

# HIGH SCHOOL FISHING

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## FACT SHEET – Louisiana State Championship

Cross Lake, Shreveport, LA

March 24th

Tournament Hotline: (580)765-9031 or (580)716-4261

<p><b>Registration/Rules Meeting</b></p> <p><u>Location:</u> Benton High School 6136 Highway 3, Benton, LA 71006</p> <p><u>Date:</u> March 23th</p> <p><u>Registration Times:</u> 5:30-7pm <b>7pm- Mandatory rules briefing begins. At least one (1) team member <u>MUST</u> attend.</b></p> <p>All anglers must be off the water by 4:00 p.m. on the day of the rules meeting.</p>	<p><b>Launch/Weigh-In</b></p> <p><u>Location:</u> American Legion Ramp 5315 S. Lakeshore Dr, Shreveport LA 71109</p> <p>Take-off will begin at 7am or first safe light.</p> <p>First flight due in at 3pm.</p>	<p><b>Required Safety Equipment</b></p> <p>It is the responsibility of all anglers to have required state and federal safety equipment on board.</p> <p>At time of inspection each morning, be prepared to display 1 life jacket for each participant; 1 throwable PFD; and, demonstrate functioning kill switch.</p> <p>Inspection will be held during lineup for takeoff. Live wells must be empty.</p>
<p><b>Fish Limits</b></p> <p>Fish size: 12" inches and over.</p> <p>Teams are allowed to weigh a limit of five (5) fish per team, per day.</p> <p>Culling a dead fish is not legal.</p> <p>Any fish presented for weigh-in which fails to measure the official length limits shall accrue penalties at the rate of one (1) pound for each non-legal fish plus loss of the fish. An 8 ounce deduction will be made for each fish presented to the bump master for weighing that is determined to be non-releasable.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Please read the NEW 2018 Official High School Fishing Tournament Rules carefully!</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>2018 Rules</u></b></p> <p>“High School anglers participating in the Louisiana High School State Championship at Cross Lake on March 24, 2018 will <b>NOT be required</b> to purchase a Lake Sticker for their boat. From Wednesday, March 21 thru Saturday, March 24 no decal is required. If the Water Patrol Officers on the lake stop you and ask for your decal, you must tell them you are participating in the TBF/SAF High School event and <b>show them your SAF Membership card.</b></p>	<p><b>Boundaries</b></p> <p>Fishing area will be any part of Cross Lake that is accessible by water from the launch site. All other accessible water by boat from tournament launch location shall be open to fishing unless otherwise noted at the Rules Meeting.</p>
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