

WHAT TO BRING ON YOUR CHARTER

GENERAL

Included in your charter aboard Real Therapy is all the quality fishing gear and tackle that you will need to catch the targeted species.

(If you chose to bring your own fishing gear, we are happy for you to do so. – see page 2 for further information)

CLOTHING & BEDDING

- Reel Therapy has 8 bunks which will be fitted with sheets, so all you need to bring is a lightweight sleeping bag and a pillow.
- Shorts and T-shirts are great to fish in during the day, but remember to bring warm clothes for the nights as it can get cool.
- Waterproofs can be a good idea if the weather gets drizzly so you can continue fishing comfortably.
- Ugg boots are also great at night.
- An old pair of sneakers or gumboots is sufficient as I enforce a no shoes no fish policy, as part of my OH&S aboard Real Therapy.
- A good hat and pair of sunglasses are a must also.
- As we have a constant supply of 240volt power all phone and camera chargers are welcome.
- Towel.
- Memory stick for photos.

(IF BRINGING YOUR OWN FISHING GEAR)

During the charter we will encounter a wide variety of fish, so it is important to be prepared for all styles of fishing. Most of the bigger fish we come across are of the hard pulling variety so attention to detail with your tackle is necessary.

To save on space we don't recommend tackle boxes, the new tackle bags are a great idea. (Waterproof Also). We have quality knives on board, but if you have a favourite don't hesitate to bring it along.

Make sure you bring plenty of your favorite items along, as we are fishing some grounds with very heavy structure, loss of gear is high.

RODS, REELS & LINE (min requirements)

- 2-8kilo live bait catching set up (Braided line)
- 15-24kilo trolling set up. Eg; Tyrnos 30 (Braided or Mono line)
- 15-24kilo bottom bouncing/ Jigging set up. Eg; Shimano or Daiwa combos. (25-40kg Braided line only)
- Spare braid

LEADER MATERIAL

- 25kg high quality leader (1 spool)
- 75kg – 100kg high quality leader (1 spool)
- Wind on leaders (100lb-200lb)
- Associated crimps

LURES & JIGS

- 15-18cm feather lures or plastic skirts (Juro Squid Baits are good but don't come pre made)
- Rapala CD14s and YoZuri Hydro Magnums
- Bibleless minnows of between 15-20cm
- 150-300gm Saltiga or Smith Jigs (Spare assist hooks)
- Sabiki live bait catching rigs

HOOKS, SINKERS & SWIVELS

- Size 6/0-9/0 Octopus or Suicide Pattern
- 30kg Coastlock Snap Swivels
- 100kg Ball Bearing Swivels

- Split Rings (Owner size 8)
- Solid Rings (Owner size 7.5)