

Bass Invitational Team Event Series

Bites 95

La Crosse Division

Thank you! 2019 Sponsors



Official Entry Form
"Bites 95" 2019

Championship: Sunday October 6th, 2019 Clinton Street Pools 7-8-9

2019 Entry Forms will be accepted starting January 2nd, 2019

A. Boater's Name: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Signature: _____ Email: _____

Boat Registration # _____ Make: _____ Motor: _____

B. Partner's Name: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Signature: _____ Email: _____

**Any questions please call: Jamie Muller (608) 792-3822 Tournament Director
Membership Fee Required \$25 Per Person**

Mail Entries to: Jamie Muller ***** 614 Plainview Road ***** La Crosse Wisconsin *****54603

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Entry Fees: Team events are \$200 per boat. Entries will be accepted by mail up to Thursday morning before tournament with no late fee assessed. Any entries received after that or at landing will be charged an additional \$75 fee for entry. Credit cards may be accepted by phone with an additional 7% fee. Checks returned for non-payment will be assessed a \$50 returned check fee along with a future tournament suspension.

2019 La Crosse Division Tournament Dates

#1: Sunday May 5th, 2019 Clinton Street Pools 7-8-9

#1

#2: Sunday June 16th, 2019 Clinton Street Pools 7-8-9

#2

#3 Sunday July 21st, 2019 Clinton Street Pools 7-8-9

#3

#4 Sunday August 25th, 2019 Clinton Street Pools 7-8-9

#4

#5 Sunday September 15th, 2019 Clinton Street Pools 7-8-9

#5

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Blackhawk Division

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2019 Blackhawk Division Tournament Dates

#1: Sunday May 19th, 2019 Blackhawk Park Pools 8-9-10

#1

#2: Sunday June 23rd, 2019 Blackhawk Park Pools 8-9-10

#2

#3 Sunday July 14th, 2019 Blackhawk Park Pools 8-9-10

#3

#4 Sunday August 4th, 2019 Blackhawk Park Pools 8-9-10

#4

#5 Sunday September 22nd, 2019 Blackhawk Park Pools 8-9-10

#5



Bites 95

Championship 2019

Thank you! All Participants 2019

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Championship

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Sunday October 6th, 2019 Clinton Street Pools 7-8-9

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Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Signature: _____ Email: _____

Boat Registration # _____ Make: _____ Motor: _____

B. Partner's Name: _____ Cell Phone: _____

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Bites "95" Championship Entry Fee & Deadlines

The Bites "95" Team Championship entry fee is \$300 per boat

1. Deadline for entry for the top 30 boats (points) from the La Crosse Division and the top 30 boats (points) from the Blackhawk Division will be Friday September 27th, 2019. Starting Saturday September 28th, 2019 all other boats that fished in 5 tournaments in combination between the La Crosse Division and the Blackhawk Division may fill any open spots up to 60 boats.
2. Deadline for all entries will be Wednesday October 2nd, 2019.
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Please check below how you qualify for the Bites 95 Championship

Top 30 La Crosse Division

Top 30 Blackhawk Division

5 Total Events From Both Divisions

Please Note:

Boat order is determined by total points from the La Crosse Division and or the Blackhawk Division. If your team has fished in all 5 events from both Divisions your highest point accumulation will determine your boat position. Teams that fished in 5 events from one Division will take precedence over a team that fished in a total of 5 events from two Divisions.

