

Tournament Rules

Tackle and Equipment All bass must be caught in a conventional sporting manner. Only artificial lures may be used with the exception of pork trailers. Only one fishing rod may be used at a time. Nets are allowed. Contestants may net their own fish or allow the boat captain or non-boater. Boat captains **are** allowed to assist in removing hooks but are not allowed to place fish in the live well. Boat captains can assist with managing fish in live wells..

Boat, Motor, and Horsepower Only wheel steering will be allowed unless pre-approval from tournament director. Each boat must have an aerated live well capable of holding two limits of fish. No "over-horsepower" boat will be allowed. See Boat Manufacturer HP rating plate.

Official Checkpoint There will be a designated area for boat check-in the morning and afternoon. Failure to check-in at either time will result in disqualification. The Director will announce the location during registration the morning of the tournament.

Scoring Only (Largemouth, Smallmouth, and Spotted) bass will be accepted at weigh-in and must meet minimum length state requirements for that body of water. Fish will be measured by the golden rule. No penalty for short fish.

(3) Fish Limit 4oz penalty for a dead fish. You cannot cull a dead fish. No penalty for short fish.

Ties will be broken by: 1. Most fish in creel, 2. largest fish in creel, 3. coin flip.

Point System: Contestant will be awarded points based on where they finish in the tournament regardless of age group.

1st—200	6th—155
2nd—190	7th—150
3rd—180	8th—145
4th—170	9th—140
5th—160	And so on

The two youth with the most points at the end of the 4 tournaments in each age group will be State Champions.

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Late Penalty 1lb penalty for the first five minutes, 3lb penalty for 6 to 10 minutes, more than 10 minutes late to check in location will result in disqualification.

Rules Enforcement These rules will remain unchanged for the 2010 season. Interpretation and enforcement of these rules shall be left exclusively to the Tournament Director. The decisions of the Director are final in all matters and not subject to appeal.

In the event of a rule violation the Director may impose such sanctions as he deems appropriate.

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Entry Form: Each angler must fill out an entry form. Competitors must fish from a boat. No more than (2) anglers per boat.

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Age _____ Date of Birth _____

Phone () _____

Email _____

Signature _____

Junior Club Name: _____

Number _____

Register Boater [] No-boater []

Check the tournaments you are submitting payment for. No-boaters will be first come priority selection by payment.

April [] May [] June [] July []

Parent or Guardian responsible for child:

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone () _____

Email _____

Signature _____

Watercraft Info:

Make: _____ Model _____ Yr _____

Motor: _____ HP _____

Registration Number _____

Liability Ins. Co _____

Policy No _____

In signing the above competitor & parent/guardian have read, understand, and agree to the rules of this tournament. They hereby waive and release all other contestants, the Host Sponsors, and the Tournament Officials from all claims of injury and or damage incurred in connection with the tournament. They further understand that the Tournament Director reserves the right to reject entries if he shall choose for any reason not to accept the application.