

# TOURNAMENT RULES:

1. No lines in water before 7 AM, July 18, 2009.
2. Registered contestant may fish as many days as desired between July 18, 2009 and August 1, 2009 inclusive.
3. All fish must be caught on hook and line by registered contestant. All persons on the boat must be registered contestants in the Tournament.
4. All fish must be weighed in at Don's Tackle Shop Official Scale.
5. Tournament weigh-ins open daily between 6 AM to 5 PM, and by 3 PM on August 1, 2009.
6. Winners will be determined by weight. In event of a tie, fish weighed in first will be declared winner.
7. Fish must be caught in Virginia coastal waters, on the seaside. Bayside from Maryland line south.
8. Anglers must comply with all Federal and Virginia laws regarding size and number of flounder caught. **To obtain a fishing license online visit the VMRC website ([www.mrc.state.va.us](http://www.mrc.state.va.us)) and follow the prompts.**
9. Weather considerations will be the contestant's choice - they will fish at their own discretion and accept full responsibility for their decisions.
10. All fish entered will be subject to any examinations judges deem necessary for the integrity of the tournament.
11. Any violation of the Tournament Rules shall constitute grounds for disqualification. Judges shall rule on any violation and their decision shall be final.
12. All entries must be received by 5 PM, July 17, 2009.
13. Participants' photos may be used in promotional materials for Don's Tackle Shop and future tournaments.

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