

DRYDEN BASS TOURNAMENT

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Contestants under 16 years of age must have parent's written consent.
2. Both team members should attend rules meeting, Saturday, August 17th, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. downstairs at the Riverview Lodge. Beverages available.
3. **Tournament boundaries will be all areas accessible by water from the tournament launch site including the Dinorwic chain.**
4. Official tournament hours are 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
5. Each boat must be inspected by a tournament official prior to the start of the day. Boat check and morning start is at the Government Dock at the end of Van Horne Ave. Officials will be at the dock by 7:00 a.m. and we ask that you are checked in by 7:45 a.m. Any boats missing their start time will be automatically moved to the last position for take off. Tournament officials will be at the docks until 8:30 - **after 8:30 any boats that have not checked in will be disqualified.** Check in at the mouth of the river at day's end. You must check in or call one of the emergency numbers if you are in earlier than the setup of the check in boat. We need to know that everyone is safely off the water. Weigh in will be at the Duke Street dock. Remember speed limit in the river is 9 km!
6. Live bait allowed. Artificial lures, manufactured baits and scents will be allowed.
7. Each team is allowed to catch and hold up to a maximum of 5 bass of any size in the live well. There will be a 4 oz. penalty assessed for each non releasable fish.
8. Fixed or portable live wells capable of sustaining life are mandatory. Aerated coolers will be acceptable.
9. All participants must wear life jackets or approved personal floatation devices while travelling from one location to another or when the boat is travelling faster than trolling or drifting speeds.
10. No alcoholic beverages or non prescription drugs may be consumed during tournament hours.
11. Boats may only touch shore during dangerous situations. Boats are expected to keep a distance of 25 yards and may not touch at any time.
12. Any team found in violation of tournament or Ontario Sport Fishing Regulations will be disqualified and will not receive a refund.
13. Cell phones for emergency use only. No underwater cameras during tournament hours.
15. The Tournament committee retains the right to change and / or amend the rules at their discretion without notification
16. Emergency contacts are:

Greg Desautels	221-6180
Mitch Lampshire	220-2523
Jan Park	221-6629

Awards Presentation will be at the Riverview Lodge at approximately 4:30 pm on Sunday, August 18th, 2019

a weight is required in order to claim a prize

There will be draw prizes which will require you to be in attendance

Beverages and snacks will be available at the awards presentation