

# 2008 Rules and Regulations

Rules Updated Mar-23-08  
Changes are highlighted.

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1. One man in the boat at all times.
2. All live wells will be checked; any angler who refuses will be disqualified.
3. All fish will be measured on the new "Professional Series Golden Rule"
4. Any short fish will result in loss of big fish.
5. No culling in the "no wake" area or in the parking lot.
6. 5 fish limit in boat, at the end of tournament, if you have more than 5 fish you will be disqualified.
7. There will be a .50 lb penalty for each dead fish.
8. No alcohol during tournament hours or at weigh-in.
9. Must be inside "no wake" buoys at the end of the tournament, if you are late you are disqualified.
10. Must have lifejacket and kill switch on if operating the big motor, other than idling.
11. Fish will remain in live wells until notified that scales are open.
12. No pre-fishing Monday thru blast off prior to tournament date.
13. If you miss more than 2 tournaments in a row without paying an entry fee you are disqualified for the season.
14. No live bait or trolling.
15. All anglers should conduct themselves in a sportsmanlike manner (watch the language).
16. CCBA club officials can turn anyone away from entering the club.
17. Club officials can discharge any angler from a tournament if any club rule is broken (possibly banned).
18. **Membership fees will be dispersed at the tournament director's discretion.**
19. Cannot leave your boat unless of repairs or emergency. Any other reason, unless authorized, will be disqualified. (Mother Nature calls are approved.)
20. If you are late to a tournament you must find another club member to check your livewell before you can begin fishing and must inform tournament directors before weigh in begins.
21. Club officials fishing expenses are paid.
22. Any protest of another angler should be brought to the attention of the director before the weigh-in begins. The Club officials and the CCBA committee will make a decision on the protest..
23. Abide by all club rules and state regulations.
24. **An angler may ask for their fish to be re-weighed at weigh-in. However, the second weight will be the one that counts.**
25. Size limits will be the state regulations unless otherwise determined by the tournament director; anglers will be notified, at blast-off, if any changes.
26. Only one rod and reel may be used at a time, with the rod being no longer than eight feet in length.
27. Special rules regarding conduct will be put in place for The Classic. Anyone who does not abide by the rules will not be allowed to fish.
28. **Entry fee must be paid by the Monday prior to a tournament.  
A \$10 fee will be added for each day an entry fee is late.  
(Tournament director is not responsible for calling Anglers prior to tournament.)**

<p><b>Membership and Entry Fee Deadlines</b></p>	<p>The membership fee is \$60.00. This will help pay for the plaques, T-shirts, and club supplies. Membership fees are due January 22<sup>nd</sup> (membership fee will be \$70.00 after the deadline). <b>Entry fees are \$50.00 per tournament; you must have your entry fee in by Monday prior to tournament. Each day it is late there will be a \$10.00 penalty.</b> If you mail your entry fee in, it must be postmarked before the deadline.</p> <p>Mail entry fees to:  <b>Cedar City Bass Anglers</b>  <b>3907 Franklin Road</b>  <b>Lebanon, TN 37030</b></p>
<p><b>No Pre-Fishing Rule</b></p>	<p>There shall be no pre-fishing or any kind of hired service fishing for you from Monday prior to the tournament until blast-off.</p>
<p><b>Blast-off</b></p>	<p>You will receive a blastoff number when you sign up. We will do reverse Blast-off throughout the season, (1-50, 50-1, etc.). When your blast-off number is called you will idle by with your live well lids open.</p>
<p><b>Point System</b></p>	<p>The point system is determined by where you finish in each event.  1<sup>st</sup> place 100pts  2<sup>nd</sup> place 99pts  3<sup>rd</sup> place 98pts, etc.  The minimum amount of points will vary on the 1<sup>st</sup> tournament.</p>
<p><b>Classic and Qualification</b></p>	<p>There are two criteria to qualify for The Classic:  1. You must pay for all 6 tournaments.  2. You must make the top 25 in points.</p> <p>The Classic is our top-paying event of the year. There is a \$60.00 entry fee which helps pay for the two Big Fish pots; any excess goes to The Classic fund to be paid out. Our sponsors fund Classic payouts. You will get one day to practice (Friday), Saturday and Sunday to compete. You must be alone in the boat at all times.</p> <p><b>Due to previous year's votes, The Classic location will no longer be voted on by the anglers. The lake will be chosen by the director.</b></p>
<p><b>Wild Card</b></p>	<p>To qualify for the wild card you must fish or pay for all six tournaments. If drawn you automatically go to The Classic. This is only for eligible anglers who do not qualify in points. There will be one wild card drawn at the end of the season.</p>
<p><b>Disqualifications for the Season</b></p>	<p>If you miss more than 2 tournaments in a row without paying an entry fee you are disqualified for the season. This is to keep it fair for the ones who fish all events. Any angler that causes a disturbance within the club or at a tournament can be ejected for the season or banned from the club. During the season or off-season. (Will be determined by tournament director).</p>
<p><b>Classic Champion</b></p>	<p>This is the super bowl of the club. This honor comes with a plaque, a CCBA jacket, and an automatic entry to the next Classic as long as the 6 tournaments are paid.</p>
<p><b>Angler of the Year</b></p>	<p>The Angler of the Year award goes to the angler who is the most consistent throughout the season. He is also the one who finishes the year with the most overall points. The winner of this award receives free entry fees for the following year.</p>

<b><i>Rookie of the Year</i></b>	This must be your first year to fish Cedar City to be eligible. The winner will be the rookie with the most overall points at the end of the year.
<b><i>Young Gun Award</i></b>	This award goes to the highest point finisher who is under the age of 22.
<b><i>Old Timer Award</i></b>	This award goes to the highest point finisher who is over the age of 55.
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