

**Desplanes River
Channahon, IL**

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United For Better Bass Fishing



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Anglers Dream 2017

Division # 22

Director, Steve Morrison 708-224-5450 - Bob Rourke 708-516-9227

Two Man Team Bass Tournament Trail

Entry Fee \$125

Optional Big Bass \$10

Yearly Membership \$40



Tournament of Champions
\$10,000
First Prize
September 23 & 24



6 Qualifying Events

- October 16, 2016 - Desplanes River - Big Basin Marina- Channahon, IL
- November 13, 2016 - Desplanes River - Big Basin Marina- Channahon, IL
- December 11, 2016 - Desplanes River - Big Basin Marina- Channahon, IL
- February 18, 2017 -Desplanes River - Big Basin Marina- Channahon, IL
- March 4, 2017 - Desplanes River - Big Basin Marina- Channahon, IL
- March 18, 2017 - Desplanes River - Big Basin Marina- Channahon, IL
- April 1, 2017 Desplanes River - Big Basin Marina- Channahon, IL
- TBA - 2017 Tournament of Champions - Mississippi River, Pool 8 , LaCrosse Wil

Schedule of Events

On Site Pay Back Schedule

One Hour Prior to Take Off - Check-in and mandatory registration at the designated site.

1st Place \$1025	2nd Place \$390	3rd Place \$290
4th Place \$220	5th Place \$195	6th Place \$165
7th Place \$150	8th Place \$145	9th Place \$145

15 Minutes prior to Take Off - Mandatory Pre Tournament rules meeting and drawing for starting positions.

Based on a 30 Boat Field

Tournament of Champions Payback

First Safe Light - Ooze off from the official check point by boat number. Approximately 10 second intervals.

1st Place \$10,000	2nd Place \$3,500	3rd Place \$2,000
4th Place \$1,500	5th Place \$1,350	6th Place \$1,200
7th Place \$1,100	8th Place \$1050	9th Place \$1,025
10th Place \$1,000	11th Place \$900	12th Place \$800
13th & 14th Place \$700	15th & 16th Place \$600	
17th thru 20th Place \$500		

8 Hours after Take Off - Check in at official designated location.

(Payback based on 10 boats per qualifying & 100 entries)

Official 2016 Anglers Dream Division 22 Entry Form

Team Number 17

ENTRY FEE \$125
Membership \$40

Team Number 17

NAME: _____

PLEASE PRINT

NAME: _____

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ADDRESS: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

EMAIL: _____

EMAIL: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

1. Having read the official rules and regulations and completed the above entry form, I/we agree to abide by all the conditions stated therein. We also agree to assume all applicable taxes.
2. LIABILITY RELEASE: In signing this agreement, we hereby release Anglers Dream LLC., their agents, employees and sponsors from any and all damages, claims, demands cost of expenses relating to injury of any property which we may sustain or which we may cause by reason of participating in or in connection with this tournament.
3. VERIFICATION OF LIABILITY INSURANCE: We further state that we maintain current liability insurance on the boat we will use in this event.
4. We signify by our signatures above that we have read the understood the agreements numbered 1, 2 and 3 above.

Please Check Appropriate Box Below

Membership per Member \$40 () Per 2 man Team \$80
Oct 16 \$125 () Nov 13 \$125 () Dec 11 \$125 ()
Feb 18 \$125 () Mar 4 \$125 () Mar 18 \$125 ()
Apr. 1 \$125 () Open Tournament

Amount Paid \$ _____

Method of Payment

On Site Day of Event Cash Only ()
Pre Event Payment - Must be received 7 days in advance
Check () Money Order ()

Make check payable and Mail Entry Form to: Anglers Dream LLC., PO Box 1201, Hammond, IN 46325 - 1201. Phone Number 219-512-6581

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2017 Anglers Dream Tournament Rules

