Eligibility: Open to anyone. Any contestant under the age of 18 must have written permission from a parent or legal guardian to fish. This must be received at the time of registration.

Entry Fee: \$100.00 NON REFUNDABLE.

Equipment and fishing methods: All state and local laws as well as safe boating practices will be used at all times. UL approved life vest as well as kill switches must be operational and attached to the outboard while running. Contestant banners (available at the drivers meeting) must be displayed on the outboard motor. Audible sound devices will also be required on every boat. Each boat must be equipped with an aerated live well. Acceptability of this will be left up to the tournament officials. Fish must be caught using artificial lures only. **NO LIVE BAIT!!**

Fishable waters: A contestant may not leave the boat to hook or land a fish. Contestants are not permitted to leave the boat in the effort to float their boat to areas that would be otherwise unreachable.

Scoring: A 12-inch minimum length will be enforced for Silver Lake. Fish will be measured on a flat board. All decisions regarding legal fish will be determined by the tournament officials and are FINAL. All culling of fish must be done immediately. In the event of a tie, the biggest fish will decide the winning team.

<u>Eligible fish limit:</u> Largemouth and smallmouth bass are the only fish that will be permitted for the weigh-in. The tournament limit will be 5 fish.

<u>Protests</u>: Protests regarding violations of these rules must be made immediately to the tournament officials and submitted in writing no later than one hour after the weigh-in has been completed. All decisions concerning protests will be at the discretion of the tournament officials and will be binding and final.

Polygraph testing: All contestants by virtue of their entry in the Capital City Bass Club Open event are subject to testing by polygraph. Failure to pass a polygraph test either at the tournament or any time thereafter will result in the forfeiture of all awards and prizes.

<u>Officials</u>: The Capital City Bass Club shall designate tournament officials. All decisions of the tournament director and tournament officials shall be binding and final.

I/We have read, understood, and agree to abide by all the rules and regulations associated with the Silver Lake Open Team Tournament and hold harmless all sponsors, volunteers, and tournament officials from any and all claims for injury or damages.

I/We also agree the Capital City Bass Club shall have exclusive rights to use any photographs and video recordings of myself, to use in any manner.

In signing this release, I/ WE do agree to submit to any verification testing provided by Capital City Bass Club, and I/WE agree to abide by the decisions of the tournament officials.

 Signed Captain:
 Date:

 Signed Partner:
 Date:

(Parents must sign if contestant is under 18 years old)

Please make all checks payable to Capital City Bass Club

Mail all entry fees and signed entry release forms to: Capital City Bass Club P.O. Box 605 Olympia, WA 98507