

## Payout Breakdown\* from \$150 entry (90%) payback

\$135 of each entry fee is paid back to participants on tournament day

# of Teams	Total Payout	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th
35	4,725	2,145	1,080	650	400	300	150	-	-	-	-	-	-
36	4,860	2,180	1,080	650	500	300	150	-	-	-	-	-	-
37	4,995	2,180	1,075	645	500	295	150	150	-	-	-	-	-
38	5,130	2,180	1,080	650	500	300	270	150	-	-	-	-	-
39	5,265	2,180	1,080	650	550	350	280	175	-	-	-	-	-
40	5,400	2,180	1,075	645	545	350	280	175	150	-	-	-	-
41	5,535	2,255	1,080	650	550	350	300	200	150	-	-	-	-
42	5,670	2,295	1,080	685	550	400	300	210	150	-	-	-	-
43	5,805	2,430	1,080	685	550	400	300	210	150	-	-	-	-
44	5,940	2,430	1,080	685	550	400	350	270	175	-	-	-	-
45	6,075	2,430	1,080	670	550	400	350	270	175	150	-	-	-
46	6,210	2,430	1,150	710	550	400	350	270	200	150	-	-	-
47	6,345	2,430	1,250	745	550	400	350	270	200	150	-	-	-
48	6,480	2,565	1,215	745	550	400	350	280	200	175	-	-	-
49	6,615	2,605	1,310	745	550	400	350	280	200	175	-	-	-
50	6,750	2,605	1,300	725	550	400	350	270	200	200	150	-	-
51	6,885	2,700	1,300	725	550	400	350	300	210	200	150	-	-
52	7,020	2,700	1,350	675	550	485	400	300	210	200	150	-	-

\* Scenario showing 90% payout for # of teams listed. Scenarios showing payouts based on more teams online at [www.charliechainfishing.com](http://www.charliechainfishing.com)

## Membership Application

Annual Membership dues of \$10 per person is required to fish all tournaments

Captain's Name \_\_\_\_\_ SS# \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Ph.# \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Partner's name \_\_\_\_\_ SS# \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Ph.# \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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# Charlie Chain



## Fishing Series

### First 2009 Event

Sunday, April 26, 2009

7:00AM – 3:00PM

### Mandatory Pre-Meeting

Saturday, April 25, 2009

5:00PM

\$150 Entry Fee per Team  
(90% Payback)

### Location

C. Haling & Son's  
26365 W Lotus Rd  
Antioch, IL 60002

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## Participants and Eligibility

1. Contestants must enter as two person teams. Any person 17 years of age or younger must be teamed with a parent or guardian.
2. Registration may be done by mail or in person at C. Haling & Son's Resort any time before a scheduled tournament. Last minute registration fees will be taken between 3:00 pm to 4:45 pm at C. Haling & Son's Resort the night prior to the tournament. A mandatory rules meeting will be held the night prior to each tournament at 5:00 pm (also at Haling's). At least one team member must attend unless prior arrangements have been made with a tournament official due to unforeseen or emergency situations.
3. Entrants will conduct themselves in a true sportsmanlike, courteous, safe and ethical manner when fishing. Crowding other boats, moving in on other contestants or anchoring where a team is obviously fishing can be cause for disqualification for that day.
4. No alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs may be possessed or consumed by contestants during tournament hours.

## Fish and Fishing

5. All state and local rules will be observed; however during the tournament only 2 rods per angler can be used.
6. Teams will be allowed to weigh their best 6 fish with a length of NO LESS than 14" and no more than 2 fish over 24". Remember there is a protected slot limit of 18" - 24".
7. All state/local rules regarding fishing will be observed. Only fish caught on hook and line in a normal and usual manner will be accepted. Live bait and artificial lures are permissible. Entrants must possess a valid Illinois fishing license, or be in accordance with Illinois fishing license regulations. Fishing will take place in Illinois waters only.
8. All fish must be kept and carried in aerated live wells to keep fish alive and as fresh as possible for release. Any fish mauled, mashed, frozen, stringered, injected with water or other fluids containing foreign matter to add weight or showing white gills, soft flesh, may result in disqualification at the discretion of a tournament official.
9. During tournament hours each contestant must wear a U.S. Coast Guard approved personal floatation device when the combustion engine is above idle. All boats must have all state/local/federal required safety equipment aboard and in proper working order.
10. All boats will be inspected prior to take-off. All teams must check in at the end of the tournament day. Contestants who return later than the designated return time will be disqualified for that day. All fishing must be done from a tournament-inspected boat.
11. Pre-tournament fishing is prohibited after 3:00 pm the day before each tournament until the start of the tournament.
12. CB, marine radios, and cell phones are allowed for emergency use ONLY. Any transmission of information via any communicative device concerning any aspect of fishing is prohibited during the tournament. Text messaging and any other form of mobile device "chatting" are also prohibited.

13. Each boat must have a U.S. Coast Guard rating plate attached to the boat by the manufacturer. The horsepower rating must not exceed the rating specified on this plate.
14. In the event of a thunderstorm, lightning and severe weather, contestants may pull into the nearest shoreline until it is safe to continue fishing. Contestants may not leave their boats during tournament hours except at the official weigh-in station or if severe weather forces them ashore.
15. If you are issued a citation by a state or local official for any reason it will result in an automatic disqualification for that day. Any citation not disclosed that day and later discovered, will result in an automatic disqualification for the year.

## Protests

16. The tournament committee, or any team has the right to protest another team. The protest must be submitted with the tournament director within one-half hour after the close of the day's tournament fishing hours. The 1st, 5th, and 10th teams drawn for take-off position will act as the protest committee for that days event if and when required. If one of those teams is involved in the protest, the next take off positions will act as alternates (2nd, 6th and 11th).

## Loopholes

17. All rules have loopholes; the tournament director will make the final decision in any rules interpretation as it relates to the intended spirit of the rule(s).

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## TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM

Deliver in person to C. Haling & Son's (Bar), or mail with \$150 team entry fee payable to Charlie Chain Fishing Series: 1685 Nature's Way, Lindenhurst, IL 60046. Entry forms may be dropped off with entry fee at C. Haling & Sons Resort any time before the scheduled tournament.

Waiver: We the undersigned hereby release the Charlie Chain Fishing Series, its officers, employees, sponsors, advertisers and C. Haling & Sons Resort from any and all injuries, death, damage, liability, theft, fine or any loss during the event. We also agree to comply with all Charlie Chain Fishing Series tournament rules.

**Tournament Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Captain's name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Captain's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Partner's name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Partner's Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

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