

# SIMPLE RULES

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**Entry:**

1. All anglers must pay PRIOR to the event
2. All anglers must have a valid fishing license
3. All anglers must have life jacket with them
4. All anglers agree to all rules when entering

**GENERAL RULES:**

1. Have integrity, no cheating
2. No fish in ice chest, basket, stringer, etc.
3. All fish must be caught live
4. 1 rod at a time. Trolling with 1 rod is allowed.
5. No live bait, ONLY artificial lures
6. Fish must be caught by rod reel only
7. Lights required during hours of darkness

**QUALIFIED FISH:**

1. Identifier must be visible in each photo
2. Fish will be measured to the nearest 1/4" rounding down
3. Fish tail must clearly touch or cross 1/4 markings of approved measuring devices

**Photo Criteria:**

1. Photo must include entire fish
2. No cropping, enhancing, or rotating
3. Fish's mouth must face left
4. Fish's mouth must be closed (.25-.50" deduction)
5. Fish's dorsal fin facing top side
6. Photo taking directly above, not at an angle
7. Fish's eye must be visible and uncovered
8. No hands covering fish's gill or tail
9. I will personally check submitted photo's integrity, such as:  
location, time, date & any modifications to  
ensure the photo's meta data remains original

## **Qualified Measuring devices:**

1. Approved measuring boards:  
All Ketch model, All YakAttack models
2. Sticker or mirror to lip of measuring board
3. May alter measuring board to fit personal needs if it does not cause cheating
4. DO NOT alter measuring board to cheat
5. If you have guard rails on measuring board.  
Take it off. There is no need for that. Will not accept fish with it

**Tie Breakers:**

1. The first angler to submit their longest fish will be the winner. Simple & easy rules.

### **Polygraph:**

1. If an angler believes cheating has occurred during the tournament. Please reach out to me and lets get a polygraph started. I will personally pay half of its cost. I want integrity just like everyone else.
2. Refusal of polygraph is admitting guilt. Should be banned from fishing tournaments and banned from having fishing license. . .