

**LAKE VERRET BASS
CLUB
OPEN BASS
FISHING
TOURNAMENT**

***LAKE VERRET
BASS CLUB
12TH ANNUAL
OPEN BASS
TOURNAMENT***

DATE: SATURDAY, April 11, 2009

PLACE: PAIZANO'S, Belle River,
LA

LAUNCH SITE: SPILLWAY

PUBLIC OR PAIZANO'S

CHECK IN: PAIZANO'S IN AM
OF TOURNAMENT

ENTRY FEE: \$50 Per Team & \$10
Big Bass (Optional)

PRIZES:

1ST PLACE:	\$1,000.00
2ND PLACE:	\$500.00
3RD PLACE:	\$300.00
4TH PLACE:	\$125.00
5TH PLACE:	\$75.00

BIG BASS \$10.00 PER TEAM (OPTIONAL):

1ST PLACE:	70% OF KITTY
2ND PLACE:	30% OF KITTY

80% PAY BACK - 100% ON BIG BASS. PRIZE MONEY IS BASED ON 50 BOATS. MONEY AWARDED WILL BE ADJUSTED ACCORDING TO THE NUMBER OF ENTRIES. ADDITIONAL PLACE WILL BE ADDED FOR EACH 5 BOATS OVER 50.

THERE WILL BE NO LATE FEE CHARGES.

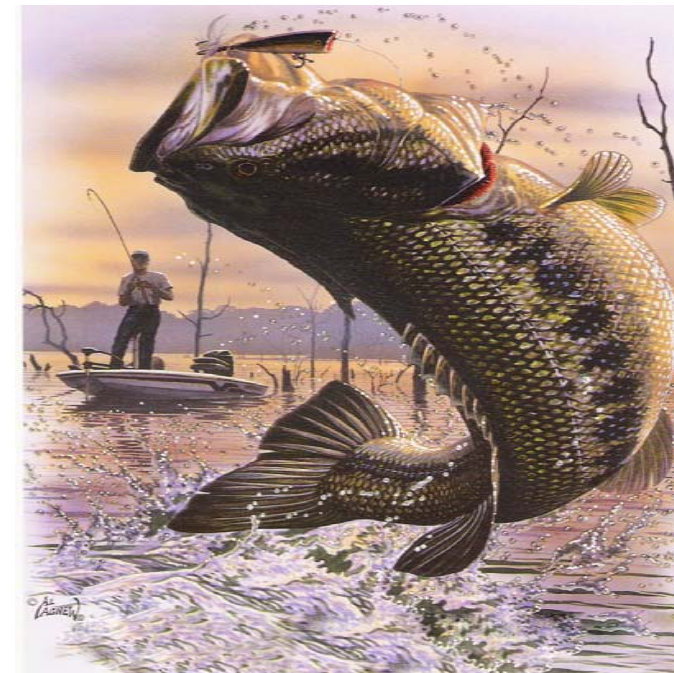
Anyone interested in fishing or having any questions can contact:

Brad Rodrigue (985) 252-4128
Ricky Mobile (985) 252-8027
Randy Rader (985) 519-5872

Applications may be sent to Lake Verret Bass club by mail or contact any of the persons listed on this application for more information.

Many thanks go to our sponsors:

Paizano's
Spunky Monkey
Breaux and Daigle Marine
Pierre Part Store



TOURNAMENT RULES

Contestant #1

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Contestant #2

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Big Bass (Optional) Yes _____ NO _____

By signing below I acknowledge that I have read and understood the rules as written on this application. I also understand that by signing this application I hereby waive and release all other contestants, Lake Verret Bass Club Inc., sponsors, and tournament officials from all claims of injury and or damage incurred in connection with this tournament. I also acknowledge that the facts I have written on this applications are correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature #1 _____

Signature #2 _____

Make checks payable to and mail application to:
LAKE VERRET BASS CLUB, INC.
P.O. BOX 745
PIERRE PART, LA 70339

1. The use of alcoholic beverages during tournament hours is not allowed. The use of non-prescriptive drugs is strictly prohibited.
2. The L.V.B.C weigh masters will be responsible for the weighing and measuring of all fish at the tournament. The decision of the weigh masters will be final.
3. Any contestant attempting to weigh in any bass under the 14" legal size in length will be immediately disqualified. Only Kentucky, Spotted or Largemouth Bass will be allowed.
4. All teams must cull down to five (5) fish before coming to the scales and cannot have more than six (6) fish in their live well at any time. The limit of five (5) fish will be strictly adhered to. Any bass over the limit of five (5) will be deducted from the total weight of the team's legal stringer, largest fish first. The fish subtracted will be completely disqualified from all competition, including big fish award.
5. Anyone bringing dead fish to the weigh scale will be penalized four (4) ounces per fish.
6. In the case of a tie, with stringers, big fish will break the tie. The length of the biggest fish will decide any other ties.
7. All fish must be brought in to the scales in a plastic bag, no nets allowed.
8. All fish will be measured on a golden rule with the mouth closed.
9. All fish entered must be caught on artificial lures, strips, rinds, etc. Only rods and reels (casting, spinning, spin-casting and fly rods) are permitted.
10. Once a contestant hands his fish to the weigh masters, only the weigh masters will be allowed to handle the fish until they are released. All fish will be released back into the waters.
11. No fishing allowed in any waters that are not open to the public. No fishing allowed in any gated or locked canals. No fishing allowed in Bayou Black Marina Slip, Doirons Canal, Doirons Subdivision Canal, Avoca Island or Delta Farms.
12. The use of a small secondary boat will not be allowed in the tournament. You must stay in your boat at all times. No pulling over dams, bulkheads, etc.

13. No contestant at any time during the tournament shall intentionally fish within a 50-yard radius of any other contestant that is at anchor or fishing along a bank of a canal, bayou, lake, stream, etc., without the explicit permission of the subject contestant. Any violation of this rule must be protested to the tournament weigh masters immediately after the weigh-in and before any payouts are made. The tournament weigh masters will act accordingly and all decisions will be final.
14. Life vests must be worn at all times while the outboard motor is running. Any contestant not observing safety on the water with his boat or unsportsmanlike conduct will be completely disqualified from the tournament upon receipt of a written protest to the weigh masters.
15. Any protest will have to be turned in to the weigh masters as soon as possible after your arrival at the weigh-in station, or immediately after weigh-in and before payouts are awarded.
16. Check in time will begin at 5:00 AM at Piazana's in Belle River, LA. The tournament will begin at safe light at the discretion of the tournament committee.
Afternoon check in will be 3:00 PM. The number of boats will determine flights. Any team not in by the designated check in time will be disqualified - no exceptions.
17. Entry fee is \$50.00 per boat and \$10.00 big bass kitty (optional). Each team will be responsible for launch fees.

Entries will be accepted the morning of the tournament with no late fees. Team numbers will be assigned to boats on a first come first serve basis. Get your forms in early. All minors 16 years of age and younger must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Launch and Check in Procedures:
Constants will check in at the Paizano's store Starting at 5 a.m.
Those constants wishing to fish on the Belle River side will state so and will be let go in Belle River behind the Spunky Monkey by a tournament official.
Evening check in will be in the same place.
Those constants wishing to fish on the Basin side will state so and will be let go at the Belle River Public landing by a tournament official.
Evening check in will be at the Belle River Public landing