

2026 Tournament Rules and

Violating tournament rules will result in automatic disqualification. Anyone who has been disqualified from a tournament will not be allowed to enter or participate in any way with a subsequent event.

Cash prize winners will be subject to a polygraph/voice stress test/Chart test.

Entry Fee: \$100 per angler with a minimum \$200 boat. Children under 16 fish free one child per registered adult. Big Fish Pot: \$10 per fisherman; payout \$1000.

Any disorderly conduct will be ample reason for disqualification

Entry fees must be received via postal mail or online at www.active.com by 2:00 p.m. on June 5, 2026. After that date, only cash will be accepted. Registration will be accepted at the tournament site on June 6, 2026.

All State laws and regulations will be observed. Any infraction of these laws and regulations may result in disqualification. It is the responsibility of the entrant to be familiar with these laws and regulations.

1. Tournament Hours: Noon, Saturday June 6th until 12:00 noon, Sunday, June 7th.
2. *****Weigh-In will close Saturday night at 10:00 pm and will reopen Sunday at 8:00 am.*****
3. An optional captains meeting will be held Saturday, June 6, 10:00 a.m. at Jaycee Fairgrounds
4. All boats **must** be at weigh-in **by 12 PM on Sunday, June 7th.**
5. All fish must be caught using a handheld pole.
6. Fish must be caught on sporting tackle and be hooked and landed by the entrant only.
7. All tournament boats must maintain a minimum distance of 50 yards between each other. Flags must be displayed while anchored. If fishing out of the boat, you must be within 150 feet of the boat.
8. Team members must fish from the same boat.
9. A maximum of 5 fish per boat will be weighed in, only one of which can be dead. No culling of fish at weigh-in. Once a fish has been weighed and recorded, it is part of your catch. You cannot replace it with a larger fish.
10. All children under 16 MUST be accompanied by paying adults - one paid adult for each child fishing.
11. All fisherman MUST obey State of Georgia Rules and Regulations.
12. Ties & disqualifications will be decided by the tournament committee.
13. All protest must be made in writing within 30 minutes of the team's final weigh-in to the tournament weigh masters. \$50 Protest Fee will apply.
14. No chumming. No fishing intentionally baited holes.
15. Any fisherman with an alcohol content level high enough to affect the outcome of the polygraph test as determined by polygraph examiner and tournament committee may result in tournament disqualification.
16. Winners and record holders will be determined at the close of the tournament.
17. Team member chosen to be tested may be selected by the tournament committee.
18. **All decisions made by tournament committee are final.**