



# BILLFISH RELEASE REPORT

Annual Tournament Year October 1<sup>st</sup> through September 30<sup>th</sup>

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## Stuart Sailfish Club

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### IGFA RULES APPLY

**Note Rule 9 Below Regarding  
Non-Offset Circle Hooks**

**One Report per  
Species per day**

Sailfish \_\_\_\_\_ White Marlin \_\_\_\_\_ Blue Marlin \_\_\_\_\_ Swordfish \_\_\_\_\_ Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of release(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Time of release(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Number of fish released (no tag) \_\_\_\_\_ Number of fish tagged & released \_\_\_\_\_

Weight of line used \_\_\_\_\_ Bait used \_\_\_\_\_ Dead \_\_\_ Live \_\_\_

Location of release(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Length (optional/not required): \_\_\_\_\_ **Non-Offset Circle Hook Used? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_**

*Please complete all that apply:*

**Member angler's name** \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_/\_\_\_ (age/DOB)

Address \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Number of fish member released \_\_\_\_\_

**Member private boat's name** \_\_\_\_\_

Captain \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Mate \_\_\_\_\_

**Member charter boat's name** \_\_\_\_\_

Captain \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Mate \_\_\_\_\_

*Signatures confirm IGFA and Stuart Sailfish Club General Rules printed below have been complied with.*

*All reports are subject to acceptance by Stuart Sailfish Club, at its discretion.*

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. This official Report must be used in all cases.</li> <li>2. Reports must be delivered to the Stuart Sailfish Club <b>within 10 days of the date of release.</b> The Stuart Sailfish Club assumes no responsibility for reports lost or delayed in the mail or by fax.</li> <li>3. In case of entries of exactly the same number of releases, the time and dates released will determine the winner.</li> <li>4. Any and all Reports are accepted subject to check on the release by the Committee, whose opinion shall be final and binding.</li> <li>5. Any entry caught in violation of state, federal, or other fishing laws is ineligible.</li> <li>6. <b>ELIGIBLE ANGLERS:</b> Includes all members EXCEPT: (a) captains, mates, or guides while working in the course of their employment, or (b) Commercial fishermen. Member Charter boats are eligible for recognition. Junior anglers may not have reached their 16<sup>th</sup> birthday by April 1 of the current fishing year or they will be considered adults for the entire year.</li> </ol> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>7. The angler must fight and bring the fish to release in a sportsmanlike manner on rod and reel, unaided. A rod broken as a result of hooking, fighting or landing a fish shall disqualify the catch.</li> <li>8. <b>BOUNDARIES:</b> Northern boundary 27°.50'.00 North; southern boundary 26°.46'.00 North, within U.S. territorial waters and/or maximum of 35 miles from Florida coastline.</li> <li>9. <b>ELIGIBLE FISH: All billfish caught from boats REGISTERED with the Stuart Sailfish Club as a member boat or member charter boat and/or by a SSC member at the time the fish is released. Effective 1/1/07, if natural bait (dead or live) is used, only fish caught with a non-offset circle hook are eligible. J hooks are allowed only on all artificial lures.</b></li> <li>10. IGFA rules apply.</li> </ol> |
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