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Angel Ring Update

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ANGEL RING PROGRAM WINS AGAIN IN 2006

The Angel Ring project was once again recognised as an outstanding achievement for ANSA NSW when it won an award at the NSW Sports Safety Awards ceremony at the Telstra Dome, in Sydney's Olympic Park. ANSA NSW was jointly recognised with the Recreational Fishing Alliance of NSW for the NSW Trust funded Rock Fishing Safety Project. Apart from the Angel Ring Component, the project has distributed 70,000 translated Angel Ring Brochures, close to 50,000 translated free rock fishing safety DVD's featuring Andrew ET Ettingshausen, created an interactive CD-ROM on rock fishing safety and undertaken community education projects involving angler education classes for non-English speaking rock fishing anglers. An integral part of the education campaign involved the angel ring program.

ANSA NSW, the Angel Ring Project Team and the NSW Fishing Clubs Association have worked closely with the Department of Sport and Recreation, NSW DPI- Fisheries and the Minister for Tourism, Sandra Nori and the Minister for Fisheries, Ian Macdonald over the last few years to ensure that the safe rock fishing message is getting out into the community.

The continued support of the NSW Recreational Fishing Trust Expenditure Committee and the dedication of Debora Kanak, Project Manager from NSW Sport and Recreation has ensured that the rock fishing safety message remains at the top of everyone's agenda. The \$2500 prize will be invested in more rockfishing safety initiatives.



The Silver Medal Award that accompanied the \$2500 prize shared between the ANSA NSW and The Recreational Fishing Alliance of NSW.

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