

**Notice:** Completion of this form is required pursuant to ss. 29.403(1g), Wis. Stats., and NR 20.40 (3s), Wis. Admin. Code to register fishing tournaments that do not require a permit as determined under s. NR 20.40 (3) and (3m), Wis. Admin. Code. Failure to properly register a tournament may result in enforcement action. Personal information collected on this form will be used for fishing tournament and program administration. Information may be made available to requesters under Wisconsin's Public Records laws (ss. 19.32-19.39, Wis. Stats.) and requirements. All fields are mandatory unless otherwise noted.

## Instructions

This registration form should be completed by the organizers of fishing tournaments that do not otherwise require a permit. This includes tournaments that are statewide/regional in nature, tournaments that are seasonal or that continue for more than 4 days and do not require participants to register in advance, or tournaments where all of the following apply to each event:

- Fewer than 100 participants
- Fewer than 20 boats
- Prize value under \$10,000
- There is not an off-site weigh-in
- It is not a trout tournament on a trout stream, and
- Participants cannot cull

If any of the above do not apply, the tournament organizer must apply for a tournament permit.

Organizers of series of tournaments that do not require a permit may submit one registration for an entire series.

In lieu of this paper form, organizers may submit an online version of this form available on the DNR Fishing Tournaments webpage. The online system allows users to set up an account, access submitted registrations and receive instant confirmations.

If using this paper form, organizers should complete it and mail it to the address below so that it arrives at least 72 hours prior to the start of your event. Once received, your tournament is automatically registered and you may proceed with the event. You may call the DNR Fisheries Management permitting coordinator at (608) 218-0803 if you would like to confirm that your registration has been received.

FISHING TOURNAMENT APPLICATIONS - FH/4  
WISCONSIN DNR  
PO BOX 7921  
MADISON, WI 53707-7921

## Tournament Organizer (Contact Person)

Organizer Name - Last \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (include area code) \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Host Organization/Club Name (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

## Event Information

### General Information and Tournament Type

Tournament Name \_\_\_\_\_

Ice fishing Tournament? Yes ☐ No ☐

Expected number of participants \_\_\_\_\_ Expected number of boats (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

### Target fish species (check all that apply)

All species ☐ Largemouth Bass ☐ Smallmouth Bass ☐

Walleye ☐ Muskellunge ☐ Northern Pike ☐ Panfish ☐

Other ☐ - please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

### Waterbody or Waterbodies to be fished

If your tournament is statewide or regional in nature, with no specific waterbodies identified, check here ☐

Otherwise, complete the waterbody information below:

Waterbody where primary fishing occurs: \_\_\_\_\_

County of primary waterbody: \_\_\_\_\_

If participants may fish other specified waterbodies (e.g., some connected lakes) according to the rules of your tournament, please list those waterbody names and their counties:

Weigh-in Location(s) (if applicable – list the name, address, or coordinates for all locations):

Access Location(s) (if applicable – list the name, address, or coordinates for all locations):

### Date(s)

If your tournament is continuous (more than 4 days) or seasonal in nature with no specific fishing days and does not require advance participant registration or specific fishing times, check here ☐

Otherwise, complete the date information below. If the event recurs at a regular interval (e.g., every Monday from June 1 through August 31), you can describe the recurrence or list each date.

Date or dates: \_\_\_\_\_