

# OFFICIAL TOURNAMENT RULES & REGULATIONS

**1. ENTRY FEE:** Entry fee prior to tournament is **\$30.00**. Entry fee during tournament is **\$35.00**. No contestant may enter a fish in the same 24 hour period that their entry fee is paid. Entry fee must be paid at **Nick's Seafood Restaurant** Highway 20 in Freeport, FL. Phone **(850) 835-2222** or **(850) 830-6161**.

**2. SPECKLE TROUT:** All fish must be a minimum of 15 inches in length. Only one fish over 20 inches per day per person may be weighed-in. Hook and line only live or artificial bait. Cast nets or entanglement nets prohibited. Weigh-in at Nick's between **10AM-1PM** and **5PM-8PM** daily. All fish must be fresh and properly iced; any fish in poor condition will be disqualified. (*All live fish weighed-in will be released.*) All fish brought to weigh-in are subject to judge's discretion. Fish will be kept for inspection and any fish may be disqualified upon inspection. Participants must follow the rules and regulations of FL Fish & Wildlife Commission.

### 3. PRIZE MONEY:

#### 100% PAYBACK ON LARGEST 5 FISH.

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place: 50% of entry fee
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: 20% of entry fee
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place: 15% of entry fee
- 4<sup>th</sup> Place: 10% of entry fee
- 5<sup>th</sup> Place: 5% of entry fee

Door prizes/Gifts for places 6<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup>

### 4. KIDS DIVISION: 12 yrs & under

Top 5 receive prizes and trophies

Daily Winner - Largest fish weighed in each day will receive a prize

### 5. CATFISH CLASSIC

**Sponsored by: Take Stock in Children of Walton County (All Ages)**  
**Two Divisions: 12 & under and 13 and up.**

**12 and under all participants will be recognized, 13 and up receive prize money.**  
**Optional for \$10 Additional Entry Fee**

#### Pay Out

**1<sup>st</sup> \$300.00, 2<sup>nd</sup> \$200.00, 3<sup>rd</sup> \$ 100.00**

Combined weight of catfish (saltwater species) Limited to 3 fish per day

12 and under dates: May 26<sup>th</sup> -June 3<sup>rd</sup>.

13 and Up dates: June 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>.

### 6. JR DIVISION: 13 – 17 yrs old

Top 3 receive prizes and trophies

### 7. REDFISH DIVISION: < 17 yrs old

Total Weight of Redfish between 18"-27" for the entire tournament, One per day.

### 8. WKEND WARRIOR CALCUTTA:

#### Optional for \$25 Additional Entry Fee

Total weight of your best 5 speckled trout, longer than 20" and shorter than 24" total length (20" - 23.99"). Only fish caught and weighed in on the dates of **May 26, 26, 28, and June 2 and 3** will be eligible. Only 1 fish over 20" per day per person may be weighed-in.

PAY OUT: 1<sup>st</sup> - 50% 2nd - 30% 3rd - 20%

### 9. LEONARD SMITH SPECIAL:

#### Optional for \$20 Additional Entry Fee

Total weight of your best 4 speckled trout, longer than 15" and shorter than 20" total length (15" - 19.99"). Only fish caught and weighed in on **June 2** will be eligible.

PAY OUT: 1<sup>st</sup> - 50% 2nd - 30% 3rd - 20%

### 10. WRAP UP:

**June 4 at 6PM a fish fry will be held at Nick's to recognize all participants. Prizes and awards will start at 7PM.**

**ONLY 1 FISH PER CONTESTANT WILL BE ALLOWED ON THE LEADER BOARD. ALL CONTESTANTS ARE SUBJECT TO A POLYGRAPH TEST.**

*12th Annual*

CHOCTAWHATCHEE BAY

*Old Nick's*

Speckle Trout Shoot Out

## OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

EACH PARTICIPANT MUST COMPLETE FORM

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

WORK PH: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

AGE: \_\_\_\_\_

### FEE SCHEDULE

Tournament Fee (\$30)\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Kid's Division \_\_\_\_\_

Catfish Classic (\$10) \_\_\_\_\_

Jr. Division \_\_\_\_\_

Wkend Warrior (\$25) \_\_\_\_\_

Leonard Smith (\$20) \_\_\_\_\_

Add \$5 after May 26 (\$5) \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to **Treylermade Tournaments**

I waive/release all persons associated with Old Nick's Choctawhatchee Bay Speckle Trout Shootout from all claims of injury and/or damage incurred in connection with this tournament.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_