

2026 OLD & UGLY RULES



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1) The tournament director is Richard Marlow. All decisions and determination by the tournament director are final.

There are 2 different types of tournaments we will fish this season. The regular 5 fish tournament. And a big fish tournament will be added.

2) Artificial baits only, no live bait.

3) A legal life preserver will be worn when the boat is on a plane.

4) All state regulations will apply for these tournaments.

5) No free fishing. All participants will pay the entry fee.

6) When using the Florida tournament permits all fish have to be released.

7) The Angler that catches the biggest bass of the year while fishing a regular point tournament will win \$50.

8) All tournaments are individual, no teams.

9) Each angler receives points from each tournament that he fishes. The angler with the most points from his or hers best 9 tournaments will become the (Angler Of The Year).

10) Angler of the year will win \$100.

11) The first tournament after the Classic will be the start of the new season.

12) In case of a tie for the Angler of the Year, the Angler with the most total weight of the year will win.

13) Points: Yearly points total shall be taken from the Anglers best nine tournaments. The Angler having the highest cumulative points total will be declared Angler of the year. All ties for the cumulative points will be broken by total weight of the Year (All Tournaments). The winner of each tournament will receive 150 points, 2nd place 149 points, 3rd place 148 points and so on. In the event of a tie in a tournament both angles will receive the points for that place, and the subsequent place will remain vacant. Example: A tie for 3rd place would result in both 3rd place angles receiving 148 points. The next angler behind them would be the 5th place angler and would receive 146 points. Anglers not weighing any fish in will receive one less point than the last place angler with fish.

2026 OLD & UGLY 5 FISH

Tournament Rules



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1) Entry fee is \$40. Pay out is \$12 first place, \$8 second place, \$5 third place, for 20 or more anglers \$2 fourth place, \$10 for most wanted bass and \$5 for the classic.

2) (Most Wanted Bass) consist of seven categories of weight. 0 to 1.99 lbs, 2 to 2.99 lbs, 3 to 3.99 lbs, 4 to 4.99 lbs, 5 to 5.99 lbs, 6 to 6.99 lbs, and 7 lbs and up. Moneys will go into each category.

3) Each angler can enter 5 fish any size that is legal with the state.

4) It will be a 1/4 lb penalty for each dead fish. The penalty will be applied to the individual total weight.

5) Ties: In case of a tie for total weight, the Angler with the biggest fish will win that position. In case of a tie for the most wanted bass the Angler with the most total weight will win that position.

Please read the General Rules

2026 OLD & UGLY BIG FISH

Tournament Rules



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1) Entry fee is \$40. Pay out is \$14 first place, \$8 second place, \$7 third place, \$6 fourth place, and \$5 for the classic.

2) Each angler can enter 2 fish. This makes it possible to win 2 different prizes. You can only bring 2 fish to the scales. Note: Your second big fish can only be used to win another prize and use for a tie breaker.

3) It will be a 1/4 lb penalty for each dead fish. The penalties will be applied toward your biggest fish. Example: If you weigh in 2 dead fish there will be .5 lbs taken from your biggest fish.

4) The Biggest Fish that each angler weighs in will determine the points of the tournament. In case of a tie the weight of the second fish will determine the winner. If both anglers have only 1 fish than a flip of a coin will determine the winner of that position. Note: Both anglers will get the same amount of points.

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2026 OLD & UGLY CLASSIC

Tournament Rules



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- 1) At the end of the year we will have a Classic.
- 2.) To be able to fish the Classic the angler will have to fish or pay to fish at least 9 tournaments and pay \$2.00 for each tournament that he didn't fish.
- 3) Each angler can put in \$20 each for big fish. There will be 2 big fish. Pay out will be 60/40. Note: this is optional.
- 4) During the Classic it will be \$5 to fish for the most wanted bass, the fish has to be 3 lbs or bigger. Note: this is optional.
- 5) The payout for the Classic will be determined by the tournament director.
- 6) The payout for the Angler of the Year, and the Biggest fish of the year will be awarded after the Classic..

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Junior Division 2026 Regulations

Junior Division

1. Eligible to Fish.

A. Anyone fishing the Junior Division that is 15 or younger must fish with a adult angler.

B. Boys must be 15 years old or younger at the beginning of the season.

C. Women and Girls are eligible to fish the Junior Division.

2. Dues.

A. Entry fee for each tournament will be \$ 10.00 per Angler.

3. Prizes.

The winner will win \$15.00 + \$5.00 for each other junior angler that was fishing. Note: You must catch a fish to win anything.

4. Tournament Rules.

A. Each angler can weigh in three Bass of any length. If state law permits.

B. Yearly point total shall be taken from anglers five best point tournaments.

C. The angler having the highest cumulative point total out of his or hers best five or less regular tournaments of the year will be declared the points champion or (Angler of the year Junior Division). All ties in the cumulative year end standings will be broken by season cumulative net weight. The winner of each tournament will receive 25 points, 2nd place 24 points, 3rd place 23 points and so on. In the event of a tie in a tournament both anglers will receive the points for the place they are tied at, and the subsequent place will remain vacant. Example: A tie for 3rd place would result in both 3rd place anglers receiving 23 points. The next angler behind them would be the 5th place angler and would receive 21 points. Anglers not weighing any fish will receive 1 less point than the last place angler with fish. If there is no fish weighed in by any angler each angler will receive 5 points.

D. Tournament Director have full authority over all tournaments. This includes scales, weigh-ins, and grievances his judgment is final.

E. All end of the year ties will be broken by the total net weight of all tournaments fished by the angler.

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