Bisbee's East Cape Offshore Tournament

2008 Tournament Information

August 16, 2008

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Tournament Dates: Tuesday, July 29 – Saturday, August 2, 2008

Tuesday, July 29
Registration 3:00–7:00pm
Captains Meeting 6:00–7:00pm
Welcome Cocktail Party 7:00–9:00pm

Wednesday, July 30
Shotgun Start 7:00am
Fishing Day 1 of 3 .....7:00am–4:00pm
Weigh-In.....7:00am–7:00pm

Thursday, July 31
Shotgun Start..... 7:00am
Fishing Day 2 of 3 ..... 7:00am–4:00pm
Weigh-In 7:00am–7:00pm

Friday, August 1
Shotgun Start..... 7:00am
Fishing Day 3 of 3 ..... 7:00am–4:00pm
Weigh-In 7:00am–7:00pm

Saturday, August 2
Awards Presentation.....7:00–9:30pm

All activities take place at the
Hotel Buena Vista Beach Resort

ENTRY INFORMATION

Important Dates and Times to Remember
Sunday, July 1: Deadline for entry into the Early Bird Drawing.
Friday, July 18: Check payments must be received by this date.
Friday, July 28: Wire transfers must be deposited and confirmed.
Tuesday, July 29: Registration; Captains Meeting starts at 6:00pm.

Entry Application
Teams must complete a 2008 Entry Application. Entry forms can be found on the Bisbee website, www.bisbees.com and may also be requested by calling Tournament Headquarters at 714.393.6107.

Pre-Registration
By Mail: through July 18th
Pre-registered teams must check in during on-site Registration to verify and complete information, sign up anglers, pick up team bags and attend the Captain's Meeting.

Early Bird Drawing NEW FOR 2008
Entries received by July 1st are eligible for the Early Bird Drawing and a chance to win back your $1,200.00 entry fee! The Early Bird Drawing takes place at the Awards Presentation.

Team Contact
The Team Contact is the designated team leader. Any instructions, confirmations or requests for information are sent to this person. Team Contact information must be complete and include a cell or local phone number and email address.

Anglers
There is no limit to the number of anglers per team, but **you must sign up all anglers during Registration**. It does not matter on which day anglers fish. Captains and mates may also be anglers, but must be registered as Anglers. At a minimum, you must provide a First Name, Last Name, City and State for all team participants.

Team Bags
Teams receive merchandise and event tickets for four anglers. Additional tickets and merchandise may be purchased at the event, and after the event merchandise can be purchased on-line at the Bisbee's Sports Store at www.bisbees.com/store.

PAYMENT METHODS & DEADLINES

Fees may be paid by Check, Wire Transfer or Cash in US Dollars only:

- Checks must be received by July 18, 2008
- Wire transfer deposits must be verified by July 28, 2008
- Cash is accepted at any time and is the only form of payment accepted in Mexico. Because of that—FOR YOUR SAFETY—we strongly advise you to pay entry fees before you arrive in Mexico.

Checks
Make checks payable to Black & Blue Tournaments and mail to: Tournament Control, 4611-A Rochester Court NW, Wilson, NC 27896.

Personal checks, business checks, cashier's checks, money orders and wire transfers ARE NOT ACCEPTED during registration. We DO ACCEPT traveler's checks.

Wire Transfer Procedures
Bank of America #0987, 714-973-8495
Account: Black & Blue Tournaments
ABA#: 121000358
Account#: 09875-08933
Have your bank fax confirmation to 775.242.0393

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ENTRY LEVELS AND FEES

Tournament Entry — $1,200
Includes entry into the Tournament Award (Top Teams), Top Dorado and Top Tuna Awards.

Optional Daily Categories
There are four optional daily categories. You may enter any or all of the daily categories, but if you enter you must enter for both days. The dailies are awarded to the team that catches the single heaviest qualifying black or blue marlin or the single heaviest qualifying dorado or tuna of the day (Gamefish Daily). You must be entered in the category to win.

- $200 Daily Category-Billfish ($600)
- $500 Daily Category-Billfish ($1,500)
- $1,000 Daily Category-Billfish ($3,000)
- $500 Gamefish Daily Category ($1,500)

Across the Board Entry Fee: $7,800

AWARDS & CASH DISTRIBUTION

Tournament Award (Top Teams)
Awarded to the top three teams based on the heaviest single black or blue marlin weighed.

Top Dorado
Awarded to the team that catches the heaviest dorado. If there is no winner in this category the prize money rolls to the Top Tuna.

Top Tuna
Awarded to the team that catches the heaviest tuna. If there is no winner in this category the prize money rolls to the Top Dorado.

If there are no qualifying Dorado or Tuna weighed, the prize money in these categories rolls to the Top Teams (billfish) category.

CASH AWARD DISTRIBUTION

TOURNAMENT AWARD	NUMBER OF WINNERS		
	3	2	1
1st Place	65.00%	71.25%	100.00%
2nd Place	22.50%	28.75%	
3rd Place	12.50%		
TOP DORADO			
1st Place	100.00%		
If there is no winner money rolls to top tuna.			
TOP TUNA			
1st Place	100.00%		
If there is no winner money rolls to top dorado.			

Optional Daily Categories
Awards are based on Optional Daily Category entry fees with a ninety percent return. The amount allocated to cash awards is split evenly between the three days of competition.

Billfish Jackpots
Of the amount allocated to billfish jackpot cash awards for any particular day, one hundred percent is awarded to the team that catches the heaviest qualifying black or blue marlin of the day that is also entered in the daily category.

For example: Team A is entered in the $500 Daily Category only. Team B is entered in the Daily Categories across the board. Team A catches the heaviest fish of the day, Team B catches the second heaviest fish of the day. Team A would win all of the cash for that day in the $500 Daily Category only. Team B would win all of the cash for that day in the $200 and $1,000 Daily Categories.

If there is no winner on a particular day the prize money for that day rolls to the following day, unless it is the last day of the tournament in which case it rolls backwards to the largest fish caught in the category.

Gamefish Jackpots
The Gamefish Daily is first split 50/50 between the two species. Then, of the amount allocated to the dorado cash awards for any particular day, one hundred percent is awarded to the team that catches the heaviest qualifying dorado of the day and, of the amount allocated to the tuna cash awards, one hundred percent is awarded to the team that catches the heaviest qualifying tuna of the day. You must be entered in the Gamefish Daily to win.

If there is no winner on a particular day the prize money for that day rolls to the following day, unless it is the last day of the tournament in which case it rolls backwards to the largest fish caught in the category.

If there are no qualifying fish caught of a particular species throughout the entire tournament, the money for that species rolls to the other species on a day by day basis.

For example, if a qualifying dorado is caught every day, but no qualifying tuna are caught at all, the day 1 tuna jackpot money rolls to the day 1 dorado, the day 2 tuna jackpot money rolls to the day 2 dorado and the day 3 tuna jackpot money rolls to the day 3 dorado.

OTHER TOURNAMENT AWARDS

Top Release Teams
Awarded to the top three teams that accumulate the most billfish release points. This is a trophy category—no cash is awarded.

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