



## Collegiate Bass Trail of Texas

**Tournament Director:** Tim Haugh (903)539-3975

**Location:** Toledo Bend

**Weigh-in Site:** Cypress Bend Park  
3462 Cypress Bend Drive  
Many, Louisiana 71449

**Date:** January 15, 2022

**Entry Due Date:** All teams that fished the Bob Sandlin tournament in October must complete their tournament entry online (found on the CBTT website, [www.collegiatebasstrailoftexas.com](http://www.collegiatebasstrailoftexas.com)) by Wednesday, January 12, 2022. Tournament dues are to be paid at the Friday registration. ***Any team that did not fish the first event on Bob Sandlin must bring a completed Entry Form and Release of Liability Form (found on the CBTT website) to registration on Friday, January 14, 2022 at the times listed in the next section.***

**Registration:** All teams must check in and/or register on Friday, January 14, 2022 at the weigh-in location from 6pm – 8pm. Teams will draw for their boat number at check-in/registration and receive their tournament wristband at that time notating that they have completed check-in/registration. Any changes MUST be made at this time. All teams will pay entries and/or membership dues at registration.

**Flights:** Boats 1-25 (Flight 1), checked in by 3:00 PM  
Boats 26-50 (Flight 2), checked in by 3:15 PM  
Boats 51-75 (Flight 3), checked in by 3:30 PM  
Boats 76-100 (Flight 4), checked in by 3:45 PM  
Boats 101-125 (Flight 5), checked in by 4:00 PM  
Boats 126-150 (Flight 6), checked in by 4:15 PM  
Boats 151-175 (Flight 7), checked in by 4:30 PM

**Take Off:** All teams will leave in a numerical boat number fashion called by the Tournament Director from the weigh-in sight at safe light following a prayer and the playing of the National Anthem. Boats may launch at any ramp of their choice but must motor over to the Official Take Off site for the Official Take Off. All teams will idle by the Tournament Director with running lights on, life jackets zipped or buckled, kill switch properly attached, live wells open and students seated properly in the boat. The Tournament Director has the right to remove any boat from competition due to a safety violation.

**Off Limits:** Any area on the lake with signs or buoys that state “No Fishing”, “No Trespassing”, “Keep Out”, “Off Limits”, “No Boats”, “No Fishing” or any other similar signage is deemed Off Limits.

**Creel Limit:** For Largemouth Bass and Kentucky Spotted Bass, the minimum length limit = 14 inches. Daily bag for all four species of black bass = 5 in any combination.

**Tournament Rules:** Go to the Collegiate Bass Trail of Texas website for a complete list of the current tournament rules.

**Check-in:** All teams must be checked in by their assigned flight times. Any team(s) not checked in by their assigned flight times will be penalized 1 pound per minute for every minute they are late to check-in. Any team(s) returning 15 minutes or more late for their assigned check-in time will not be allowed to weigh-in. **ALL TEAMS MUST CHECK IN, EVEN IF THEY HAVE NO FISH TO WEIGH IN. WE MUST KNOW YOU ARE SAFE AND OFF THE WATER. TEAMS THAT DO NOT CHECK IN WILL RECEIVE 0 POINTS AND WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO FISH ANOTHER CBTT EVENT FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE SEASON PER RULE #17.**

**Weigh-in:** There will be a courtesy board located at the beginning of the holding tanks for teams to check the length of any fish they may intend to weigh-in. Once a team turns over their daily catch to the bump man, the fish are now property of the Collegiate Bass Trail of Texas, and all teams agree to any call by the bump man regarding the official length of all fish. The Tournament Director has the final say in all matters regarding the official length of any fish. There will be 6-8 holding tanks leading up the Official Bump Man. Each tank will have hoses with air diffusers to keep your catch healthy while in line at the holding tanks. Weights will be measured in 1/100ths of a pound for each team (Example: 15.45 lbs).

**Polygraph:** A polygraph could be given to the winning team, as well as a boat number drawn randomly at the conclusion of the event before awards are distributed.

**Post Tournament Boat Inspection:** The tournament director at any time may conduct random boat safety checks. Those teams leaving early or refusing to partake in the MANDATORY boat safety inspection, or those that fail the inspection, will be disqualified from the tournament. The items that will be checked: **working fire extinguisher, throw cushion, liability insurance reflecting \$300,000 coverage, current fishing license, current boat registration, working navigation lights, working kill switch, proper life vests for all occupants.**

***THE GATES FOR CYPRESS BEND PARK WILL OPEN AT 4:30 AM ON TOURNAMENT DAY.***

***ALL TEAMS WILL BE ALLOWED ENTRY TO CYPRESS BEND AT NO COST. SPECTATORS WILL BE CHARGED \$2 PER PERSON FOR ENTRY INTO THE PARK.***

