

The Georgina Fishing Series

Lake Simcoe Evening Bass Tournament Series 2011 Tournament Application

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1. All boaters must be 18 years or older. Competitors under the age of 18 must have written parental consent.
2. No live bait will be allowed, only artificial lures.
3. Minimum sizes: Bass 12",
4. Any short fish will not be weighed and a 1 lb. penalty will be assessed for each short fish.
5. When culling you must possess one less than the legal limit. No traveling with more than the event fish limit.
6. You must have an operating live well.
7. Any dead fish will result in an 8-ounce penalty.
8. A dead fish cannot win "Big Fish" prize, it can however be weighed in as part of your total weight.
9. You must wear a Canadian Coast Guard approved flotation device while the outboard motor is running.
10. Zero tolerance of alcohol or illegal drugs.
11. All competitors must have a valid Ontario fishing license.
12. All Federal and Provincial fishing, boating and criminal laws must be obeyed at all times.
13. All 10K zones are shoreline to shoreline.
14. You must maintain 100 Feet of another competitor's boat. However in circumstances where there are 2 teams on river systems less than 50 yards, they may cross one another on opposite sides.
15. At the end of a tournament you must report in to the check-in, for safety reasons.
16. Any late boat will be penalized: 1 – 5 minutes 1lb, 5-10 minutes 2lbs and 10 plus minutes will not weigh in.
17. All boats must carry a minimum of \$1,000,000.00 liability insurance.
18. All outboard motors must have a working kill switch that must be worn when the outboard motor is running.
19. OFFICIAL PROTEST: Protests must pertain to specific rules violations. Competitors wishing to make an official protest must do so by reporting to the Tournament Director immediately before check-in. A cash deposit of \$50 dollars must accompany all protests. The deposit will only be refunded if the protest proves valid. The tournament director will hear protests ONLY, at such time and in such manner as the tournament director determines. All decisions of the tournament director shall be final and binding. Failure to abide by the official protest procedures will forever bar the angler from making the protest.
20. In case of a tie for any position there will be a coin toss to determine the position such teams will place.
21. Boaters must pre register with us on-line.
22. The Angler of the Year will be based on a points system, using the top 3 finishes. The angler who accumulates the most points will be the winner of the sponsors' prizes. *(NOTE: We might award prizes up to the top 3 scoring teams. Will be determined by the amount and value of such prizes.)*
24. All boaters must have their boat operator's card.
25. Any unsportsmanlike conduct, unsafe acts or failure to adhere to the tournament rules of the GFS can result in disqualification and forfeiture of entry fee.
26. All decisions of the tournament director shall be final and binding
27. Non-boaters are NOT permitted to carry a hand held G.P.S. unit.
28. Officials of the GFS will and can participate in the GFS evening tournaments, and officials and their immediate families do not qualify for the Sponsors Prizes points.
29. No fishing on Lake Simcoe day of tournament.

LIABILITY RELEASE:

In acknowledging this application, we understand and will abide by the rules set for this tournament and are enclosing entry fees.

We hereby release the Tournament Officials, the tournament hosts, sponsors, agents and all other contestants from any and all claims of injury and/or material and bodily damages in connection with the tournament.

Covenant not to sue and waiver of subrogation: That we will never sue Tournament Officials et al for damages on account of any injury we suffer or cause whether known now or which may develop in the future.

We expressly agree to indemnify Tournament Officials et al or any insurance carrier for all claims that they may pay on our behalf.

Any and all litigation will be held in the country of residence of the organizers of this event, expressly, the Region of York, in the Province of Ontario.

We state that we have personal medical/hospital Insurance.

I also agree to inspection of my equipment.

I would like to register as a:

Boater _____ Partner/non-Boater _____ Non-Boater _____

Name _____ Fishing License No. _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Prov. _____ P.C. _____

Insurance Co. _____ Policy No.: _____ Expiry _____

Residence Tel. No. _____

Cell No. _____ E-Mail _____ - _____

Make of boat/year _____ Make of motor/H.P. _____

Underlined to be filled out by boater only

I have read and am familiar with the rules. In signing this registration form I hereby agree to hold harmless all contestants, tournament officials, Georgina Fishing Series, parks, property owners, and organizers from bodily injury or any damages incurred in connection with these events.

Signature of Participant, _____ Date _____

Office Use Only
No.