

WAKULLA SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH

Speckled Trout Tournament

April 17, 2010

SAFETY AND CONDUCT

- Participants shall follow all applicable laws and rules regarding safety requirements.
- Participants shall obey all applicable laws and rules concerning the limits and licensing related to the taking of marine life.
- Participants are to follow high standards of sportsmanship and courtesy.
- At the discretion of the weigh master, violation of any of the above rules may lead to disqualification.

FISH

- This will be a speckled trout tournament, and all fish must meet Florida regulations for size and limits.
- Fishing will be permitted anywhere saltwater speckled trout can be legally taken.
- Any bait, live or artificial, will be permitted, but all fish must be obtained by rod and reel.

WEIGH-IN

- Official Weigh Station will be at Wakulla Springs Baptist Church, 1391 Crawfordville Highway.
- All fish must be presented to check point at Wakulla Springs Baptist Church, prior to 3:00 pm on Saturday, April 17, 2010 to qualify. Any angler in line, with their fish, by the 3:00 pm deadline will be considered eligible.
- Anglers will need to present their tournament identification card at weigh-in.
- Fish must be fresh and intact with no evidence of spearing, weight tampering, or other rules violations. It is the responsibility of the angler to ensure that all foreign objects are removed from the fish. Such objects shall include, but are not limited to: hooks, leaders, ice, and weights. All winning fish are subject to gut check at the discretion of the weigh master. Any fish found to be in violation of these rules are subject to disqualification.
- A total of 5 fish will be weighed to determine the winning weights. Only one may be longer than 20", and none shorter than 15", as per FWC regulations.
- The Biggest Fish will be determined from the weight of a single fish.

WEATHER

- Tournament will not be canceled due to weather or sea conditions with the exception of a hurricane or small craft warnings.
- Donations are non-refundable since this is a non-profit event.

REGISTRATION

- Entry will be a \$25 donation per individual fishing. All passengers of a boat must be entered into the tournament.
- No applications will be accepted after the close of the Captain's meeting, April 16, 2010.
- Entry is open to all ages.

PRIZES

- Prizes will be awarded based on the total amount of donations. 50% of the total donations will be divided up as follows:

1st Place – 40% (of the available prize money)
2nd Place – 30% (of the available prize money)
3rd Place – 20% (of the available prize money)
Biggest Fish – 10% (of the available prize money)

Example: If there are 100 entries, the total amount collected would be \$2500, prizes paid out would total \$1250 – Prizes could then be:

1st place = \$500, 2nd place = \$375,
3rd place = \$250, Biggest Fish = \$125

- In the event of an identical weight, the first fish weighed shall prevail.

QUESTIONS

- Any unanswered questions will be addressed at a Captain's Meeting to be held on Friday, April 16, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. At least one person from each boat is encouraged to attend this meeting

DECISIONS FINAL

- The decisions of the weigh master shall be final and non-negotiable.

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Wakulla Springs Baptist Church will hold a Trout Tournament to benefit Promiseland Ministries on Saturday, April 17, 2010. The weigh-in deadline will be 3:00 p.m. at the church, 1391 Crawfordville Highway.

Captain's meeting will be on Friday, April 16, 2010, 7:00 p.m. at the church. No registration forms will be accepted after the conclusion of this meeting. Any unanswered questions will be addressed at this meeting, and all anglers are encouraged to attend.

Cost will be a \$25 donation for each person entering the tournament, and we will need a completed registration form for each person entering. Payment may be made with cash or checks made payable to: Wakulla Springs Baptist Church, please note "fishing tournament" on the memo line. All registration forms must be received by Friday, April 16; if you think your form might not make it in time, please bring it to the Captain's Meeting.

If you have any questions, please e-mail WSBCTroutTourney@aol.com, or call Eric Mills at 570-0575.

Please complete the information below and return to:

WSBC Fishing Tournament, 1391 Crawfordville Highway, Crawfordville, FL 32327

WSBC TROUT TOURNAMENT APRIL 17, 2010

Angler's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Participants in The WSBC Trout Fishing Tournament enter at their own risk. In signing this application, I agree that I have read all rules and this disclaimer, and hereby waive and release Wakulla Springs Baptist Church, all other contestants, Sponsors, Tournament Officials, and all persons connected directly or indirectly with the operation of the this Tournament from any liability for loss including but not limited to: damage, negligence, harm or injury suffered to any participant, entrant, sport fisherman, sport fisherwoman, their companions, boat captains, crew members, vessels and equipment which may occur during the Tournament.

Angler's Signature: _____