



2<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL KING OF THE CONTRACTORS  
MARLIN/TUNA CHALLENGE  
Wednesday June 30 – Friday July 2, 2010

**Entry Fee:**

**Option I – Day Troll \$500.00 per Boat**

**Option II – Overnighter (Mako Category) \$550.00 per boat**

1. This is a trolling and/or chunking tournament.
2. Registration and payment is by boat. Catches shall be per boat, (not per angler) with trophies presented to and in the name of the Contractor or Contractor's boat in recognition of the team's effort. Pooling of boat catches by multiple entries is NOT permitted.
3. All boats may sail from any port, and must weigh in at the following marinas:
  - 1) South Jersey Marina, Cape May
  - 2) Clark's Landing Marina, Point Pleasant
4. Release slip entries, only, may be delivered by vehicle, but must be received by weigh master prior to close of scale of that fishing day.
  - a. Option I – Day Troll - You may fish any two separate fishing days – Captain's Choice. Leave the inlet no earlier than 3:00am and return to the scale by 8:00 pm the same day.
  - b. Option II – Overnighter – You may fish overnight for any two consecutive days. Target species at night will be Makos (66" minimum fork length, 1 fish weighed in per boat). Leave the inlet no earlier than 5:00 a.m. the first day and must return to the scale no later than 8:00 pm the next day.
  - c. Fish to be weighed must be at the respective dock before 8:00 pm. You must fill out and have the weigh master sign a KOTC weigh slip and leave it with the weigh master. Weigh slips will be available at the Captain's meeting. All weigh-ins must take place directly from boat to scale. All weights will be rounded off to the nearest 1/10th of a pound.

- d. Each boat must call a KOTC Committee Boat by 8:00 am on the days they are fishing. If no call is received, the boat will be considered NOT fishing that day. If you decide to fish Option II (overnighter), you must notify a KOTC Committee Boat by radio or satellite/mobile phone no later than 12:00 noon of your first day of fishing.
5. All billfish are released for points – 50 points for White Marlin and 100 points for Blue Marlin. A boat's two heaviest tuna will be weighed in – 1 point per pound. A boat may weigh in a total of 4 tuna for the entire tournament to determine their 2 heaviest fish to count towards their point total.
6. All billfish released must be reported to any participating boat at the time of release. VHF - 65 All
7. For release purposes, a fish will be considered caught when the mate grabs the leader or the swivel touches the rod tip or when a wind on leader passes through the rod tip.
8. All IGFA tackle rules apply, except spreader bars are permitted. All fish must be caught on rod and reel.
9. There are no limits to the number of lines or teasers that may be fished.
10. In the event of a tie in a point category, the first boat reaching the point total (by time) will be the winner.
11. In the event of boat disability, contestants may fish on another boat not entered in the tournament and fish in the name of the original boat.
12. No transferring of any fish to any other boat.
13. Participating boats must fish no further than 120 miles from the Atlantic City Sea Buoy.
14. All applicable government rules, regulations and laws apply. Any non-complying fish will be disqualified.
15. Protests must be made on the day of the alleged infraction and reported to any Tournament Committee member. Decisions shall be made by the Tournament Committee and shall be final.
16. A member of each boat must attend the Captain's Meeting.

## **Trophies:**

### KING OF THE CONTRACTORS Trophy:

- I. Total combined points **and** catches both a Tuna and Marlin

### Tuna Division (1 point per lb):

1. Heaviest tuna trophy
2. 2<sup>nd</sup> Heaviest tuna trophy

### Marlin Division:

1. Most release points
2. 2<sup>nd</sup> Most release points

### Mako Division:

1. Heaviest Mako Trophy

Trophies will be awarded at the Awards Dinner.

## **Schedule of Events**

### **Captains Meeting:**

Place: Clarks Landing Marina, Pt. Pleasant, NJ or South Jersey Marina, Cape May, NJ (One person from each crew must attend the Captains Meeting at the marina you will be using as your weigh station)

Date: Tuesday, June 29, 2010

Time: 7pm – 9pm

### **Available Fishing Days:**

Wednesday June 30, 2010 Weigh Station Open 4pm – 8pm

Thursday, July 1, 2010 Weigh Station Open 4pm – 8pm

Friday, July 2, 2010 Weigh Station Open 4pm – 8pm

### **Awards Dinner:**

Place: Shark Fin Inn, 701 South Main Street, Forked River, NJ 08731

Date: Tuesday, July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2010

Time: 7pm – 10pm



## ENTRY FORM

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual King of the Contractors Marlin/Tuna Challenge

**Contractor Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Boat Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Number Attending Awards Dinner:** \_\_\_\_\_

Mail entry forms and check to:

Alexander F. Barth, Esq.  
Cohen, Seglias, Pallas, Greenhall & Furman, P.C.  
30 S. 17<sup>th</sup> Street, 19<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Philadelphia, PA 19103

Entry forms will be accepted at the Captain's Meeting

**You must enclose:**

1. This form
2. Signed release form
3. Entry fee of \$500 (Option I) or \$550 (Option II) payable to NJ Tournaments, Inc.
4. Indicate how many people attending Awards Dinner (Registration fee entitles you to six tickets to the Awards Dinner. Additional tickets are available for \$50 each.)

**\*\* Registration for Calcuttas will be held at the Captain's Meeting only (Calcutta entry is by cash only, \$500 and \$1,000 categories. Calcutta is based on point total as outlined in the rules).**



## WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND RELEASE

All boat owners, participants, their crews and anglers, participate in the Tournament voluntarily and at their own risk and hereby agree to release and hold harmless NJ Tournaments, Inc., its officers, trustees, agents, sponsors and employees from and against all claims, damages, losses and expenses including all attorney's fees incurred as a result of their suffering bodily injury, illness, death or property damages while participating in this Tournament.

The decision to fish or not to fish relative to weather or any other reason is at the sole discretion of the participants. NJ Tournaments, Inc. assumes no responsibility whatsoever in that regard.

It is the sole responsibility of all participants to comply with all applicable governmental laws, rules and regulations. NJ Tournaments, LLC assumes no responsibility in that or any other regard. **Any non-complying fish will result in disqualification.**

I agree to the aforementioned terms and conditions, and represent that anyone invited to fish on a boat entered in the Tournament has been informed of the terms of this Waiver of Liability and Release, and has accepted accordingly.

Participation in the Tournament constitutes acceptance of the aforementioned terms and conditions, and acknowledges that that the crew has been notified and accepted these terms and conditions.

Tournament Entrant \_\_\_\_\_  
Print

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Boat \_\_\_\_\_

**Crew**

Print Name	Signature

Date \_\_\_\_\_