Palace Classic Walleye Tournament Rules

1. Eligibility: Anglers possessing current Montana fishing license and with paid entry is eligible. All contestants must also have signed liability release form to compete.
2. 2. Entry fee: Entry fee is $250.00 for each 2 man team. Children over 6 years old may compete if accompanied by 18 year or older adult.
3. 3. Rules meeting. At least one member of each team must attend one of two rules meetings.
4. First meeting to be at Palace Bar and Lanes in Laurel Mt at 6 pm the Wednesday before tournament. Second meeting to be at Barry’s Landing at 6 pm on Friday night before tournament.
5. Tournament Boundries: All waters of Yellowtail Lake in Montana will be open for Tourn.
6. Inspections.: All boats will be inspected and given that day’s weigh card before tournament starts EACH day.
7. Fishing regulations. All legal means of taking walleye allowed in tournament with a minimum of 14” to be scored. Each team will be allowed to score 5 fish each day and length will be converted to weight. No more than 5 fish in livewell at any one time. All fish MUST be alive to be scored. A dead fish will count as one of team’s 5 total and a zero weight given for that fish. Weigh boats will determine dead or alive fish and weigh boat decision is FINAL.
8. Weigh boats: Numerous weigh boats will be scattered throughout tournament waters for teams to weigh fish at any time during tournament. Locations to be determined at rules meeting.
9. Life jackets will be worn any time big motor is above trolling speed or up on plane. NO EXCEPTIONS
10. Tournament hours: Tournament hours will be from 7:30 am until 3:00pm both days. Teams arriving back late for 3pm cutoff time will be disqualified for that day. No Exceptions!!!!!
11. Team fishing distance: A minimum of 20 ft will be maintained between contestant boats during tournament.
12. Alcohol: For safety reason alcohol not allowed by contestants during tournament hrs. Infractions will mean team disqualification.
13. $10,000 purse guaranteed. Purse to be 100% entry money payback.