



THE KNEE DEEP CLUB



Presents:

17th ANNUAL HYBRID STRIPED BASS FISHING CONTEST

ON LAKE HOPATCONG
5:00 A.M. -SATURDAY, JULY 12, 2014 UNTIL
12:00 NOON – SUNDAY, JULY 13, 2014

CONTEST RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The contest entry fee is \$20.00 for Knee Deep Club Members and \$25.00 for non-members (\$20 entry + \$5 non-member fee), and must be submitted with the official contest entry form below. The contest will begin at 5:00 A.M. on Saturday, July 12, 2014 and will conclude at 12:00 Noon on Sunday July 13, 2014.
2. Mailed-in entries must be received by the Club on Friday, July 11, 2014, regardless of postmark. In-person entries can be made at the official Knee Deep Contest Weigh Stations until 8:00 A.M., Saturday, July 12, 2014. **No one will be allowed to register after this time. No exceptions.**
3. Cash prizes will be based on an 80% payback of entry fees for the three (3) heaviest hybrid striped bass weighed in for the contest. The anglers catching the 4th, 5th and 6th heaviest Hybrid striped bass will each receive a \$20 gift certificate to the Windlass Restaurant, located at Nolan's Point, Lake Hopatcong. Top finishers will be based on weight and any ties will be broken by which fish was entered first.
4. A contestant may win ONLY ONE PRIZE. If any of the Prizes are not awarded the prize money will go to the clubs stocking fund.
5. **Contestants may enter fish caught in Lake Hopatcong ONLY!** All persons in a boat must be entered in the contest to qualify for prizes. Contestants may fish any part of the contest, you do not have to fish for its entirety. All fish may be weighed-in during normal weigh station hours. Any disputes must be resolved at the time of the weigh-in, and the decision of the Contest Committee will be final and binding! The Weigh Master has the right to retain, cut open or inspect any fish. No fish will be weighed in after 4:00 P.M.
6. The Official Contest Weigh Stations will be DOW'S BOAT RENTAL, Nolan's Point and LAKES END MARINA, Lakeside Blvd., Landing. All entrants must abide by the current N.J. Fishing Laws.

TAKE A KID FISHING

7. A contestant may enter a child 12 years old or under in this contest for a five dollar entry fee. The child with the heaviest fish will win a rod and reel combo. Ties will be broken by the child who weighs in the first fish.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT www.kneedeepclub.org

ENTRY FORM

KNEE DEEP CLUB

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_____ \$20.00 KNEE DEEP CLUB MEMBER ENTRY FEE (Membership No. _____)

_____ \$25.00 NON-MEMBER ENTRY FEE

Include entry form with your check or money order, made payable to:

THE KNEE DEEP CLUB and return to P.O. Box 404, Lake Hopatcong, N.J. 07849.

_____ Check here and enclose an additional \$20.00 if you would like to become a member of the Knee Deep Club.

NAME: _____

STREET/TOWN/ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____

I HAVE READ THE LIABILITY RELEASE ON BACK. SIGNATURE: _____