



## All About Bottomfish in the Mariana Islands















Thursday, March 30, 2023, 6 to 9 p.m.

Guam Museum, Hagatña, Guam





### AGENDA

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#### 6:00 p.m. REGISTRATION, INFORMATIONAL TABLES

-  Coral Reef Marine Center
-  Dept of Agriculture-Conservation/TOKA
-  DoAg Dept of Aquatic & Wildlife Resources (DAWR)
-  Fanu'i Fishing Shop
-  Good Vibes
-  Greg D. Perez Int'l Fishing Derby
-  Guam Fire Dept Boating Safety
-  Guam Police Dept-Special Enforcement Amphibious Section (SEAS)
-  Hitman's Bait & Tackle
-  Ika Project
-  Lino Tenorio - bottomfish demo
-  National Marine Fisheries Service
-  U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary
-  Western Pacific Regional Fishery Management Council

#### 7:00 p.m. INTRODUCTIONS – Judi Guthertz, Council Member from Guam OPENING REMARKS – Chelsa Muña

-  Joshua DeMello, Council Staff, Changes to Managed Bottomfish Species in Guam
-  Judy Amesbury, Council Guam Advisory Panel, Traditional Fishing Tools
-  Brent Tibbatts, DAWR, History of Bottomfishing
-  Marlowe Sabater, National Marine Fisheries Service, Bottomfish Stock Assessment

#### PUBLIC QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS

#### 8:30 p.m. Lino Tenorio, Bottomfish Training (For 12 years old and up only for safety.)

#### INFORMATIONAL TABLES OPEN

#### 9:00 p.m. ESTA

**\*\*Thursday is Food Truck Night at Skinner Plaza and food and drinks can be brought into the Guam Museum.**

The Fishers Forum is part of the 194<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Western Pacific Regional Fishery Management Council, being held March 30 to 31, 2023, at the Guam Hilton Hotel, Micronesian Room. For more information: [www.wpcouncil.org](http://www.wpcouncil.org), email [info@wpcouncil.org](mailto:info@wpcouncil.org) or call (671) 483-1904.