

Triton
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CUSTOM FISHING RODS



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POLARIZED SUNGLASSES

2005 FOM Team Tournament Trail for MARYLAND – EAST Division

Guaranteed \$1,000.00 1st Place *

Additional CASH and PRIZE Bonuses for 2005**

Highest Finishing Adult Guy / Gal Team & Highest Finishing Team participating with a Junior (17 or under as of 1/1/2005) get AUTOMATIC BID to 2005 East Regional Championships

Highest Finishing Rookie Team of the Year
(One Member of Team MUST be new to FOM for 2005)

Best Comeback Team of the Year
(Based on Most Improvement in Points Standings from 2004 to 2005)

\$5.00 per entry for all 5 tournaments will be paid to the 2005 Maryland – East Divisional Points Champions as well as an Automatic Berth to the FOM National Championship

****Optional "Bonus Big Bucks" Program****

Pay \$25 per team into "per tournament" pool and if you finish 1st – 3rd you will receive extra 100% payout @ 50%, 1st - 30%, 2nd - 20%, 3rd

TOURNAMENT SAMPLE

******PAYOUT******

(75 Boats)

1 st	\$2258.00	2 nd	\$1343.00
3 rd	\$975.00	4 th	\$540.00
5 th	\$480.00	6 th	\$420.00
7 th	\$360.00	8 th	\$300.00
9 th – 10 th		\$240.00	
11 th – 12 th		\$180.00	
13 th – 15 th		\$120.00	

2 "BIG BASS" Prizes

\$450 / \$300

TESTIMONIALS

"Fishers of Men is a first-class circuit where everyone is welcome. I highly recommend them".

Jay Yelas

"What is so neat is how well these tournaments are run, and the Friday night pre-tournament meetings are awesome".

Shaw Grigsby

"Best run, fastest growing team tournament circuit in America".

Ray Scott

Additional \$2000 / \$1000 / \$500 Triton Bass Boat Owners Bonus Money***

Additional Prize Awards from Kistler Rods, Solar Bat Polarized Sunglasses and Sport Fishing Ventures Unlimited

*Applies to the Maryland - East Division only. Number of Paid Entries must exceed 25 teams and teams qualifying must have paid into "Bonus Big Bucks" program, fished with declared partner only and both members must have been present at pre-tournament meeting to honor guarantee. **To be eligible for any additional bonus cash/prizes outside normal payout, BOTH team participants must attend 4 out of the 5 Friday night pre-tournament meetings. *** Offer extended thru Triton Boats and valid per their rules and regulations.

Qualify for the EAST REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP and Fish for over \$50,000 in Prizes including a Brand New Triton!

The highest finishing Adult / Junior, Adult Guy / Gal team as well as the top 20 teams in the year end point standings of each division, who have fished at least 3 tournaments within that division, will qualify to fish the Fishers of Men East Regional Championship Tournament. In addition, each division will be rewarded with one additional slot for each 10 boat increment average above 30 boats. These additional teams will come from the 2005 year-end points standings. The September 3rd Regional Qualifying Tournament on the Upper Chesapeake Bay will serve to qualify an additional 4 teams who have the highest finishes in that tournament and who have not qualified via the points standings and who have fished in at least 3 of the first 4 tournaments previous to the RQT tournament within that division circuit in 2005. The final slot for the East Regional Championship will be determined by a Wildcard drawing from any remaining Maryland – East teams who have fished all 5 tournaments and attended all 5 pre-tournament meetings. The Maryland – East Divisional Points Champions, any Maryland - East team placing in the top 7 at the East Regional as well as the highest finisher (no matter what place) from the Maryland – East division at the 2005 East Regionals will advance to the 2006 FOM National Championship.

QUALIFY for "NO ENTRY FEE" NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP and Fish for Brand New Triton Bass Boat plus Cash Prizes!

2005 MARYLAND – EAST Division Tournament Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Launch Site</u>
April 16	Potomac River (Combo Event With Delaware)	Smallwood State Park
May 7	Tidal Susquehanna Flats (Combo Event With Pennsylvania – East and Delaware)	Elk Neck State Park
July 9	Potomac River	Smallwood State Park
August 6	Conowingo Reservoir (Combo Event With Pennsylvania – East)	Dorsey Park Launch
September 3	Upper Chesapeake Bay (RQT)	Dundee Creek Marina

Membership cost is \$35.00 annually per person or \$50.00 per participating families and is open to all, no matter race, religion (or lack thereof), age or ability. Entry fee per 2 person team is just \$135.00. Optional "Bonus Bucks" fee of \$25.00 per team per event. (See Above) Paid entry will constitute participation. The winning team will receive 150 points, 2nd place 149 points, 3rd place 148 points and so on. Teams not weighing any fish will receive 1 less point than the last place team with fish. An additional 50 BONUS points will be earned for attending the Friday night pre-tournament meeting.

These meetings include a FREE DINNER, sponsor-provided door prizes, fellowship and an inspirational message. Family & friends are welcome to attend dinner at no additional cost but must be registered with director by entry deadline.

In addition, all teams present at meeting draw for the next morning's launch position. Register ASAP! All entries not received 8 days prior will be assessed a \$25.00 late fee.

No entry fees will be accepted the morning of the tournament but can be accepted in the form of \$160.00 CASH prior to 7:30pm at the pre-tournament dinner meeting.

"Combo Tournaments" are events which combine two or more divisions at one location for our meal, launch and weigh-in. Any team interested in increasing their cash payout or in attempting to qualify through multiple divisions may participate as a "Combo Team" by simply paying for the additional division's entry fee, no later than (8) eight business days prior to the tournament. NO LATE ENTRIES are allowed if you are looking to "combo" a tournament, no exceptions and no refunds. Once paid in advance, you simply fish as normal, and your weight and big fish counts towards all the divisions you paid for. Your earnings and points standings would be determined per division entered.

TOURNAMENT WATERS ARE OFF LIMITS FROM 12:01 AM THE MONDAY PRECEDING THE TOURNAMENT UNTIL SAFE LIGHT ON FRIDAY, THE OFFICIAL PRACTICE DAY!

Complete rules, applications, memberships, and sponsorship programs available upon request by e-mailing or calling the Maryland - East Division Tournament Director or by going to our National Web Site at: www.FOMNTT.com

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