



RESTAURANTS

2nd ANNUAL

THE SHACK BIG GAME TROLLING TOURNAMENT

Captains Briefing: Friday, July 29, 2005 6:00 p.m. @ The Shack~Hawaii Kai

Fishing: Saturday, July 30, 2005 6:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Awards Banquet: Sunday, July 31, 2005 12:00 p.m. @ The Shack~Hawaii Kai

Official Entry Form:

Team Name: _____ Boat Name: _____

Make: _____ Length: _____ Color: _____

Engine(s): Single/Twin Gas/Diesel V/H/F? Yes/No C/B? Yes/No

Registration/Documentation NO: _____

Skipper: _____ Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Skipper Address: _____

Cellular/Boat Phone Number: _____

Team Member #2: _____ Address: _____

Team Member #3: _____ Address: _____

Team Member #4: _____ Address: _____

Team Member #5: _____ Address: _____

Team Member #6: _____ Address: _____

Team Member #7: _____ Address: _____

**Two Free T-Shirts or Tank Tops: _____ sm _____ med _____ lg _____ xlg _____ xxlg _____ xxxlg

MOORING REQUEST CONTACT: BRENDAN BURCHFIEL ~ 479-0020

ENTRY FEE ~ \$400.00 (Includes 10% Administrative Fees)

OPTIONALS (\$50.00 per category): _____ LARGEST FISH _____ MARLIN _____ AHI

(10% Operational fee included) _____ MAHIMAHII _____ ONO \$ _____ TOTAL

T-Shirts & Banquet Tickets: Available on a pre-sale basis. Minimal amounts will be available at the Captain's Briefing.

Tank Tops (\$12.00 each): _____ sm _____ med _____ lg _____ xlg _____ xxlg _____ xxxlg T-Shirt(s)

T-Shirts (\$15.00 each): _____ sm _____ med _____ lg _____ xlg _____ xxlg _____ xxxlg Total

Long Sleeve (\$20.00 each): _____ sm _____ med _____ lg _____ xlg _____ xxlg _____ xxxlg \$ _____

Banquet Tickets (\$12.00 each): _____ (quantity) X \$12.00 = \$ _____ TOTAL

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: THE SHACK ~ HAWAII KAI, 377 KEAHOLE STREET,
HON, HI 96825 PHONE: 396-1919
NO REFUNDS GIVEN AFTER ADJORNMENT OF THE CAPTAIN'S BRIEFING MEETING ON
FRIDAY, JULY 29, 2005. ALL TEAMS PRIOR TO ADJORNMENT OF THE MEETING WILL
REQUIRE A SIGNED LIABILITY WAIVER.

For further information please contact: Brendan Burchfiel at 479-0020 or
Fax no. 396-1313

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Waiver and Release Form:

As a participant(s) in the 2nd Annual "THE SHACK BIG GAME TROLLING TOURNAMENT ~ 2005" I agree by signing this waiver to comply with all of the tournament rules and regulations, a copy of which incorporated herein by reference, under which this tournament is held and participate in a safe and orderly manner. I further agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless THE SHACK ~ Hawaii Kai and all its officers, directors, committees, assigns, volunteers and sponsors from and against any claims for injury, including damage to myself, members of my crew, guests, and my boat that may occur while participating in this tournament or while engaging in any activity relating thereto, including a pre-start and post fishing activities.

Skipper's Name (Print)

Phone NO.

Skipper's Signature

Date

Team Member #2 (Print)

Phone NO.

Team Member's Signature

Date

Team Member #3 (Print)

Phone NO.

Team Member's Signature

Date

Team Member #4 (Print)

Phone NO.

Team Member's Signature

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Team Member #5 (Print)

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Team Member #6 (Print)

Phone NO.

Team Member's Signature

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Team Member #7 (Print)

Phone NO.

Team Member's Signature

Date

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Participants

A team may consist of any number of participants including the captain. The base entry fee is \$400.00. All entry fees must be paid by Saturday, July 23, 2005. All entry fees mailed in must be post-marked on Saturday, July 23, 2005. Souvenir Tank Tops are \$12.00 each, T-shirts are \$15.00 each, Long-sleeve are \$20.00 each and Banquet tickets are \$12.00 each.

