## 17th Annual LBI Spring Derby Surf Fishing Tournament Official Tournament Rules & Requirements

**STARTS:** Saturday, April 21st, 2018 @ 00:00:01 AM **ENDS:** Sunday, June 24th 2018 @ 6:00:00 PM

Entry Fee: \$20 registration fee for all anglers

**Striped Bass Prizes:** 1st Place 2nd Place 3rd Place

25% Payout 15% Payout 10% Payout

**Bluefish Prizes:** 1st Place 2nd Place 3rd Place

25% Payout 15% Payout 10% Payout

The tournament standings (leader board) is online at www.LBIFT.com

## **LBI Spring Derby Surf Fishing Tournament Rules & Requirements:**

• Register & Weigh-In Only at the Follow Participating Shops:

Captain's Quarters, Long Beach Twp
Fisherman's Headquarters, Ship Bottom
Jingles Bait & Tackle, Beach Haven
Surf City Bait & Tackle, Surf City
P: 856.313.0562
P: 609.494.5739
P: 609.494.2333

- Fish must be caught from the shores of Long Beach Island only; ocean, inlet, bay and jetties. Boat fishing is not permitted.
- Fish must be caught by means of rod and reel in accordance with NJ State and Federal regulations.
- A contestant may only win one cash prize per species.
- From the time that a fish strikes or takes a bait or lure, only the angler may handle the rod reel and/or line.
- Weigh-in at participating shop only during regular store hours. Check with individual shops, hours may vary.
- To weigh in a fish, contestant MUST have their Tournament Registration Form, No exceptions. Lost forms require reregistering for the event at an additional fee of \$20.
- Fish size is based primarily on weight. Should two fish have identical weights, first the length then the girth will be considered. The final tie breaker will be date of catch with the earliest weigh-in time winning.
- Contestants agree to allow the tournament to take and use fish/angler photos for publicity purposes.
- Neither beach conditions nor beach access are guaranteed by Tournament Committee. No Refunds.
- The Tournament Committee will review all signed protests. Anonymous protests will not be considered.
- Weigh Masters have the right to cut open or mark a fish after it has been weighed and may hold a fish for inspection.
- All contestants must register prior to fishing and catch. By registering for this tournament, the angler acknowledges that they know, understand, and agree to follow and abide by these Rules & Requirements set forth herein.
- Tournament Committee may require any contestant submit to a polygraph test. This test must be completed within 15-days of the request without any reservations by the contestant. Failure would automatically eliminate the contestant and their catch; furthermore, forfeiture of any and all prizes and sign-up fees.
- Tournament Committee has the right to eliminate any fish they deem in violation of the Rules & Requirements.
- All Tournament Committee decisions are final.

## **BEST OF LUCK FISHING!!!**

Supported by the Long Beach Island Surf Fishing Classic & the Southern Ocean County Chamber Of Commerce