



University of North Alabama Invitational

Sunday, April 15th, 2018

McFarland Park, Pickwick Lake, Florence, AL

Tournament will count towards 2017-2018 SOY points

Location

Pickwick Lake @ McFarland Park: 200 James M Spain Drive, Florence, AL 35630

Tournament and Registration Times, Entry Fees, and Payout

Registration will begin the morning of the tournament at 4:30 a.m. with boat numbers in order of registration. All teams must register and pay entry fees at registration the morning of the tournament.

Entry Fee will be \$70 per boat with a \$10 optional big bass pot

Payout will be 65% of entry fees plus prizes (yet to be determined) with the remaining 35% going to the University of North Alabama Fishing Team. Payout for the big bass pot will be a prize package yet to be determined. Payout will be 1 place per 8 boats. Tournament winnings awarded immediately following the conclusion of weigh in.

Tournament will be safe light (determined by tournament director) until 3 p.m.. Weigh in will be held at McFarland Park beginning at 3:15 p.m.

This tournament is only open to college students enrolled in full time credits (12 hours or more). Any angler may be asked to present a current collegiate ID at registration.

No A-Rigs will be allowed.

(If you plan to attend, please text tournament director with your school and you/partner's names to estimate how many boats will be attending)

Tournament Director: Luke Mason (256)-566-3878

For questions, concerns, or to notify of attendance in the tournament early please text with your school/team name and your name.

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Official Tournament Rules

1. Only 2 anglers per boat permitted.
2. There will be a 5 fish limit per boat.
3. Only largemouth, smallmouth, and spotted bass will be weighed.
4. Size limit: 15 inches on all 3 eligible species.
5. There will be a 2-pound penalty per short fish (measured with golden rule ruler) and a 1-pound penalty per minute late to weigh in.
6. All boats must meet all US Coast Guard regulations and requirements.
7. Teams more than 15 minutes late will be disqualified.
8. Inside the marina/harbor is off limits for fishing.
9. Life jackets must be worn when the combustion engine is in gear.
10. All bass must be caught in a conventional sporting manner.
11. When sight fishing, fish must be hooked in the mouth.
12. Only artificial lures allowed and no trolling of lures allowed.
13. Only one rod per angler may be used at a time.
14. Competitors must maintain at least 100 yards from other competitors unless told otherwise by the competitor. Have sportsmanship on the water.
15. Competitors may not use drugs or alcohol during tournament hours.
16. All contestants must have a valid AL fishing license.
17. In the event of a competitor's boat breaking down, notify the tournament director and 1 member of the team may ride in with their fish with any other competitors.
18. All decisions made by the tournament director are final.

By registering for this event, each angler acknowledges the official tournament rules and agrees to obey. Breaking of rules may result in disqualification from the tournament. The tournament director reserves the right to disqualify any competitors in violation of these rules listed above. Interpretation of these rules will be exclusively to the tournament director. The tournament director reserves the right to decline entry to any individual(s) or club/team. Each team, boat, and competitor also acknowledge by

registering that the tournament director, the University of North Alabama, or the UNA Bass Fishing Team may not be held responsible or liable for any injuries or accidents that occur at or during the University of North Alabama Invitational.

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