

FACT SHEET

Gladstone, MI – Bay De Noc(Lake Mich), June 18-19, 2026

NWT Tournament Hotline: (580)716-4291

Tournament Director Jeff Kelm



<p><u>On-Site Check-In & Rules Meeting</u></p> <p><u>Location:</u> Delta County Chamber of Commerce 1001 North Lincoln Road Escanaba, MI 49829</p> <p><u>Date:</u> Wednesday, June 17, 2026</p> <p><u>Mandatory On-site Check-in Times:</u> 4:00 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.</p> <p>All anglers must be off the water by 3:00 p.m. on the day of the rules meeting.</p> <p>Please Do Not Bring Boats to Registration/Rules meeting.</p>	<p><u>Take-off/Weigh-In</u></p> <p>Take-off: North Shore Boat Launch 6379 S 1st St Wells, MI 49894</p> <p>Take-off will begin at 7:00 a.m. or first safe light.</p> <p>Weigh-in: Van Cleve Park 1224 Lake Shore Dr Gladstone, MI 49837</p> <p>Weigh-in will begin at 3:00 p.m.</p> <p>Anglers may use any launch they wish to load and unload their boat.</p>	<p><u>Required Safety Equipment</u></p> <p>It is the responsibility of all anglers to have the required state and federal safety equipment on board.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>An inspection will be held during the lineup for take-off. Live wells must be empty.</p> <p>Keep marine band radios on Channel 72 for tournament information and use Channel 16 for emergencies.</p>
<p><u>Fish Limits</u></p> <p>Fish size: Walleyes 15 inches and over.</p> <p>Each boat is allowed to weigh a limit of five (5) fish per day. Only (1) fish over 23" per angler allowed. Release any live fish not to be weighed-in prior to making the final run to check-in. Culling is allowed.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>An 8-ounce deduction will be made for each fish presented to the bump master for weighing that is determined to be non-releasable.</p>	<p><u>Site Host</u></p> <p>Delta County Chamber of Commerce https://deltami.org/</p> <p>City of Gladstone https://www.gladstonemi.gov/</p> <p>Great Lakes Sports Fishing Club https://www.greatlakessrc.org/</p> <p><u>Host Hotel</u></p> <p>Terrace Bay Hotel 7146 P Rd, Gladstone, MI 49837 (906) 786-7554 Terracebayhotel.com</p>	<p><u>Boundaries-</u></p> <p>The tournament waters for this event shall be Michigan waters of Lake Michigan and shall include all 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. That as well as any additional off limits will be announced at the pre-tournament briefing. Only that water open to all public fishing will be considered tournament waters. Any waters closed to public fishing will be closed to this tournament's contestants. All local, state, and federal regulations apply. Please follow all applicable laws and regulations.</p>
<p><u>Please read the 2026 NWT Rules carefully! CLICK HERE!</u></p> <p>Stay up to date on the latest news! Sign up for the FREE e-newsletter at: Click here</p> <p>To see all our sponsor contingency details or to sign up for each one, CLICK HERE</p>	<p><u>Contingency Programs – Pros & Co-Anglers</u></p> <p>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.</p>	<p>National Walleye Tour is an Outdoor Teamworks company.</p> <p>Follow NWT results, video, leaderboards, news and more at</p>  <p>OutdoorTeamWorks.com</p>

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