## LAKE NORFORK FIREWORKS





SATURDAY May 3<sup>rd</sup> 2025

Panther Bay Marina

6:30 am Take-Off 2:30 pm Weigh-In

1<sup>st</sup> Place – \$1,000

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – \$600 PANTHER BAY MARINA

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – \$300 BRIDGEPORT CANVAS CO

4th-\$150 5th-\$125 6th-\$100

ENTRY FEE - \$80 per Team Includes \$10 Big Bass Pot – Split 70/30

Proceeds Benefit 40<sup>th</sup> Lake Norfork July 3<sup>rd</sup> Fireworks Show

Cash Prizes Sponsored By



Contact Jenni at 630-743-3397 or info@WagonWheelResortLakeNorfork.com

## \*ENTRY FORM\*

#1 Name (print)	Pho	ne #
Address	City/State/Zip	
Signature	email	
#2 Name (print)	Pho	ne #
Address	City/State/Zip	
Signature	email	
TEAM ENTRY \$80	OV/III	
We have read and understand the re	ules. In signing this application, vom all claims for injury and/or d	we hereby waive and release all other contestants, amages incurred in connection with this tournament. g position. No postdated checks.

Complete above application and enclose it with entry fee of \$80.00 **payable to: Lake Norfork Fireworks Association** and mail to *LNFA, 192 Cove Heights Ln, Gamaliel, AR 72537* by April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025 or call Jenni at 630-743-3397 for online registration with RallyUp by May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025. **DAY-OF registration begins at 5:30 am** May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025. *RallyUp* 

## **TOURNAMENT RULES**

The tournament director reserves the right to change hours, rules, and prizes as deemed necessary. NO ALABAMA RIGS OR VARIANTS THEREOF OR MORE THAN TWO BAITS ON ONE LINE FOR CASTING.

- **1. PARTICIPATION AND ELIGIBILITY:** A properly completed and signed application is required for each entry to the tournament. Any person or Team entering the tournament that is under 18 years of age must fish with an adult and provide written permission from a parent or legal guardian.
- **2. TOURNAMENT FISHING HOURS:** All teams will be assigned a boat number based on order of entry. Live well checks will be conducted at take-off. Take-off will begin at 6:30 a.m. or Safe Light, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025. Boats must check in at Take-off area by 2:30 p.m. (or flight time) or they will be disqualified. Present fish at Weigh-in location ASAP.
- **3. TOURNAMENT FISHING METHODS:** Only artificial lures (with the exception of pork type baits) may be used. Only one spinning, spin cast, or casting reel and rod may be used at one time per person. No Alabama rigs or variants thereof or more than two baits on one line for casting. Trolling as a method of fishing is prohibited.
- 4. BOAT AND MOTOR: Each boat must meet Coast Guard requirements and have an aerated live well.
- **5. PERMITTED FISHING LOCATIONS:** All State and local laws pertaining to fishing locations must be followed. <u>Fishing inside the no wake buoys of any commercial marina is prohibited</u>. Boats must stay in Lake Norfork for duration of tournament. Teams must take-off and check-in by boat and observe all Arkansas game and fish regulations.
- **6. SAFETY:** Safe boating must be observed at all times. Each contestant is required to wear a chest type preserver any time the combustion engine is in operation. The preserver must be fastened securely until the combustion engine is shut off. All boats must be equipped with an ignition kill switch that is attached to the driver's body anytime the combustion engine is operating.
- **7. ALCOHOL AND DRUGS:** No alcoholic beverages of any kind are allowed during tournament hours. No mind altering substances of any kind are allowed at any time, including pre-tournament, or weigh-in.
- **8. SCORING/FISH LIMIT:** Each team will be allowed to weigh-in a five bass limit. (Largemouth, Smallmouth, and Spotted) **A 13 inch minimum length limit for all fish weighed in will be observed**. ONLY fish in water filled, plastic, weigh bags will be accepted for weigh-in. A short fish presented for weigh in will result in disqualification. Fish will be measured with the mouth closed and tail pinched. A dead fish penalty of one pound will be assessed per dead fish. A dead fish is not eligible to win Big Bass. At no time may a team have more than 5 bass in their possession. Ties for largest weight will be broken by the largest single fish, and ties for big bass will be broken by the largest total weight. If there is still a tie, earliest entry will be the tie breaker. Big Bass pot will be split 70/30 for 1st & 2nd largest fish. Tournament director has final say.
- **9. LIABILITY:** Signed entry form releases LNFA of liability for property damage or personal injury that may arise from or be incident to the event. This issues permission of submission to a lie detector, or Voice Stress analysis test and results are final at decision of officials. This is also considered as approval of, and permission for use of any likeness and photos.