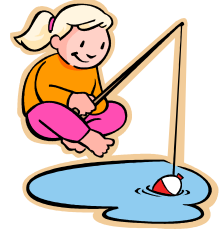


HOOKED ON FISHING, NOT DRUGS YOUTH FISHING TOURNAMENT



**SPONSORED BY:
WOOD COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
TEXAS PARKS AND WILDLIFE
SABINE RIVER AUTHORITY**



OFFICIAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Contestants must be 16 years of age or younger to participate.
2. Parental involvement is encouraged, but not required.
3. Children under the age of 7 must be accompanied by a parent/guardian.
4. Registration for contestants is FREE.
5. The Youth Fishing Tournament is strictly designed to promote fishing as a sport and to give children less fortunate an opportunity to become involved.
6. All contestants must be registered by 8:00 AM.
7. All contestants must complete an official entry form to be eligible.
8. All contestants must comply with the Texas Parks & Wildlife code and Texas Water Safety.
9. Contestants will be instructed in fishing legal lengths and limits.
10. Contestants weighing in fish must be the person who caught it.
11. All fish must be caught on a pole or a rod and reel. Fish caught by any other means will not be accepted and will be subject to disqualification.
12. All contestants should furnish a rod and reel if possible.
13. Tournament is "CATCH and RELEASE." Participants are encouraged to bring cameras to photograph their "catch." Fish must be brought to weigh station in weigh bags provided.
14. Fish may be weighed in at any time during the tournament. Final weigh-in will be 12 noon.
15. Prizes will be given for the largest fish in each category, (1st, 2nd, and 3rd place), and age group.
16. Tournament will begin at 8:00AM and end at 12:00 noon. Weigh-in and prize awarding will be after the tournament. A meal will be provided during the tournament.
17. Tournament location is the Sabine River Authority Headquarters located on FM 288 between Highway 154 and Highway 182.

The date and time of the tournament is: JUNE 3, 2017 8:00 AM

All decisions regarding compliance with the rules and interpretation of the rules will be made by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

For further information, please contact Game Wardens or Wood County Sheriff's Office at 903-763-2201.