

Red White and Bulls Fishing Tournament

Saturday August 22nd 2020

Bay Front Peninsula • Port Lavaca TX

\$400.00

Per team (4 anglers)

Cash prizes!!

Red White and Bulls is committed to improving the quality of life for Veterans in the Crossroads area.

Each year a Veteran/Veterans is chosen for an once-in-a-lifetime experience of their choosing.



Biggest Red

Biggest Trout

Heaviest Stringer

Spot Pot

For more information contact:

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(361) 250-0707

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Red White and Bulls Registration Form



For Office Use Only
Control No: _____
Check No: _____

Team Name: _____

Captain's Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Captain's Address: _____ City: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Phone Number: _____

Angler #2 Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Angler #3 Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Angler #4 Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

There is a \$400 entry fee per boat. There is a 4 person maximum per boat and team must follow and obey all Coast Guard Regulations.

Initial each side pot that the team is entering

- Big Trout side pot is \$100 per team _____
- Big Redfish side pot is \$100 per team _____
- Spot Pot is \$75 per team _____
- Texas Slam Pot is \$75 per team _____

Early registration is encouraged!! One of your team representatives must register and pay all fees for the tournament by mail no later than July 24th 2020. Personal or company checks will be pay to the order of:

Red White and Bulls, P.O. Box 433 Lolita, TX 77971.

The tournament is a one day tournament; it will not be cancelled unless we have extreme weather and the safety of all participants is at risk. Red White and Bulls reserves the right to cancel the tournament in the event of severe conditions. A make-up date will be determined if necessary. SAFETY FIRST!!!!

The tournament reserves the right to refuse entry to any person or team. There is no refund for tournament entry fee.

PLEASE NOTE: It is expressly understood that all participants in the tournament enter at their own risk. By registering as an angler, crew, passenger or observer in this tournament, the angler, crew, passenger or observer holds harmless the *Red White and Bulls Fishing Tournament*, referees, sponsors, donors, and all persons connected with the tournament from any libel, slander, loss, damage, negligence, harm, injury or death suffered by any participant, entrant, sport fisherman or passenger, their companions, crew, family members, observers, vessels and equipment which may occur during or in conjunction with the tournament. By registering in the tournament, the angler consents to the use, without payment or restriction, any photograph or video in which he or she appears for any purpose what so ever

By signing below, you as Team Captain assert that you will be the captain of your vessel for this tournament and have read and fully agree to the rules and regulations of this tournament. Additionally, as the captain's partner, you fully agree to the rules and regulations of this tournament.

Captain signature: _____ Date: _____

Director: Scott Tilley 361-235-9588 to register please contact: Kristina Rendon 361-250-0707

RED WHITE AND BULLS OFFICIAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

2020 OFFICIAL RULES- All decisions made by the Tournament Director/Host are final and not subject to appeal regarding the interpretation of rules or the officiating of this tournament. Any contestant who displays poor sportsmanship, violates these rules, or violates any local, state or federal laws is subject to disqualification.

ELIGIBILITY- This tournament is open to EVERYONE, including fishing guides. There will be no exclusive guide division. Tournament Director/Host reserves the right to refuse entry into the competition to any team or individual competitor, with or without cause, at its sole discretion.

SAFETY- Safe boating practices must be observed at all times. It is recommended that each angler wear a Coast Guard approved life vest while boat is on plane and if the boat is equipped with a "kill switch", it must be attached to driver while boat is under power (including at idle). No team is not permitted to approach nearer than 100 yards of any other boat, which is tied or anchored, unless permission has been granted. Setting trot lines and fishing prior to the tournament is strictly prohibited. Drunkenness on the part of any angler will not be tolerated.

TEAMS- Teams will consist of NO MORE than four (4) registered anglers. During tournament hours, no other individual, besides each team's members, will be allowed in that team's boat and contestants may not change boats unless there is an emergency or mechanical issue that is communicated immediately to the Tournament Director/Host. There will be no pooling of fish between boats at any time. All team members must be within 200 yards of each other, meaning from first to last team member may not consist of more than 200 yards while wading. Teams must fish together at all times, if all team members are not present at the time of fishing time, any fish caught before the entire team is together then those fish cannot be weighed in.

CHECK-IN- Unless prior arrangements have been made with the Tournament Director/Host,

- The boat captain, or a representative from each team, must check-in at the **Mandatory Captain's Meeting** on Friday, August 21st, 2020 at **Bay Front Peninsula in Port Lavaca, Texas**. All teams must be checked-in before the end of the meeting. Failure to comply will result in team disqualification and forfeiture of entry fee.

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TACKLE- All fish must be caught by pole or rod & reel in accordance to TP&W State Law. Artificial, live, and dead bait is allowed. Wade fishing is permissible.

SCORING- Total STRINGER weight will consist of (3 TROUT & 2 REDFISH). Only 1 stringer per team weighed in.

- **One trout over 25" will be allowed and no redfish over 28" will be weighed in.**

Contestants **MAY NOT** knowingly put a trout over 25" or a redfish over 28" on ice and attempt to weigh that fish in after it has shrunk into the legal length limit (Polygraph Question). Any team weighing in under or oversized fish will be disqualified.

