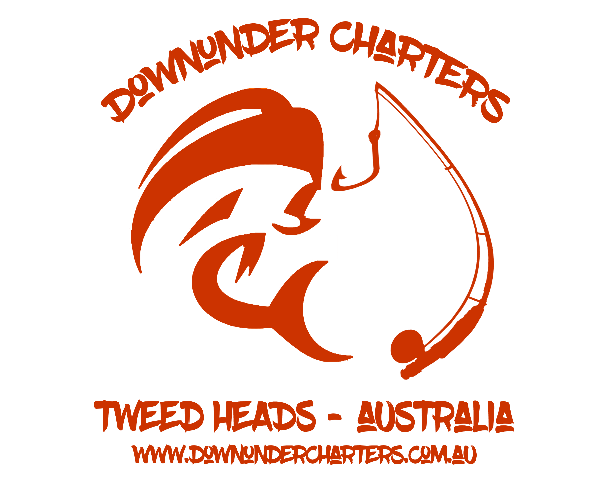
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Is it really Christmas time already? If I can hazard a guess, I’m sure most of you are just as surprised as I am at how fast the year has gone by.

With Chrissy just a matter of weeks away, hopefully you have all secured your spots on Santa’s nice list.

Christmas aside, what a time of the year it is! With the weather getting warmer (finally) and the fish on the bite, the fishing possibilities seem endless.

This has been apparent in recent weeks, with good numbers of Snapper, Tuskies and Pearl Perch popping up all around local spots. Noticeable also is the healthy Flathead population, which we have been finding quite a few of around the mud hole of late.

Another added bonus of the warmer weather is that game fish are now beginning to be more noticeable, especially out around the 45s.

Lastly, as some may have noticed, Downunder has begun to get a facelift, with new signs, fishing gear and wheel house equipment just the beginning - watch this space!

Until next time, we wish all a safe and happy Christmas and New Year!

*The team at Downunder Charters*



**Recipe of the month – Grilled Flathead**

**Ingredients**

* Fresh caught flathead from your charter (we will gut it for you)
* Olive oil

**Method**

* Descale and fillet your flathead and cut into portions of your choosing. (For smaller fish butterflied and cooked on the bone works well)
* On mid to high heat, grill flathead, skin side down.
* Turn after approximately 4 mins (longer for thicker fillets)
* Serve with pan fried garden vegetables

**Cooks Tip**

For extra flavor, try making a quick blue cheese sauce!

**Ingredients**

* 200G blue cheese
* 1 cup milk
* ½ cup corn flour (mixed to a smooth runny consistency with some milk)

**Method**

* Pour milk into pan and heat on medium only (otherwise it will curdle) until hot
* Stir in crumbled blue cheese
* Once cheese is melted, add corn flour and stir well until desired consistency is achieved.

Recipe courtesy Alive and Cooking



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