

BLACK BASS TOURNAMENT PERMIT FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION

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Permit #: BASS-152851

MICHAEL KUNZ 5302 FARM RD 1500 PARIS TX 75460

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Tournament Information

Tournament Name: SKBBC TOHO

Director: MICHAEL KUNZ

Contact Phone: (903) 900-9205

County: OSCEOLA

Is this an overnight tournament? NO

Tournament Details:

TournamentDate	Water Body	Launch Site	Weigh-In Station	Start Time	End	Weigh- In Time
1/28/2023			BIG TOHO MARINA/KISSIMMEE LAKEFRONT PARK	10:00 AM		4:00 PM

Permittee Signature:	Date:

Not valid unless signed. By signature, confirms that all information provided to issue the permit is accurate and complete, and indicates acceptance and understanding of the provisions and conditions listed below. Any false statements or misrepresentations when applying for this permit may result in felony charges and will result in revocation of this permit.

Pursuant to rule 68A-9.002 in the Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), this permit authorizes the above named permittee and the named Black Bass Tournament's participants to temporarily possess fish not meeting applicable size restrictions, provided that the permittee and tournament participants adhere to the following conditions and provisions.

- 1. Tournament participants should adhere to social distancing guidelines while participating in recreational activities, including fishing, as identified in the FAQs issued in conjunction with the Governor's Executive Order 20-112. The 20-112 FAQs can be found here: https://www.flgov.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/Exec-Order-20-112-FAQs-1.pdf Social distancing guidelines for COVID-19 prevention have been issued by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the Department of Health. This will mean spacing out launch and recovery of boats, and appropriate social distancing separation during weigh-in. It is the tournament director's responsibility to ensure that they are following all appropriate coronavirus preventative measures that are issued by the Commission and Federal, State, and Local governments.
- 2. All tournament anglers must have a valid Florida fishing license or be exempted by law from needing one.
- 3. The number of registered anglers fishing during the tournament shall not be less than 6 or the permit will be null and void.
- 4. All fish caught in the tournament are to be handled as stipulated by this permit and are to be live released or disposed of as specified in the application for this permit. Dead fish are not to be culled by a participant and must be a part of the weigh-in.
- 5. The permittee shall maintain a registration list that includes the name, address, and phone number of all participants provided a

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- participant permit for the tournament.
- 6. The permittee or a tournament official shall be present at the weigh-in.
- 7. Each boat will have one or more functioning aerated live well(s). Each live well(s) shall be inspected by the permittee or a tournament official, prior to the tournament's starting time, to ensure live well(s) are operating properly.
- 8. Tournament participants may not possess or weigh-in more than the total daily bag limit for black bass, regardless of the number of weigh-ins. The daily bag limit allowed per angler is five bass per day, unless otherwise restricted by Commission rules or the conditions of this permit.
- 9. All bass will be transported from boats to the weigh-in site in water-filled containers, such as plastic bags. No more than five bass may be transported in one water-filled container. Bass shall not be kept in water-filled containers longer than two (2) minutes prior to and after weigh-in without supplemental aeration and/or water exchange.
- 10. A penalty of at least 0.25 pounds (four ounces) must be imposed on a competitor for each dead fish weighed in.
- 11. The permittee and tournament participants shall not keep or transport to an unpermitted site any black bass caught during the tournament.
- 12. Live and/or dead fish may be retained by Commission biologists for research purposes.
- 13. Fish are to be live released in open water, unless otherwise stipulated in this permit.
- 14. If fish are not immediately released following the weigh-in procedure, weigh-in holding tanks shall meet the following criteria and permittee will conform to the following management practices:
 - a) Each tank shall hold a minimum of 100 gallons of water.
 - b) Each tank shall be equipped with an aeration or air injection system.
 - c) Uniodized salt (rock salt or artificial sea salt) shall be used at a rate of 0.7 oz./gallon of water to provide a concentration of 0.5% as a prophylactic.
 - d) Holding tank water temperature shall be maintained at the ambient water body temperature. Ambient water body temperature will be determined as measured at a depth of three feet within the water body proper on the day of the tournament.
 - e) The number of bass confined shall not exceed a pound of bass per gallon of water.
- 15. Participant Black Bass Exemption permits must be provided to each tournament participant. The names of the participants shall be filled in by the permittee or a tournament official. Any participant in a tournament for which an exemption permit has been issued is required to have a valid participant permit or a copy of the original permit which has been signed by the permittee in his or her possession at all times during the tournament.
- 16. Within 30 days following the tournament, the permittee shall submit a completed tournament activity report.
- 17. Once the tournament weigh-in has begun and up to forty-five (45) minutes following the final weigh-in, one angler holding completed valid exemption cards for himself and a second angler may temporarily possess up to two (2) bag limits to transport bass to open water for release. All efforts shall be made to release fish unharmed or in a manner that does not cause injury or death to the fish.

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