

LAKE WAYNOKA NIGHT BASS TOURNAMENT

July 30th 2011 11:00 pm – 7:00 am

Lake Waynoka Beach

Tournament Entry Fee \$50 – OPTIONAL BIG BASS POT \$10

Make checks payable to Waynoka Lake Committee

1 Waynoka Drive Sardinia, Ohio 45171

Same Day Sign Up at the Beach 10:00 – 11:00 pm

BOAT OPERATOR: _____ Lot # _____

ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____

PARTNER: _____ Lot # _____

ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Interpretation of the following rules shall be the sole responsibility of the tournament directors.
2. Any style of boat may be used (canoe, pontoon, etc.) Entrants are two (2) per boat maximum using the "BUDDY SYSTEM". Boat Owner/operator must have liability insurance.
3. Entrants may launch anywhere, but must be at tournament headquarters thirty (30) minutes prior to the scheduled take off time.
4. Only Largemouth and Smallmouth bass will be eligible. A total of six (6) fish, twelve (12) inches or longer may be weighed per boat. Weight in pounds and ounces will determine winner. In the event of ties in weight, order of finish will be determined by (a) the boat having the most fish, (b) the largest fish (c) flip of a coin.
5. Only six (6) bass can be in the team's possession at any time. Culling must be done immediately. No undersized bass may be kept at any time.
6. Bass must touch the 12" line with mouth closed on the official tournament measurement board. Any dead bass brought to the scales will NOT be weighed or counted. A one (1) pound penalty will be charged for each fish less than twelve (12) inches weighed in. Courtesy board provided.
7. All bass must be brought to the weigh in scales before the boat is removed from the lake. No bass will be weighed if brought to the weigh in scales from a trailered boat.
8. All boats must have an operating aerated live well. No stringers or baskets are permitted. Live wells must be checked by a tournament official prior to tournament start time.
9. Life jackets must be on and zipped at all times when the outboard engine is running. The boat operator must have the kill switch cord attached to their life jacket at all times.
10. OBEY all no wake markers—idle speed only in these areas. All WPOA Rules & Regulations, safe boating conduct and good sportsmanship will be strictly adhered to, subject to disqualification.
11. The entire lake becomes no wake at dark. Both bow and stern lights must be in good working condition and must be turned on from sunset to sunrise.
12. No team member can depart from their boat at anytime during tournament hours unless returning to tournament headquarters. Boats must maintain a distance of at least fifty (50) yards between them.
13. Only artificial lures may be used during the tournament. No trolling is permitted.
14. Lake Waynoka is OFF LIMITS for fishing to all tournament participants 24 hours prior to the Night Tournament, starting at 11:00 PM FRIDAY evening. If caught on the lake in the 24 hour period, you will be disqualified.
15. Team number tokens must be hung back on the display board by team members at or before the official time has been reached to end the competition.
16. Double trophies will be awarded to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places, single trophy awarded for Big Bass. Prize money awarded for the first five (5) places. Top 10 places will qualify to fish in the Waynoka Bass Classic at the end of the season.
17. Intoxication will not be tolerated. Alcoholic beverages or non medical drugs are not permitted in the boat.
18. Late arrivals will be penalized 1 pound per minute for each minute they are late. Five minutes late will disqualify a team's complete weight for that night.
19. A clock with the official time will be displayed at the sign in table, set your watch.
20. No underwater cameras will be permitted during the tournament.
21. All protests must be lodged with the tournament director PRIOR to any announcement of payouts.
22. **IDLE SPEED ONLY UNTIL DAWN**

ANY VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE RULES WILL DISQUALIFY A TEAM'S WEIGHT