

M.B.F. Fishing for Boating Safety 14th Annual Tournament
TOURNAMENT HOURS: The lines-in time is 7:00 A.M. Lines-out at 2:00 P.M.

This is a boat/team tournament. No changes are permitted in registered anglers after the conclusion of the Captain's Meeting. All eligible fish must be entered for official weigh-in in the presence of a boat/team representative. Each team/boat will have the opportunity to participate in the Calcutta Contest for an additional \$100.00 per boat for the heaviest qualifying fish.

RULES: Unless otherwise stated, IGFA rules will apply throughout this tournament.

1. All anglers must comply with State of Florida fishing-license regulations.
2. All fish submitted to the tournament weigh master must comply with the current State of Florida regulations applicable to the submitted species.
3. Rod and reel – no hand lines or electric reels allowed. (Yoyo and Spear fishing permitted.)
4. In the event of a tie, the first fish weight will be declared the winner.
5. All fish presented for weigh-in must be fresh, in edible condition and caught during the fishing hours the day of the tournament.
6. Angler must be present at the awards ceremony to win.

CAPTAIN'S MEETING: At least one representative from each team must be present. All anglers and their families are encouraged to attend. The rules of this tournament may be amended verbally or in writing at the time of the meeting. Anglers are responsible for being well informed of all pertaining to tournament. The three heaviest qualifying fish according to the point schedule below will be added up at the highest point total and will win the tournament.

BOUNDARIES: Teams may enter Bahamas.

JUNIOR ANGLER: Junior angler is defined as someone having **15 years of age or younger** on the day of the tournament.

SCORING: Fishing Tournament Scoring System: Point(s) per pound will be awarded to each boat/team/angler for their eligible fish. The three heaviest qualifying fish according to the point schedule below will be added up at the highest point total and win the tournament. All entries must be weighed in at the certified scale at the official weigh-in location – on dock, and in the presence of the boat/team entering them. Any fish may be examined by any means necessary. Team scores will be determined by the highest points as follows:

PELAGIC SPECIES – 1 POINT/LB
RAINBOW RUNNER

MAHI MAHI (DOLPHIN) / WAHOO / TUNA (NO BONITO) / KINGFISH / COBIA / SWORDFISH /

INSHORE SPECIES – 2 POINTS/LB

GROUPER / SNAPPER / AFRICAN POMPAÑO / PERMIT / RED FISH / YELLOW JACK

SPECIAL SPECIES – 3 POINTS/LB

HOGFISH / TILE FISH / TRIPLE TAIL / LOBSTER / LIONFISH / FL. POMPAÑO

WEIGH-IN LEFT OF AMERICAN FLAG: All entries must be weighed in at the certified scale at the official weigh-in location – **Key Biscayne Yacht Club Compass Road (Tune into VHF 16 Channel 69)** and in the presence of the boat/team entering them. The boat/team representative must remain with the fish to verify the weigh-in and sign the weigh-in ticket. Weigh in will officially open at 3:00 PM on the day of the tournament. Only the captain (or a designee) will be allowed at the scale. This angler will be accompanied by a Tournament official and will only be allowed to weigh a maximum of 4 fish. The scales will officially close at 4:00 PM the day of the tournament. All teams/boats are responsible for getting their fish to the weigh station aboard their own boat. In the case of a tie, the boat/team that weighs their fish first will be declared the winner. Awards, food, beverages and festivities will follow the weigh-in.

COMMUNICATIONS: All participating boats should be equipped with a working VHF marine radio. The Tournament Committee will tune In – VHF 16 Channel 69. When arriving and request boat slip, please call Channel 16.

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Don't forget the Calcutta Contest \$100.00 Per Boat (Winner takes all with the biggest fish)

Purchase tickets to win 50/50 Raffle

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PRICE: \$10

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1  \$10⁰⁰

3  \$20⁰⁰

10  \$60⁰⁰

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Fun for the whole family Saturday

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POOL PARTY AND BBQ SOLD HERE**

DOCK PARTY • POOL PARTY

BBQ BUFFET • MUSIC

ADULTS \$30 / CHILDREN \$15

All proceeds go towards the Monica Burguera Foundation boating safety Education