

Sponsors

**Skeeter Boat Center
(Chippewa Falls)**



Yamaha Outboards



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

5:30 a.m.....Check-in
 6:30 a.m..... Rules Meeting
 7:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Take Off/Weigh-in

Prize List

Prize Money Based on 30 Boats
 10 Prize Winners
 5 Fish Limit

Place/Price Money

Place	Prize
1st	\$1,500
2nd	\$900
3rd	\$700
4th	\$400
5th	\$350
6th	\$300
7th	\$200
8th	\$150
9th.....	product
10th.....	product

Big Bass of the day prize:

2-Humminbird Helix 9's



**Voluntary Big Bass Pot
\$20 per Boat**

Full payment of \$150 due with application

ENTRY FEE - \$150.00 PER TEAM

UNDER 100 OPEN

Team Bass Tournament



Horsepower Restricted Bass Tournament

100 HP MAX

\$1500

First place prize
 Over 100% Payback

2017 Schedule

May 7th Rice Lake-Rice Lake

May 20th Island Chain - New Auburn

June 10th Dells Pond- EauClaire

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

- RULES:** The following rules of this tournament will remain unchanged. Interpretation of these rules shall be left exclusively to the Tournament Rules Committee. The decision of the judges and tournament officials shall be final in all matters.
- PARTICIPANTS AND ELIGIBILITY:** Participation in this tournament is open only to individuals who are at least 16 years of age unless accompanied by an adult 18 or older. Proof of age to the satisfaction of the tournament officials is the responsibility of the prospective competitor. The Tournament Committee reserves the right to discontinue acceptance of applications prior to the deadline and also the right to extend the acceptance date. Refund of entrance fee will be made only if proper notification is made.
- SAFETY:** Safe boating conduct must be observed at all times by all tournament competitors. Each competitor is required to wear a Coast Guard approved chest-type life preserver. The preserver must be strapped, snapped, or zipped securely and maintained in that condition until the competitor reaches his fishing location and the combustion engine is shut off. Violation of this rule shall be reason for immediate disqualification.
- SPORTSMANSHIP:** Competitors are expected to follow the highest standards of sportsmanship, courtesy, safety and conservation. Any infraction of these fundamental sporting principles may be deemed cause for disqualifications. Drunkenness by any competitor during the tournament will not be tolerated and shall be cause for automatic disqualification. Maximum courtesy must be practiced at all times, especially with regard to boating and angling in the vicinity of non-competitors who may be on tournament waters. Any act of a competitor which reflects unfavorably upon the effort to promote fisheries conservation, clean waters and courtesy shall be reason for immediate disqualification. **NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES OR OTHER STIMULANTS OR DEPRESSANTS SHALL BE ALLOWED IN THE BOATS OR AT THE WEIGH-IN.**
- TACKLE AND EQUIPMENT:** Only artificial lures may be used. No "live bait" or "prepared bait" will be permitted, with the exception of pork strips, rinds, etc. All bass must be caught live and in a conventional sporting manner. Only one fishing rod may be used at any one time by angler. **NO UNDERWATER VIDEO CAMERAS ALLOWED DURING TOURNAMENT.** Communication devices such as marine radios, cell phones, and the like may be used for emergency purposes only.
- BOAT AND MOTOR:** No boat shall be equipped with an outboard motor that exceeds 100 HP. ALL BOATS MUST BE EQUIPPED WITH SOME TYPE OF IGNITION KILL SWITCH. Fishing boats may be used that are 14 feet or more in length. A small motor, gas or electric, may be used for slow maneuvering. No boats shall be over powered, i.e. have a motor higher horsepower than the designated Coast Guard maximum on the U.S. Coast Guard capacity place. If no plate is present, the N.M.M.A. rating formula should be employed and a maximum horsepower designation should be determined.
- BASIC BOAT EQUIPMENT:** Every boat must have all required Coast Guard safety equipment. In addition, it MUST have a functioning live-well space, properly aerated to adequately maintain a live catch of bass by the fisherman using the boat.
- BOAT IDENTIFICATION:** Each boat must have prior to the tournament start, a live-well inspection check by a tournament official, plus all tournament boats will have a colored ribbon attached to the trolling motor shaft and ribbon must remain attached throughout the tournament.

9. **FISHING AREAS:** Fishing on the tournament waters is permitted anywhere except within 50 yards of another competitor's boat which was first anchored. No such anchored boat shall permit selected competitors to fish within the 50 yard radius claimed by him, to the exclusion of any other competitor. Contestants must not depart boat to land fish. Remain in the boat at all times except in the case of a dire emergency. In such an emergency, competitors may be removed from their boat to a boat operated by other competitors or a rescue boat. Any infraction of the above rules will be handled by the Tournament Committee with their decision being final.

10. **OFFICIAL CHECKPOINT:** The official starting and weigh-in point shall be:
Rice Lake-Veterans Park Boat Landing
Dells Pond- Riverview Park Boat Landing
Island Chain- Clear Lake Boat Landing

The pre-tournament meeting will also be at that point. You may launch at any landing of your choice getting permission where necessary. At the time of check-out, all competitors and their boats shall be in full conformance with all rules set forth by the Tournament Committee. At check-in, all boats shall identify themselves by means of the numbered tags and proceed immediately to the designated weigh-in areas. Partners must stay together and tags must be turned in a check-in.

11. **SCORING:** Tournament standing, auxiliary awards and final winners shall be determined by the pound and the ounce weight of each catch during the day of the tournament. Only Largemouth or Smallmouth Bass will be weighed in. Bass presented for the weigh-in which fail to measure 14 inches shall occur a disqualification. There is a courtesy board provided for you if you have a fish that is questionable in length. **DEAD FISH WILL BE COUNTED** and will incur a 4 oz., or 0.25# penalty for each such bass. Only tournament officials will determine whether the bass is dead or alive. Any bass that appears to be been mangled, mashed, mauled, frozen or otherwise altered or preserved will be weighed and credited only at the discretion of the Tournament Judges. The daily catch limit shall be a total of five (5) of the above species per team in aggregate. Fish will be measured with mouth closed-tail fanned. No early weigh-ins.

12. **LATE PENALTY:** Competitors who are not in the official checkpoint areas described in Rule 10 at the appointed times shall be disqualified. Exact starting and check-in times will be announced at the kickoff meeting.

13. **TIES:** In the event of a tie in the final weight, big bass will be the first tie breaker. Second tie breaker will be the flip of a coin.

14. **OFF LIMITS- NO FISHING THURSDAY-FRIDAY BEFORE TOURNAMENT. SATURDAY PRE FISH IS ALLOWED ON RICE LAKE.**

Send Entry Form and Check to:

Justin Rowe
321 W Prairie View Rd Chippewa Falls, WI 54729

For More Information:
Call Justin Rowe
715-514-7250

Justin@skeeterboatcenter.com

Checks Payable to Justin Rowe

Official Entry Form

	\$150	
	Entry Fee	Big Bass
Rice Lake	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Island Lake	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dells Pond	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Total entry enclosed \$ _____

Partner #1 (please print)

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Tournament boat _____

Tournament motor & HP _____

Partner #2 (please print)

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Each team is responsible for supplying its own boat according to the rules and regulations outlined in this brochure. We have read and understand the rules of the Under 100 Open and would like to enter the contest. We have completed this registration blank and enclose it with the entry fee of \$150.00 per team (**checks made payable to JUSTIN ROWE**). NO refunds after checks are cashed.

In signing this application, we hereby waive and release all other contestants, the host, sponsors and tournament officials from all claims of injury and/or damage incurred in connection with this tournament.

Signature #1 _____

Signature #2 _____