#### **FACT SHEET**

Port Clinton, OH. - Lake Erie April 18-19, 2024

NWT Tournament Hotline: (580)716-4291

Tournament Director Jeff Kelm



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## **Registration/Rules Meeting**

#### Location:

Port Clinton High School Preforming Arts Center 821 Jefferson St. Port Clinton. Oh 42453

Date: Wednesday, April 17, 2024

Mandatory On-site Check-in Times:

3:00 p.m. – Check in Opens 5:00 p.m. – Check in Closes.

5:15 p.m. – Start of the mandatory briefing. All Anglers must attend.

All anglers must off the water by 3:00 p.m. on the day of the rules meeting.

## Fish Limits

Fish size: Walleye 15 inches and over.

Each boat is allowed to weigh a limit of five (5) fish, per day. No more than (6) fish in the livewell. Release any live fish not being weighed prior to making the final run to check-in. Culling is allowed.

Any fish presented for weigh-in which fails to measure the official length limits shall accrue penalties at the rate of one (1) pound for each non-legal fish plus loss of the fish.

Every effort must be made to keep your fish alive and fresh until they reach the bump sink. At NO time may they be put on ice. Any dead fish will be inspected and weighed or not weighed at the discretion of tournament officials.

# Please read the 2024 NWT Rules carefully! CLICK HERE!

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#### Launch/Weigh-In

Launch – #1 Public Launch, 2044 W lakeshore Drive – #2 Happy Days Marina, 1010 W lakeshore Dr. Port Clinton OH.

<u>Weigh-In -</u> Waterworks Park 205 E Perry Street Port Clinton, OH 42453

Thursday and Friday, April 18-19, 2024

Take-off begins at 7:00 a.m. or first safe light.

Weigh-In begins at 3:30 p.m.

## **Required Safety Equipment**

It is the responsibility of all anglers to have required state and federal safety equipment on board.

At time of inspection each morning, be prepared to display 1 Chest type life jacket for each angler; 1 throwable PFD; and, demonstrate functioning kill switch.

Inspection will be held during lineup for takeoff. Live wells must be empty.

Keep marine band radios on Channel 72 for tournament information and use Channel 16 for emergencies.

#### Site Hosts

Port Clinton, Ohio and Port Clinton Chamber of Commerce 110 Madison St. Port Clinton, OH 43452

www.portclintonchamber.com Phone: 419.734.5503

## **Host Hotel**

Our Guest Inn & Suites 220 E Perry Street Port Clinton, OH 43452 (419) 734-7111

## **Boundaries-**

Tournament waters for this event shall be the U.S. waters of Lake Erie only and shall include U.S. waters of rivers, creeks and canals connecting to the above-mentioned waters. Any waters within these boundaries posted "off limits" or "no fishing" by state or federal agencies will be off limits. Any live release areas established by the Tournament director will be off limits. As well as any additional off limits announced at the pre-tournament briefing. Only water open to all public fishing will be considered tournament waters. Any waters closed to public fishing will be closed to contestants. All local, state and federal regulations apply. You may traverse through Canadian waters to access U.S. fishing locations and for safety, but you may not fish in them.

## <u>Contingency Programs</u> – Pros & Co-Anglers

If you think you might be eligible for a Ranger, Nitro or Triton boat contingency you MUST have your Boat HIN # with you before you come to Pre-Tournament Check-in on Friday evening.

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