# 2023 BassTactix Alabama Summer Slam CPR Tournament



## **Enrollment & Participation**

- Participation is free of charge.
- Contest is open to the general public.
- To register, each participant must download the Fishing Chaos app, create a profile and purchase a BassTactix Alabama Summer Slam Ticket at no charge for the tournament(\$0).
- Competition is separated by divisions: Junior (Kindergarten-8<sup>th</sup> grade) and Senior (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade)

## **Divisions**

- Participants will compete individually.
- Junior Division will be grades Kindergarten-8<sup>th</sup> grade.
- Senior Division will be grades 9th-12th

#### **Format**

- Registration opens July 1<sup>st</sup> and closes July 28<sup>th</sup>
- CPR(Catch-Photo-Release) Tournament will open July 1<sup>st</sup> and close July 31<sup>st</sup>
- 5 biggest bass by length

# **Submitting Catches**

- Permitted species: Largemouth, Smallmouth, Spotted and Meanmouth Bass
- Minium length requirement: 12 inches with all species
- Submitted catches must be caught by the registered angler.
- All pictures must be submitted after the start time and before the end time of the event.
- Catches must be submitted via Fishing Chaos mobile app.
- Photo must show the fish laying straight on an approved measure board with mouth closed and touching the bump end of the measure board with tail lying flat.
- Must be able to verify fish's length. Length will be rounded down to the nearest ¼" of which is certain
  on boards with ¼" measurements and rounded down to the nearest inch of which is certain on boards
  with 1" measurements.
- Mouth must be in contact with measuring board end. Inability to verify will result in denial of the photo.
- The entire fish (mouth to tail) must be visible in photo. If the end is covered or cropped off the photo will result in denial of the photo.
- Identifier Code must be visible in the photo. Inability to verify will result in denial of the photo.
- Must be able to verify fish's condition. Violation will result in denial of photo.
- Fish may only be entered once. Each fish submitted must be a different fish.

- Tournament Director has the final say on registered fish and reserves the right to revise or disqualify entries.
- If you enter mistakenly submit the wrong size for a fish you must contact the tournament director before the end of the event.

## **Approved Measure Devices**

Measuring devices must be of the "bump board" style, with a vertical lip on the left side of the measure board to push the tip of the fish's mouth up against. Measure markers must be clearly visible in inches. If the board only shows whole inches, scoreable measurement must be rounded down to the nearest inch. Only catches 12" and longer are scoreable. Boards with ½" measure increments are recommended. Tape measure are not valid.

- Suggested measure boards:
  - Gator Grip Golden Rule Measuring Board
  - o Cabela's Aluminum Fish Measuring Board
  - Frabill Fishing Bump Board Measuring Ruler
  - Check-It Stik
  - Hawg Trough

### **Rules & Liabilities**

- These Rules and Regulations("Rules") apply to BassTactix Alabama's ("we", "us", or "our" as the context may require) BassTactix Alabama Summer Slam CPR Tournament("Events").
- Liability Release: By Participating we understand and will abide by the rules set for this tournament.
   We hereby waive and release BassTactix Alabama, officials, sponsors, hosts, agents, and all other contestants form any and all claims of injury and/or material and bodily damage incurred in connection with this tournament.
- Fish are to be caught in a sporting manner, using rod/reel and artificial lures or baits from ANY LEGALLY ACCESSED BODY OF WATER (stream, river, pond, or lake). No live or dead bait is permitted.
- Participant(s) acknowledge and agree that they have reviewed, understand and will abide by the Rules.
   Participants willingly agree to comply with the Rules for participation in the Event.
- All local, state and federal laws shall apply to all participants at all times including, without limitation, the penal code.
- All local, state, U.S. Coast Guard, Parks & Wildlife, and federal boating and fishing regulations or off limits, shall also apply to all participants at all times.
- Participants are aware he/she/they are participating in a physical activity in the sport of fishing that
  may be dangerous and can cause injury. These activities may involve severe cardiovascular stress and
  possible violent contact. Participants understand and acknowledge the activities may involve numerous
  risks including, but no limited to, death, serious neck and spinal injuries resulting in complete or partial
  paralysis, brain damage, and/or serious injury to bones, joints, muscles and internal organs, and
  property damage. Although particular Rules, equipment and personal discipline may reduce the risk
  associated with participating in the Event, the risk of serious injury does exist and cannot be completely
  eliminated.

- Participant's entry in to an Event represents your express consent to receive email, phone and text
  message communication form us and any of our successors, directors, members, officers, agents,
  contractors, affiliates, employees, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, and/or advertisers before, during,
  and after the Event. Participants who remain in our database after the Event understand and
  acknowledge that they will receive ongoing communication. In order to discontinue communication, it
  is the participant's responsibility to notify us to opt out of our mail, email, text message and other
  databases.
- We may amend the Rules at any time, in our sole discretion, including during the Event.

