

Beaverdam Park 2009 'Big Bash' 2009 Open Bass Tournaments

Entry Fee: \$30 per boat for Annual Pass holders
\$35 per boat for Non-Pass holders

Maximum of 50 Boats Per Tournament

Tournament Dates

March 21	June 20
April 18	September 19
May 16	
'Big Bash Classic'	October 17

Payout for Qualifying Tournaments

1st Place	\$300	4th Place	\$75
2nd Place	\$200	5th Place	\$50
3rd Place	\$100		

Details

1. All tournaments will be held at Beaverdam Park's main entrance at Route 616 on the dates specified.
2. There will be five consecutive qualifying tournaments followed by the 'Big Bash Classic' in October.
3. The top 20 anglers with the most accumulated weight will be facing off in the 'Big Bash Classic' tournament on October 17.
4. \$1,000 First Place payout for Big Bash Classic tournament.

TOURNAMENT TIMES:

6:00 AM to 3:00 PM

BOAT LAUNCHING BEGINS:

5:00 AM

'Big Bash' Registration Form

Team Captain _____
 Street Address _____
 City/State/Zip _____
 Phone _____
 Partners name _____
 Receipt No. _____
 Tournament Date _____

New contestant? _____ **Please read reverse side and sign.**

Mail entries to: Beaverdam Park 'Big Bash' tournament, 8687 Roaring springs Rd, Gloucester, VA 23061

Mail entries must arrive not later than the Wednesday prior to the Saturday tournament. Make checks payable to: Park Partners Inc.

TOURNAMENT TIMES: 6:00 AM to 3:00 PM
BOAT LAUNCHING BEGINS: 5:00 AM
WEIGH IN: 3:00 PM
AWARD CEREMONY: 4:00 PM
DIRECTOR OF TOURNAMENT: ROY MOON III
INFORMATION: (804) 693-2107 or (804) 694-0921

1. Virginia Boating Regulations will be observed at all times.
2. Functional aerating live well/pumps or aerated cooler systems are required.
3. Tournament water 635-acre Beaverdam Lake. No bank fishing. No fishing next to the ramp.
4. All participants must launch from the Route 616 ramp. WEIGH-IN AT THE ROUTE 616 RAMP ONLY.
5. Creel limit: 5 bass per boat.
6. No fish less than 12 inches will be allowed for weigh in.
7. All fish weighed must be released.
8. Participant's boat must be left in the water until their fish have been removed. Any fish taken from boats that have been removed from the water will be disqualified.
9. There will be no culling at the ramp.
10. Participants weighing in fish caught by someone else will be disqualified.
11. There will be a 4-ounce penalty for each dead fish presented at the scales.
12. All fish found to be in violation of the size limit (less than 12 inches) shall be removed from the scoring. The participant shall be penalized by the additional removal of the largest fish in his/her possession. ONE such remaining fish will be removed for each additional violation.
13. All participants must be at the floating dock by 3:00 PM for weigh-in, no weigh-ins accepted before 12 noon. There is no late penalty; boats arriving after 3 PM will be disqualified.
14. All protests must be submitted in writing to the Tournament Director within 30 minutes after closing the scales.
15. Only two (2) participants per boat.
16. No live bait will be allowed. Artificial lures and pork rind will be permitted. No trolling.
17. Use of electric motors only. All portable gas cans must be left ashore.
18. All participants must have a valid Virginia or Gloucester County freshwater fishing license on their person during the event.
19. As a courtesy, participants are not to come within a normal casting distance of another participant, excluding start and weigh-in.
20. All participants must observe and obey all State law, lake restrictions and boundaries.
21. No underwater video equipment will be permitted during tournament hours.
22. In the event of any cancellation of tournament, due to conditions, etc., contact (804) 693-2107 for information.

Assumption of Risk/Release

In agreeing to participate in the program, as an adult participant or as a parent/guardian for a participant, I and/or the participant do hereby affirm that the general health of the participant is good and that the participant is not adversely affected by exercise and that the participant is capable of performing an activity of this nature.

In consideration of participation in this activity, I and/or the participant do hereby assume all risk of any injury to the participant and will indemnify and hold harmless, from any and all liability, action, cause of actions, claims and demands of every kind of nature whatsoever that I and/or the participant have or which arise of, on, or in connection with my participation in this activity, the county of Gloucester, Virginia, the Gloucester Board of Supervisors, the Gloucester County Department of Parks, Recreation & Tourism, the Gloucester County School Board, and all their officers, agents, employees, staff, volunteers and successors.

It is likewise assumed and agreed that the participant will wear proper clothing and protective equipment during the activity and that it is the responsibility of the participant or parent/guardian to make sure the criteria is met. I grant permission to transport the participant to and from the event when required and hold harmless those assigned to transport, I also agree to allow transportation of the participant to the nearest physician or hospital of medical treatment, and agree to allow for immediate first aid to the injured participant when deemed necessary.

SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____