



President Report 2024 – 2025

Welcome to the 27th AGM of the Waitara Offshore Fishing Club Inc 2025.

Members have remained stable, up 2 – 134 Seniors and down 1 to 25 Juniors.

During the year we had four of the committee resign Nathan May, Toia Johns, Pamela May and Karen Giddy. I wish to thank them for their input to the Club.

The Club has installed new camera's down at the river. This now gives us a real time viewing and better angles to see the river mouth. A big thanks to TET for their donation towards this.

Congratulations to all our trophy winners, all species were caught. There was one new record broken with Jacob Radford catching a 35kg Yellow fin tuna.

For the second year in a row the major fishing competition was cancelled due to adverse weather conditions, making it a safety call. We still had a very good prize giving at the Club which was well attended. All prizes were given out.

To all our volunteers, raffle sellers helping for the setting up and taking down, greatest thanks for your time.

The competition had 45 juniors, 346 seniors and 123 boats. Thanks again for our major sponsor BEKO who have indicated that they are on board for next season. To Roger and Lynley of 100% Mason Appliances a big thanks. To the other sponsors thank you for your sponsorship helping to make our Club run efficiently. A very big thank you for your dedication throughout this year.

To our committee a very big thank you for your dedication throughout this year.

The committee are very pleased to nominate Michael Clements for Life membership, to date Mike has served 11 years on the committee, 7 years as Secretary and 9 years as treasurer. Mike has worked tirelessly behind the scenes which has very much been appreciated by myself. A true Club man through and through.

Colin Oakes

Chairman / President Waitara Offshore Fishing Club Inc.