



17TH ANNUAL SALTY DOG SALTWATER FISHING TOURNAMENT

JUNE 22-23, 2012

Paw's & Taw's Convention Center in Fulton, Texas

Early entry fee: \$35.00 per fisherman Late entry fee: \$45.00 after June 11

Early Entrants: Eligible to fish tournament, automatically entered into stringer scramble and spot pot, eligible for participant gift and cap, receive Friday night meal and Saturday meal.

Late Entrants: Eligible to fish tournament, receive Friday night meal and Saturday meal. Late entries are not eligible for participant gift and cap or stringer scramble.

PRIZE CATEGORIES



1st- 10th Place

Heaviest Speckled Trout
Heaviest Redfish
Heaviest Speckled Trout Stringer
Heaviest Redfish Stringer

1st- 3rd Place

Heaviest Flounder
Heaviest Black Drum
Heaviest Hardhead

Spot Pot

1st 60%
2nd 40%

Stringer Scramble

1st \$300/team member
2nd \$200/team member
3rd \$100/team member

EVENTS

Friday, June 22, 7 p.m.

Get-together/Sausage Dinner at Paw's & Taw's Convention Center
Review Rules and Regulations
Stringer Scramble/Calcutta bidding

Saturday, June 23

5 a.m.: fishing begins

4:30 p.m.: weigh-in begins at Recreation Center, must obtain weigh ticket prior to 5:30 p.m. to weigh your fish.

5:30 p.m.: dinner will be at the Recreation Center

Awards presentation immediately after weigh-in results are verified (Category winners need not be present to claim awards but must be present to win raffle prizes).

2012 Salty Dog Grand Prize raffle:

**Two day guided fishing trip for three people with Hackberry Rod and Gun
on Lake Calcasieu, Hackberry, LA valued at \$2650.00**

Raffle tickets can be purchased at the Friday and Saturday events.

Drawing for raffle prizes will be held at the end of the awards ceremony. **You must be present to win.**

THIS IS NOT A COMPANY-SPONSORED EVENT.



RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1) State of Texas game fishing laws and regulations will apply to all entrants.
- 2) Winners to be determined by weight. The tournament scale used at the weigh-in is the official scale. In case of a tie in weight, the first to weigh-in wins.
- 3) Up to 3 redfish can be weighed. **No oversized redfish allowed.**
- 4) Entrants can win in only one prize category. Winners will be determined by highest placing in any eligible category. In addition to winning one prize category, an entrant may win one or more of the following; Stringer Scramble, Calcutta, Spot Pot, Salty Dog Champion prizes.
- 5) Fish must be caught by rod and reel only.
- 6) No sharing of catches allowed. Each fish will be measured and marked at weigh-in. Illegal fish will be disqualified.
- 7) Fish may be iced down. No gutted, gilled, or mutilated fish will be weighed in. Cloudy eyes or pink gilled fish will not be accepted. Tournament reserves right to inspect any suspicious catch inside or out.
- 8) All boat occupants must be entered in the tournament.
- 9) All entrants **MUST** sign the liability waiver to be eligible to fish.
- 10) Tournament scale to be used for official weigh-in ONLY. Each fisherman must have his/her individual catch ready for weigh-in. Stringers or other attached items shall be removed by entrant. Tournament scale will not be used to cull fish.
- 11) Tournament will immediately penalize, up to disqualification; any participants suspected of breaking tournament rules.
- 12) In case of bad weather, tournament will be rescheduled. No refunds given on entries after **June 11**.
- 13) Salty Dog highly recommends that every fisherman attend Friday night rules meeting to be aware of any discussions or change to rules above.
- 14) Weigh-in deadline is 5:30 p.m. at tournament headquarters. Must obtain weigh-in ticket prior to 5:30 p.m. to weigh fish.
- 15) Tournament is open to all employees (both current and retired), sponsors, volunteer staff, and employees' immediate family. Immediate family includes: parents, siblings (brother or sister), step-parents, step children, spouses and in-laws. Each employee, sponsor and staffer can have a maximum of 2 (two) guests in addition to immediate family. Guests include cousins, uncles, aunts, grandparents, and other unrelated friends are considered guests. All employees, sponsors and staff's family and guests must be listed on entry form with relation noted, or entry will be void.
- 16) No professional guides, ex-guides or commercial fishermen allowed.
- 17) Protests/complaints must be submitted to tournament committee before the end of the awards presentation. Committee has final say.

Information:	Tournament Chairman:	Larry Dolgner	361.564.8920 (C)	361.572.3915 (H)
	Tournament Co-Chairman:	Ron Chaney	361.318.3429 (C)	
	Tournament Director:	Rick Zapalac		



SALTY DOG ENTRY FORM

Employees will be verified from CNP email database.

List all participants. Include yourself as well as all non-participants eating meals.	Employee	Sibling (brother/sister)	Spouse	Parent	Sponsor	Staff	Guest (maximum of 2)	Children		Entry Amount (\$35 early, \$45 late) Includes entry into spot pot	Non-participant meal (\$5 each)	Total
Example: Salty John	1									\$35		\$35
John Doe							1			\$35		\$35
Jane Doe				1							\$5	\$5
										Total amount enclosed \$75		
Totals:												

Total Attendees: _____

Total Amount Enclosed: _____

Return check (payable to **CNP Salty Dog Fishing Tournament**) with entry form to: Kim Davis
 CenterPoint Energy
 P.O. Box 1700 Suite 3343
 Houston, TX 77251
 Kim.davis@centerpointenergy.com
 Fax (713) 207-9892

All entrants MUST sign the liability waiver on the following page to be eligible to fish.



Salty Dog Saltwater Fishing Tournament Liability Waiver Form

By entering the Salty Dog Saltwater Fishing Tournament, I hereby waive all liability claims against tournament sponsors, hosts, officials and all parties associated with said tournament. I will abide to all federal, state and tournament rules and realize my immediate disqualification for infractions of tournament rules without refund.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

RETURN TO:

Kim Davis
CenterPoint Energy
P.O. Box 1700 Suite 3343
Houston, TX 77251
Kim.davis@centerpointenergy.com
Fax (713) 207-9892



**17TH ANNUAL
SALTY DOG SALTWATER FISHING TOURNAMENT**



**June 22-23, 2012
Paw's & Taw's Convention Center, Fulton/Rockport, Texas**

SPONSORSHIPS

Top Dog (\$2,500+)

Entry fees waived for up to 6 fishermen, Salty Dog web linked advertising,
individual logo recognition at headquarters, large logo on all posters.
6 sponsorship caps

Big Dog (\$1,500+)

Entry fees waived for up to 4 fishermen, Salty Dog web linked advertising,
individual logo recognition at headquarters, medium logo on all posters.
5 sponsorship caps

Yard Dog (\$1,000+)

Entry fees waived for up to 2 fishermen, Salty Dog web linked advertising,
medium logo on all posters, 4 sponsorship caps

Porch Dog (\$500+)

Entry fees waived for up to 2 fishermen, Salty Dog web linked advertising,
small logo on all posters, 3 sponsorship caps

SPONSORSHIP FORM

Company name: _____

Contact: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Email: _____

Sponsorship amount: \$ _____

Merchandise donation: \$ _____ Value of Merchandise: \$ _____

Make check payable to: **CNP Salty Dog Fishing Tournament**

Mail to: Kim Davis
CenterPoint Energy
P.O. Box 1700, Suite 3343
Houston, TX 77251
Kim.davis@centerpointenergy.com or fax (713) 207-9892

For more information, contact Ron Chaney at Ronald.Chaney@CenterPointEnergy.com or 361.318.3429.