



37th Annual Walleye Weekend

Saturday & Sunday, May 4-5, 2019

Register online at www.okobojichamber.com

\$37,000 GRAND PRIZE

for catching one of the 10 specially tagged walleye!

Full Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

IOWA GREAT LAKES WALLEYE WEEKEND TOURNAMENT OFFICIAL RULES

1. **ENTRY:** All contestants, regardless of age, must register and have paid their entry fee prior to the beginning of the contest. Contestants aged 15 years and younger: \$15. Contestants aged 16 years and older: \$25. Make checks payable to the Iowa Great Lakes Area Chamber of Commerce or register online at www.okobojichamber.com. Incomplete entry forms will not be accepted. Entry fees are non-refundable and non-transferable.
2. **TAGGED WALLEYE:** A prize of \$37,000 will be awarded to any registered contestant who paid the entry fee and caught the specially tagged walleye during contest hours. 10 tagged walleye will be released in Big Spirit Lake, East Lake Okoboji, & West Lake Okoboji. If more than 1 specially tagged walleye is caught, the \$37,000 grand prize will be split equally.
3. **LICENSE:** All entrants must comply with the laws of the State of Iowa and have a valid Iowa fishing license.
4. **TACKLE:** All fish must be caught by baited hook and/or artificial lure by mouth. Evidence of any other method will result in the prize or prizes not being awarded.
5. **FISHING AREA:** The specially tagged walleye will be released in Big Spirit Lake, East Lake Okoboji, & West Lake Okoboji. They may be caught in any of the 7 Iowa Great Lakes including Big Spirit Lake, Little Spirit Lake, East Lake Okoboji, West Lake Okoboji, Upper Gar, Lower Gar, and Minnewashta. Fish from these 7 chains of lakes will be accepted at weigh-in stations.
6. **TOURNAMENT FISHING HOURS:** The contest shall commence at 12:01 AM on May 4, 2019 and run continuously until 12:00 PM on May 5, 2019. Weigh-in stations will not weigh contest fish after 12:00 PM on May 5.
7. **OFFICIAL WEIGH STATIONS:** Kabele's Trading Post (504 Hill Ave. in Spirit Lake). Oh Shucks Bait & Tackle (2098 Hwy 86 in Milford). Stan's Bait & Tackle (2306 Okoboji Ave. in Milford). All fish must be alive and caught during tournament hours in previously listed 7 chain of lakes to qualify. All weigh stations have computerized digital scales that are State of Iowa certified.
8. **ADDITIONAL PRIZES:** Heaviest Stringer of (3) Walleye (Under 17 Inches)
 Heaviest Northern Pike
 Heaviest Stringer (5) Panfish (Includes Perch, Crappie, Bluegill, Yellow Bass)
 Heaviest Stringer (10) Bullhead
9. **JUDGES:** The decision of the Iowa Great Lakes Area Chamber CEO shall be final in any and all situations and/or disputes.
10. **THIS RULE & INFORMATION SHEET MUST BE RETAINED BY THE CONTESTANT AS PROOF OF ENTRY AND ELIGIBILITY IN DRAWINGS, SPECIAL PRIZES, & FOR ADMISSION TO THE AWARDS LUNCHEON AT THE DICKINSON COUNTY EXPO IN SPIRIT LAKE.**
11. **CONTEST SPONSORS AND ORGANIZERS ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR INJURY AND/OR ACCIDENTS.**

SUMMER LONG EXTENDED CONTEST

EXTEND YOUR WALLEYE WEEKEND ENTRY AND HAVE FROM MAY 5TH AT 12:01 P.M. THROUGH 11:59 PM ON AUGUST 31, 2019 TO CATCH ANY OF THE 2019 TAGGED WALLEYE FOR CASH PRIZES. EXTENDED CONTEST ENTRY DEADLINE IS 11:59 PM ON FRIDAY, MAY 3RD, 2019.

20% OF THE ENTRY FEES GENERATED FROM THE EXTENDED CONTEST PAID TO THE FIRST TAGGED WALLEYE CAUGHT.

15% OF ENTRY FEES GENERATED FROM THE EXTENDED CONTEST PAID TO THE SECOND TAGGED WALLEYE CAUGHT.

