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**PIRATE’S COVE BIG GAME TOURNAMENTS
 ANNOUNCE RESULTS OF 25th ANNUAL
 PIRATE’S COVE BILLFISH TOURNAMENT**

Manteo, North Carolina - Pirate’s Cove Big Game Tournaments announces the results of the 25th Annual Pirate’s Cove Billfish Tournament that took place from August 11th – 15th. Competitors from North Carolina, Virginia, Maryland, New Jersey, South Carolina, Florida competed. To make matters even more exciting Trey Irvine of Westin Florida landed a pending North Carolina State Record Blue Marlin weighing an incredible 1,228.50 pounds to take home nearly \$500,000. When certified this catch will eclipse the 1,142 pounder caught by Jack Herrington in 1974

For more information on 25th Annual Pirate’s Cove Billfish Tournament or any of the 2008 Pirate’s Cove Big Game Tournaments go to www.pcbiggame.com or call (252) 473-1015.

25th Annual Pirate’s Cove Billfish Tournament Results

C1 Daily 1st Billfish Release

Day 1 First Fish	Triple A	9:03 am	\$8,000
Day 2 First Fish	Ravaganza	9:20 am	\$8,000
Day 4 First Fish	Sea Note	9:08 am	\$8,000

Team Award

1 st Place	Mimi (Florida)	1,228.50 pts.	\$70,240
2 nd Place	Ohana	350 pts. (10:35 am)	\$42,144
3 rd Place	Bi-Op-Sea	350 pts. (12:31 pm)	\$28,096

Top Junior Angler Trophy Callie Robinson (female/12 years old) with 70 pts.

Top Lady Angler Trophy Diane Locke (140 points)

Top Angler Trophy Trey Irvine (1,228.50 points)

C2 Top Boat Award

1 st Place	Mimi (Florida)	1,228.50 pts.	\$33,880
2 nd Place	Ohana	350 pts. (10:35 am)	\$20,328
3 rd Place	Bi-Op-Sea	350 pts. (12:31 pm)	\$13,552

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C3 Daily Award

Day 1 First Fish	Bi-Op-Sea	280 pts.	\$21,355
Day 2 First Fish	First Crack	140 pts	\$21,355
Day 4 First Fish	Mimi (Florida)	1,228.50 pts.	\$21,355

C4 Meat FishDolphin

1 st Place	Donald Aiken/FreeStyle	50 pounds	\$6,745.99
2 nd Place	Don Gemmell/Viking 68	40.10 pounds (48")	\$4,047.59
3 rd Place	Gerald Turner/Release	40.10 pounds (47")	\$2,698.40

Wahoo

1 st Place	Paul Thiel/Ya Mamma	23.30 pounds	\$8,095.19
2 nd Place	Warren Wheat/Salty Hooker	18.40 pounds	\$5,396.79
3 rd Place	N/A		

Big Eye Tuna

1 st Place	Gunner Jones/Some Kinda Good	145.80 pounds	\$6,745.99
2 nd Place	John Parker/Some Kinda Good	140.90 pounds	\$4,047.59
3 rd Place	Jeff Davis/Marlin Gull	123.30 pounds	\$2,698.40

Yellowfin Tuna

1 st Place	Brian White/The Hooker	50.50 pounds	\$5,000/Custom \$1,500 rod
2 nd Place	Barry Aron/Moppie	43.80 pounds	Trophy
3 rd Place	Marc Sabo/Sabotage	41.70 pounds	Trophy

C5 Blue Marlin Jackpot #1

1 st Place	Mimi (Florida)	1,228.50 pts.	\$58,855.50
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C6 Blue Marlin Jackpot #2

1 st Place	Mimi (Florida)	1,228.50 pts.	\$48,708.00
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C7 Team Jackpot #1

1 st Place	Mimi (Florida)	1,228.50 pts.	\$101,024.00
2 nd Place	Ohana	350 pts.	\$28,864.00
3 rd Place	Bi-Op-Sea	350 pts.	\$14,432.00

C8 Team Jackpot #2

1 st Place	Mimi (Florida)	1,228.50 pts.	\$162,250.00
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