

KEYSTONE BASS BUDDY CIRCUIT

COVID-19 RULES - SAFETY PROTOCOL

To ensure that we are able to protect the health and safety of all participants in the K.B.B.C. tournaments during the Covid-19 Pandemic we are instituting modifications to our tournament procedures. Below is a list of rules and safety protocol that must be followed by all participants at each tournament. We have been instructed by the PA Fish Commission to set up certain safety guidelines, if we fail to follow these rules future permits may be in jeopardy. Please make every effort to adhere to the safety protocol, as we all know we frequently have visits from Fish Commission Officers at our events and if they observe unsafe practices the K.B.B.C. may be in jeopardy of losing our permits.

If you feel sick or ill in any way Do Not Attend the Events - please use your teams alternate. Our greatest concern needs to be the health and well being of our members and their families.

Practice Social Distancing at all times maintain at least 6 feet between yourself and other competitors except for your own team partner. Do not congregate in social groups to chat and catch up with your buddies. When not in your vehicle or on your boat please wear a mask or face covering.

- **All events will be pre-registration only.** There will be no applications or money accepted the morning of the event.
- **Applications and money must be received by the Monday Prior to each event.** Anything after that date will be mailed back to the applicant.
- Anyone that is registered & is concerned for their health will receive a full refund up to 1 week prior to the event.
- All rules to be emailed to the pre-registered teams. There will be no hard copies handed out.
- Morning Check-in will be During boat checks. **DO NOT come to the trailer to check in.**
- There will be no bonus bucks.
- Staff at the trailer, doing boat check and weigh-in must wear mask or face covering.
- No more than 3 people shall be in the trailer and shall only be staff members.
- No soda and water will be in coolers for the staff or competitors.
- 1 Team member to bring fish to the scale and that team member must wear a mask or face covering and follow the instruction provide by the weigh team.
- Cones will be set-up 6' apart during weigh-in. When in line you must stay at your cone and move when the person in front of you moves. (Practice social distancing)
- Weigh Slips will not be handed out. They will be printed and filed in the trailer.
- Everyone must practice social distancing through all stages of the events. This includes, prior to the event, during weigh-in and during the awards.
- Winners Plaques, Checks, and Sponsor prizes will be handed out in a manor to prevent close contact between staff and participants.
- No group pictures.

Thank you for your cooperation.