



Kids Scholarship Fishing Tournaments

Lee County Conservation Board, Lee County Pheasants Forever, Quail Forever, and local sponsors will be hosting kids fishing tournaments this summer for ages 3-16. The top two from each age group will participate in finals tournament held August 20, 2011. Each individual tournament will include a lunch, trophies, and big and little fish prizes. **There will be a \$2 fee per child to help pay for prizes and lunch.** Registration will start at 7:30 AM and the tournaments will be from 8AM-11AM. For more information contact LCCB at 319-463-7673.

Date

Location

June 4, 2011

Heron Bend Fishing Area

Hwy 61 South of Fort Madison

June 11, 2011

Dallas City, IL

For more information please contact
Harold Northup 217-852-3803

June 18, 2011

**Pollmiller Park
West Point, IA**

July 16, 2011

**Chatfield Park
Keokuk, IA**

Finals

TBA

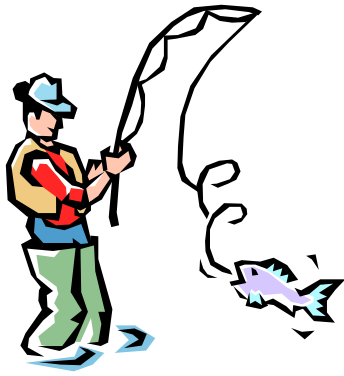
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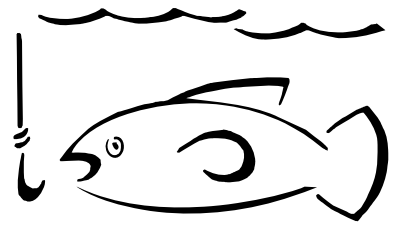
2011 events sponsored by Lee County Conservation Board, Three Rivers Conservation Foundation, Jim Queisner Memorial, Pheasants Forever, Quail Forever, and local business



Three Rivers Conservation Foundation



General Rules



1. Adult supervision is required for all age groups.
2. Registration starts at 7:30 AM. Rules review at 7:50 AM. Participants arriving after the rules review are responsible for obtaining the specific tournament rules from officials. Please arrive early to register and set up.
3. Fishing time is from 8 AM to 11AM.
4. In the event of rain, the rain date is the next day (Sunday) from 1 PM to 4 PM.
5. One pole in the water at a time (contestants can have extras ready).
6. Total weight of all legal fish caught determines the winners.
7. All contestants fish in their age group only.
8. Everyone must stay out of the water at all times.
9. All participants and adult supervisors must show good sportsmanship at all times.
10. Adults are allowed to land fish with a dip net for all ages.
11. Safety officials will decide where fishing is allowed for each age group at the beginning of the tournament.
12. All fisherman and adults are to use caution when casting. Some lures may be banned for safety.
13. No alcohol or tobacco permitted. Do not leave litter at the fishing site.
14. All fish must be caught in a sporting manner.
15. Tournament hours for any or all age groups may be changed at the discretion of the officials.
16. Everyone must make an attempt to keep all fish alive and well. Frequent weigh-ins are encouraged.
17. All bass must be weighed-in immediately after catching and then released Bass may not be taken home, even if legal length.
18. Bass rule may change from each tournament, depending on local rules. Bass considerations will be discussed before each tournament.
19. All game fish that have a legal lake limit will be announced prior to each tournament.
20. Remember to have fun fishing and enjoy your time together.

Age Groups and Specific Rules

Age group is determined by age on the date of the participants first fishing tournament of 2011 and they will remain in that group the entire season.

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| 3-5 A Group | Adults may bait hook, cast line, take fish off hook and control fish after brought to bank. Adults are not allowed to hold pole, set the hook, or reel in fish. |
| 6-9 B Group | Same as above. Adults can encourage this age to cast their own line. |
| 10-12 C Group | Adults can help bait the hook, take fish off the hook, and advise only. |
| 13-16 D Group | Adults may advise and supervise only. |

Warning's and Disqualifications

Safety officials have the right to disqualify contestants for unsafe or unsportsmanlike conduct without warning.

1st offense ~ Warning ~ No penalty

2nd offense ~ Loss of 1 pound or largest fish
(which ever is greater)

3rd offense ~ Disqualification