- HEAVIEST TROUT/REDFISH POTS- DETERMINED BY WEIGHT.
- TEXAS SLAM POT- WILL BE DETERMINED BY WEIGHT AND YOU MUST HAVE ONE REDFISH, ONE TROUT AND ONE FLOUNDER TO WEIGH IN FOR THIS SIDE POT.

FISHING HOURS- Teams are allowed on the water any time after midnight, Saturday, August 22nd, 2020. All fish must be caught on rod and reel using ethical means by team members on Saturday, August 22nd, 2020.

WEIGH-IN- Weigh in is from 2:00-4:00PM, Saturday, August 22nd, 2020. at Bay Front Peninsula in Port Lavaca, TX. Teams must be checked in by 4:00PM sharp or will not be allowed to weigh-in. All fish submitted for weigh-in must be in a fresh, edible condition. Spoiled, pale, gilled, marred, or any altered fish not in its natural state, will result in disqualification of all team members and entry fee will be forfeited. Teams may not accept fish from another participant or any other individual at any time. Fishermen on boat can string each other's fish together; however, this must be completed before entering the weigh-in line. No sorting of fish will be allowed in weigh-in line. Official measuring board will be a Check-It-Stick (tail pinched and swiped). Official time will be kept by the Tournament Director/Host at the weigh-in site. Weigh master's decision is final.

LAUNCH/BOUNDARIES- Contestants will be allowed to launch or trailer boats anywhere on the Texas Coast. Contestants will be allowed to fish any public waters on the Texas Coast, fishing private waters is not allowed. Launch any time after MIDNIGHT on August 22nd, 2020. . All contestants must leave dock together by boat and return to dock together by boat. Should there be an emergency that prevents contestants from leaving and/or returning together, Tournament Director/Host must be notified immediately.

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TIES/PAYOUT- Tie breaker will go to the team who weighed in first. Payouts will be a 25/75 Split based on a 30 Team Payout. Biggest Redfish, Biggest Speckled Trout and Heaviest Stringer.

COMPLAINTS - Complaints or protests must be submitted to the Tournament Director/Host within 15 minutes after weigh-in closes. All decisions rendered by the Tournament Director/Host are final.

MISCELLANEOUS- Interpretation and enforcement of all rules shall be the joint responsibility of the Tournament Director/Host. The Red White and Bulls Fishing Tournament Director/Host and Sponsors will not be held liable for any accidents or injury nor the loss, damage or theft of any property of any angler or individual in or at the tournament. In the event of inclement weather and/or fog, the Tournament Director/Host will make the decision on whether the tournament will be postponed to a later departure time or to the next available day. The decision of the Tournament Director/Host will be final in all weather related matters. Any refunds requested will be reviewed and granted on a case by case basis at the discretion of the Tournament Director/Host. Only show up to check in with the fish for weigh in, any additional fish or cooler of fish combined will be sent back to their boat to go through the fish and find the weighable fish before being weighed. If that is not followed it could be grounds for disqualification determined by weigh master or tournament director.

POLYGRAPH- All contestants are subject to a polygraph test at the discretion of the Tournament Director/Host and agree to abide by its conclusion. A Polygraph test WILL BE administered to an individual (randomly drawn) from the 1st and 2nd place winning teams. Also, one more randomly drawn team from the remaining winners may be subject to Polygraph Test. If any contestant fails to pass the polygraph test the team will be excluded (DISQUALIFIED) from all awards, prizes and monies for this tournament and all future Red White and Bulls tournaments. All team members must be present for polygraph test (unless previously approved by Tournament Director/Host). If any contestant has ever been disqualified from any fishing tournament for cheating, lying or failing a polygraph, he/she is disqualified from this tournament. The results of the polygraph are final and cannot be reviewed by a court of law.

Hosts: Kristina Rendon 361-250-0707 Director: Scott Alan Tilley 361-235-9588

Red White and Bulls Fishing Tournament Schedule

ALL EVENTS AND WEIGH-IN TO BE HELD AT:
PORT LAVACA BAYFRONT PAVILION

Friday, August 21st 2020

6:00 PM
6:30PM

TEAM CHECK IN
CAPTAINS' MEETING

Saturday, August 22nd 2020

12:00 AM
2:00 PM-4:00 PM
5:00 PM

FISHING BEGINS
WEIGH-IN
AWARDS CEREMONY

\$19,500 in PRIZES!

(Based on 30 Team Payout w/SidePots)

<u>Payouts</u>	<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>
<u>Heaviest Redfish</u>	\$ 2,250.00	\$750.00	-----
<u>Biggest Speckled Trout</u>	\$ 2,250.00	\$750.00	-----
<u>Heaviest Stringer</u> (3 Trout & 2 Redfish)	\$6,300.00	\$1,800.00	\$900.00
<u>Spot Pot</u>	\$1,687.50	\$562.50	-----
<u>Texas Slam</u> (1 Trout, 1 Red and 1 Flounder)	\$1,687.50 (1 st place only)	\$562.50	-----

Prizes will be adjusted to team sign up, official amount to be determined at Captain's Meeting