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All SCDNR Rules apply at all times.

This is a monthly tournament comprised of competition to catch the largest of 6 saltwater species and 3 freshwater species monthly. There will be overall prizes from sponsors for certain overall largest of species as well.

The Grand Prize winners will be drawn from all monthly winners at the banquet and expo in November.

Trilogy Outdoors Media, MBACC, and all sponsors assume no responsibility for injury during the event. By signing up you agree to have read the rules and take all the liability for any personal injury or damage to property. Please choose your fishing days wisely and watch the weather forecast.

All contestants must register prior to making an act of catching a fish to weigh in the rodeo and this can be done online or at any of our official weigh stations.

EVERY ENTRANT MUST HAVE A PICTURE OF THE FISH THEY PLAN ON WEIGHING FROM THE TIME THEY CATCH IT TO HAVE IT WEIGHED. This can be a selfie, pic of the fish on the ground, or a picture of the fish in the bottom of your boat. (No Exceptions)

Any fish weighed in a tournament in which the scales are certified in South Carolina, your weight from those scales can count as long as you have the appropriate pictures to support the catch and weight.

Fish can be caught anywhere in South Carolina or the Atlantic Ocean and it's estuaries as long as it is weighed in at an official scale by 10 am the following day in the case the scales are closed when you return from your trip.

Every entrant can weigh unlimited fish in both salt and freshwater categories as long as they caught the fish being weighed. This includes any captains or professional anglers that enter the rodeo as well.

All official weigh stations are listed on this site and they must be notified prior to entrant showing up to weigh a fish. If you show up unannounced they can refuse to weigh your fish. Be Courteous





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All fish must be caught on rod and reel. USE OF GIGS, SPEARS, ELECTRIC REELS, OR SEINE NETS IS PROHIBITED.

In the case of an issue with a scale at a weigh station, the entrant should take the fish to an alternate station until someone at the GSFR can replace that scale. A scale may be substituted as long as the scale is an official scale certified by SC Dept Of Agriculture.

Every entrant must fight the fish from start to finish for the fish to count as an entry in the rodeo. This does not include a hook set or bait presentation to a fish by someone else before the rod is given to the entrant.

No mutilated fish will be weighed by the weigh stations. This includes large bites out of the fish or anything that deem to be not from gaffing or netting the fish.

The tournament committee reserves the right to disqualify any fish or entrant for breaking of any rules and the entrant will forfeit any entry or qualified fish for the end of the year drawings.

Each entrant will only be eligible for one of the Grand Prize Awards at the banquet. This does not include the thousands in dollars of secondary prizes that will be drawn also at the banquet.

Thanks to some wonderful partners, there will be some additional youth prizes given out in select months and also at the banquet. Please be sure to sign your youth up and note that they are a youth. (Youth must be 15 and under on Nov 11th, 2023)

Each winning species per month will receive a limited edition hat, shirt, \$25 Bass Pro G/C, and one ticket to the banquet and expo on Nov. 11th.

Any ties for monthly or end of year prizes for largest fish will be determined by the fist fish weighed.

BEST OF LUCK AND INVITE ALL YOUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY TO FISH!!!!!!!!!!

