



HARRISVILLE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT 23rd ANNUAL ICE FISHING DERBY RULES – FEBRUARY 17, 2024

4th ANNUAL

Chris Gamble Memorial Derby



1. Entry Fee is \$35.00, Checks are preferred payment method.
 - A. \$10.00 for trout entry must be in pike division to enter trout division. (Top four trout of the day)
2. Children under 12 (for perch only) entry \$5.00. 100% payback based on entries.
3. All fishing to take place on Lake Bonaparte.
4. Contest runs from 7 am - 3 pm on February 17, 2024 You may be on the ice, but no fishing until 7 am.
5. NORTHERN PIKE MUST BE AT LEAST 18" LONG TO BE ENTERED. ALL OTHER NYS GAME LAWS APPLY!!!!
6. entrants may register at firehall Friday from 12-9 PM or Sat. morning starting at 4 AM
7. Sportsman like conduct is expected for all contestants. Any unsportsmanlike conduct, as determined by the tournament coordinators will be cause for disqualification.
8. All fish must be weighed on the scales at the weigh station located at Sand Bay, by North Shore, by an official of the tournament. In the event of a tie in weight, the length of the fish entered will determine the winner. In the event of a tie in the length as well, the money will be split between the entrants. No frozen fish will be eligible for entry.
9. All fish entered will become property of tournament officials to be released. "No dead fish eligible for entry". Fish over 10 Pounds may be kept by entrant if desired, but will remain With tournament officials until end of tournament.
10. In the event that an hourly prize is not given away due to no entries the money will be drawn random at the end of the day.
11. Contestants may use tip-ups or jigging poles. No contestant may have more than (5 tip-ups +2 jigging poles or 7 tip-ups no jigging poles).
12. No fishing will be allowed in enclosed shelters (tip-ups or jigging poles); all fishing must be done in plain view of officials.
13. Fish may not be held for entry in another hour. When a fish is landed, it must be entered for that hour or released back into the lake.
14. Cash prizes will be awarded after the derby at the weigh station, at Sand Bay at 4:00 pm Small prizes will be drawn Starting at noon winners will be posted at weigh station. All names will go back in for large prizes.
15. *****Note: the derby will take place on Sand Bay with officials and spotters at the weigh-in station.
16. In case of no ice, all cash prizes and giveaways will be given away at 12:00 noon at the Fire Hall.
17. **Keep tag to weigh in fish and for door prizes.**
18. Prizes must be claimed within 60 days.

**For More Information Phone (315) 543 2833 or
On the WEB at harrisvillevfd.digitaltowpath.org**

**Mail Entry Forms To: Harrisville Volunteer Fire Dept.
Attn: Fishing Derby
PO Box 51
Harrisville, New York 13648**

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

REGISTRATION FORMS CAN BE PHOTOCOPIED

Check One: Adult \$35.00 Pike Child \$5.00 Perch Child Birth Day _____

Trout Entry \$10.00 Adult only MUST be in Pike Division Fee Paid _____

Name _____ Phone (____) _____

Mailing Address _____ EMAIL ADDRESS _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Liability - Neither the tournament committee, sponsors, judges, officers or directors of the same are responsible for safety of persons or property in regards to accidents, theft, and damage by fire, vandalism, drowning or any other cause. By signing the entry and release you certify that you expressly understand and agree to hold harmless members of the aforementioned groups and individuals from any liability of claim from damage incurred as a result of participation in the tournament in whatever form or manner said liabilities or damages might be incurred.

Signature _____ Date _____