

First Annual

Corpus Christi Bar Association LAWYERS on the LAGUNA

FISHING TOURNAMENT



April 26-27, 2019 Corpus Christi Yacht Club/Marker 37 Marina

ENTRY FEE - TEAM & GUEST

This is both an individual and team tournament - **teams may consist of between 1 and 4 persons.**Anyone is welcome to participate in the Tournament & festivities (it isn't limited to lawyers of the CCBA in good standing.) There will be both and adult and a children's division.

CCBA Member TEAM SIGNUP * - \$300 PER TEAM if paid by April 19, 2019.

\$350 after April 19, 2019.

*At least one member of the team must be a CCBA member in good standing.

Includes entry into the Friday Night Captain's Party & Calcutta at the Corpus Christi Yacht Club and Saturday Weigh In/After Party at Marker 37 Marina.

NON-CCBA Member TEAM SIGNUP - \$450 PER TEAM if paid by April 19, 2019.

\$500 after April 19, 2019.

Includes entry into the Friday Night Captain's Party & Calcutta at the Corpus Christi Yacht Club and Saturday Weigh In/After Party at Marker 37 Marina.

CCBA Member INDIVIDUAL SIGNUP * - \$75 if paid by April 19, 2019.

\$100 after April 19, 2019.

*Must be a CCBA member in good standing.

Includes entry into the Friday Night Captain's Party & Calcutta at the Corpus Christi Yacht Club and Saturday Weigh In/After Party at Marker 37 Marina.

NON-CCBA Member INDIVIDUAL SIGNUP - \$125 if paid by April 19, 2019.

\$150 after April 19, 2019.

Includes entry into the Friday Night Captain's Party & Calcutta at the Corpus Christi Yacht Club and Saturday Weigh In/After Party at Marker 37 Marina.

CHILDREN SIGNUP - \$15.00 per Child.

Includes entry to the Weigh In/After Party at Marker 37 Marina.

For those who wish to wager on their luck, there will be individual side pots at \$25.00 each for redfish, trout, drum and flounder. There will also be a \$25.00 spot pot for redfish where the winners will be determined by the redfish with the most total spots. All side pots will be collected at the Captain's Dinner at Corpus Christi Yacht Club on April 26, 2019.

60% of the total pot is payable to the actual winner of the side pot (of which 70% for 1st place and 30% is for 2nd place), and 40% is contributed to the CCBA.

TOURNAMENT RULES

You are not required to be a member in good standing, of the Corpus Christi Bar Association.

Artificial or natural baits are all acceptable means of harvesting fish entered into the tournament.

Daylight fishing only. Fishing hours are from as early as you care to fish in daylight conditions on the **April 27th until 2:00 pm** when all lines must be in.

Teams and individual entrants must check-in at the Captain's Party between the hours of 5:00 pm and 8:00 pm on Friday, April 26, 2019.

ALL TEAMS MUST HAVE REPRESENTATIVE AT CHECK-IN

Check-in information will be sent to each registered team captain's email address prior to the event.

Teams and individual entrants must weigh their catch at the Marker 37 Marina Pavilion between the hours of 2:00 pm and 4:00 pm on Saturday, April 27, 2019. If you are late for any reason, you will be unable to weigh your catch and will therefore be disqualified from competing.

- Weight will determine the winners; weight tie defers to length.
- The individual or team's "Biggest Fish" must be chosen before weigh in.
- Fish chosen to be weighed are eligible for individual divisions and for largest stringer.
- No frozen or damaged fish will be accepted.
- Weight will determine biggest stringer; weight tie defers to length.
- Judges weigh-in rulings are final.
- All Texas Parks and Wildlife rules must be followed.
- You may use a guide to take you fishing, but guides are not allowed to participate by either fishing or by contributing their own fish to any team.

PRIZES

1st, 2nd, & 3rd in ADULT DIVISION & the CHILDREN'S DIVISION

Biggest Trout: Minimum 15 inches.

Biggest Black Drum: Within slot 14-30".

Biggest Redfish: Within slot 20-28". No tagged fish allowed.

Biggest Flounder: Minimum 14 inches

Biggest Stringer: Comprised of up to 4 fish with only one each of:

Redfish within slot 20-28" Black Drum within slot 14-30". Speckled Trout Flounder

Additional Pots

Calcutta

The Calcutta winners for this tournament will be determined by heaviest weight of the Biggest Stringer above. In the event of a tie, winners will be determined by length. Upon entry as a team, that team is eligible for the Calcutta prize money, and sign up will entitle that team to ½ of their "boat" or the winnings from Calcutta due to that team. The other ½ of the boat will go up for auction at the captain's meeting.

For those electing to fish individually, they must notify tournament directors prior to the Calcutta if they wish to be entered for consideration in the Calcutta, and if so, who they are fishing with, if anyone. If fishing alone, they must solely notify directors so that they are included in Calcutta bidding. If they are fishing with other individual entrants, all of those entrants will then be considered on a team and will be treated as such in the Calcutta. These individuals must fish together out of the same boat or together from shore if to be considered a team and be eligible for the Calcutta prize money. If you or your team is not in on or bid on and bought in the Calcutta, then you are not eligible for the Calcutta prize. Calcutta total purse will be spit with 50% going back to CCBA, and 50% for the winners. Of the remaining winnable money, the split for the winning boat for the Calcutta will be:

1st Place: 50% 2nd Place: 30% 3rd Place: 20%

Side Pots

For those who want to enter above and beyond the normal prized for winning, there will be individual side pots at \$25 each for redfish, trout, drum and flounder. There will also be a \$25 spot pot for redfish where the winners will be determined by the redfish with the most total spots.

The pot format is 60% of the total pot is payable to the winners of the side pot (of which 70% for 1st place and 30% for 2nd place), and 40% going back to the CCBA.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The idea behind this tournament is to have some friendly competition, raise some money for CCBA programs that will allow us to better serve the membership, gather with friends, colleagues and families and simply have a good time on the water. The after party/awards ceremony is going to be held at the Marker 37 Marina and is going to be a true family affair.

Fish cleaning will be available at the marina for your catch following the weigh in.

There will be a fish fry for tournament participants during the weigh-in. Donate a portion of your Catch!

The CCBA will be frying fish with accompanying sides during the weigh-in at Marker 37 Marina. The food is free to all tournament participants who donate a portion of their catch. If you do not participate in the tournament or do not wish to donate a portion of your catch, you may purchase a plate for \$10.00.

Good Luck! CCBA Staff