

Fox Lake Conservation League, Inc.
Sherburn - Welcome
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Annual FoxMasters Tournament Rules

1. All contestants must have a valid Minnesota fishing license.
2. All contestants must abide by all Minnesota fishing regulations.
3. All teams must fish from a boat. (No fishing from shore allowed)
4. All boats must comply with all Minnesota and local laws and regulations.
5. All boats must be made available to inspection by tournament officials at Everett Park prior to starting.
6. All boats will start from tournament headquarters. (but may launch at ramp of angler's choice)
7. Boats will take off single file in the order that Paid entries are received.
8. Life jackets must be worn at start of tournament.
9. Once the tournament has started no boat shall go ashore except at Everett Park. (Exception: severe weather)
10. No boat shall come in contact with another boat on the water. (Exception: emergencies)
11. Contestants must make a decision once a fish is caught whether to reduce it to possession or return it to the water. A fish once reduced to possession may not be released later.
12. No frozen or discolored fish will be allowed.
13. All teams must register their catch.
14. All boat boards must be returned to the weigh master.
15. No boat shall obstruct channels in any way by drift fishing or by anchoring.
16. In case of a tie, the person with the most rough fish will be awarded the prize.
17. Any team or team member caught breaking any of the rules will immediately disqualify that team.
18. All decisions of the judge or judges are final.
19. Competitors in F.L.C.L., Inc. tournaments are expected to follow high standards of sportsmanship, courtesy, safety and conservation.
20. Fox Lake Conservation League, Inc. reserves the right to reduce cash prizes paid according to the number of registrations received if not sold out, and the right to cancel said tournament if enough registrations are not received to make it a contest. In the event of Cancellation, all monies paid will be returned to the team captain at the address on the registration form the week following said tournament.
21. Registrations will be limited to the first 50 received, and, if 50 registrations are received prior to 8:00 a.m. the day of the tournament, the tournament will be considered full as of the date the 50 registrations are received and no further registrations will be accepted.

******* NOTICE *******

Muskellunge are now present in Fox Lake. Muskies & Notherns are **NOT FOXMASTERS** tournament legal fish. Your team will be disqualified if you bring a muskellunge to the weigh in.

*** * * Voluntary Rules Meeting * * ***

A voluntary rules meeting will be held Friday, June 8th, 7:00 p.m. at the Welcome Legion. We will cover the rules, the order of take off, answer questions and give prizes. All contestants are encouraged to attend.

32nd ANNUAL FOXMASTERS TOURNAMENT

SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 2018

Sponsored by: Fox Lake Conservation League, Inc.
Tournament Waters: Fox Lake
Tournament Headquarters: Everett Park Shelter house
Tournament Hours: 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Payback Based On 50 Teams- Total Weight in Division

Payback: (based on 50 teams)	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Walleye (15" Min) / Bass (14" Min) (limit of 6 combined fish)	\$400.00	\$300.00	\$200.00	\$100.00	\$55.00
Panfish Division (Total of 30 Combined Crappie, Bluegill, Perch)	\$400.00	\$300.00	\$200.00	\$100.00	\$55.00
Roughfish Division (Bullhead, Sheephead, Carp)	2019 Entry to tournament				

~ Free Mount of Largest Panfish (minimum 1 1/2 lb.)
Largest Walleye (minimum 8 lbs.), Bass (minimum 6 lbs.)

~ **All participants under age 16 will receive and new rod & reel package**

Entry Forms available at: www.FoxLakeConservation.com

Hall Lake Cabins Bait & Tackle, Fairmont ~ Welcome Legion Club ~
Amborn Lumber, Sherburn or contact Jim Miller at 764-2668/728-8588

Information:

- ~ Entry Fee: \$55 per team before June 2nd, \$65 per team thereafter
- ~ A team consists of one boat and two people fishing
- ~ Registration cutoff is June 9, 2018 at 8:00 a.m.
- ~ Tournament limited to first 50 paid entries received
- ~ Voluntary Rules Meeting ~ Friday, June 8th, 7:00 p.m. at the Welcome American Legion Hall
- ~ Boat check-in starts at 5:30 a.m. ~ Single File start at 7:00 a.m.
(Boats will take off in the order that PAID entries are received.)
- ~ All fish are registered by boat team
- ~ Complete list of rules available wherever entry forms are available
- ~ Winning team members may be required to submit to and pass a polygraph test at F.L.C.L., Inc. request.
- ~ All Paid Foxmaster entrants are entitled to camp free at Everett Park on Friday night, June 8th! (1st come 1st Served basis)