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CMR certifies three state fishing records

BILOXI, Miss. – The state Commission on Marine Resources on Tuesday certified three state fishing records.

Christopher Barlow of Vancleave set the record for Gulf Flounder (*Paralichthys albigutta*) with a fish weighing 1 pound, 2.4 ounces using conventional tackle.

In the new youth division, the following records were set using conventional tackle.

Margaret Elaine Schindler, 8, of Diamondhead set a record for Silver Perch (*Bairdiella chrysoura*) with a fish weighing 2.8 ounces.

Myles Fallo, 11, of Pascagoula set a record for Slippery Wrasse (*Halichoeres bivittatus*) with a fish weighing 6.88 ounces.

Photos courtesy MS Department of Marine Resources

- 1. Christopher Barlow**
- 2. Margaret Elaine Schindler**
- 3. Myles Fallo**

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