**Rules:**

**Registration and Weigh In:** Registration will be held at Big Bass Marina Saturday Night from 5-7pm and the day of the Tournament at 4:30am and will go until Start Time. Contact Kevin Jeane 337-208-1551(Kevin@vandmbaits.com) for a entry form. This will be a trailering tournament.

**Check In**: Weigh in line will close at 4:00 pm. Teams must be checked in by this time and in weight in line. There will be a 1lb per minute penalty up to 10 mins at which time your weight will be disqualified.

**Alcohol:** No alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs may be consumed during tournament hours or until polygraph has been taken.

**Fishing Methods:** Only V&M lures and Black Label Balsa may be used during the tournament!!!! No Trolling. Only one rod and reel used at a time. No contestant at any time may leave the boat to catch or land a fish. All contests must contain a valid fishing license for the waters they are fishing.

**Safety:** Safe boating practice should be used by all contestants during tournament hours. All contestants must wear Coast Guard approved life vests and driver must have a kill switch attached while main engine is in gear. Running lights must be used as per state law.

**Sportsmanship:** Contestants are expected to follow high standards of sportsmanship, courtesy, and safety. Any contestant caught cheating will be disqualified from the tournament and prosecuted to full content of the law. “25 yard rule”-No team may fish within 25 yards of another contestant’s boat without permission from the other team.

**Polygraph:** By signing the registration form you agree to participate in a polygraph examination upon request. Failure to take or pass polygraph will be grounds for disqualification and will not collect winnings.

**Protests:** All Protests must be signed and submitted in writing before the conclusion of the tournament hours.

**Tournaments Director:** The Tournament Director’s Decisions are Final!

**Fish Care:** This is a mandatory catch and release tournament. Once the fish are weighed they become property of the tournament. There will be a ½ (.5) pound per dead fish penalty. All bass must be 14” in length there will be a 1lb penalty per short fish plus the loss of the fish.

**Tiebreaker:** In the event of a tie for the team total weight winner will be determined by the big bass. If there is a tie for Big Bass the winnings will be split evenly.

**Release and Liability:** By signing this entry form you release the tournament director, all members helping in the operation of this tournament, and Big Bass Marina from the liability involved with your participation. We will not be responsible for any injuries or damages incurred during participation of this event. All contestants understand and acknowledge that boating and fishing is a dangerous sport and must have sufficient health, accident and liability insurance to cover any bodily or property injury claim arising from participation in this event.  By signing this entry form you agree to all the mentioned rules and regulations set forth for this tournament.

Team Member #1 Team Member #2

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