10% OF ENTRY FEES GENERATED FROM THE EXTENDED CONTEST PAID TO THE THIRD TAGGED WALLEYE CAUGHT.

TAGGED WALLEYE CAN BE CONFIRMED AT KABELE'S TRADING POST, OH SHUCKS BAIT & TACKLE, AND STAN'S BAIT & TACKLE. WALLEYE MUST BE RECENTLY CAUGHT AND TAGGED BY THE IOWA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES FOR THE 2019 IOWA GREAT LAKES WALLEYE WEEKEND TOURNAMENT.

COMPLETE THIS PORTION AND RETURN WITH PAYMENT TO:

Incomplete & illegible entries will NOT be registered.

I GL Chamber of Commerce
 PO Box 9 • Arnolds Park, IA 51331

Full Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

ADULT (16 & OLDER) \$25.00 _____

YOUTH (15 & YOUNGER) \$15.00 _____

EXTENDED SUMMER CONTEST \$15.00 _____

ADDITIONAL DONATION \$ _____

(SUPPORTING THE PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATIONS)

TOTAL ENTRY \$ _____

Check this box if you would prefer an entry form to be emailed to you next year



**\$37,000 GRAND PRIZE,
CASH DRAWINGS,
PRIZE PACKAGES,
& MORE**

REGISTER ONLINE AT WWW.OKOBOJICHAMBER.COM

Entry Information Available at:

Fisherman's Factory Outlet: (712) 336-4535
Great Lakes Marine: (712) 336-3822
IGLA Chamber: (712) 332-2107
Kabele's Trading Post: (712) 336-1512
Oh Shuck's Bait & Tackle: (712) 338-2087
Stan's Bait & Tackle: (712) 338-2586

Entry Fees:

Ages 16 & older: \$25
Ages 15 & younger: \$15
* Extended Contest: \$15

Funds raised support the Okoboji Protective Association, Spirit Lake Protective Association, East Okoboji Lakes Improvement Corporation, and Center Lake Protection & Improvement Association.

Kick-off Dinner & Fishing Seminar:

Friday, May 3rd

Register at Great Lakes Marine Services & Sales. *Additional fee required.

www.greatlakesmarineco.com
712-336-3822

Awards Ceremony & Luncheon:

12:00-1:30 PM on SUNDAY, MAY 5TH at Dickinson County Expo Building
Luncheon *FREE* for all registered contestants, \$5 per person for non-registered guests.
Cooked by Dickinson County Cattlemen.

Commemorative T-Shirts available at

or in person over Walleye Weekend!

CHAMBER BUCKS DRAWINGS:

GRAND PRIZE:

The \$37,000 Grand Prize will be awarded for catching one of the 10 tagged Walleye. Prize will be divided equally if multiple Walleye are caught. Winning angler(s) will be subject to a polygraph test. Need not be present at Luncheon to collect winnings.

1st Place: \$500
2nd Place: \$300
3rd Place: \$200

Drawn from all entries. Need not be present at Luncheon to win. Chamber bucks work the same as cash at any IGL Chamber Member businesses. For list, visit www.okobojichamber.com.

VALUABLE DOOR PRIZES:

Prizes provided by area merchants and Chamber Members. Winners drawn from all entries. Must be present at Luncheon to win.

ADDITIONAL PRIZES:

Over \$3,500 in Pure Fishing Brand Tackle. All fish must be weighed in before noon on May 5th.

- Heaviest Stringer (3) Walleye: 1-3 place (under 17")
- Heaviest Northern Pike: 1-3 place
- Heaviest Stringer (5) Panfish: 1-3 place
- Heaviest Stringer (10) Bullhead: 1-3 place
- Charlie Shuck Memorial Award for:
Heaviest Stringer (3) Walleye (under 17") for 1st place

*** Summer Long Extended Contest:**

Extend your entry to have from **12:01 PM on May 5th to 11:59 PM on August 31st** to catch any of the tagged walleye.
20% of entry fees from the extended contest paid for the first tagged Walleye caught.
15% of entry fees from the extended contest paid for the second tagged Walleye caught.
10% of entry fees from the extended contest paid for the third tagged Walleye caught.

QUESTIONS? Contact the IGL Area Chamber at 712-332-2107, kiley@okobojichamber.com, or PO Box 9 • Arnolds Park, IA • 51331

