

**SLOPFEST ENTRY FORM**

Partner #1  
Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone# \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Boat Registration # \_\_\_\_\_  
Insurance Co. \_\_\_\_\_  
Policy # \_\_\_\_\_

Partner #2  
Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone# \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Please check one:

- \_\_\_\_\_ \$125.00 Tournament ONLY
- \_\_\_\_\_ \$145.00 Tournament & BIG BASS

Please make check payable to  
**BD Bass Anglers**  
and mail to:  
**Eric Hidde**  
**989 W. Main Street**  
**Waupun, WI 53963**

**Payout Structure:**

(Based on field of 60 - 1 place paid for  
every 7 boats entered)

- 1st - \$2,040**
- 2nd - \$1,080**
- 3rd - \$840**
- 4th - \$600**
- 5th - \$540**
- 6th - \$420**
- 7th - \$300**
- 8th - \$180**

**BIG BASS collected and paid out  
separately.**

Please mail entry fee and completed  
form to:

**Eric Hidde**  
989 W. Main Street  
Waupun, WI 53916

Questions: Eric Hidde  
Phone: 920.382.8322  
[www.bdbass.com](http://www.bdbass.com)



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OPEN TOURNAMENT on

**BUFFALO  
LAKE**

Sunday

**July 26th, 2009**

6:30 am – 3:00 pm

80% PAYBACK

First Place - \$2,040

Based on a full field of 60 boats

Tournament Headquarters  
**MAZUREK'S BUFFALO LAKE LODGE**  
Montello, WI  
608.297.9311

# RULES

## ENTRY AND ELIGIBILITY:

Entry fee is \$125.00 per team. (Individuals may fish alone as "a team" but are responsible for full \$125.00 entry fee. No more than 2 anglers per team) Entry forms are to be completed and received 14 days prior to the tournament date. No team entry will be accepted on the day of the tournament without approval from the tournament director. Refund of entry fee will be made only if proper notification to the tournament director is made 14 days prior to the tournament date. A \$10.00 service charge will be retained on all refunds regardless of date of cancellation. All contestants must have a valid State of Wisconsin fishing license and must be 18 years of age to be eligible for cash awards. Any change of participants will require a new entry form to be signed and submitted.

## SAFETY & SPORTSMANSHIP:

Tournament contestants must observe safe boat conduct at all times. Each competitor must wear a USCG approved chest type life preserver anytime the combustion engine is running. **NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ALLOWED DURING THE TOURNAMENT HOURS.** All competitors are expected to follow the highest standards of sportsmanship, courtesy, safety and conservation. All WI fishing and boating regulations must be followed.

## BOAT & MOTOR:

The horsepower of the motor may not exceed the USCG rating. Each boat must be equipped with an aerated live well large enough to maintain a live limit of bass. Motor trolling is prohibited.

## TACKLE & EQUIPMENT:

Only artificial baits may be used. (Pork strips & rinds are allowed). Only 1 rod and reel may be used at a time, others may be rigged and ready for use. No live or prepared baits allowed.

## TOURNAMENT WATERS:

Tournament waters will consist of all navigable waters, unless designated at the pre-tournament meeting. **There is no cutoff for pre-fishing tournament waters.**

# RULES, CONT'D

## SCORING:

Final winners and scoring will be determined by the pound and ounce total weight of each team's catch during the tournament. **THERE WILL BE A 5 FISH LIMIT PER TEAM.** Only largemouth & smallmouth bass that are 14 inches and longer will count towards a team's final score. All fish will be measured closed mouth, closed tail. Any short fish brought to the scale will result in a disqualification from the tournament and forfeiture of entry fee. All fish must be caught alive and in a sporting manner. Each team is expected to make every effort to keep their bass alive and healthy. There will be a 4 ounce penalty for each dead fish, and each dead fish will count towards the team's 5 fish limit. In the event of a tie the winner will be determined by heaviest fish in the team's limit. If still tied, the "winning teams" will split the 1st and 2nd place prize money equally.

## PRE-TOURNAMENT MEETING:

Meeting will be held at the tournament headquarters at 6:30 am the morning of the tournament. All contestants must be registered, boats must be inspected and in the water prior to the pre-tournament meeting.

## PROTESTS & RULE INTERPRETATION:

Any protest must be filed with the tournament director prior to the close of the scales. The interpretation of the rules shall be the responsibility of the BDBA Tournament Committee. All decisions of the Tournament Committee present will be final.

## TAKE OFF & STARTING POSITION:

Starting position will be determined by order BDBA receives completed entry forms back. Provide us with your email and/or phone number and we will notify you of your boat take-off number within 5 days of receiving your entry.

## BIG BASS POOL:

**\$20.00 entry per team**, which can be paid along with mailed tournament entry fee, or upon registration the morning of the tournament. **100% of entries** will be paid back to the largest bass (by weight) caught the day of the tournament.

**Sample product will be provided by:**