1. **SAFETY:** Safe boating conduct must be observed at all times. Each competitor is required to wear a Coast Guard approved life preserver whenever the combustion engine is operating. All boats must be equipped with an ignition kill switch. A lanyard is to be attached to the boat kill switch and operator any time the combustion engine is operating.
2. **SPORTSMANSHIP:** Tournament competitors are expected to adhere to high standards of sportsmanship, courtesy, safety and conservation. Any infraction of these fundamental sporting principles may be deemed cause for disqualification. Consumption of alcoholic beverages or illegal possession or use of a controlled substance during the tournament or tournament functions will be grounds for disqualification from this event and all further Anglers Dream events. Any contestants cited for a violation of state, marine, fishing or conservation laws will be disqualified.
3. **TACKLE AND EQUIPMENT:** Only artificial lures may be used. (No live or prepared bait will be allowed with the exception of pork strips, rinds, etc.) Commercial fish attractants are allowed. Only one casting or spinning rod, 8' maximum length may be used at any time.
4. **HORSEPOWER REGULATIONS:** Only Boats and Motors that are in compliance with the B.I.A. horsepower rating will be allowed to participate.
5. **BASIC BOAT EQUIPMENT:** Every boat must have all required Coast Guard safety equipment, in addition to a live well properly aerated to adequately maintain a live five bass team limit.
6. **PERMITTED FISHING LOCATIONS:** Fishing on tournament waters is permitted anywhere except those areas designated off limits on the day of the tournament or within 50 yards of another competitor's boat which was first anchored. Competitors may not have any location reserved or saved by either another competitor or non-competitor during the event. All angling must be done from the boat. Contestants may not depart the boat to retrieve a fish. The boat must remain in legal tournament waters on tournament days. Both team members must remain in the boat at all times except in the case of dire emergency.
7. **OFFICIAL CHECK POINT:** There shall be only one (1) official point for check out in the morning and check in for the afternoon. At the time of check out all boats are expected to be within full compliance of the rules.
8. **SCORING:** Tournament standing and final winners shall be determined by the pound and fraction of a pound of each teams catch during the event. Only largemouth, smallmouth and spotted bass will be weighed. All contestants are bound by the prevailing statutes and regulations of the state in which they are participating. All bass must be caught live and conventional sporting manner. Any fish deemed caught foul hooked will not be weighed. At no time shall a team have more than 5 fish in possession during the event. In the event that a team has more fish in their possession than the described limit, tournament officials shall cull the fish starting with the largest fish down to the five fish tournament limit. Culling fish is allowed. No dead fish are to be culled during the event.
9. **DEAD FISH PENALTY:** A penalty of one-half (1/2) of a pound will be deducted for each dead fish brought in at the time of weigh-in.
10. **ELIGIBILITY:** Participation is open to qualified anglers of either sex who are members of Anglers Dream. One member of each team must be eighteen (18) years of age or older. B.A.S.S. elite series and FLW touring professionals are not eligible.
11. **REGISTRATION:** An official Anglers Dream entry form must be filled out and signed by both participants for the Tournament of Champions. At least one (1) member of the team must be present for the registration. Failure to register during the prescribed time shall result in loss of starting position and reassigned to the back of field.
12. **STARTING POSITIONS:** Starting positions will be drawn at the mandatory pre tournament meeting.
13. **SUBSTITUTION:** Each team is allowed 1 substitute per year. A member can fish alone.
14. **PAIRINGS:** This is a "fish with your buddy" tournament. Two anglers per boat. Angling or non-angling guest are not permitted.
15. **PRE-TOURNAMENT PRACTICE:** Practice or Scouting of fish will be allowed up to sunset the day before the event.
16. **Off LIMITS:** There will be no off limits unless the director designates it the day of the tournament.
17. **NO WAKE ZONES:** All no wake zones and areas are NO PASS zones unless the boat being passed is fishing, gives permission to pass, is inoperable.
18. **SHORT FISH PENALTY:** Any fish presented for weigh-in by a contestant that fails to measure the 12" minimum size limit shall not be counted in the days totals. In addition, the largest fish of that days catch for that team shall also be culled.
19. **LATE PENALTY:** Competitors who have not arrived at the appointed time shall be penalized one pound per each minute that they are late. Any team over ten minutes late will lose credit for that days entire catch.
20. **TIES:** Big bass will break total stringer weight ties. Total stringer weight will break big bass ties..
21. **BREAKDOWNS:** In the case of a break down a team can get towed back to the ramp. Prior to the tow the team in the broke down boat must contact the tournament director. Both members of the team in the broke down boat must remain in their boats and cease fishing for the remainder of the day. A team can not change boats during the day and must return in the same boat that they had checked in that morning.
22. **COMPLIANCE:** It shall be the sole responsibility of all entrants to comply with the said rules and regulations.
23. **RULINGS:** The Tournament Director and his designated appointees shall reserve the right for rules interpretations and rulings thereof. Furthermore, the tournament director reserves the right to change dates or sites of any given tournament. Any protest must be in writing, signed by the protestor, and filed within ten minutes after weigh-in. The decision of the tournament officials in all rulings shall be final. Any and all contestants are subject to a truth verification exam (polygraph test), at the discretion of the tournament director or official. Failure to take and successfully complete this test is reason for disqualification and forfeit of all prizes from this and all other Anglers Dream events. All members agree to give Anglers Dream LLC permission to take and publish any photos and/or videos taken during this event.

Tournament of Champions

To qualify for this event two entrants must be designated as a team on the entry forms for the qualifying events that they participated in. A member of a qualified team whose partner can't attend this event can join together with another qualified member to create an eligible team. To qualify a member must enter a minimum of five events during the season and must accumulate 160 or more points in their best five events in any one division. A qualified member can fish alone. The 2017 Tournament of Champions will take place tentatively on Sept. 23rd and Sept. 24 and will be held on Pool 8 of the Mississippi River. Entry fees for the Tournament of Champions will be \$200.

Anglers Dream reserves the right to change the time and/or date of any event do to unsafe conditions or unforeseen circumstances.

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