

1ST ANNUAL FALL FISHING DERBY

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

- **BEGINS: WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11TH** (BOATS MAY DEPART DOCK STARTING AT 8:00 AM)
- **ENDS: SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 11TH** (BOATS MUST BE AT MACM FOR FINAL WEIGH IN BEFORE 4:00 PM)

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

- RECREATIONAL BOATS
- CHARTER BOATS AND ROD & REEL COMMERCIAL FISHING BOATS
- *NOTE: RECREATIONAL BOATS AND CHARTER/ROD & REEL COMMERCIAL FISHING BOATS WILL BE SPLIT INTO TWO SEPARATE CATEGORIES.

BUY-IN

- \$150 PER BOAT COVERS ALL 3 SPECIES (CAN BE PAID BY CASH, CHECK, OR ZELLE).
- *NOTE: ALL WINNING PRIZES WILL BE DISTRIBUTED IN THE FORM OF A CHECK TO THE WINNING BOAT'S REGISTRANT.
- REGISTRATION DEADLINE: SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8TH AT 4:00 PM
- REFUND POLICY: 100% REFUND IF CANCELED BEFORE SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8TH AT 4:00 PM. NO REFUNDS FOR ANY REASON ONCE THE TOURNAMENT STARTS. NO EXCEPTIONS.

PRIZE MONEY DISTRIBUTION

- HEAVIEST 3 SEABASS (COMBINED WEIGHT STRINGER): WINNING BOAT TAKES ALL (1/3 OF CATEGORY PURSE)
- HEAVIEST 3 BLACKFISH (COMBINED WEIGHT STRINGER): WINNING BOAT TAKES ALL (1/3 OF CATEGORY PURSE)
- HEAVIEST 3 COD (COMBINED WEIGHT STRINGER): WINNING BOAT TAKES ALL (1/3 OF CATEGORY PURSE)
- *NOTE: MACM WILL COLLECT A 10% TOURNAMENT ADMINISTRATION FEE. THE REMAINING BALANCE OF \$135.00 WILL BE EACH REGISTRANT'S CONTRIBUTION TOWARD THEIR RESPECTIVE CATEGORY PURSE AND WILL BE DIVIDED EVENLY ACROSS THE THREE SPECIES (I.E. \$45 TOWARDS EACH SPECIES). *NOTE: THERE WILL BE TWO SEPARATE PURSES (ONE FOR EACH CATEGORY).

RULES

- ALL FISH MUST BE WEIGHED IN ON A MACM SCALE AND MEASURED BY A DESIGNATED MACM RULER AND THE WEIGHT/LENGTH MUST BE VERIFIED BY MACM STAFF. ALL REGISTRANTS MUST SIGN AND VERIFY THE RECORDED WEIGHTS/LENGTHS ON A MACM TOURNAMENT WEIGH SLIP IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A WINNING PRIZE.
 - *NOTE: THE TOURNAMENT REGISTRANT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ENSURING THAT ALL WEIGH SLIPS ARE PROPERLY RECORDED AND SUBMITTED TO MACM STAFF.
 - *NOTE: BLACK SEABASS ARE MEASURED FROM THE TIP OF THE SNOUT (OR JAW), WITH THE MOUTH CLOSED TO THE FARTHEST EXTREMITY OF THE TAIL, NOT INCLUDING THE TAIL FILAMENT.
- ALL FISH MUST BE WEIGHED DURING MACM'S NORMAL BUSINESS HOURS.
 - *NOTE: FALL BUSINESS HOURS WILL GO INTO EFFECT DURING THE DERBY, INCLUDING SEVERAL SUNDAY CLOSURES. MONITOR OUR WEBSITE FOR MACM FALL BUSINESS HOURS.
- IT IS THE ANGLER'S RESPONSIBILITY TO HAVE VALID STATE/FEDERAL FISHING PERMITS (WHERE APPLICABLE). ALL FISH MUST MEET NYS/FEDERAL RECREATIONAL REGULATIONS, GUIDELINES, AND LIMITS.
- ALL FISH MUST BE LANDED ON A TOURNAMENT-REGISTERED VESSEL AND MUST BE DELIVERED TO THE MACM SCALE ABOARD SAID REGISTERED VESSEL. REGISTRANT MUST BE ABOARD THE REGISTERED VESSEL DURING ALL TOURNAMENT FISHING AND WEIGH-INS.
- VALID GOVERNMENT ISSUED PHOTO IDENTIFICATION OF REGISTRANT MUST BE PRESENTED TO MACM STAFF AT EACH WEIGH-IN.
- THE COMBINED WEIGHT OF EACH VESSEL'S LARGEST 3 FISH IN EACH SPECIES OVER THE COURSE OF THE TOURNAMENT WILL BE THE AGGREGATE FINAL WEIGHT SUBMITTED BY THE END DATE/TIME OF THE TOURNAMENT. THERE IS NO LIMIT TO THE NUMBER OF FISH THAT CAN BE WEIGHED FOR THE DURATION OF THE TOURNAMENT.
- FISH MAY BE FURTHER INVESTIGATED OR DISQUALIFIED AT THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR'S DISCRETION.
- ALL FISH MUST BE CAUGHT BY ROD & REEL.

SPECIES

BLACK SEA BASS
BLACKFISH
COD

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