



\$4,000 Total Prize Money!

Check out the tournament at www.bigcroaker.com

Tappahannock Rotary Andrew Reavis Memorial Croaker Tournament

Dear Fishermen;

Tappahannock Rotary Club invites you to compete in our ninth annual Croaker Tournament on Saturday May 19th. We are retaining the four additional prizes we added last year for a total of \$4,000 in cash prizes. As in previous years, we will operate the Tournament from three locations, the Dock Street ramp in Tappahannock, Garrett's Marina and Tournament Headquarters at June Parker Marina. For your convenience, you may have your prize catch tagged and checked in at Garrett's Marina or the Dock Street ramp and transferred by Rotary Club contest officials to the final weigh-in at June Parker's Marina.

The Tournament is a great way to have a fun day on the Rappahannock River with your friends and support Rotary Club projects in our local community. Mark your calendar for May 19, call your friends, and send in the entry form below with your check for registration and any extra T-shirts desired. The registration fee for 2012 remains \$150 per boat, but is discounted to the 2010 fee of \$125 per boat for registrations postmarked by May 1, 2012. Those registrations postmarked by May 1st will also include one free T-shirt per entry. Additional T-shirts may be ordered on the registration form and are \$15 each. Full tournament rules are on the back of this entry form and additional info and entry forms are available at www.bigcroaker.com

Please check out the new links on the website for fishing and boating information. Weigh-in activities this year will include door prize drawings at the weigh in along with complimentary hotdogs and hamburgers. Pass on the word to your friends and have them join in the fun. May is the prime month for the "big ones" and with your participation we hope to make this a great tournament that also benefits our community! Please check the website and our Facebook page for updates. Have fun and good luck fishing!

Bill Reavis, 2012 Tournament Committee Chair

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Saturday, May 19, 2012 - 7:00 am to 4:30 pm

Largest Croaker Wins

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1st Prize: \$1,500 ~ 2nd Prize: \$1,000 ~ 3rd Prize: \$500 ~ 4th Prize: \$250 ~ 5th Prize: \$150

Youth Angler 16 years or younger : 1st Prize: \$300 ~ 2nd Prize: \$200 ~ 3rd Prize: \$100

Registration Form - Entry Fee \$125 per Boat before May 1 - \$150 after May 1 - one form per boat

Name: _____ Phone: _____ Mobile: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Boat Registration Number: _____ **More Entry forms at: www.bigcroaker.com**

Planned launch site (Check one) : June Parker Garretts Marina Dock Street Tappahannock

T-Shirt size: S M L XL XXL XXXL Total number of shirts ordered: _____

One FREE T-Shirts only if entry is registered by May 1, 2012. Additional T-Shirts are \$15 each - enter quantity and size.

Make checks payable to: Tappahannock Rotary Club, P O Box 2261, Tappahannock, VA 22560

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Tournament Rules

- * Date - May 19, 2012 Rain or Shine
- * Hours - 7:00 am to 4:30 pm. Any fish at weigh-in after 4:30 pm will be disqualified
- * Fishing is only permitted between the bridges at Tappahannock and White Stone
- * All fish must be caught on hook & line
- * You may bring your fish by boat to June Parker Marina located in Tappahannock, or turn in your fish to Rotary Tournament Officials at either Garrett's Marina or the public boat ramp (Moose Lodge) on Hoskins Creek in Tappahannock between the hours of 3 pm and 4 pm and transferred to Tappahannock for weigh-in. No fish will be received after 4 pm for transfer. No fish will be allowed to the weigh-in by any means other than boat by anyone other than Rotary members. Boats must be in the breakwater by 4:00 PM at Garretts or Hoskins Creek and 4:30 PM at June Parker Marina.
- * Your contest number must be displayed on your boat at all times while fishing
- * Only Croakers are eligible for prizes
- * Winning fish will be decided by weight not length
- * State certified scales will be supplied by the Commonwealth of VA.

* Prizes:

Adult Division

1st Place	\$1,500.00
2nd Place	\$1,000.00
3rd Place	\$500.00
4th Place	\$250.00
5th Place	\$150.00

Youth Division-16 years old and under

1st Place	\$300.00
2nd Place	\$200.00
3rd Place	\$100.00

- * Only one prize will be awarded per boat in the adult division
- * In the event of a tie, the winner will be decided by the earliest date of registration. (Determined by postmark)
- * Any deviation from the rules will result in disqualification from the tournament
- * Make certain that your boat is equipped with all of the necessary safety equipment as members of the Department of Game & Inland Fisheries will be on duty
- * The most important thing..... HAVE FUN !!!

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