

FIRST ANNUAL "T-BURG TAKES ON PEDIATRIC CANCER" FISHING TOURNAMENT 2018

WHEN: SATURDAY 8/25/2018-SUNDAY 8/26/2018

WHERE: CAYUGA LAKE

ENTRY FEE: \$50 PER ADULT AND \$25 PER CHILD (UNDER 16)

WEIGH-IN LOCATION: TAUGHANNOCK STATE PARK BOAT LAUNCH

This tournament is being held as a benefit for "*T-burg Takes on Pediatric Cancer*". T-burg Takes on Pediatric Cancer is a volunteer organization that helps fill the financial gaps which struggling families experiencing pediatric cancer go through. This could be assistance with co-pays, mortgage payments, utility bills and transportation funds. Go to the website at T-burg takes on Pediatric Cancer for more details. 50% of all proceeds will be directly donated to the organization. The other 50% will be fully paid out. Follow the organizations Facebook page @ T-Burg Takes on Pediatric Cancer or visit their website for full entry form and regulations.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Registration will be held at the Taughannock Park Boat Launch from 7am-8am on Friday (8/24/18) and Saturday (8/25/18) from 7am-8am. Each person MUST complete a registration form and terms of agreement and pay the entry fee, prior to fishing the tournament. You may also pre-register by mail or in person by contacting Ethan Mosher at 607-342-6276. Entry forms and terms of agreement may be printed off the "T-Burg takes on Pediatric Cancer" website and mailed in. Weigh-ins will also take place at Taughannock. Weigh-in times are as follows:

SATURDAY 7:30pm till 8:30pm

SUNDAY- Final weigh-in at Noon with final winners to be announced following final weigh. You may contact Ethan at 607-342-6276 to check the status of the weigh in leaderboard or check the Facebook event.

You *DO NOT* have to be present to win. ALL weights and weigh-ins from Saturday will carry over to the final weigh in on Sunday.

Targeted fish species include the following

Brown Trout, Lake Trout, Rainbow Trout, Salmon, Smallmouth Bass, Largemouth Bass

Payouts will be as follows.

- Single heaviest Bass- 25% payout
- Lunker (heaviest single fish of any category listed above)- 43% payout
- Heaviest 3 total fish in a salmon/trout combination- 32% payout

******* In addition to the main event (Saturday/Sunday), there will be a "BIG FISH FRIDAY". To qualify for the "Big Fish Friday" you must be a participant in the main event. The entry fee for the Big Fish Friday is \$20 per person. The single heaviest ONE "lunker" fish takes the entire 100% of the pot. You MUST be pre-registered by mail or in person or register Friday morning between 7am and 8am to be eligible to participate in "Big Fish Friday". *******

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Boat Requirements/inspections:

All boats must meet all U.S. Coast Guard and appropriate state requirements. All boats entered into the T-burg Takes on Pediatric Tournament are responsible for meeting NYS laws and regulations. All outboard motors will not exceed the horsepower limitation as indicated on the manufacturers rating plate. No tournament boat may come in contact with any other boat while on the water during the tournament hours except in an emergency.

Safety:

Each contestant must wear a US Coast Guard approved personal floatation device at all times when the main engine is running, in gear and operated above idle or trolling speeds. Good sportsmanship and safe boating must be observed at all times.

Sportsmanship:

All contestants are expected to uphold good sportsmanship and courtesy to other contestants, the fishing and boating laws of New York State. Any team or team member found in violation of these rules or the laws of NYS may be disqualified and will not receive tournament prizes, including cash prizes, trophies or other awards. Team members must possess a valid NYS fishing license or valid exemptions to requirement. T-Burg take on Pediatric Cancer, its tournament director or representative reserves the right to refuse entry to any individuals for unscrupulous or un-sportsmanlike conduct, including those who have been barred or disqualified from any tournament for rules violations.

Weather:

The Tournament Director will begin the tournament only during acceptable weather conditions. We will not launch under small craft advisory. It is each team's responsibility to be aware of weather conditions, when on the water, and to take safe shelter if conditions become unsafe. Teams will be permitted to weigh their fish providing they have returned before the tournament deadline time or the ending of bad weather conditions as determined by the Tournament Director. The entire day of Sunday August 26, 2018 is reserved for the main event, with weigh-ins being at noon and a final weigh-in being on Sunday half hour after sunset, in case the event that Saturdays event is postponed.

Bag limits/weigh-ins:

Teams may bring to the scale only ONE bass per weigh-in and only THREE total Trout/Salmon for weigh-in. ONLY legal NYS compliant fish are eligible for weigh-in. If an illegal fish is brought to weigh-in, that individual and anyone on his/her boat will be disqualified. This is intended to be a live fish weigh-in though not mandatory. If you are not back for weigh-in by the designated time, everyone one minute past will be a ½ pound deduction from total weights. 15 minutes past weigh-in and the fish may not be weighed in.

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Release of Liability

I acknowledge that my participation in the T-Burg take on Pediatric Cancer tournament is VOLUNTARY. I agree to assume all risk of injury, death, damages, theft, and loss of personal property which may result from my participation in this event. I recognize that loss of property, injury, or death could arise from open water fishing and boating activities, exposure to the elements, and other risks inherent with outdoor competition. I warrant that I am in good physical and mental condition and capable of withstanding the extremes of competition fishing. I hereby release and discharge T-Burg takes on Pediatric Cancer, its officers, its sponsors, and its volunteers from all damages, claims, demands, costs or expenses relating to injury of myself and/or persons or any property damage which I may sustain or which I may cause as a result of my participation in this T-Burg takes on Pediatric Cancer event.

Participation Agreement

I understand that T-Burg takes on Pediatric Cancer events are governed by rules established by its tournament organizers. I acknowledge that I have received a copy of these rules which relate to the safety and fair play of all its contestants and that the Tournament Director(s) shall settle all disputes and their decision, based on their interpretation of these rules, shall be final and without legal appeal. I understand that pictures or video of me or my boat may be taken during this T-Burg takes on Pediatric Cancer event and used by its administrators, sponsors, or media without royalties or prior consent to help promote T-Burg takes on Pediatric Cancer. Tournament entry fees are non-refundable and non-transferable regardless of the date of cancellation. By my signature, I verify that I have read and understand the rules, release of liability, and the participation agreement being a total of 2 pages. In the event of a tie the winner will be selected by a drawing out of a hat.

MAIN EVENT: SATURDAY 8/25/2018-SUNDAY 8/26/2018 YES

(\$50 per adult or \$25 for children under 16)

BIG FISH FRIDAY (Friday 8/24/2018) \$20/person YES NO

Name Printed _____ Date _____

Signature _____

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2018

TAUGHANNOCK STATE PARK MARINA,
CAYUGA LAKE, NEW YORK

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____

STATE _____

ZIP _____

PHONE NUMBER _____

DATE OF BIRTH _____

EMAIL _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME(s) _____

PHONE NUMBER(s) _____

You can pre-register by mailing this completed form (3 pages total) to; ATTN: Ethan Mosher @ 43 King St, Trumansburg NY, 14886 with a check (or cash) enclosed, OR you may complete the form the morning of the tournament at registration. Cash or check only. Please make all checks payable to “T-Burg takes on Pediatric Cancer”. Contact Ethan Mosher at 607-342-6276 with any questions.