

# 1st Annual Soul Hunters Rockfish Shootout

December 3, 2016

**Benefiting “Hunters for the Hungry”**

## Official Tournament Rules



- ◆ Entry fees for the tournament are \$50.00 per boat for two anglers. Each additional angler is \$20.00 if registered before 11-27-16. After the deadline the cost is \$65.00 per boat and \$25.00 for additional angler.
- ◆ Children 15 years of age and younger may fish for free with the supervision of their parent or legal guardian.
- ◆ There is no limit of participants per boat as long as they have paid their entry fee. Coast Guard capacities apply.
- ◆ This is a “trailer tournament” meaning you can launch anywhere you desire but you must fish the Albe-marle Sound and its tributary waters.
- ◆ All state, federal, and local laws apply.
- ◆ The anglers meeting will take place at 6:00am on December 3rd at the Soul Hunters shop, behind the Marine Fishery Building. All registered anglers must attend. Bring your boat for a possible inspection.
- ◆ Weigh in will start at 2:30 pm and end at 3:30 pm

## Fishing Rules

- ◆ Each tournament participant may keep their legal limit of fish but each boat may weigh in only two fish. Minimum length is 18” per state law.
- ◆ Fish may be caught using artificial or live bait. The fish must be caught by use of rod and reel.
- ◆ The weight-master will be responsible for the decision upon the legality of each fish weighted-in. The decision of the weight-master is final
- ◆ In the event of a tie, the decision would favor the entrant with the largest fish weighted in.
- ◆ Big Fish Calcutta will be per angler with a \$10.00 entry fee. Each participant will get a tag to identify their fish. Payout will be 100% of the pot to the winning angler.

## Prizes

Cash pay out is based on 50 entrants in the tournament: **First \$500, Second \$300, Third \$200, Fourth \$100.**

The prizes will be adjusted depending on the amount of entrants. Contact **Mike Russell** for more info. (252) 562-3372