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# ALLSTAR ANGLERS

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## What's New for 2009

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### 1<sup>st</sup> Tournament Michigan Waters of Lake Erie

Boundaries for the May 30, Opener begin at the Southern most Pointe of Celeron Island, South.

All Canadian and Ohio Waters are out of bounds.

The East Outer Channel of the Livingstone Channel to the Ohio Line is out of Bounds.

Turtle Island and the Ottawa River are out of Bounds.

The Southern Tip of North Cape, South is out of Bounds.

Boundaries reflect the Michigan Waters of Lake Erie.

Anyone Reported Out Of Bounds will be Disqualified.

### 2009 Points Championship

Place Points are awarded for each of the 6 Tournaments.

100 Points are Awarded for First Place.

A Bonus Point is added for each Fish Weighed Alive.

105 Points is the maximum for a First Place Finish.

Points are assigned by Descending Order.

Position Ties receive the same Point Score.

All Points are assigned to the Team Captain.

*A Cash Bonus Award will go to The Points Champions.*

### To Qualify for the 2009 Points Championship

The Team Captain can assemble a Team of 3 Anglers.

Every Tournament must be fished with a Partner.

Any 2 Anglers on your Team can be selected to Fish.

This will enable everyone to share costs and equipment.

All Points will be Awarded to the Team Captain.

A Cash Bonus Award will go to the Team

with the most points at the end of the season.

There will be no Membership or Team Fees.

### Lockeman's Hardware and Boats, Inc.

Big Bass Award

The Biggest Bass weighed-in Alive over the Entire Season, will receive a Cash Bonus Award.

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## Rule Change

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### Tournament Rules

Everyone who participates in a Bass Tournament needs to read and Interpret all the rules. If there are Tournament

Rules that you question be sure you contact the Tournament Director ahead of time and get any necessary clarification. Any given Tournament will have a variety of

Rules. Be sure you know what violations lead to Disqualification. Know what Penalties can be imposed for being late to weigh-In, having a Dead or Short Fish.

Be aware of any infractions dealing with Creel Limits, Culling, Sportsmanship, or any Equipment Issues.

Know when and how to enter a proper Protest.

While I firmly believe that no 1 person owns a spot.

I do feel justified to protect a Team who arrives to a Fishing Spot First. This has been a re-occurring problem which I would like to prevent. This is why

I have Updated Rule # 8 PERMITTED FISHING LOCATIONS:

Fishing on the tournament water is permitted anywhere except:

within 50ft. of any marina gas pump or

**10 Boat Lengths of another competitors boat which was first anchored. A boat is considered anchored only if it is tied to an anchor line over the side with the trolling motor up out of the water.**

If you want to Fish a Spot without interference You must be anchored and your trolling motor must be up.

This can be easily seen from a distance of 10 Boat Lengths

If you are not anchored and your trolling motor is not up,

Any competitor may then enter the area and fish without penalty and your appeal will not be accepted.

### New 2009 Season Format

Due to the Tough Economic Conditions there will not be a Championship Event for 2009. Instead Allstar Anglers will Award a Cash Bonus for The Team finishing the Season with the most Points.

Also, The Lockeman's Big Bass Cash Award will go to the Season's Heaviest Bass weighed Alive.

**Both Cash Awards will Grow \$100.00**

Anytime a Tournament Exceeds 25 Teams.

Good Luck and Bass Wishes for 2009

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