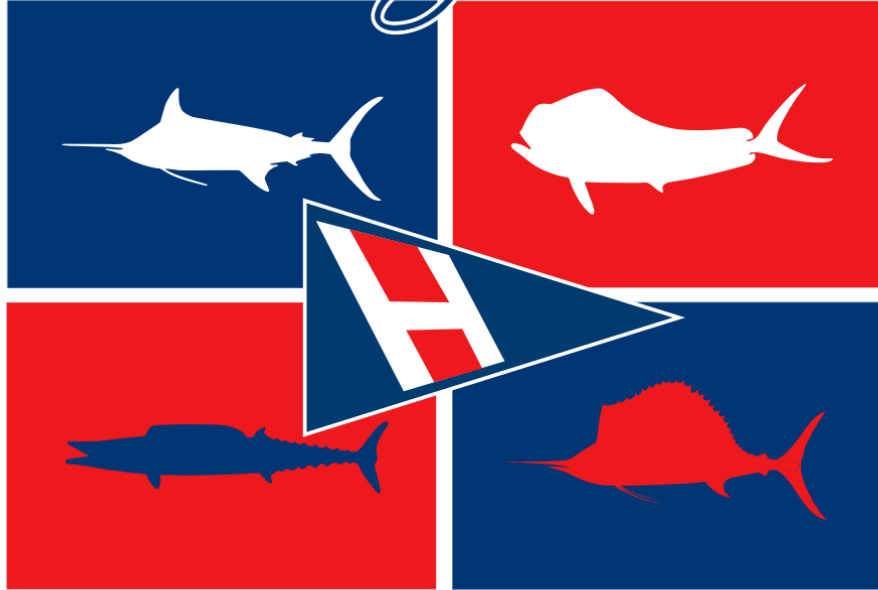


Hobcaw Yacht Club



OFFSHORE CHALLENGE

2018 TOURNAMENT

Choose one or two fish days out of the following dates:

Tuesday May 15th to Friday June 15th

Entry \$200 per day

Captain's meeting May 12nd 6pm at the Wando Room
(Not Mandatory)

All registrations must be in by 5pm May 14th

Awards Party 8p.m. June 15th in the Wando Room

Tournament Director

Tim Gredick tgredick@hmy.com 843-607-7256

Tournament Rules:

1. The tournament is open to any size recreational boats, with no professionally captained charter boats. Each vessel must have a Hobcaw Yacht Club Member registered and fishing aboard.
2. A vessel can enter to fish one or two days between May 15th to June 15th- \$200 per day
3. Captains must text Tim @ 843-607-7256 the night before fishing to confirm their fish day. You can undeclare a fish day by calling Tim no later than 9am on the fish day.
4. Lines in at 8am and lines MUST BE OUT AT 3pm. Official tournament time will be continuous GPS time.
5. All fish must be caught from conventional rod and reel. Both J-Hooks and Circle hooks are allowed, as well as lures and artificial baits. No electric reels, bandit reels or "Green sticking."
6. Weigh in at the Hobcaw Yacht Club by 7:30pm of the fish day. Fish can be brought to scales by boat or vehicle; All fish MUST be weighed at Hobcaw Yacht Club. The angler must be present to weigh his or her fish.
7. All Billfish must be released. A cell phone picture with the leader on the rod tip or in hand with the billfish in view will count as a release. Each billfish species counts as 1 Release. The Release category will be determined by the total amount released or by release time. The time stamp on the picture will determine release time. All release pictures must be emailed to tgedick@hmy.com or texted 843-607-7256 by 8pm of the fish day.
8. Only one fish from each species will be weighed per day of fishing. A Vessel can only claim 1 place in each category per day of fishing. In the event of a tie on weight, the first fish weighed will take the highest place.



Trophy Awards:

Heaviest: Dolphin, Wahoo, Tuna and Most Billfish Released

Youth Angler (14 or younger): Heaviest fish either Dolphin, Wahoo, Kingfish, Tuna, or Most Billfish Released (each billfish will count as 50lbs)

Lady Angler (15 or older) : Heaviest fish either Dolphin, Wahoo, Tuna or Most Billfish Released (each billfish will count as 50lbs)

Entry is \$200 per boat with 100% payout, the Calcutta will be evenly divided among the four categories: Dolphin, Wahoo, Tuna, and Billfish Released

Meat Fish Payout - 50% heaviest, 30% 2nd, 20% 3rd heaviest for all non-billfish categories

Billfish Payout - 50% 1st, 30% 2nd, 20% 3rd total amount of releases

2018 Hobcaw Yacht Club Offshore Challenge Tournament Registration:

Vessel Name: _____

Length and Manufacturer: _____

Member: _____

Email: _____

Cell: _____

Boat Owner (If not the Member) :

Email: _____

Cell: _____

Please Choose: One Fish Day \$200 Two Fish Days \$400

Tournament Entry Fee and Signed Waiver is Due on or before 5pm
May 14th 2018. Captains meeting May 12nd 6pm at the Wando Room
(Not Mandatory)

If you cant make the Captain's meeting, Please send the Tournament
Entry Fee and Signed Waiver along with a check payable to the
Hobcaw Yacht Club and Mail to Tim Gredick 325 Coinbow Dr, Mount
Pleasant, SC 29464

Questions or Concerns: Tim Gredick tgedick@hmy.com 843-607-7256



WAIVER AND RELEASE:

It is expressly understood that all participants enter at their own risk and hereby release, discharge and hold harmless of Hobcaw Yacht Club, its officers, directors, sponsors, owners, volunteers, and employees. All persons connected directly or indirectly with the operation of the Hobcaw Yacht Club Offshore Challenge, whether individual or corporation, shall be exempt from any liability for libel, slander, loss, damage, negligence, harm, injury or death suffered by any participants, entrants, their companions, boat captains, mates, crew members, vessels, and equipment which may occur during the tournament. By registering in the tournament, each Angler consents to the use, without payment or restriction, any photograph, video, TV or sound in which he or she appears for any purpose whatsoever. This release shall also be binding on my heirs, executors, administrators or assigns. By signing this entry form and paying the entry fee, I acknowledge that we have read the rules and the release and are bound by the same.

Boat Owner/ Print Name, Sign and Date:
