

ADULT FISHING TOURNAMENT



City of Kyle Parks and Recreation Department Fishing Format & Rules:

- Participants will be issued a wristband and only those with wristbands will be permitted to fish in the lake during this tournament. All spectators **MUST** remain 20 feet away from the water's edge. When the horn sounds for all to start fishing, we start fishing.
- When a qualifying fish has been caught, the participant must bring the live fish to the nearest tournament official. The official will record the fish species, record the time the first fish is caught and the points for the catch.
- Points will be awarded for Qualifying Fish Species (Large-Mouth Bass, Sunfish/Perch & Channel Catfish):
 - 1 point will be awarded for each complete ounce of any qualifying fish caught.
 - All rounding of ounces will rounded DOWN to the whole ounce. Example: A qualifying fish caught weighs in at 2 lbs, 5.9 ounces (37.9 total ounces) will receive a score of 37.
- The time the first qualifying fish weighing more than 1 pound was caught will be the tiebreaker. All other ties will be coin flip.

· Two pole per person maximum, all fishing is from the bank only. No nets permitted. Any participant caught using a non-participant "partner" to cast, land or assist in any way will be disqualified from the tournament and ejected from the park.

. Single-hook only when using or adding bait to hook. No multi-hook rigs and no treble hooks. If using a lure specially designed with multi-hooks and/or treble hooks, no bait may be added to the hooks.

· All battery and fuel-powered vehicles shall remain in the designated parking area.