



**FACT SHEET – West Virginia State Championship**

Sutton, WV – SuttonLake  
 Saturday, April 20, 2024

On-Site Tournament Director Hotline: 304-483-2210

TBF Senior Tournament Director Randy Sullivan: 580-716-4261



<p align="center"><b><u>Check-in/Rules Meeting</u></b></p> <p><b>Location:</b>        Bee Run Road        1734 Bee Run Road        Sutton, WV 26601</p> <p><b>Date:</b>        Saturday, April 20 2024</p> <p><b>Check-in Times:</b>        6:00 a.m. – 6:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>6:30 a.m. – Mandatory rules briefing begins.</b></p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Launch/Weigh-In</u></b></p> <p><b>Launch Location:</b>        Bee Run Road        1734 Bee Run Road        Sutton, WV 26601</p> <p>Take-off will begin at 7:00 a.m. or first safe light thereafter.</p> <p>Weigh-in begins: 3:00 p.m.</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Required Items and Safety Equipment</u></b></p> <p>It is the responsibility of each participant to have ALL required state and federal safety equipment on board as well as, ALL permits licenses, passes or stamps, Etc. required.</p> <p>At time of inspection each morning, be prepared to properly display 1 life jacket for each angler; 1 throwable PFD; and, demonstrate functioning kill switch.</p> <p>Inspection will be held during lineup for takeoff. Live wells must be empty.</p> <p>Anglers are required to have a valid West Virginia fishing license/ permit, if applicable by law.</p>
<p align="center"><b><u>Fish Limits</u></b></p> <p>Large, smallmouth and spotted Bass 12" inches and over.</p> <p>Anglers are allowed to weigh a limit of five (5) fish per team unless otherwise required by law or tournament officials.</p> <p>Fish presented which fails to measure the official length limits shall accrue penalties at the rate of one (1) pound for each non-legal fish plus loss of the fish. An 8-ounce deduction will be made for each fish presented that is determined to be non-releasable.</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Tournament Director</u></b></p> <p align="center">Robert Harkness        304-483-2210  <a href="mailto:Reharkness22@gmail.com">Reharkness22@gmail.com</a></p> <p align="center"><b><u>Host Hotel</u></b></p> <p align="center">Microtel Inn        115 Restow Place        Gassaway, WV 26624        304-364-6100</p>	<p align="center"><b><u>Boundaries</u></b></p> <p>Sutton Lake only. Any waters within these boundaries posted "off limits" or "no fishing" by state or federal agencies will be off limits. Any live release areas established by the Tournament Director will be off limits. That as well as any additional off limits will be announced at the pre-tournament briefing. Only that water open to all public fishing will be considered tournament waters. Any waters closed to public fishing will be closed to this tournament's contestants. All local, state and federal regulations apply.</p>
<p align="center"><b>CLEAN DRAIN &amp; DRY        YOUR BOATS BEFORE LEAVING        HOME &amp; AFTER EACH EVENT!        HELP STOP AQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES.</b></p> <p align="center"><b>Sign up for the FREE        e-newsletter at:  <a href="http://HighSchoolFishing.org">HighSchoolFishing.org</a></b></p>	<p align="center"><b>Each team must bring a        completed &amp; signed liability        waiver to the pre-tournament        registration meeting.</b></p> <p align="center"><b><u><a href="#">Liability Release Form</a></u></b></p> <p align="center"><b><u><a href="#">Rules</a></u></b></p>	<p align="center"><b>Please read the Official 2023-2024        school year HSF State, Open &amp;        Challenges Rules carefully!</b></p>