

THE FISHIN' INSIDER

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There baaaack. My how time flies when you're havin' fun. The ol' farts are layin' siege Skillet Award that and getting' organized on the Sandspit for round ten or eleven of their version of fishin' goes to the boat with tournaments. Ran across Don "the banker" Childers from Pottsboro at the Tuesday Farkler's beer bust at Dirty Al's Alamo, was informed that the season's first Ol' Farts Surf' Fishin' Tournament is gonna be held this Monday the 15th. Registration begins at 6:00 in the morning at Dirty Al's at the Sea Roach Marina, cost is five bucks a head last place boat. Like and the game is whiting and pompano, pay out is for the top three in each division.

The awards ceremony will be held at the same locale the following Wednesday the 17th

Jimmy Lawson, Brett Coombs and the gang aboard Producer. Club Champions 2004.

with a fish fry and another beer bust. The South Texas Big Game Fishing Club held their awards Radisson, Louie's banquet at Blackbeard's last

Saturday and as usual Fearless Leader came

so the Rag's been

sponsoring the Rusty

the least number of points for the season, in other words that

to take this

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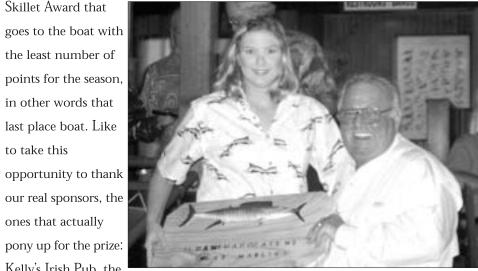
Kelly's Irish Pub, the

Backyard, the Grill

been doin' them since 95'.

Room, Palm Street Pier, La Quinta, Doug Morrison, Dirty Al's and Jim Park who as

The Admiral with the Rusty Skillet, Keyes Ramee and Larry Doyle hid from the shot but La Fiesta did indeed win the infamous prize.



usual, designed the trophy and came up with this years motto "A wahoo ate my marlin" which is based on some insider stuff. Like radio chatter by boats that call in "hooked through in style. For up to a Blue Marlin" only to meekly report boating Texas speed perch or a wahoo a few the last dozen years or minutes later. We wish to thank you all for your continued support. The club champion flag that Fearless Leader does have to pony up for was crafted by Joy Greenwood who's

We welcome your fishin' photos. Drop them by 2600 Padre Boulevard on the Island, or mail them to I.B. Hooked, c/o Coastal Current Weekly, P.O.Box 2429, South Padre Island, Texas 78597. Be sure to include the name of the angler, weight and type of fish, where caught, and name of boat if applicable. Photos with SASE will be returned.