



# BPS Cabela's National Team Championship

## FACT SHEET

Lorain, OH – Lake Erie

May 9-11, 2024

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

Presented By:



<p><b><u>Registration/Rules Meeting</u></b></p> <p><b>Location:</b> Black River Landing 421 Black River Lane Lorain, OH 44052 (440)204-2269</p> <p><b>Date:</b> Wednesday, May 8, 2024</p> <p><b>Registration Times:</b> 2:00 p.m. – Registration Opens 5:00 p.m. – Registration Closes. <b>5:15 p.m. – Mandatory rules briefing begins. At least one (1) team member <u>MUST</u> attend.</b></p> <p>All anglers must be off the water by 3:00 p.m. on the day of the rules meeting.</p>	<p><b><u>Launch/Weigh-In</u></b></p> <p><b>Launch:</b> Black River Wharf 1355 Black River Pkwy Lorain, OH 44052</p> <p><b>Takeoff/Weigh-in:</b> Black River Landing 421 Black River Lane Lorain, OH 44052 (440)204-2269</p> <p>Takeoff ceremonies begins at 6:45am</p> <p>First boat leaves at 7:00 a.m. or first safe light.</p> <p>Weigh-in begins at 3:00 p.m. each day and is free and open to the public.</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: Walleye, 15 inch minimum.</p> <p>Teams are allowed to weigh a limit of five (5) fish per team, per day. Release any live fish not to be weighed-in prior to making final run to check-in. <b>Culling is allowed.</b></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><b><u>Site Host</u></b></p> <p><b>Lorain Port Authority</b> 319 Black River Ln, Lorain, OH 44052 <a href="tel:(440)204-2269">(440) 204-2269</a> <a href="http://lorainport.com/">lorainport.com/</a></p> <p><b><u>Host Hotel</u></b></p> <p><b>Ariel Broadway Hotel</b> 301 Broadway, Lorain, OH 44052 (440)246-6669 <a href="http://arielbroadwayhotel.com">arielbroadwayhotel.com</a></p>	<p><b><u>Boundaries</u></b></p> <p><b>Lake Erie (Ohio ONLY). No Canadian waters.</b></p> <p>The tournament waters for this event shall be Ohio waters of Lake Erie and shall include all Ohio 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 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>Live video coverage and standings posted daily on our website and Facebook!</b></p> <p><a href="https://walleyefederation.com/">https://walleyefederation.com/</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.facebook.com/TheWalleyeFederation">https://www.facebook.com/TheWalleyeFederation</a></p>	<p><b><u>Please read the 2024 Official NTC Rules carefully.</u></b></p> <p><b>DO NOT forget to sign up for Ranger Cup before the event!</b></p> <p><a href="https://www.rangerboats.com/ranger-cup.html">https://www.rangerboats.com/ranger-cup.html</a></p>	