

11th Annual Fayetteville Shale Scholarship Fund Bass Tournament

April 21st, 2018

On Greers Ferry
Lake
At Devils Fork

SPORTSMANSHIP:

Any contestant who displays poor sportsmanship, violates these rules, or violates any local, state or federal law is subject to disqualification. Arkansas Game & Fish Commission rules must be observed at all times. Life Jackets must be on while outboard is running. Complaints or Protests must be submitted to the Weigh Master at the weigh-in site. All decisions rendered by the Weigh Master are final.

ELIGIBILITY:

Adult Division: Eligibility is open to the public. Anyone can participate in this tournament unless either person has served as a Guide on Greers Ferry Lake within the last 12 months or anyone who has more than 50% of their annual income received by professional bass fishing.

AYFA High School Division: Eligibility is only open to AYFA High School division Fishermen. *AYFA Number must be provided*

AYFA Junior Division: Eligibility is only open to AYFA Junior High School division Fishermen. *AYFA Number must be provided*

All entries will be screened. The committee reserves the right to refuse any entry application. The decision of the committee is final. Applicants may be required to furnish the committee with proof of eligibility.

THE 6th MAN OPTION: (Adult division ONLY)

This option allows each team to purchase a 6th fish to be weighed in on each day. The 6th man will cost an additional \$20 per boat and can be purchased through registration or at tournament check-in. This will also make you eligible for the Big Bass payout.

PRE-REGISTRATION:

Registration forms must be received no later than April 19th, 2018. Entry fee is \$100.00 per boat. Any entry form received after April 19th, 2017 must include a late fee of \$50.00 per boat in order to be registered.

TACKLE:

Only hand held landing nets can be used to aid you or your partner in landing a caught fish, no other nets will be allowed. Commercial fishermen are not eligible to fish. Fish must be caught on artificial lures. **FISH MUST BE ALIVE UPON WEIGH-IN.** All fish must be weighed in the day they are caught-at the official weigh-in time. {NO EXCEPTIONS}

FISH & SCORING:

Massachusetts, Spottail, Smallmouth and Kentucky bass only. No mallmouth,ification of and past the he 6th Man Golden Rule

FISHING HOURS:

Fishing hours will begin at 6 am.

WEIGH IN TIMES:

AYFA JH: 2pm, must be in line by 2:30 pm

AYFA HS: 3pm, must be in line by 3:30 pm

Our Mission:

To encourage and enable individuals to pursue educational opportunities that will prepare them for jobs in Arkansas' oil and gas industry and/or other technical career fields. We will accomplish this mission by:

- Providing financial support through scholarships;
- Raising awareness for the need of vocational/technical training;
- Creating goodwill for the gas/oil industry through contributions to local communities and non-profit organizations in Arkansas.

About Us:

Established in 2006, the Fayetteville Shale Scholarship Fund is a 501(c)3 organization with members representing companies working in the Fayetteville Shale. The mission of FSSF is to encourage and enable individuals to pursue educational opportunities that will prepare them for or advance them in jobs in the Arkansas oil and gas industry and other technical career fields that play a vital part in the success of local businesses and economy. FSSF donates funds to UACCM for student scholarships, which are awarded based on academic performance and financial need.

To date, the FSSF has donated \$949,000 towards the scholarship fund and new training center for UACCM.

To date, the FSSF has donated \$20,000 towards the general fund at Arkansas Children's Hospital.



Fayetteville Shale
Scholarship Fund, Inc.

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday April 20th

Check In: 4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.

Dinner: 5:00 p.m. - 9:30p.m.

Saturday April 21st

Breakfast Snacks &

Check In: 4:30 a.m. to 5:30 a.m.

Start: 6:00 a.m.

Weigh In: Jr. High 2:00 p.m.

High School 3:00 p.m.

Adults 4:00 p.m.

Family Dinner: 3:00 p.m.

Prizes & Drawings

Sponsor Appreciation

Kids Door Prizes &

Raffle Drawings

METHOD OF ENTRY

Mail Entry Form & Fee:

FSSF Fishing Tournament

PO Box 1223

Conway, AR 72033

OR

On-line:

www.fs-scholarship.com

FSSF Board Members:

President: Larry Crossland

Vice President: Diane Wilson

Treasurer: Sherri Casto

Secretary: Charlotte Chandler

Team Member #1:

AYFA #: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

St. & Zip _____

Cell # _____

Shirt Size: _____

To guarantee your team will receive t-shirts, your registration form and payment must be received by **March 31st 2018.

Email: _____

LIABILITY RELEASE:

I understand the rules and regulations of this tournament I understand the inherent dangers associated with sports fishing and that I have read, understand, and hereby agree to abide by and follow the above rules and/or any rules set forth in connection with this tournament. Additionally, I hereby waive and release the Fayetteville Shale Fishing Tournament, Its directors, officers, committee members, and sponsors from any and all claims of personal injury, accidents or negligence and/or loss of personal property incurred in connection with this tournament.

Date _____

Signature _____

Team Member #2:

AYFA #: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

St. & Zip _____

Cell # _____

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