

REGISTRATION FORM

CAPTAIN'S NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

TELEPHONE _____

EMAIL _____

BOAT NAME _____ LENGTH _____

NO. OF FISHERMEN _____ BOAT MFG. _____

YOUTH ANGLER (15 & Under) LADY ANGLER

MOTOR MFG. _____ HORSEPOWER _____

TOURNAMENT ENTRY FEE: \$300⁰⁰
AFTER JULY 31st FEE: \$350⁰⁰

Tournament within a tournament entry fee:

- Largest King TWT \$100⁰⁰ - 100% Payout
- Aggregate Weight TWT \$100⁰⁰ - 100% Payout
- Super TWT (10% will be withheld by tournament) \$250⁰⁰

Make checks payable and mail to:

Fishing for Miracles King Mackerel Tournament
P.O. Box 21199, Charleston, SC 29413-1199

By signing the entry form, the Captain consents that the Fishing For Miracles King Mackerel Tournament may use without payment or restriction, any photographs in which he or she appears for any purpose whatsoever, including but not limited to, resale, advertising, commercial, or promotional material. The Captain further releases the Fishing For Miracles King Mackerel Tournament, its Committee, Officers, Directors and Sponsors for injury, loss or damage which may result by his or her crew members.

Captain's Signature _____ Date _____
No entry will be accepted unsigned.

www.fishingformiracles.org
(843) 554-0177

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Thursday, August 11

- 2:00 pm Registration opens at Ripley Light Yacht Club through 7:00 pm
- 5:00 pm Refreshments and supper
- 7:00 pm Captain's Meeting & Silent Auction

Friday, August 12

- 6:30 am Competition begins
- 2:00 pm Scales open
- 5:00 pm Competition ends for the day

Saturday, August 13

- 6:30 am Competition begins
- 1:00 pm Scales open
- 4:00 pm Competition ends for the day
- 5:00 pm Supper
- 7:00 pm Awards ceremony

23 & UNDER BONUS AWARDS

- 1ST - \$3,000
- 2ND - \$2,000
- 3RD - \$1,000



Division III Sanctioned Tournament



18TH ANNUAL KEY WEST BOATS FISHING FOR MIRACLES KING MACKEREL TOURNAMENT

GRAND PRIZES

Based on 200 Paid Boats. One Grand Prize Per Boat.
 Social Security # Required for all Winners.

LARGEST FISH

1ST - \$25,000 CASH

2ND - \$7,500 5TH - \$1,000

3RD - \$5,000 6TH - \$750

4TH - \$2,000 7TH-30TH - \$500



Contact us with questions: Rob Donlin, Tournament Chairman (843) 554-0177 or donlin@knology.net

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18th ANNUAL KEY WEST BOATS



FISHING FOR MIRACLES



Ripley Light Yacht Club August 11-13, 2011



August 11, 12 & 13, 2011 Ripley Light Yacht Club, Charleston, SC

OFFICIAL RULES

1. Eligible fish: King Mackerel only (*Scomberomorus Cavalla*). Minimum length 36" forklength.
2. Tournament officials will monitor VHF channel 72 during competition hours.
3. All fish retained by FFM become the property of FFM.
4. **ONLY ONE GRAND PRIZE PER BOAT.**
5. There shall be no more than six lines fished from any boat.
6. There are no restrictions on the number of people allowed aboard each boat during competition hours.
7. This is a sporting event. All fish must be taken on rod and reels, no hand lines or electric reels are allowed.
8. This is a captain's choice tournament. **No weather day.** Fishing is at the captain's discretion; the captain will accept full responsibility for his actions.
9. In the event of a natural disaster, 50% of the entry fee will be refunded.
10. All boats must meet both USCG and the State of SC safety requirements in order to qualify for competition. **South Carolina requires all anglers to have a SC saltwater fishing license.**
11. Tournament Committee reserves the right to inspect any boat entered in competition, including an onboard inspection.
12. Grand Prize money is based on 200 paid entries. If less than 200 boats are entered, the prize money will be decreased on a pro-rata basis.
13. Boats submitted after entry deadline must be approved by the Tournament Committee prior to leaving port.
14. The Tournament Committee must approve any entries submitted to the Tournament. If the entry is not approved, 100% of the entry fee will be refunded. **This is not an open tournament.**
15. Tournament Committee and sponsors may compete.
16. 23 and Under Class, verification may be required.
17. No bait may be exchanged from boat to boat during tournament hours.
18. Captain or crew of the first place prize may be subject to polygraph.

