



Lake	Date	Take Off	Weigh-In	Fishing Time
Le Homme Dieu Chain	June 3, 2017	Rotary Beach	TBD	6:00am-2:00pm
Minnewaska	July 8, 2017	Water's Edge	Water's Edge	6:00am-2:00pm
Ida	August 5, 2017	Big Horn Cove	Big Horn Cove	6:00am-2:00pm

Entry Fee: \$200.00 per team per event. Individual tournament entries welcome.
 Entries must be received at least 2 weeks prior to the event. \$600.00 to fish all 3 events

New for 2017

105% pay back and 1 in 4 paid!

Points system for TOY

APF Big Bass of the Year!

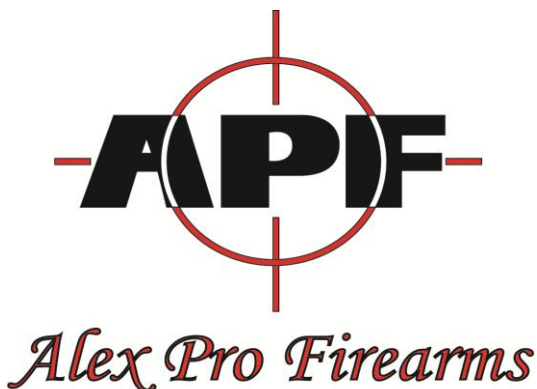
Awarded to the biggest bass caught of the season.
 APF is donating two Econo Carbine with no optic rifles
 valued at \$1500.

Must fish all 3 events to qualify for APF Big Bass of the Year.

Payout based on 40 Boats

1st Place	\$2,200.00 plus plaques
2nd Place	\$1,400.00 plus plaques
3rd Place	\$1,100.00 plus plaques
4th Place	\$750.00
5th Place	\$600.00
6th Place	\$500.00
7th Place	\$400.00
8th Place	\$300.00
9th Place	\$250.00
10th Place	\$200.00

**Team of
the Year \$300.00 plus Plaques**



Pre-fishing closes at 6:00pm Friday before each tournament.

All entries must be paid in full and a completed and signed entry form must accompany payment. Teams will be selected on a first come first served basis.

Mail registration form to: Clarence Rasmussen
 3871 Latoka View Lane SW
 Alexandria, MN 56308

Boat Captain _____	Partner _____
Email _____	Email _____
Address _____	Address _____
City/St/Zip _____	City/St/Zip _____
Phone _____	Phone _____

Boat Captain's Signature (must sign to validate entry) _____

By signing I agree that I have read and understand all rules (located on the back side of this entry)

Limited Released by Entry this tournament

I have waived all responsibility of any tournament officials or sponsors for loss or damage of personal or private property or personal injury or death. I understand that competitive fishing can be potentially hazardous and agree to conduct my-self with the utmost safety and caution. I have also agreed to abide by the rules of this tournament and the rules and regulations of the Minnesota Fish & Wildlife.

Rules & Regulations

All standings from the tournaments will be posted at <http://www.bigchipnet.com>

1. The tournaments are open to all anglers with a valid Minnesota fishing license. Boat captains must be eighteen (18) years of age or older.
2. Team tournament (two anglers per boat). In an extreme situation where an alternate cannot be found to fill a vacant position, an angler may elect to fish alone, but by doing so limits him/herself to a six (6) fish limit.
3. Entry priority will be given to teams fishing all three events (40 Teams). If there are spots available; individual events will be filled as long as entry form and money is received two weeks prior to event.
4. Artificial bait only. No live bait or "dead baiting" with the exception of composite baits (i.e.: pork, powerbait, etc.)
5. Bag limit per team will be eight (8) Largemouth and/or Smallmouth Bass with a minimum length of twelve (12) inches.
6. All boats must have a livewell or re-circulatory system capable of supporting eight (8) fish.
7. A two-tenths (.2) pound penalty will be deducted for a dead fish. This will be deducted from the total bag weight.
8. Boat checks will commence approximately one hour prior to ease-off. All boats must be checked prior to fishing.
9. Short fish will result in a one pound penalty not counting the weight of the short fish.
10. Winners will be determined by total bag weight. Ties will be broken by: 1) Number of fish 2) Big fish 3) Coin toss.
11. A "two cast" buffer zone and 50 yards from an attended marker buoy will be observed between anglers during tournament hours. In general, no crowding. Communicate your intentions with other anglers when fishing in the same vicinity.
12. All anglers will wear a flotation vest/jacket while the combustion engine is running.
13. No alcoholic beverages allowed in boats during tournament hours or in other restricted areas.
14. Any boats late for weigh-in will be disqualified for that lake. No exceptions.
15. No tournament boat shall touch any other watercraft or appear to do so between ease-off and weigh-in with the exception of emergencies. In case of emergencies contact Tournament Director.
16. Basic liability insurance must be current on all tournament boats
17. There is a forty (40) team limit, plus tournament directors on all tournament events.
18. The "Team of the Year" award will be given to the team who attains the season's highest point total. A team does not need to fish in all three events to qualify for this award. However, any team using an alternate more than once during the season will be taken out of the running for this award. Ties for this award will be broken by 1.) Total weight for the season 2.) Big Bass for the season. Points will be awarded as such (1st 50 pts. 2nd 48 pts. 3rd 47 pts. 4th 46 pts. Ect.)
19. Breaking of State and/or local fish and boating laws and/or tournament rules will be grounds for immediate disqualification with no refunds. This includes un-sportsman like conduct.
20. The tournament reserves the right to refuse entry to any team or individual who has a history of grievances, violations, inappropriate behavior and the like in past events both in the tournament and also but not limited to other tournament trials.
21. Fish to be weighed-in **must** be accompanied with **our weigh-in bags**.
22. May not leave boat to gain a competitive advantage
23. No use of platforms that are not standard equipment for the boat.
24. Pre-fishing closes at 6:00PM Friday before each tournament.
25. Boat draw will take place morning of tournament.
26. **Tournament Director Contact Information: Clarence Rasmussen 507-829-5149**