

CAPTAIN NORM ISAACS' FISHING REPORT

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More wishing than fishing has been the story here in Cabo Blanco for the month of January. We have had a 'high' problem that has kept on onshore wishing we were offshore fishing. High winds prevailed early in the month and over two weeks of high surf is taking us into February.

Mother Nature must figure we need a little training in the art of exercising patience. To further tease us, we did manage to sneak out for a few hours and found that the warm 25+ degree water was holding tuna and dorado. However the break in the high surf was short and as of now is still raging.



When the new marina that Inkaterra has planned is complete much of the high surf problem will go away due to the fact that we will be able to safely get to the boat. A year ago today we were experiencing the same big surf problem so it appears, to the surfers delight, these conditions this time of year are just a fact of life. It's still a little unclear as to whether or not the warmer water has anything to do with the El Niño.

I tend to think that like the high surf the warmer water is just a seasonal norm. When the conditions allow I'm sure there is some good fishing waiting for us.