

# **GOT 2 LOVE IT TEAM BASS TOURNAMENTS OFFICIAL RULES AND REGULATIONS**

**15. STATE LAWS:** Any cited, major infraction of state boating laws that are reported to Tournament Director may result in disqualification. This is to include unsafe boating operations!

**16. LATE PENALTY:** Contestants who fail to check in at the official check-in boat at the appointed time will be penalized at the rate of **1.0 pound per minute** deducted from the total weight of their catch for that day, including any weight to be counted toward a big bass. Any competitor more than fifteen minutes late will lose all credit for that days catch.

**There shall be no excuses for tardiness.**

**17. PROTESTS:** All valid protests will be heard and considered by the tournament director. Any contestant wishing to lodge a protest against another contestant must do so in writing and signed by the protester. Within 15 minutes from completion of the weigh-in.

**18. CHEATING:** A stress test may be given to the 1st place team and (3) other teams to be determined by the Tournament Director. Anyone that is caught cheating will be disqualified from these events and will be ineligible from future Got 2 Love It events!

**19. ENTRY DEADLINE:** The first 100 boats or the Lake or River limit. A confirmation card will be mailed to each team captain when received. There will be a **\$25.00** late fee for entries postmarked after the entry deadline, which is midnight on the Friday prior to event.

**20. INSURANCE:** All boats in **GOT 2 LOVE IT** events must have a minimum of \$100,000.00 liability insurance, and must have upon request, a certificate of proof of insurance in stated amount.

**21. TAKE OFF TIMES:** You must be in the water and ready to go 15 minutes before official take off time. Cut off time will be 15 minutes prior to take off time.

**22. POINT SYSTEM:** We will use a point system! 1<sup>st</sup> place will receive 150 pts; 2<sup>nd</sup> place will receive 149 pts. & so on until there are no points or positions remaining among the anglers that have caught fish.

**23. CLASSIC:** We shall take the Top 50% in the 2010 points standings to a 2 day classic. The Top 5 finishers in the points standings will pay no entry into the classic. All others will pay a \$120.00 entry fee this will also include big bass. There shall be one team drawn at each event that will receive a free entry into the classic. They will be required to pay the \$20.00 classic big bass fee for the classic. You must be present to win the free entry and you must fish all six events to qualify you must also have fished (5) of the (6) events to go to the 2010 Classic. If you have fished all 6 qualifying events, you will have the opportunity to buy your way into the 2010 Classic for \$250.00 plus the \$20.00 classic big bass fee.

**24. CLASSIC LOCATION:** The Classic location will be announced at our last event of the season on **September 12, 2010 at Lake Monroe**. The Classic will be held on **October 2 & 3, 2010**. There will be a 2 day practice period, these 2 days are **September 31 & October 1, 2010**. (Sunrise to Sunset) We will set up room reservations for the 2 Classic days for you. If you inform us that you want them for practice days, we can also make these reservations.

**You will be responsible for payment to the hotel for these reservations.**

**25. CLASSIC FUNDS:** The 2010 Classic funds will consist of 10% of funds collected at each event. Skeeter Boats \$2,000.00 to this years Classic Funds. All classic expenses will be taken from the classic fund.

### **“NEW in 2010”**

Skeeter Boats this season has designated \$5,000.00 in bonus money to Got 2 Love It Bass Tournaments, Inc. Some of the monies will go to Skeeter Boat owners, and some will be awarded to the non-Skeeter owners. The top finishing Skeeter boat owner at each event will win an additional \$300.00 at all 6 qualifying events, with \$500.00 at the Classic. The break down on how this will be paid is posted in this entry form. This is over & above Skeeter Real Money Program. Please take a look at this years payout schedules for more details at [www.got2loveit.com](http://www.got2loveit.com).