Applications

Applications must be completed and tournament fees paid in full by adjournment of the mandatory Captain's Briefing meeting held the Friday evening before the tournament. The Tournament Committee reserves the right to refuse entry to any person, boat, or team. **No refunds will be made after adjournment of the meeting.** Entry fees will be accepted on the day of the Captain's Briefing meeting prior to the start of the meeting.

Registration/Briefing

All teams must register via captain or representative between 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. on the day of the Captain's Briefing meeting, and at least one representative of each boat must be in attendance at the meeting. This is the time to learn the rules and understand what to do, and also ask questions. Failure of a team to have a representative present at the meeting may result in a disqualification with no refund given to that team.

Fishing Area

Fishing will begin from Maunalua Bay in Hawaii Kai. Fishing during the tournament will be confined to the grid area only. A copy of the grid is in the Captain's bag. Any participating boat fishing outside the grid area during the tournament will be automatically disqualified from the tournament, along with any previous catch made. The grid area may be reduced to the small craft warning radius if announced by the tournament committee **prior to the start of each fishing day. (Alternate fishing day scheduled for Sunday, July 31, 2005)**

Start Boat/Stop Boat/Check-In

All boats will be required to check in with start boat which will be located at the head buoy. Boats should proceed to the start boat located at the Ewa end of the start area, which is the green entrance buoy. Pass close to the start boat at no-wake speed and display your team number card. Be sure you get and acknowledgment from the start boat. Radio check-in with SHACK BASE is not necessary except for radio check. Stop fishing is at 4:00 p.m. You must be back at the head buoy by 6:00 p.m. to qualify any catch. Stop boat will be located at the head buoy.

Fishing Rules

This tournament is considered jungle rules format. There are no restrictions on line class, length of leader, etc. but anglers must fight the fish in a sporting manner once hooked. Fish must be caught by the use of **artificial lures ONLY**. Teasers and Birds are allowed in conjunction with the lure.

Mutilation

We have modified this rule to accommodate local custom on the care of fish. If the fish is marked by gunshot, prop mark, shark bite, or other exterior blemish, the fish will be considered mutilated and will be disqualified. If the fish is brought aboard and bled as a means to preserve the meat for consumption, the fish will count.

FYI: Potential world records cannot be considered unless a team angles their fish under 100% IGFA rules and submits all gear to the tournament committee for measurement and compliance. Any gear on board the vessel that does not meet IGFA specifications could invalidate a claim for a world record, and the IGFA will disqualify a fish if ANY mutilation is observed (regardless of tournament rules). If you have any intention of submitting claim for a record, we recommend you familiarize yourself with IGFA rules and remove all non-conforming gear prior to the start of fishing.

Weighing and Judging

All fish must be reported to SHACK BASE as soon as any member of the team recognizes a fish is hooked. This requirement is absolutely mandatory. Any fish brought to the scales without calling it in at the time it is identified on the line will not count NO exceptions will be made.

You will be expected to report your catch during radio round-ups. If your radio does not work, call another boat on a cell phone, and have the report relayed into SHACK BASE.

See radio instructions for further information on radio check-ins. Please do not call SHACK BASE on the phone during round-ups or the radio silence period.

Each landed fish must be weighed on the day caught at the official weight scale. Fish hooked and acknowledged by SHACK BASE prior to the stop fishing call at 4:00 p.m. may be fought until lost, or taken, so long as the boat hooking the fish remains in constant communication with SHACK BASE and in at the head buoy by 6:00 p.m.

The following fish, with NO MINIMUM WEIGHTS, will be considered for qualification:

MARLIN (BLACK, BLUE, STRIPE)
AHI/SHIBI
MAHIMAH
ONO

Ties

In the event of a tie between two weighted fish, **the first fish weighed in WINS.**

Prizes

The total Jackpot purse will be at least 100% to the total paid base entries, and additional merchandise prizes will be awarded depending on sponsor wishes. The actual total Jackpot will be announced when all final tallies are in. Cash prizes from the Jackpot will be distributed as follows:

LARGEST FISH	\$10,000.00*
MARLIN ~ 1st Place	\$ 3,584.00*
MARLIN ~ 2nd Place	\$ 2,084.00*
MARLIN ~ 3rd Place	\$ 834.00*
ONO ~ 1st Place	\$ 3,584.00*
ONO ~ 2nd Place	\$ 2,084.00*
ONO ~ 3rd Place	\$ 834.00*
MAHIMAHI ~ 1st Place	\$ 3,584.00*
MAHIMAHI ~ 2nd Place	\$ 2,084.00*
MAHIMAHI ~ 3rd Place	\$ 834.00*
AHI ~ 1st Place	\$ 3,584.00*
AHI ~ 2nd Place	\$ 2,084.00*
AHI ~ 3rd Place	\$ 834.00*

***ALL CASH PRIZE MONEY BASED ON 100 ENTRIES @ \$360.00 PER TEAM**

Money not claimed will be donated to charity.

