

**TOWN OF DAUPHIN ISLAND  
DAUPHIN ISLAND CHAMBER of COMMERCE  
DAUPHIN ISLAND MARINA  
CBS MARINE, L.L.C.**

Present

**“STARS and STRIPES FISHING CLASSIC”**

Tournament Species

Inshore	Off Shore
SPECKLED TROUT	RED SNAPPER
Bonus	
FLOUNDER	KING MACKEREL

\$25,000 Award for Winning Fish that sets new State Record

Beginning at 5:00 AM  
June 1, 2009

Ending at 5:00 PM  
July 4, 2009

LOCATION: Dauphin Island Marina  
Weigh Station and Ticket Sales

Ticket Price

Tournament Ticket (Inshore or Off Shore)	\$10.00
Bonus Category (Inshore or Off Shore)	\$ 5.00

Tournament Mission Statement

- Promote/organize outdoor activities and encourage boat owners to participate.
- Promote public access, not only to State and Federal waters, but also to create awareness as to the abundance of the resource in our coastal fishery.
- Educate the local community to the financial impact recreational fishing has in our area.
- Provide a windfall of statistical data to aid the Department of Conservation and the National Marine Fisheries, based on their review of the harvested fish.

- Ultimately, our goal is to leave this fishery in better shape than it would have been if this event had not been held! To accomplish this goal, proceeds from this event in excess of costs and award payouts will be donated to the "State Artificial Reef Program" to enhance inshore and offshore habitat for the target species.

#### Tournament Prizes

Weekly	Red Snapper	King Mackerel	Speckled Trout	Flounder
June 7	\$500	\$250	\$300	\$250
June 14	500	250	300	250
June 21	500	250	300	250
June 28	500	250	300	250
July 4	500	250	300	250
<b>Grand Prize *</b>				
1 <sup>st</sup>	\$ 2,500	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,500	\$ 1,000
2 <sup>nd</sup>	1,500	750	1,000	750
3 <sup>rd</sup>	1,000	500	500	500

\* Grand prize payout values are subject to participation

#### Sponsorship Options:

**Tournament Sponsorship: \$1,300** This sponsorship provides funding for the entire weeks cash awards for all four category of fish during one of the five-week periods. In addition to a large banner, 40x72 inches being on display, at the Marina, for the entire 34-day tournament, this sponsor will be allowed to present their goods or products in the grassy display area in front of the Marina along side the bike path. This sponsor will also be given a supply of "Sponsor Tickets" which the sponsor in turn can use or give away! All tournament rules apply to sponsor tickets.

33 Tickets

**Off Shore Division Sponsorship: \$750** This sponsorship will benefit the two deep-water species Red Snapper and King Mackerel. This sponsor will receive a 3x5 banner, which will be on display, at the Marina, through out the tournament. Your Logo will appear on the sponsor board and you will receive a supply of "Sponsor Tickets"

25 Tickets

In Shore Division Sponsorship: \$ 550 This sponsorship will go towards the shallow water categories of Speckled Trout and Flounder. This sponsor will receive a 3x5 banner, which will be on display, at the Marina, the entire length of the tournament, Logo recognition on the sponsor board and a supply of "Sponsor Tickets"  
20 Tickets

Open Sponsorship: \$300 This sponsorship has no predetermined use. However, with a \$25,000 State Record opportunity and a donation to the State Artificial Reef program there are many expenses to be addressed. Each Open sponsor will receive a 3x5 banner, which will be on display, at the Marina, for the entire length of the event.

#### Official "Stars and Stripes Fishing Classic" Rules:

1. Dates of the event, 5:00 AM, June 1, 2009 to 5:00 PM, July 4, 2009
2. All fish will be weighed in daily at Dauphin Island Marina 2:00 PM – 6:00 PM; scales will close on July 4 at 5:00 PM
3. All tickets will be sold at Dauphin Island Marina or aboard participating Charter boats.
4. Primary tournament categories Red Snapper and Speckled Trout. Ticket price of \$10.00 for either species. (inshore, Trout; offshore, Snapper) Bonus category of King Mackerel and Flounder. Ticket price for extra or bonus fish is an additional \$5.00 after the purchase of the primary ticket. (inshore, Flounder; offshore, King Mackerel)
5. IGFA Rules and Regulations will govern this event.
6. This is a rod and reel event. Anglers may use single or double hook rigs. Any line class up to 130 lbs. is acceptable.
7. Charter boat owners, Captains and crew are not eligible for prizes while on hire. They are eligible on non-charter trips.
8. Tickets may be purchased after 12:00 noon the day prior to your fishing trip, but no later than 8:00 AM the day of your trip. An incomplete or erroneous ticket is grounds for disqualification.
9. Charter boats will allow fisherman to purchase tickets on the boat prior to leaving the dock the morning of the trip before 8:00 AM.
10. Anglers wishing to participate in the tournament that intend to fish for two days can use the sign in sheet. Simply place money and signature on sheet and drop into the box provided at the Marina office. All rules and disclaimers still apply.
11. All anglers must present valid ticket at weigh-in. Each angler should be prepared to show a photo ID.
12. All fish must be weighed in the day caught, unless caught on a two-day trip. Angler must have two-day ticket or a copy of a valid sign in sheet for fish to be eligible.

13. All anglers must start and end their trip through Alabama state waters.
14. Fish may be brought into weigh station either by boat or by vehicle. (Please, park vehicles and boat trailers along LeMoyné Dr., as boat trailers are not allowed in the Marina parking lot)
15. Only one grand prize per fish category, per angler.
16. Any modification or alterations to any fish being weighed-in is grounds for disqualification.
17. All participants are subject to a polygraph examination.
18. All fish are subject to be checked for freshness via a toro meter.
19. Any protest must be submitted in writing to a tournament committee member within 24 hours of the fish in question being weighed. No protest will be accepted after 6:00 PM July 4, 2009. Decision of the tournament rules committee is final.
20. For information or questions about the tournament phone 251-861-2201.
21. Any Angler fishing on a sponsor's ticket must present ticket at DI Marina prior to 8:00 AM on the date of the fishing trip. All information requested on ticket must be complete!