



RHODE ISLAND

Saltwater Anglers Association



Tournament Entry Form

This part to be completed by MEMBER:

1. Check one: <input type="checkbox"/> BOAT DIVISION <input type="checkbox"/> SHORE DIVISION	2. Check one: <input type="checkbox"/> ADULT MEMBER <input type="checkbox"/> JUNIOR MEMBER	3. Home Phone:	4. Date of Catch / /
5. Member Name (print):		6. Member's Signature	
7. Species	8. Tournament this entry is for (check one): <input type="checkbox"/> Year-Long <input type="checkbox"/> Special (Tournament Name):		

ENTRY MUST BE CALLED IN WITHIN TWENTY-FOUR (24) HOURS OF TIME WEIGHED!

This part to be completed by WEIGHER:

1. Weigh-In Location (tackle shop name)	2. Fish Weight • LBS	3. Date Weighed / /	4. Time Weighed AM PM
5. Weigher's Name (PRINTED)	6. Weigher's Signature		

Instructions:

- EVERY block must be completed. Please PRINT (except for signatures)
- Fish must be weighed on a RISAA certified scale
- White copy to RISAA. Member keeps yellow copy.
- Angler must phone in the entry within 24 hours (401-826-2121) of the weigh-in date/time.
- This entry must be mailed and postmarked within 7 days to: R.I.S.A.A., P.O. Box 1465, Coventry, RI 02816

Fill out COMPLETELY!

Incomplete slips may be rejected.

SPECIAL AND YEARLONG TOURNAMENT RULES

- Only RISAA members in good-standing may enter tournaments.
- All data on the form must be completed for a valid entry. If not, the entry may be voided.
- All fish entered must meet the Rhode Island **recreational** minimum legal size limits and seasons, if any exists.
- There shall be two divisions: Shore and Boat.
- All entries must be weighed on a RISAA certified scale.
- All slips must be signed by the person weighing the entry, as well as the RISAA member entering the fish.
- The angler must call in the entry (401-826-2121) within twenty-four (24) hours of the time weighed.
- This actual entry form must be mailed to the address below, post-marked within seven (7) days of the catch date, OR hand delivered to the Tournaments Committee chairperson within seven (7) days of the catch date.
- Any individual fish may be entered in either a Special Tournament (catch date permitting) or the Yearlong Tournament, but not both.
- The Yearlong Tournament Season officially ends at 7:00 PM on December 31 annually.
- No person shall hold more than one place per species in each division (Boat or Shore) of any tournament at one time.
- Junior members may enter fish in the Junior Division only.
- A member may enter as many entries in all tournaments as they want
- A member who is also a professional charter captain may enter his/her own catch provided the fish was not landed during a trip for hire.
- Any fish entered in any tournament may not be sold.
- Shore anglers must have both feet on "terra firma" (docks/piers acceptable) - personal watercraft may be used to reach shore fishing destination provided the destination is accessible by foot or public transportation.
- Any member may dispute the results of a tournament, but the dispute must be filed with the Tournaments Committee within five (5) days of the end of the tournament. All decisions of the Tournaments Committee are final.
- All **Special Tournaments** (unless otherwise noted) will begin on Friday at 5:00 PM and will end on the last Sunday of the tournament at 7:00 PM. All fish **must be weighed in by 7:00 PM** on the final day of the tournament. Call-in and mail requirements previously mentioned shall apply.

Note: These rules are valid at the time of printing, but subject to change. See www.risaa.org/tournaments/ for complete rules.

ELIGIBLE SPECIES and MINIMUM WEIGHTS

The eligible species for the *Yearlong Tournament* are listed below. ONLY THOSE LISTED ARE ELIGIBLE. **Minimum sizes** shown shall apply for Regular (adult) Members. The minimum sizes for all Junior Member entries shall be the same as the legal Rhode Island recreational minimums.

Black Sea Bass (min 1 lb)	False Albacore (min 5 lbs)	Mahi Mahi (min 6 lbs)	Striped Bass (min 15 lbs)	Tuna (federal min. length)
Bluefish (min 8 lbs)	Fluke (boat -min 2.5 lbs)	Pollock (min 5 lbs)	Tautog (min 3 lbs)	-Albacore
Bonito, Green (min 3 lbs)	Fluke (shore -min 2 lbs)	Scup (min 1 lb)		-Bluefin (no giants)
Cod (min 8 lbs)	Haddock (min 3 lbs)	Shad		-Yellowfin