

Fishing

PROBUS FISHING ACTION - REPORT 8th December 2025

Seven Fishing addicts went out onto Port Phillip Bay on Monday 8th December with great anticipation to catch plenty of Fish. While the water was calm and the weather very warm unfortunately the fish were not playing their part. Barb Lange who has not been fishing before caught the first fish of the day and was so excited she nearly fell overboard. Neil Young who fancies himself as a fisherman caught two fish that just qualified to be legal in between getting his line tangled up with nearly everyone else on the boat. Rob Weatherburn caught the biggest fish and donated it to Neil while the rest of us Norm Hanna myself Judy Frederick and Keith Smith didn't have much luck. In fact, it was Keith Smith maiden voyage fishing and he remains a Virgin fisherman he didn't get a bite.

We have decided Fishing Charters are not proving worthwhile out on the Bay when you consider the expense so any future Fishing Action will be land based.

Hopefully this encourages those that don't have sea legs to come along for the day where we can make it a Fish /Picnic Day so we can eat our catch.

Chris Rowell

Rex Hunt [AKA Chris Rowell]
Fishing Convenor

PROBUS FISHING ACTION - REPORT 14th February 2025

Charter Company Bay N Fish Trips

The Probus Fishing Action took place on the Friday 14th Feb 2025 when we went out on the Bay at 7pm in the morning. Conditions were fine with only slight breeze and 25 Degrees. The crew consisted of Rob Weatherburn, Neil Young, David Davies, Judy Frederick, Kerry Crawford, and Chris Rowell.

Fishing was particularly good with many members catching some Flathead and in some cases some large Barramundi were on the hook but got away. The water was very warm and as a result a few Marlins were seen and just at the last juncture before we were due to go Judy Frederick got a large bit and after an hour of intense reeling in landed a huge Marlin [See Photo]

Chris sits astride the Marlin surrounded by some of the crew.

Looking forward to the next one.

Fishing Co Ordinator

Chris Rowell [Aka Rex Hunt]