



## **CAPTAIN BUB'S BASS TRAIL**

### **2012 Tournament Schedule**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>
<b>May 19, 2012</b>	<b>Long Pond – Lakeville, MA</b>
<b>June 16, 2012</b>	<b>S. Wattupa – Fall River, MA</b>
<b>July 14, 2012</b>	<b>Mashpee Wakeby – Mashpee, MA</b>
<b>September 8, 2012</b>	<b>T.O.C.* Long Pond – Lakeville, MA</b>

\* The three tournament winners and the four highest point totals not including the tournament winners will qualify for the Tournament of Champions

**\$15.00/year membership**

**Tournament Entry Fee: \$120.00/team (includes lunger)**

**TOC Entry Fee: \$50.00/team**

#### **TOURNAMENT PAYOUT (based on twenty four boats)**

**First Place: \$1100**

**Second Place: \$625**

**Third Place: \$350**

**Fourth Place: \$125**

**Lunker: \$240**

#### **TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS PAYOUT**

**(based on three full tournaments)**

**First Place: \$1500**

**Second Place: \$500**

**Third Place: \$270**

### **OVER 100% PAYBACK**

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## Rules

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The maximum number of boats for these tournaments will be twenty.</li> <li>2. Registrations will be accepted at the ramp but only cash, <u>no checks.</u></li> <li>3. The tournaments can be fished as a team or as an individual.</li> <li>4. Any boat involved with these tournaments must be covered with a minimum of \$300,000 of liability insurance. A copy of the certificate of insurance must be submitted prior to the start of the tournament and must stay in effect for all tournaments.</li> <li>5. Safety – each contestant is required to wear a personal flotation device (PFD) anytime the combustion engine is running and a functional kill ignition switch must be attached to the PFD. All state boating and fish and game laws apply to the tournaments.</li> <li>6. These tournaments will be a five fish limit and only smallmouth or largemouth bass will be weighed. The minimum length will be 12”</li> <li>7. Only artificial lures can be used and trolling as a method of fishing will not be allowed.</li> <li>8. Off limits for tournament waters will be 6:00 PM the night before the scheduled tournament. Off limits during the tournament will be given out at the pre-tournament meeting.</li> <li>9. Protests must be made in writing and presented to the tournament directors prior to the last boat weighed in.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>10. Tournament scores will be based on the total weight of the bass caught by each boat. Boats weighing in more than the tournament limit (5) will be disqualified. Bass that are weighed in that are dead will result in an 8 oz. penalty. Bass that are presented for weighing that are short (less than 12”) will result in a penalty of 1 lb. plus the loss of the short fish. A courtesy check can be made with the official ruler.</li> <li>11. Late Penalty – start and stop times will be announced at the pre-tournament meeting. Any boat that does not check in at the required time will be penalized one pound for each minute or portion thereof for up to 10 minutes. Any boat more than 10 minutes late will be disqualified.</li> <li>12. Any boat that breaks down during the tournament will be allowed to transfer their catch to another tournament boat. The fish must be marked clearly and separated by the anglers for the weigh in.</li> <li>13. Official scales will be supplied by the tournament directors, in case of a scale malfunction a hand held digital scale will be substituted for the weigh in.</li> <li>14. Ties – if a tie exists after the weigh in the following steps will be used to determine the winner: (1) most fish, (2) largest fish and (3) coin toss.</li> </ol>
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### APPLICATION

<b>Boater's Name:</b>	<b>Partner's Name</b>
<b>Mailing Address</b>	<b>Mailing Address:</b>
<b>City:</b> <b>State:</b> <b>Zip Code:</b>	<b>City:</b> <b>State:</b> <b>Zip Code:</b>
<b>Cell Phone:</b>	<b>Cell Phone:</b>
<b>E-Mail:</b>	<b>E-Mail</b>

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**Total Due to Fish the Trail \$360.00**  
**(\$15.00 yearly membership fee)**

<b>Boater's Signature:</b>	<b>Non Boater's Signature:</b>
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**Signature acknowledges that the participants have read and will abide by the tournament rules.**

Please make checks payable to the Captain Bub's Bass Trail and mail to  
**Captain Bub's Bass Trail**  
**c/o Bowker Consulting**  
**P.O. Box 1234**  
**Marshfield, MA 02050**

## **CAPTAIN BUB'S BASS TRAIL**

This trail has been set up to run tournaments in a manner that will allow for easy ramp registration, quick weigh-ins and great payouts. Those who want to fish the Captain Bub's Bass Trail will have to pay for all three tournaments prior to the first scheduled tournament. A maximum of 24 boats per tournament is planned for 2012. Those teams that fished last year's open on Lakeville and are already members of Captain Bub's Bass Trail will receive the schedule and application first. The field will be filled as applications and full payment (\$360.00) are received. If the field has not been filled by April 1, 2012 the schedule will then be advertised. There will be no refunds of registration fees after May 1, 2012.

### **TEAM RULES**

1. The tournaments can be fished as a two man team or as an individual.
2. Those boats that fish as a team may also fish a tournament as an individual with one member from the team.
3. Those boats that fish as a team will be allowed to substitute for one member once during the regular tournament schedule (not for the Tournament of Champions)
4. The Tournament of Champions must be fished by:
  - the qualified individual
  - the qualified team
  - a member of the qualified team that fished during the regular tournament schedule.