

# **2013 BLUE WATER SPORTFISHING CLUB TOURNAMENT TRAIL**

**SPONSORED BY: ANDERSON'S PRO BAIT**

**\$10 ENTRY FEE PER PERSON PER TOURNAMENT \*\*KIDS FISH FOR FREE\*\***

**PRIZES AWARDED: ANDERSON'S PRO BAIT GIFT CERTIFICATES & CLUB PRIZES**

**1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE \$100 GIFT CERTIFICATE PLUS TEAM PRIZES**

**2<sup>ND</sup> PLACE \$50 GIFT CERTIFICATE**

**3<sup>RD</sup> PLACE \$25 GIFT CERTIFICATE**

**HEAVIEST FISH \$25 CASH AT WEIGH IN**

<b><u>WHEN:</u></b>	<b><u>WEIGH-IN LOCATION</u></b>	<b><u>START TIME</u></b>	<b><u>WEIGH-IN</u></b>
Saturday, April 13	Port Huron Fish Cleaning Station	6:00 a.m.	2:00 p.m.
Saturday, May 11	Port Huron Fish Cleaning Station	6:00 p.m.	1:00 a.m.
Saturday, May 25	Port Huron Fish Cleaning Station	6:00 a.m.	2:00 p.m.
Saturday, June 22	Port Huron Fish Cleaning Station	6:00 p.m.	1:00 a.m.
Saturday, July 6	Port Huron Fish Cleaning Station	6:00 a.m.	2:00 p.m.

**\*\*YOU CAN WEIGH-IN UP TO 10 OF YOUR HEAVIEST FISH OF ANY LEGAL SPECIES.\*\***

**\*\*SIGN-UP REGISTRATION: Anyone fishing must be pre-registered BEFORE the tournament**

**Start time. Please contact Tournament Chairman George Murdick (810-531-3104) or**

**Anderson's Pro Bait (810-984-3232) to register. Info needed: Boat Name & number of**

**fishermen.**

**\*\*Contact Tournament Chairman (George Murdick) if you have any questions. 810-531-3104**

## **RULES:**

**\*\* Only the Captain needs to be a participating member of BWSFA. Enrollment can be obtained at the weigh-in location for \$35 if not a current member.**

**\*\* Fish from Boat only.**

**\*\* All Michigan DNR and Canadian rules and laws will apply.**

\*\* Teams may weigh-in up to **10** of their heaviest fish of any legal species. This includes: salmon, trout, walleye, pike, bass, whitefish, catfish, sheephead, carp, sucker, panfish & etc. **(If it's legal, you can weigh it)**. **\*\*Bait fish are excluded** including live Gobies, which are illegal to transport.\*\*

\*\* Fish must be held **mouth-down** before being placed on scale to void any water or ice.

\*\* **Ties** will be broken by the length of your team's heaviest fish.

**TOURNAMENT BOUNDARIES:** Lower Lake Huron, all of St. Clair River & its three channels.

**START FISHING TIMES:** Listed on front page. You may drop lines in water at that time. *(on your honor)*

**WEIGH-IN TIMES:** You must be in the Weigh-In Line at the specified time and location of each tournament (listed on front page) or your team will be disqualified.

**PROTESTS:** Will be concluded within **5 minutes** of Final Weigh-In for a fee of **\$25**. (returnable if necessary). All Protests will be final and settled at the discretion of the Tournament Chairman.

**BOAT SAFETY:** All boats participating will be acting upon the discretion of their Captains. BWSFA will not be responsible or liable for any damage or injury resulting from these events. Boats are advised to have a Marine Radio for safety concerns.

**POINT SYSTEM:** Points will be accrued for each individual tournament for the Captain of the Year honors. Captains will receive 10 points for participation of each tournament and additional points for their rankings in each contest placing 1<sup>st</sup> through 10<sup>th</sup>. Example: 1<sup>st</sup>=20 2<sup>nd</sup>=19 3<sup>rd</sup>=18 4<sup>th</sup>=17 5<sup>th</sup>=16 etc. Captains may choose to fish multiple boats that they own, but not another person's boat.

\*\*Please be responsible to the rules as they have been delegated by K.I.S.S. (Keep It Simple Stupid). Our reputation is on the line and so is your honor. **Let's all have some fun!**

**\*\*\*Tournament Committee will be authorized to make changes to these rules and dates as deemed necessary. Please see following announcements for any changes available at Anderson's Pro Bait.**

<http://www.andersonsprobait.com/>