



TROUT FISHING DERBY

LAKE McSWAIN

SATURDAY, APRIL 26, 2008 AT 7:00 A.M. through
SUNDAY, APRIL 27, 2008 AT NOON

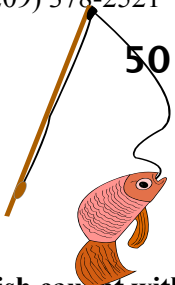
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DERBY HEADQUARTERS
M.I.D. Parks Department
9090 Lake McClure Rd.
Snelling, CA 95369
(209) 378-2521

SPONSORED BY:
Lake McSwain Marina
Merced Irrigation District
Calaveras Trout Farm
A-1 Bait & Tackle

VERIFICATION POINT:
Lake McSwain Marina
For Boat & Slip Rentals
call 378-2534



50 OF THE PLANTED TROUT WILL BE TAGGED !

(numbers through 1-50)

1 GRAND PRIZE TROUT WORTH \$3,000.00 TAG #1

1 TROUT WORTH \$1,000.00 TAG # 2

1 TROUT WORTH \$1,000.00 TAG # 3



Fish caught with tags numbered 4 through 50 will share equally in a prize pool. Grand Prize Trout will earn \$500.00 if caught after Derby Days (See Derby Rule #8). 70% entry fee prize pool based on 500 entries.

Largest untagged Trout (by weight) wins \$200.00!!

- * Derby will be held rain or shine.
- * Contest entry is limited to the first **250 boats** and/or **500 entrants**.
- * Bank fishing at Lake McSwain is excellent.
- * Make overnight camping reservations right away by calling 1-800-468-8889.
- * Derby Entry fee: **\$10.00** per individual, **\$25.00** per family (husband, wife & maximum of 3 children under 16).
- * Camping or day use fees not included in Derby Entry fee.

DERBY RULES ON BACKSIDE OF THIS FORM

(Please detach and return)
OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

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Name _____ Age _____ \$10 Individual
Address _____ \$25 Family

City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Daytime Phone # _____ Name _____ Age _____
(Make checks payable to M.I.D. Fish Derby)
\$ _____ enclosed. (Employees of M.I.D.,
or the Lake McSwain Marina are not eligible.)

Check one: **Bank fishing?** _____ **Your boat?** _____ **Riding** in someone else's boat? _____
Sonar or any other fish locating device will not be permitted.

Mail your completed entry form to:

**M.I.D. Parks Department
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Entries will only be accepted at:

I have submitted the proper entry fee and have read and agree to the rules and regulations covering this event. In consideration of the privilege of participating in this tournament, I hereby waive and release the Merced Irrigation District, its employees and agents along with all sponsoring organizations connected with this event from any and all claims for damages or injuries that may arise during the term of this event. I understand that entry fees are non-refundable and non-transferable. I agree that the tournament hosts have exclusive rights to take photographs or other recordings of myself and to use or dispose of such material in any lawful manner.

DATE: _____ SIGNED: _____

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- 1) All Derby participants must have a valid California Fishing License in their possession. Children under the age of 16 do not require a CA Fishing License.
- 2) The speed limit on the lake is **10 m.p.h.** Violators will be cited and become ineligible for prize money.
- 3) Participants must be officially registered to be eligible for any prizes.
- 4) A copy of your validated entry form will be returned to you. This is your official receipt and you must have it in your possession during the derby.
- 5) **Registration fees are not refundable.** Registration will close on **April 18, 2008** or upon reaching 500 entries. Participants must be registered to win!
- 6) **Sonar** or other fish locating devices will **not** be permitted. All fish must be caught under the guidelines of current California Sport Fishing Regulations. Amateurs only.
- 7) Lake McSwain is off limits to contestant fishing Friday **April 25, 2008** until the Derby Kick-Off at 7:00 a.m. Saturday.
- 8) If the \$3,000 prize fish (Tag #1) is not caught during contest hours, the Derby will pay \$500 to any registered Derby participant who catches this fish before July 1, 2008. All Derby rules apply.
- 9) Tagged fish must be fresh caught by a registered derby participant and brought to the McSwain Marina by noon on Sunday, April 27, 2008. To qualify for a prize, participant must show proof of registration along with proper ID.
All prizes will be paid by check within 30 days of catch.
- 10) Largest untagged trout must be fresh caught and weighed-in at the Marina before noon Sunday, April 27, 2008.
- 11) State and Local laws and rules will be enforced, violations will result in disqualification.
- 12) Derby entry fee does not include camping or day use fees.
- 13) A Social Security number may be required before any prize monies will be paid out.
- 14) Employees or immediate families of sponsors are not eligible.
- 15) To avoid boat traffic congestion on Lake McSwain, please use a counter-clockwise boating pattern.