

# GETAWAY OUTDOORS

## LOCAL FISHING REPORT



### GERALDTON REGION

11th April 2017

#### OFFSHORE

Anglers were met with fine conditions earlier in the week with plenty of vessels making the trip across to the Abrolhos Islands. Baldchin groper and coral trout were plentiful amongst the coral outcrops whilst dhufish to 9kg, spangled emperor, pink snapper and a few rankin cod were also reported.

North of town, offshore from Coronation Beach produced some fine catches with reports of coral trout to 4kg, dhufish and baldchin groper. West of town the coral patches have been producing mixed bags of baldchin groper to 60cm, coral trout, red-throat emperor, spangled emperor and dhufish.

#### LANDBASED

Beachgoers are still reporting some fine mulloway with several catches being reported up to 15kg. Westbank, Tarcoola Beach and Drummond's Cove have all produced some quality fish.

The local rock walls have been consistently producing mulloway with sizes averaging around 12kg. Evenings have seen better results with anglers using large baits such as mullet fillet, blue mackerel and whole whiting.

North of town Lucky Bay has been firing with reports of pink snapper from the beach, whilst those netting have enjoyed some great hauls of large mullet. Anglers ballooning near Wagoie have enjoyed reasonable success with spanish mackerel up to 13kg.

Whiting and herring have been around in good numbers with some great catches being reported from Page's Beach, Southgate's and Coronation.

**SAFE FISHING!**

THE TEAM AT GETAWAY OUTDOORS GERALDTON