



C.A.T.C. NEWS

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Presidents Letter

Hope everyone is well. It has been a crazy year. I am sad to announce the cancellation of our annual Myrtle Beach show. The Hotel will only allow 60 people at a time. Everyone also would have to wear masks. We were afraid of possibly a poor turn out, and the club losing money. We couldn't afford this to happen. As an alternative solution, we will be holding a non sanctioned event. To give everybody a chance to hang out, shoot the bull, and have a little fun. No show room. Just a day of room trading and dinner. Dates will be September 25-26 Friday and Saturday You can book now. Tell them you are with the CATC. Contact Holiday Inn express 678 730 5050, 4951 Bristol Industrial Way, Buford Ga 30518. For Any questions, You can contact Show Host Brian Garhart 770-542-8336 Or Steve Herzog 864-580-9768

We are doing a FREE Barbecue feast Saturday evening. Being Sponsored by JT VOGT, Brian Gerhart and Myself. It would be nice to get a headcount side dishes are welcome please contact

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Are you superstitious ? Is fishing slow, wind picked up, or whether turn foul ? Have you had motor failure or hook a great fish only to lose it at the boat ? Maybe it was due to the banana fishing myth ! Dating back to the late 1700's, there are many reasons why bananas are known as bad luck on boats. When a ship sank in times before radio communication, all that was left to tell about the incident were possible survivors, and floating debris . There are tales of ships coming across these debris fields, and finding tons of bananas in the wreckage. Back in the day, when ships were loaded with bananas from the tropical places of origin. They happened to be loaded with Spiders. Now imagine going to bed at night, miles from shore, trapped on a ship, with hordes of poisonous African spiders, for weeks at a time! Now you can imagine rumors, and tails of ships found adrift, or returning to port with bananas , and a sickend or dead crew. Ships transporting bananas also had to reach the designation as quickly as possible as a result the crew would have a tough time fishing or trolling, trying to catch fish to supplement the food supply on board. Whether you are superstitious or not, as long as fishermen keep bringing bananas along. Expect to hear stories on how bananas have ruined their fishing trip



Due to COVID-19, so many events have been or will be cancelled so did not list upcoming shows or events.

Please be mindful of your surroundings and wear a mask to protect others and yourself. Prayers that there will be a vaccine soon to prevent the spread of this virus and our lives can get back to some type of normal. Stay safe and remember to send any news that you would like sent to the club via email, to Steve Herzog your president and he can forward to me, or you can send directly to me at zandrahuffman@yahoo.com.

Sorry this is such a short news letter but due to present situation, nothing at present to report.



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Please note that the newsletter is now being sent via email. If you know of someone that did not get a copy and should have, please have them email me their correct email address.

Thank you

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