



2016 State Championship

Hosted by Del Rio Chamber of Commerce Schedule of Events

State Championship - Practice Day One

Thursday, February 25

Beginning of Practice - Safelight

During official practice, no boater or non-boater competitor may operate a boat unless that competitor has a documented boat owner's liability insurance of a minimum of \$300,000 (per occurrence) covering the boat being used.

End of Practice - 4:00 pm

All contestants must be off the tournament waters.

State Championship - Final Practice Day

Friday, February 26

Beginning of Practice - Safelight

During official practice, no boater or non-boater competitor may operate a boat unless that competitor has a documented boat owner's liability insurance of a minimum of \$300,000 (per occurrence) covering the boat being used.

End of Practice – 3:00 pm

All contestants must be off the tournament waters.

Registration - 3:00 pm thru 5:00 pm

The registration will be held in the Grand Ballroom located at the Ramada. It is preferred that the entire team, attend registration including alternates. If the entire team is unable to attend registration, at least one team representative must register the team and verify the following required information.





- Verify team member names.
- Verify team member boater, non-boater, and alternate statuses.
- Verify team member cell numbers.
- Pay any and all outstanding club membership dues
- Required Documents (required for each team member, including alternates)
 - a. Texas and Mexico fishing licenses
 - *b.* Boat insurance for all boats being used in the tournament (*minimum of* \$300,000 *in liability per incident*)

Tournament Briefing and Pairing Dinner - 6:15 pm

The tournament briefing and pairing dinner will be held in the Grand Ballroom located at the Ramada. The dinner will be served at 6:30, and the briefing and pairing will follow dinner. There will be a cash bar, where tips are appreciated. **All contestants must be in attendance.**

(Due to National Park rules concerning the collection of monies within National Park borders, t-shirts, caps and raffle tickets will not be sold during each day's weigh-in. All sales will be made during registration and the briefing and pairing dinner. The raffle will still be held at the conclusion of the final day's weigh-in.)

State Championship - Competition Day One

Saturday, February 27

Launch - 7:00 am or safelight

The launch will be held at the Diablo East boat ramp. All contestants must be on the water and in their flights one hour prior to official launch time, no exceptions.

Weigh-In - 3:00 pm

The weigh-in will be held at the Diablo East boat ramp parking lot. The first flight is due in at 3:00 pm. Additional flights will be due in at 30-minute intervals after the first flight.





State Championship – Final Competition Day

Sunday, February 28

Launch - 7:00 am or safelight

The launch will be held at the Diablo East boat ramp. All contestants must be on the water and in their flights one hour prior to official launch time, no exceptions.

Weigh-In - 3:00 pm

The weigh-in will be held at the Diablo East boat ramp parking lot. The first flight is due in at 3:00 pm. Additional flights will be due in at 30-minute intervals after the first flight.

Awards Ceremony – Immediately Following the Weigh-In

Event Locations

Ramada

2101 Veterans Blvd. Del Rio, TX 78840

Diablo East

Take US 90 west from Del Rio and turn right just before crossing Lake Amistad. (*Boat Ramp Fee, \$4 per day, \$10 for a 3-day pass, or \$40 per year*)





Tournament FAQ

Question: Can I use my cell phone during the tournament as a GPS device to locate fish? **Answer**: No, per the rules cell phones may only be used in case of an emergency.

Question: How many teams can my club send to the state championship?

Answer: See rule 2. "Participation and Eligibility" (ii)

Question: Can I use A-rigs (Alabama Rigs) During the tournament?

Answer: Yes.

Question: Is this tournament a pro/am B.A.S.S. Open style tournament? **Answer**: Yes, this State Championship is an individual boater/non-boater "B.A.S.S. Open" style tournament where five (5) boaters and (5) non-boaters will earn berths to the Texas B.A.S.S. Nation State Team, which will compete at the B.A.S.S. Nation Central Regional.

B.A.S.S. Wishes

From the entire Texas B.A.S.S. Nation Board of Directors and Officers, have a safe trip home. May God bless each and every one of you, and congratulations to those contenders still on the qualifying road to the Bassmaster Classic. Good Luck in 2016, and we'll see all of you next year!



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When **YOU**, as a B.A.S.S. Nation member, purchase or own an Alliance rig - Triton and Mercury, **YOU** are eligible for Alliance benefits. Plus, when **YOUR STATE** signs an Alliance agreement **YOU** and **YOUR STATE** receive even more!

CASH & BENEFITS for YOU

Retail Purchase Bonus

\$500 cash rebate from Mercury Apparel package valued at \$250:

2 Triton/Mercury team shirts 1 Triton Hat

Unprecedented Cash Awards Up TO*

\$4,000..... Win B.A.S.S. Nation State Championship

\$4,000..... Win Regional Tournament

\$35,000..... Win B.A.S.S. Nation Championship

\$60,000 Win Bassmaster Classic

\$103,000 IF YOU WIN IT ALL*

State Team Qualifiers

Team Shirts for Championship Major Discounts on Alliance Product

CASH & BENEFITS for YOUR STATE

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Up to \$5,000*. . . . Upon Your State's Exclusive Agreement with the Alliance

Exclusive States Receive Cash for Each Member's Purchase of a Qualifying Alliance Rig.

\$150 . . . 150HP and under

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Boat Package

Alliance Aluminum Boat Package awarded at High School National Championship for winning team.

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State is presented the following upon joining Alliance:

6...Cases Mercury Precision Oil

2...Mercury Props

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PLUS! .. Major Discounts on Alliance Product and Apparel

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