



**FACT SHEET**

Quad Cities Moline, Illinois – Mississippi River

November 4, 2017

On-Site Tournament Hotline: (580)716-4291

<p><b><u>Check-in, Registration/Rules Meeting</u></b></p> <p>Sunset Park Sunset Rd, 18<sup>th</sup> &amp; 31 ave Rock Island, IL 61201 309-732-2282 <b>Date:</b> Friday November 3, 2017</p> <p><b>ADVANCE registration is highly suggested.</b> (You may enter onsite between 5-6pm as defined below and with a \$25 late fee. CASH ONLY and you must have your TWF membership card with you or you will be charged another membership.)</p> <p><b>5:00 p.m.</b> – On site check-in &amp; registration opens <b>6:00 p.m.</b> – On site check-in &amp; registration closes <b>6:15 p.m.</b> – <b>Mandatory rules briefing begins. At least one (1) team member MUST attend.</b></p> <p>All anglers must be off the water by 4:00 p.m. on the day of the rules meeting.</p>	<p><b><u>Launch/Weigh-In</u></b></p> <p><b>Location:</b> George Skafidas Parkway (Sunset Marina)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exit IL-92 onto East 18th Avenue for direct entrance to launch area.</li> <li>• If you turn onto 31st Ave off of IL-92 Tournament and public boat launch is at the north end of Sunset Lane. Rock Island, IL 61201</li> </ul> <p><a href="https://www.maps-streetview.com/United-States/Rock-Island/streets.php?street=George+Skafidas+Park+Way">https://www.maps-streetview.com/United-States/Rock-Island/streets.php?street=George+Skafidas+Park+Way</a></p> <p><b>Location:</b> Sunset Park Sunset Rd, 18<sup>th</sup> &amp; 31<sup>st</sup> Ave Rock Island, IL 61201 309-732-2282</p> <p>Take-off will begin at 7:30 a.m. or first safe light. Weigh in at 3:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b><u>Required Safety Equipment</u></b></p> <p>It is the responsibility of all anglers to have required state and federal safety equipment on board.</p> <p>At time of inspection each morning, be prepared to display 1 life jacket for each angler; 1 throwable PFD; and, demonstrate functioning kill switch.</p> <p>Inspection will be held during lineup for takeoff. 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><b><u>Fish Limits</u></b></p> <p>Fish size: 15" Walleye/Sauger/Saugeye <b>**All Walleye/Sauger/Saugeye from 20"-27" must be released, no more than 1 Walleye/Sauger/Saugeye above 27" per angler.**</b> Teams are allowed to weigh a limit of 5 fish per team per day. Teams may have 10 fish in the live well (5 fish per solo angler), but fish not being weighed must be released before making final run to check-in. Culling is not 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. 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><b><u>Site Hosts</u></b></p> <p><a href="http://www.visitquadcities.com/">http://www.visitquadcities.com/</a></p> <p><b><u>Host Hotels</u></b></p> <p><b>Holiday Inn Rock Island</b> 226 17<sup>th</sup> street Rock Island, Il. 61201 Only 2 miles from ramp \$89 includes breakfast at onsite restaurant. Opens at 5:30AM. Free boat outdoor parking in lot or garage! 1-309-794-1212</p> <p><b>Quality Inn &amp; Suites</b> 6605 North Brady Street, Davenport, IA, 52806, US 563-386-8336 Only 9 miles from ramp Recently renovated. \$74.99 includes their expanded hot continental breakfast. Free Parking – very open lot, easy access off I80 and I280.</p>	<p><b><u>Boundaries</u></b></p> <p><b>Pools: 14, 15, 16.</b> <b>George Skafidas Parkway Launch is in pool 15,</b> <b>Lock at your own risk.</b></p> <p>Any waters within these boundaries posted "off limits" or "no fishing" by state or federal agencies will be off limit. 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.</p>
<p><b>Note:</b> Registrations must be received by noon on Friday before the event to avoid late fees. You can enter and pay at the on sight check in before 6:00pm but there will be a \$25 late fee and you MUST have your TWF membership card with you or you will be charged for a membership.</p>		<p>Please read the NEW 2017 Official TWF Member Open Rules carefully!</p>