Tournament Rules

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1. **RULES:** The following rules for this tournament will be used. These rules will be interpreted by the Tournament Officials and all decisions are final. Any violation of these rules, Department of Conservation or State Water patrol regulations shall be reason for disqualification and possibly from all future events. Failure to read these rules is no excuse. Knowledge of all BITES 95 rules is your responsibility. By signing this entry form we hereby waive our legal venue and agree with all BITES 95 decisions.
2. **ELIGIBILITY:** All individuals, 18 years of age or older unless participating with a parent or guardian, and who have paid the proper entry fees. Entry form must be completely filled out and signed by both contestants. Membership is required to fish BITES 95. Anyone fishing without a membership will be reason for both partners to be disqualified. We reserve the right not to accept any entries we feel are not in the best interest of the tournament culture of BITES 95.
3. **ENTRY FEES:** Team events are \$200 per boat. Entries will be accepted by mail up to Monday before tournament with no late fee. **Any entries received after that or at landing will be charged an additional \$75 fee for entry. Credit cards may be accepted by phone with an additional 7% fee.**
4. **TOURNAMENT HOURS & POOLS:** All boats must check in by 5:00 am for all day tournaments. Hours will be announced in the morning. We reserve the right to assign flights, change hours and tournament dates if necessary.
5. **TAKE-OFF:** Will be in order in which entries are received. The take-off site area will be the official check-out and check-in area.
6. **TEAM:** Teams consist of two members who fish together. If a Team member is unavailable to fish a team member may fish alone.
7. **Tackle & Equipment:** Only artificial lures or baits may be used. All bass must be caught alive on a rod and reel during the tournament hours from a boat in a sporting manner. No Trolling.
8. **BOATS & MOTORS:** Boats 15 feet or longer, with properly working live wells and kill switch. No Air or Duck Boats allowed. No Overpowered boats allowed. All boats must meet B.I.A., U.S. Coast Guard and State Water Regulations.
9. **SAFETY & SPORTSMANSHIP:** Safe boating and fishing practices, must be observed at all times. Life jackets **MUST BE WORN** anytime the combustion motor is running. Kill switches **MUST BE ATTACHED** to driver anytime the combustion motor is running. Each contestant is expected to follow high standards of sportsmanship, courtesy, safety and conservation. No alcoholic beverages, stimulants or depressants allowed in boats. No hole sitting or holding a fishing spot for another fishermen or contestants. Contestants must stay 50 yards of each other while fishing.
10. **LOCK PROCEDURE:** First in first out procedure. The first boat that reaches the lock will enter the lock first and leave the lock first. The same procedure will be used for 2, 3, 4 etc. Failure to follow this procedure could result in disqualification.
11. **PERMITTED FISHING LOCATIONS:** Anywhere on the tournament water except; (1) within 50 yards of another contestants boat; (2) the take-off area inside the announced location at meeting; (3) outside of a contestants boat and no contestants shall leave the boat to land a fish.; (4) No boat may be trailored during the competition. Any rule changes at tournament site will override any written rule.
12. **SCORING:** Largemouth and Smallmouth Bass will be weighed. Only 5 fish per boat may be weighed-in. All fish will be measured on a flat metal keeper board. All fish will be measured with mouth closed and with a pinched or fanned tail. Any short fish presented will cause loss of that fish plus an additional 2 pound penalty. Dead fish will receive a 1 pound penalty per fish and may not be used for a big fish prize. Maximum of 2 dead fish per boat allowed.
13. **WEIGH-IN:** Will begin at the end of tournament hours and announcement is made that scales are open. Weigh-in will conclude 1/2 hour after start of weigh-in or as announced during that day.
14. **PROTESTS:** Must be filed in writing with-in 10 minutes of scales being closed. The Tournament Chairman will handle all protests in a timely manner and the decision made will be final.
15. **TIES:** In the event of a tie, it will be broken by who had the lower boat number.
16. **LATE:** Late is Late and Late boats will be disqualified.
17. **CANCELLATION:** If cancelled due to reason of safety, high water, etc., entry fees will be transferred. **NO REFUNDS.**
18. **Maximum Boat Entries:** No more than 60 boats will be allowed in any tournament.
19. **Fish Release:** All fish must be released from the Team Bass "Bass Taxi" Any contestant that releases there own fish in any other manner will be disqualified and suspended from further Bites "95" events.

Sample Purse Payouts

Place Boats	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
20	\$1,400	\$1,000	\$600	\$400					
25	\$1,600	\$1,100	\$700	\$500	\$350				
30	\$1,800	\$1,200	\$800	\$600	\$400	\$250			
35	\$2,000	\$1,300	\$900	\$700	\$450	\$350	\$250		
40	\$2,300	\$1,400	\$1,000	\$800	\$450	\$350	\$300	\$250	
45	\$2,600	\$1,500	\$1,100	\$900	\$450	\$350	\$300	\$250	\$250

Please Note that the above are sample payouts

Points

Points will be awarded for each tournament starting with 1st Place receiving 100 points, 2nd 99 points, 3rd 98 points etc. Teams that are either late or do not weigh-in will receive 20 points. The yearly points winner will be awarded a minimum of \$500 for the season points championship depending upon sponsorship money. Upon receiving \$3,000 in sponsorship monies the 6 top point leaders will be awarded the following monies. All ties will be broken by total weight.

Place	\$ Payout
1st	\$1,000
2nd	\$600
3rd	\$500
4th	\$400
5th	\$300
6th	\$200

****Please Note****

Yearly points money will be dependent on sponsorship monies collected.



Bites "95" Championship
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Entry Fee \$300 Team

TEAM

A team consists of two members who fish together. The Team is identified by the two members at the beginning of the season that are identified on the entry and have paid 2019 dues.

Qualification Process 2019 Bites "95" Championship

60 Boats Maximum

1. A Team must fish all 5 Division Tournaments. La Crosse Division or Blackhawk Division
2. A Team may have 1 substitute during the 5 Tournament Season. If a Team Member is not available to fish a Team Member may fish alone.
3. Points will be awarded for each Tournament. 100 points for 1st, 99 points for 2nd etc. You must weigh-in each tournament to receive points unless you are late. Teams that are late must identify to the tournament director that they are late and the team will receive 20 points.
4. The top 60 boats will be eligible for the Bites "95" Championship
5. The top 30 boats (points) from the La Crosse Division and the top 30 boats (points) from the Blackhawk division will take precedence.
6. Any team that fished in 5 events in combination from the La Crosse Division or the Blackhawk division will also qualify to fish in the Bites "95" Championship. However, the top 30 boats (points) from each division will take precedence.
7. Deadline for entry for the top 30 boats (points) from the La Crosse Division and the top 30 boats (points) from the Blackhawk Division will be Friday September 27th, 2019. Starting Saturday September 28th, 2019 all other boats that fished in 5 tournaments in combination between the La Crosse Division and the Blackhawk Division may fill any open spots up to 60 boats.
8. Deadline for all entries will be Wednesday October 2nd, 2019.

SPECIAL NOTES:

A Boater may fish with a different partner for every tournament. However, as the rules states above, only 1 substitute is allowed during the 5 tournament season to qualify for the Championship. In the spirit of the "Bites" series a "TEAM" is two members that fish together the entire season. A "TEAM" is not a boater combined with 2, 3, 4 or 5 different partners.