# Walleye Circuit PRESENTED BY RONGER'S

\$12,000 First Place Prize • \$350 entry fee per two- or three-member team 100% cash payback • T-shirt for all participants



### Spirit Lake Casino & Resort June 8, 2019

Rules and safety meeting June 7 at 6pm CST.

Contact Annabel at 701-766-1541 ext. 301,
1-866-WAL-EYES or ademarce@spiritlakecasino.com.



# Grand River Casino & Resort

July 13, 2019

Rules and safety meeting July 12 at 7pm CST.

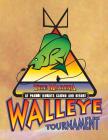
Contact Scott at 1-800-475-3321 ext. 537,
701-455-2597 or sgates@grandrivercasino.com.



## 4 Bears Casino & Lodge August 3, 2019

Rules and safety meeting August 2 at 6pm CST. Contact Ray at 1-800-294-5454 ext. 7617 or Keenan at 1-800-294-5454 ext. 7521.

4 Bears Casino & Lodge will accept online registration only. You can register at 4bearscasino.com.



## Prairie Knights Casino & Resort September 14, 2019

Rules and safety meeting September 13 at 7pm CST.

Contact Dave at 1-800-425-8277 ext. 7743

or Crystal at 1-800-425-8277 ext. 7768.

With a guaranteed \$12,000 first place prize, avid anglers could be reeling in more than just fish at this year's walleye tournaments!

100 three-member teams will fish in each tournament for the bragging rights and cash prizes. The entry fee of \$350 per team puts you in the hunt for the wily walleye, sauger or saugeye.



Overnight accommodations are available at each property.

Contact the casino for more information.

For a complete list of rules, see the back of this flyer.

### 2019 Casino Cup Walleye Circuit Rules

INTERPRETATION OF THESE RULES SHALL BE LEFT EXCLUSIVELY TO THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH TOURNAMENT RULES SHALL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION AND FORFEITURE OF ENTRY FEE. THE DECISION OF THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS SHALL BE FINAL IN ALL MATTERS. ALL RULES HAVE 'LOOPHOLES'. IN THE INTEREST OF GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP, CONTESTANTS ARE REMINDED THAT THE 'SPIRIT OF THE RULE' WILL PREVAIL IN ALL JUDGEMENT CASES.

PARTICIPATION AND ELIGIBILITY: Participation in this tournament is open to anyone accompanied by a teammate 18 years or older. Persons under the age of 18 may fish with his/her parent or guardian. A maximum of three people per boat is permitted. Proof of age is the responsibility of the competitor to the tournament directors. A properly completed and signed official application form and entry fee must be turned in prior to the start of the tournament. ENTRY FEE: Entry fee is \$350.00 per team/boat. Entries may be received all the way up to the rules meeting. Contestants are responsible for any taxes

**SAFETY:** Safe boating conduct MUST be observed at all times by all entrants. All North Dakota boat and water safety guide requirements will apply. Coast Guard approved life vests must be worn anytime the combustion engine is operating above trolling speed, also safety kill switch must be in working order. **DEAD FISH PENALTY:** Any dead fish brought to weigh station will not be weighed at the discretion of the weigh master.

TACKLE AND EQUIPMENT: All legal live bait and legal artificial presentation pursuant to North Dakota fishing guide will be allowed. Depending on the location of each tournament, contestants must possess a valid North Dakota or South Dakota state fishing license. Cellular phones, CB or marine radios are allowed for emergency situations only. They may not be used during the tournament to talk with other boats.

FISHING: Only those fish caught on a hook and line in formal and usual manner during actual tournament fishing will be accepted. Each angler will be allowed two (2) lines in the water at a time. Spare rods/equipment may be carried in the boat. Each boat of three anglers will be allowed twelve (12) walleye, sauger, or saugeye in any combination, but can ONLY weigh six (6). A boat with two anglers will be allowed eight (8) fish and weigh six (6). Once you have chosen your fish and weighed them, you may not make a change. No minimum or maximum length, with the exception of Grand River Casino. At Grand River Casino, each team may weigh six (6) fish, two (2) over 20" and four (4) under 20"

**BOAT INSPECTION:** Each entered boat must be brought to tournament headquarters for verification of cleanliness prior to first launch. In the interest of controlling ANS (Aquatic Nuisance Species) transfer from other lakes, all boats shall be cleaned prior to first launch including: hull, trailers, bilge, and live/bait wells, using a diluted Clorox solution in the live/bait wells only. It will be mandatory for the contestants to ensure that the live/bait wells, boats and trailers are cleaned thoroughly before entering the lake during the tournament. All boats will be inspected before launch and are subject to inspection during the tournament. All equipment will be required to be onboard at that time. Boat launch will be at the Marina/Bay

OFFICIAL CHECKPOINT: Checkpoint will be the designated launch point. CHECK IN: You or one of your partners must check-in and sign the check-in weight slips even if you have caught no fish. Any contestant returning late will be assessed a penalty of one (1) pound of weight per minute late up to 10 minutes maximum. Over 10 minutes will result in disqualification. Failure to check in will result in disqualification.

