



Brunswick County Fishing Club & Mad Kingz Tackle

2023 Little Whack-A-Mack

Spanish Mackerel Fishing Tournament

Quick Facts

- 6:00 AM April 28, 2023 - 3:00 PM April 30, 2023
- TOTAL Aggregate Weight of 5 Spanish Mackerel (12"FL) (only 5 fish per registration over the course of the tournament)
- Registration Cost- \$75 per boat (entry) (fish with as many people as you wish in accordance with safety regulations.)

Additional TWT Prizes for largest fish caught by:

1. Junior Angler(14 & Under) Registration Fee: Free
 2. Female Angler Registration Fee: \$25
 3. Senior Angler (65+) Registration Fee: \$25
- TWT(optional): Heaviest single Spanish Mackerel \$25 entry (Winner takes all)
 - TWT(optional): **Heaviest single King Mackerel** (24" FL) \$75 entry (payouts: 1st-55%, 2nd-30%, 3rd-15%)
 - TWT(optional): High Roller \$75 (Winner takes all)
 - Artificial and live bait allowed.
 - Must depart from and return to Brunswick county waters. Weigh In Friday and Saturday at any Mad Kingz location. Final weigh in Sunday at The Brunswick County Fishing Club (Beside the wildlife ramp in Sunset Harbor.)

Pay Outs

Final payout amounts will be based on total number of entries*

1st Place 55%

2nd Place 30%

3rd Place 15%

Payouts based on 100 entries***

Prize pot \$6,000.00

1st-\$3,300.00

2nd-\$1,800.00

3rd-\$900.00

Full Rules and Regulations

1. **Participation and Eligibility-** Participation is open to anyone 18 years of age or older. Minors are eligible to participate with a parent or guardian signature on the release form. A completed participant registration and entry fee must be received no later than the published deadline. You will need to have a valid North Carolina Saltwater Fishing License to participate. Please read all rules and regulations and remember to sign and initial your Waiver and Release of Liability.
2. **Registration and Captain's Meeting-** Participants registration will be open online via our website at www.mybcfc.org until the captain's meeting at 7 pm Thursday April 27, 2023. In person registration will happen at any Mad Kingz Location until the captain's meeting at 7 pm Thursday April 27, 2023. The captains meeting will take place at 7pm on Thursday April 27, 2023 at the Brunswick County Fishing Club 3911 Hickory View Dr. SE Bolivia, NC 28422. The captains meeting will be live streamed on Facebook for those who cannot make the captains meeting in person. Attendance at the live or online captain's meeting is mandatory for each participant unless authorized by the tournament director.
3. **Safety-** Safe boating must always be observed. Participants are required to comply with US Coast Guard regulations including the possession of US Coast Guard approved personal floatation device (PFD).
4. **Sportsmanship-** All participants are required to follow high standards of sportsmanship, courtesy, and conservation. Non-compliance with tournament rules and regulations are grounds for immediate disqualification and any prizes awarded must be returned.
5. **Permitted Fishing Methods-** All fish must be caught with a hook and line only. Artificial bait and live baits are allowed.
6. **Permitted Fishing Locations-** Participants can launch their boats 30 minutes prior to lines in. Participants can then fish any area they choose as long as they depart from and return to Brunswick county waters. Participants may not receive assistance including but not limited to following a non-participant boat, the placing of markers by a nonparticipant, or receiving electronic, voice, or data communication from non-participants. All fishing locations must be in waters accessible according to

the law and US Coast Guard regulations. Fishing on any Pier or Surf within Brunswick County is allowed.

7. Scoring- Target species will be Spanish Mackerel. Boats will be scored on the aggregate Weight of 5 Spanish Mackerel (12"FL). One entry per boat. All entries must be of legal size according to current NC regulations or the boat will be disqualified.
8. Check In- Check in on Friday 28th and Saturday 29th will happen at any Mad Kingz location. Final Check in on Sunday April 30th in will begin at 2:00 pm the Brunswick County Fishing Club located at 3911 Hickory View Drive Bolivia, NC. All participants must check in no earlier than 2:00 pm and no later than 3:00 pm.
9. Post Check In Party- Starting at 3:00 pm there will be the post tournament party including beverages and tournament winner's prize ceremony and sponsor recognition.
10. Protest- All protests must be in writing and delivered to a tournament official within 30 minutes of check in. The tournament director has the final say in all decisions. All protests must be accompanied by a \$100 deposit made out to the Brunswick County Fishing Club.
11. Rule Changes- Rules interpretation will be presented to the tournament director. The decisions of the tournament director are final and are not subject to appeal.
12. Release of Liability- A waiver and release of liability form is part of the registration pack and every Captain is required to read, initial, sign, and date the waiver and release of liability form or they will not be eligible to participate.
13. Prize Structure- Cash prizes will be awarded to the top 3 qualifiers.

Additional Prizes for largest fish caught by:

4. Junior Angler (14 & Under)
5. Female Angler
6. Senior Angler (65+)

Weigh In Location for Friday and Saturday

Mad Kingz Tackle

5013 Southport Crossing Way

Southport, NC 28461

Mad Kingz Tackle

6855 Beach Dr SW

Ocean Isle Beach, NC 28469

Sunday Weigh In must be done at the Brunswick County Fishing Club

3911 Hickory View Dr

Bolivia NC 28422



