

# Open Fundraising Bass Fishing Tournament

Hosted by: Benedictine College Preparatory Fishing Team

**April 14, 2018**

**Location:** Osborne Boat Landing, James River

**Registration:** Begins at 5:30 a.m. the Morning of

**Blast Off:** 6:50 a.m. or Safe Light

**Weigh In:** 3:00 p.m.

**70\$ Entry Fee ( 80% Payout )**

**Optional 10\$ Biggest Fish ( 100% Payout )**

**1 Payout Spot per 5 boats ( Up to 8 Spots )**

**\*\*Cash Only**

## **Rules**

1. 5 bass limit (Largemouth, Smallmouth, Spotted) 12 inch minimum. (Any fish under 12 inches brought to weigh in will result in losing the weight of that fish and half the weight of the angler(s) heaviest bass.)
2. Life jackets must be worn at all times the outboard motor is ignited.
3. **Late to Weigh in Penalty:** Any angler(s) not within 75 yards of the mouth of the mariana will be deducted at a rate of 1 pound per minute. They will be disqualified after 15 minutes.
4. **Dead Fish Penalty:** Any bass deemed dead at weigh-in will be penalized 3 ounces per every dead fish weighed which will be subtracted from the final weight.
5. No "live-Bait", "dead-bait", or "prepared-bait" will be permitted for use during competition.
6. All anglers must keep a minimum of 30 yards between any of competitors boat and their own.
7. **Boat Requirements:** All boats must have a working livewell that can support and keep alive 5 bass. No outboard will exceed 250 horsepower, but must be a minimum of 25 horsepower.
8. Each boat will be one team and may have no more than 3 anglers per boat with one 5 fish limit per boat.
9. All other rules (other than those listed above) will follow B.A.S.S. tournament rules.

**\*\*Failure to comply with any rules will result in the penalty listed or disqualification from the tournament without refund.**

**\*\*20% of the proceeds will go to the Benedictine Fishing Team and the High School B.A.S.S Nation of Virginia**

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