STARTING TIME: Safety is the only reason that the tournament will be delayed in starting on time. Starting time will be TBD.

LIABILITY: Host Casino, its managers, employees, promoters, tournament directors, sponsors and organizations assisting in the tournament operation, and their agencies, are not responsible for deaths, injuries, damages, liability, theft, fire, or any loss of any kind to entrants. Each entrant, upon signing an entry form, will be signing a waiver form.

TIES: All ties will be resolved by coin toss.

TAKE OFF POSITION: Boat launch will be at the Marina/Bay. Tournament launch will be by flight. Flights will be announced at the rules meeting. All boats are guaranteed eight (8) hours of fishing time unless modified for safety concerns. All teams will check in and out at tournament headquarters. All boats will be required to be trailered and launched at tournament headquarters.

WEATHER CONDITIONS: If conditions change during tournament hours to unsafe conditions, the contestants are required to seek safe shelter until the weather

**EMERGENCIES:** Contestants must remain in the boat at all times except in the case of dire emergencies. In such an emergency, partners may enter another competitor's or rescue boat. In case of an emergency/disabled boat, at least one partner may return (by boat) with the catch by the official check-in time. Above all, the safety of

MANDATORY RULES MEETING: All teams, either pre-registered or not, must be present the evening of the rules meeting. At least one team member must be present for the Rules/Safety briefing

TOURNAMENT POINT & PRIZE SYSTEM: Qualifying points will be given to the team's Captain. At each tournament, the 1st place team receives 300 points. Points decrease by three per place - 2nd place = 297, 3rd place = 294, and so on. The top 25 teams from each tournament will be invited to the Casino Cup. In case the same teams place in the top 25 at all tournaments, a waitlist will also be created. The waitlist will be waited depending on the number of tournaments and the date the entry was received. The team with the most points wins the Casino Cup. The top four teams will split the \$20,000 Casino Cup purse as follows: 1st place = \$10,000, 2nd place = \$5,000, 3rd place = \$3,000, 4th place = \$2,000. \$20,000 purse is based upon all tournaments having full 100-team registration.

**FORT BERTHOLD:** Tribal fishing licenses are required of TAT tribal members 16 years of age and older fishing anywhere within the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation. This applies only to the 4 Bears Tournament.

**JUNE 8, 2019** Spirit Lake Casino & Resort launch is from Spirit Lake Marina. Boundaries are Woods Rutten Road on the east

end and Pelican Lake on the west side

Grand River Casino & Resort launch is from the Bay and the boundaries within Lake Oahe are: north - state line, **JULY 13, 2019** 

south - Highway 212 bridge, west - Grand River bridge. **AUGUST 3, 2019** 4 Bears Casino & Lodge launch is from the 4 Bears Casino

& Lodge Marina and there are no boundaries.

**SEPTEMBER 14, 2019** Prairie Knights Casino & Resort launch is from the Marina and the boundaries are the north point of the

Cannon Ball River and the state line.

WEIGH IN: Spirit Lake Casino & Resort will take place at 3:00pm. Grand River Casino & Resort will take place at a designated area at the Bay. Teams may not weigh in before 2:30pm.

4 Bears Casino & Lodge will have weight scales open all day during the tournament. Teams may weigh their catch at any time. Once a team weighs in for the day, they are done

Prairie Knights Casino & Resort will be at the Marina. Results will be posted in Banquet Room 803. Time TBD at the rules meeting.

2019 Ca	asino Cup	Walleye	Circuit A	pplication	<b>Form</b>
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Feam Captain	Team Member #2	Team Member #3
Name:	Name:	Name:
Address:	_ Address:	_ Address:
City:State:	City:State:	City: State:
Zip: Phone:	Zip:Phone:	Zip:Phone:
Email:	Email:	Email:
Signature:	Signature:	_ Signature:

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