COMPETITION ••••• NO CHECK OUT

1. On tournament days, competition hours are:
Friday, August 12 6:30 am to 5:00 pm
Saturday, August 13 6:30 am to 4:00 pm.
2. There is no check out. Boats may leave from any inlet, but must weigh in at the official weigh-in station at Ripley Light Yacht Club. Official tournament time will be GPS time.
3. No boats are to congregate together during tournament hours.
4. No lines in the water before 6:30 am.
5. No boat on either Fish Day shall be placed on a trailer, during the competition hours, that is en route to the weigh-in station.

CHECK-IN AND VERIFICATION

1. Entrants wishing to weigh fish for competition must check in with the official committee boat and proceed in an orderly fashion directly to the weigh station.
2. Check-in boat location: To be announced at Captain's Meeting.
3. Check-In Time:
Friday, August 12 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm
Boats checking in after 5:00 pm cannot weigh in fish for that day.
Saturday, August 13 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm
Boats checking in after 4:00 pm cannot weigh in fish for that day.
4. Each boat in the tournament competition will receive an entry number card. This number must be displayed and acknowledged by the official committee boat at check-in.
5. All fish weighed, except those retained by FFM for prize consideration, must be removed after weigh-in by the fishermen.
6. Fish to be weighed in must be from the boat in which they were caught. Fish cannot be transferred from one boat to another.
7. Fish shall not be mutilated in any way other than hook and gaff marks. **All hooks and leaders must be removed before weigh-in as a safety measure.**
8. Prizes are awarded solely on the basis of fish weight. In the event of identical weights, the first fish weighed in shall be declared the winner.
9. It is the sole responsibility of the crew aboard each boat to offload and present its catch for weighing. Crews should have their fish ready for offloading. The angler must accompany the fish to the weigh station. **No boats will be allowed to tie up at the offloading dock.**
10. A signed weigh-in voucher will be required for each individual who places a fish in competition for tournament prizes. Tournament scales will be official weigh-in results. No other weights will be accepted.
11. All protests concerning the determination of tournament prize winners shall be made no later than one hour after the fish has been weighed on the day it occurs and must be accompanied by a \$200 cash protest fee. In the event that a protest is not upheld by the tournament committee, the \$200 cash protest deposit becomes the property of the Fishing for Miracles Tournament. All decisions made by the tournament committee shall be final.
12. Boats also fishing the SKA portion of the tournament must have an EPIRB on board. All boats are encouraged to carry an EPIRB.

Call NOW for special room rates reserved for tournament participants at the Springhill Suites! 843-571-1711
Be sure to mention Fishing for Miracles.

PRIZES

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TOURNAMENT WITH A TOURNAMENT

Entry Fee: \$100 Per Boat • 100% Payback

LARGEST KING MACKEREL

ALL CASH PAYOUT

1ST - 50%

2ND - 30%

3RD - 20%

BOAT AGGREGATE (2 LARGEST KING MACKEREL)

1 FISH PER BOAT PER DAY - ALL CASH PAYOUT

1ST - 50%

2ND - 30%

3RD - 20%

SUPER TWT

\$250 LARGEST FISH

(10% of total will be withheld by tournament)

BONUSES

Captain's Drawing \$500

Must be present to win! 2 - \$250 drawings at Captain's Meeting.

Lady Angler \$1,000

Largest King Mackerel caught - must be caught and weighed in by a lady angler. 16 years of age and older.

Youth Angler \$1,000 1st \$500 2nd

Largest King Mackerel caught by two youth anglers. 15 years and under (one award per angler.)

Early Entry Award \$500

Largest King Mackerel caught by an early entry boat. Entry must be postmarked by July 31, 2011.

High Five, Courtesy of Ed Smith Insurance Agency \$50,000

One Captain will have a chance to win up to \$50,000! Must be present at the awards ceremony Saturday night to participate.

CCA AWARDS

CCA Outstanding Boat \$1,000

Largest King Mackerel caught by any boat consisting of all South Carolina CCA members.

Rising Tide Youth Angler \$500

Largest King Mackerel caught by a current member of the Coastal Conservation Association of SC's Rising Tide Youth Angler. Angler must be 17 years of age or younger.

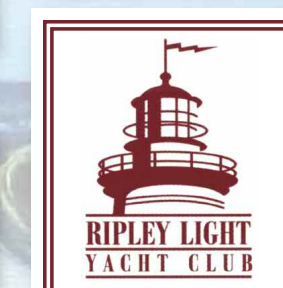
Key West Boats \$1,000 1st \$500 2nd

Largest King Mackerel caught on a Key West/Butler Marine Boat.



KEY WEST BOATS

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