



What are fishing tournaments?

In general, fishing tournaments consist of competition between fishermen for the capture of one or more specific species in a specific body of water. The space is usually clearly delimited, and includes rivers, lakes or seas, or certain coastal sectors associated with them. The winner of the competition is defined by the weight of the individuals captured by each participant: whoever catches the largest fish in the time set for the tournament, gets the first place.

Participation in fishing competitions can be individual or by teams. In the latter case, each boat receives a score per captured specimen, regardless of specifically which of its members has achieved it. At the end of the period stipulated for the tournament, the winning team is defined based on the total score reached by the team.

Although the competitions are traditionally developed within the community in which the mirror of water is located, in recent years there has begun to be a turnaround in the way of organizing the tournaments. The possibility of keeping fishermen from all over the world in contact through the Internet has led to the creation of new tournaments that comprise different zones of the same region, or even from the same country. In this way, competitors can face each other even if they are not located in the same place during the development of the competition. The regulations must clearly establish the criteria of equivalence between different bodies of water, to ensure fair competition.

The fishing tournaments are carried out following rigorous environmental care regulations. Since the large concentration of fishermen in a limited space can result in over-exploitation of aquaculture resources, the regulations stipulate an assessment of socio-environmental impact, both during the competition and at the end of the competition.

Chigüín Vago Tours as an organizing company concerned about the good performance and lucidity of our tournament, informs them that it is necessary for all participants to strictly adhere to our regulations, since the excellent functioning of this friendly Tournament Saverials, Chinandega 2019, depends on it. mention that any participant who does not abide by these provisions will be disqualified from the tournament.

To participate in the tournament you must be registered, submit to the decisions of the judges appointed by the organizing committee and abide by these fishing regulations in force and the fishing laws that govern our country, as well as the application of the code of responsible fishing ethics.



Motor boats, rowing boats and kayak for fishing will be allowed.

The Casting fishing system, trolling with the following rigging: rods, nylon, rods and free lures in all their sizes. Any type of commercial fishing gear, the use of live or dead bait, harpoon chinchorros and tarrayas is prohibited.

You can fish from the shore or by boat in the case of boats should be a maximum of fishermen that does not exceed the capacity of the boats all must be properly registered by security measure.

The categories are:

1. Greater amount of caught snapper
2. The heaviest snapper
3. Free category

1- In this tournament we will reward the release of protected species such as (roosterfish, sailfish, among others), as well as the use of appropriate techniques for the release of species, taking steps to achieve increasingly sustainable fishing tournaments . The video should clearly show the fisherman, credential and the fish swimming free when released.

2- The Fisherman who achieves the highest score according to the regulation of this category will be named winner, based on the proven releases of the protected species.

3.- The competing fishermen must report to the operator of the weighing table by telephone, the following data every time they are working on any species (this may be when the species has been released):

a) Name of the fisherman, name of the vessel, time when the fish began to work.

b) Position of the boat.

c) Time when the species is released.

4.- In this fishing tournament it is as important to achieve the catches as to verify that they were achieved based on this regulation. This rule is so important that it will be able to invalidate legitimate captures if the hard evidence is not presented as follows: The competing teams must have a digital video camera or cell phone with a camera on board to present the video recordings as proof of the capture; It should be filmed as soon as possible from the moment of the strike, when it is working, when it is placed next to the boat, and especially when the corresponding report is given to the weighing post. The video camera or phone should have enough memory or be clean for efficient filming. It is indis