



Michiana Steelheaders

OPEN

October 24, 2010

River Tournament

STEELHEAD ONLY

The entry fee is \$10 per person, with an optional entry fee of \$5 per person for Big Fish. A 100% Payout will be made at the tournament. Prize money will be determined upon the number of entries received. Prize money will be awarded to the top five steelhead caught:

100% Payout: 1st 40%, 2nd 25%, 3rd 20%, 4th 10%, 5th 5%

If only 4 fish are caught, percentages will be 45%, 30%, 15%, 10%

If only 3 fish are caught, percentages will be 50%, 35%, 15%

If only 2 fish are caught, percentages will be 60%, 40%

If only one fish is caught, payout is 100%

If no fish are caught, prize money will roll over to the next scheduled club tournament.

Tournament registration will be at *Parker's Central Park Bait & Tackle*. Located at 426 East Mishawaka Avenue, Mishawaka, Indiana 46545 (574-255-7703).

Registration ends at 6:00 PM on October 23rd, 2010.

Tournament Rules

This tournament is governed by DNR Rules.

The fishing times are from **6:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.** Eastern Standard Time.

Fish hooked after 1:00 P.M. CANNOT be entered in the tournament. Fish hooked prior to 1:00 P.M., but landed after 1:00 P.M. may be entered. No Lines in the water before 6:00 A.M.

Weigh-in will be held at **Central Park** in Mishawaka, Indiana. Roll call will be at 2:00 P.M.

Anyone not present with their fish will be disqualified, with one exception: If your boat breaks down you must inform another registered entrant who must then inform the tournament committee before roll call. You or one of your crew must arrive before the weigh-in is complete.

When weighing in your largest fish, it is your responsibility to choose the one fish to be weighted in. You cannot weigh several fish to determine the largest fish.

You may fish the St. Joseph River only, from the twin branch dam to the railroad bridge in St. Joseph, Michigan.

Entries are accepted on the honor system.

You may not fish any tributary of the St. Joseph River, for example, employees or members of the Isaac Walton League may not fish Juday Creek.

When fishing from a boat, all people in the boat must be entered in the tournament.

The tournament committee will settle all disputes.