Place awards and categories are as follows:

LARGEST FISH	1~PLACE
MARLIN	3~PLACES
ONO	3~PLACES
MAHIMAHI	3~PLACES
AHI	3~PLACES

LARGEST FISH: This fish is the largest fish caught on tournament day. This fish qualifies for Largest Fish category ONLY.

If a team has caught multiple fish species, each fish will be eligible to place in each of the five categories listed above.

EXAMPLE: If you have 3 of the largest fish in that category, your 3 fish caught could win all 3 places.

The more fish you catch the more chance you have to win.

Other Merchandise Prizes

Additional random prizes will be awarded based on sponsorship and method determined by the tournament committee.

General

Protest of any catch must be made in writing to the tournament committee by Saturday, July 30, 2005 by 7:00 p.m. The decision of the tournament committee will be final and binding on all participants.

Decisions on any disqualifications may be made by the tournament committee anytime during the tournament up until the presentation of awards.

Further details will be provided and your questions answered at the briefing. ***It is very important that you attend!***

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RADIO INSTRUCTIONS

General

The call sign for the Base Radio Station will be **SHACK BASE**. All boats in the tournament will use their team number and boat name for identification.

Contact People: Brendan Burchfiel @ 479-0020

Radio Channels

VHF channel 85 will be used for primary communications. You may also use a cellular phone to contact SHACK BASE at 396-0476 EXCEPT DURING ROUND-UPS. **CB channel 34** may be used, but range is limited and catch reports may or may not be repeated on CB. All boats should be equipped with VHF radio and one other form of communication for your own safety.

Time

The official time for all tournament functions during fishing will be the time kept at SHACK BASE. It will approximate GPS time. If verification of the time is required, verify it with SHACK BASE.

Round-Up

Round-ups will be held at 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. on fishing day. Fish boated before round-up times may be reported to SHACK BASE but must be reported again and acknowledged at round-up. At each round-up, all boats will report accurately their fishing activity **for the period just passed. Information MUST be transmitted over the radio. If you cannot reach SHACK BASE via VHF or CB, call 396-0476 SHACK BASE to arrange for a relay.** Weigh in slips and fish data are initiated with the information that you supply during the hookups and round-ups. When your team number is called, be prepared to transmit the following information:

1. Your team number
2. The grid area you are reporting from.
3. Number of strikes.
4. Number of fish boated.
5. Species and estimated weight of fish boated.
6. The grid area that the fish was caught.
7. The angler(s) who caught the fish.

(Example: Team 99, area GOLF, 0-0-1, Ono, 35 lbs, caught in foxtrot, angler #5)

Other Reports

For any fish to qualify, it must be reported hooked up and acknowledged by SHACK BASE prior to 4:00 p.m. on that fishing day. If you hook up or boat a fish and you can't get through to SHACK BASE, you can relay your time of hook-up or fish boated and fishing area through other boats. The relaying boat must get acknowledgment from SHACK BASE. Failure to follow this procedure may result in disqualification of the fish.

Silent Period

During the last 15 minutes of the fishing day, all tournament boats will remain off the SHACK BASE channels unless you are reporting a hook-up, a fish boated, or you have an emergency.

After Stop Fishing

All boats must remain in radio contact with SHACK BASE while at sea after 4:00 p.m. so we may stay apprised of your status. If you are fighting a fish after 4:00 p.m., call SHACK BASE when the fish is boated or lost and give your ETA for arrival in port.

Securing in Port

All boats must report secure in harbor prior to 6:00 p.m. to SHACK BASE. You may secure by radio, telephone, or in person. Failure to be acknowledged secure by SHACK BASE may result in disqualification. (SHACK BASE #396-0476)

Weighing your fish does not constitute securing. You must either radio or personally secure with SHACK BASE. **Please remember that reporting secure is a very important safety procedure.** If you do not report secure, the tournament committee will assume you are still out on the water and will go looking for you as if you are in trouble. Please don't make us do that if you are really safe at home.