

28th ANNUAL

DEVILS LAKE OPEN FISHING TOURNAMENT

Sponsored by the Lake Region Anglers Association

Sunday June 21, 2009

- **LOCATION**

Boat Access at Lakewood

- **ELIGIBILITY**

Fishing shall be by two (2) person teams. Any person 16 years and older is eligible to compete. Persons under 16 may participate only as a teammate with someone 18 years or older.

- **REGULATIONS**

All contestants must observe U.S. Coast Guard and ND Game and Fish Dept. rules, regulations, laws and license requirements. **Life preservers must be worn when boat is on plane.** Boats must land at tournament headquarters only. Boats may be boarded and checked at random. **All fish must be contained to a live well or cooler. No stringers or baskets allowed. All teams are responsible for their fish following the tournament.** Contestants are reminded that the "Spirit of the Rule" will prevail in all judgment cases.

- **FISHING AREA**

All navigable waters of Devils Lake or directly connected.

- **FISHING HOURS**

Outing will run from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

- **CHECK OUT AND CHECK IN**

Teams are requested to register and check-in at least ½ hour before starting time. Each team will have their boat checked and receive a key tag. In order to check-in, a team member must deliver their key tag to the scoreboard before the 3:00 p.m. finish time or they are late. Team may then proceed to weigh in their catch.

- **INSPECTION**

Boats will be inspected before and during tournament. Boats may be boarded and searched at random.

- **ENTRY FEE**

Entry fee shall be \$50.00 per two – person team. Checks should be made payable to the Lake Region Anglers Association. In the event of cancellation or rescheduling due to inclement weather, entry fees will be refunded.

- **SCORING**

Team standing shall be determined by a total weight and possession of 3 Northern Pike and 5 Walleye. In order to qualify for weigh-in northern must be 20 inches minimum in total length and walleye 15 inches. Ties shall be decided by the largest Walleye.

Teams who return within 15 minutes after check in time, will be penalized ten (10) percent of their total weight and be disqualified for largest fish prize. Over 15 minutes late will result in disqualification. All fish will be weighed in on the LRAA official scale.

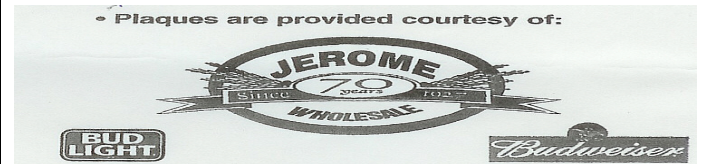
- **PRIZES**

Plaques will be awarded to the top ten (10) teams plus for the largest Walleye and Northern. Cash prizes will be awarded to the top five (5) teams based on 75% of entry fees received. Tournament is limited to 49 teams

- **WEATHER**

Listen to the local radio stations for cancellation and rescheduling information.

Plaques provided courtesy of:



Application for the Devils Lake Open Fishing Tournament June 21, 2009 * Pre-registration is Requested

TEAM MEMBER # 1	TEAM MEMBER # 2
NAME _____	NAME _____
ADDRESS _____	ADDRESS _____
PHONE _____	PHONE _____
Signature _____	Signature _____

The Tournament Committee and Lake Region Anglers Association assume no responsibility for damage to persons or property.

Mail entry form and \$50.00 per team to LRAA, P.O. Box 456, Devils Lake, ND 58301