 2009. All women anglers are invited to participate! We are going with a "**Pirates of the Caribbean**" theme this year!

## **ENTRY FEE:**

**Entry fee is \$400.00 per team**, which consists of up to 4 anglers, one captain and one crew. Each person named on the entry form will be admitted to all functions, and will receive a tournament shirt. Additional Anglers/Crew may be added at \$100.00 per person. Please make checks payable to Huggo's. Ladies are responsible for coordinating their own boat, captain and crew. **First 75 teams paid in full will be accepted.**

Huggo's Annual Wahine Tournament starts with a tournament registration and briefing Party at Huggo's On The Rocks at **6:00 pm Friday July 31, 2009**. At least one member from each team must be present at the briefing. Fishing starts at 8:00 a.m. Saturday August 1, 2009, and stop fishing is at 4:00 p.m.

## **RULES:**

Cash awards will go to the following categories:

TOURNAMENT EXPENSES WILL BE PAID AND \$10,000.00 WILL BE DONATED TO CHARITY DEPENDING ON NUMBER OF TEAMS ENTERED.

Balance of entry will be awarded to:

**First Place 40% - Second Place 30% - Third Place 15% – Fourth Place 10% – Fifth Place 5%**

## **Marlin-Billfish Category:**

Cash prizes will be awarded to the teams with the Biggest Marlin weighed over 300 pounds. **Only one marlin per boat can be weighed. One point per pound will be awarded.** Fish weighed that are less than 300 pounds will be disqualified with no penalty. In the event there are no fish weighed, the boat with the most release points will win the jackpot. All places will be paid, so in the event that less than five fish are weighed, the remainder of the money will be paid to the teams with the most release points, who have not weighed a fish. In the event of a tie, first fish boated or released will win. **Captains must remove the fish from the dock prior to 6:00 PM or fish will be disqualified from prize category.**

300 Release Points will be awarded for all billfish released. No points for Spearfish. Release points do not supersede biggest fish weighed for cash prizes.

Trophy for the Mother Daughter team catching the biggest fish or total points.

## **Tuna, Ono And Mahi Mahi Category:**

No Cash Prize will be awarded in this category. One point per pound will be given to tuna, ono, and mahi-mahi weight exceeding a 20 pound minimum, WITH A LIMIT OF 3 FISH OF EACH GAMEFISH SPECIES WEIGHED. Trophy will be awarded for biggest fish in each category.

## **Best Decorated Boat/Team Costume Awards – Cash and or Merchandise and Gift Certificates.**

To qualify , teams Must:

- 1) Wear their costumes to the briefing party and identify themselves to the judges with their team number and name.
- 2) Parade their boat by the southern end of the pier within close viewing distance of the judges and display their team number for judging before "start fishing" on the day of the tournament.

Start fishing will be in front of Kailua Bay at 8:00am. Weigh-ins will be at the Fuel Dock. All fish must be weighed in by 6:00 p.m. unless a team is fighting a fish prior to stop fishing, they can continue to fight the fish until caught or lost, and they must be back at the dock 2 hours after released or boated. Awards Party will be held Sunday, August 2, at Huggo's On The Rocks. To enter Huggo's Annual Wahine Tournament, entry forms and fees paid in full must be received by July 25, 2009. Limit of 75 Teams!\* Come join us in the Sun, Fun and Fishing!!