Pauly J. Larson Memorial
Walleye Fishing Tournament
Lac qui Parle Lake
August 29th, 2026 | 7:30am - 4:00pm

Registration

Name of Team member #1 Phone # Email Address (Street, City, State and Zip)

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Name of Team member #2 & #3 Phone # Email Address (Street, City, State and Zip)

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Release of Liability

- I certify that I am voluntarily participating in the 2026 Pauly J. Larson Memorial Walleye Tournament.
- I am aware that participation in this tournament creates the potential risk of serious injury or death, as well as loss or damage to personal property. I expressly agree to assume all risk of injury and/or death as well as loss to personal property which may result from my participation in the 2026 Pauly J. Larson Memorial Walleye Tournament.
- I hereby release and discharge the tournament sponsors, officers, directors, agents, employees and legal representatives, herein known as the Released Parties, from any and all liability of injury, damage, or other loss sustained by me which may arise from my participation, including but not limited to, any claim I or my heirs may have for loss, injuries, damages, other loss or casualty of any kind, sustained by me and caused by the negligence or strict liability of the Released Parties. I do not release the Released Parties from liability for willful or intentional misconduct.
- I understand that loss of property, injury, or death could arise from (1) the fishing and boating activities contemplated by the tournament, (2) the fact that competition rules contemplate that some participants will fish in boats belonging to other participants in the contest, (3) the fact that risks normally contemplated in open water fishing from a boat may be enhanced by exposure to the elements and other risks inherent in outdoor competition.
- I certify that I am in good physical and mental health and that I am physically capable of withstanding the rigors and requirements of professional level fishing competition.
- I understand that I am required to submit proof of boating liability insurance to the tournament officials in order to use my boat in tournament competition if requested or if an incident should occur.
- I have read the release of liability and participant agreement carefully and understand all of its terms and conditions.
- I sign up voluntarily and without any reservation and understand and agree to all tournament rules and regulations.

Signature of Team member #1 (Captain)

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Signature of Team member #2 & #3 (Minor's if applicable)

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This form must be completed and signed by both anglers and mailed with entry fee of $350.00/team to:

Pauly J. Larson Memorial Walleye Tournament
PO Box 57
Montevideo, MN 56265

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Rules

1. You cannot enter a fish under 15 inches. All fish must be tagged and transported on Ice to the weigh in site and must be dead. (No Livewells with water)
2. Any fish brought in that is less than 15 inches will not be weighed and will result in the loss of the weight of the largest walleye from the days bag limit.
3. All fish entered will be examined for stuffing.
4. Each boat may bring in 6 and weigh no more than 5 walleyes; no more than 2 may be over 20 inches; if more than 6 walleyes are brought in, or if more than 2 are over 20 inches the contestants will be **DISQUALIFIED**.
5. Tournament participants may consist of a maximum of 3 indicviduals/boat (1 adult, 1 or 2 minors 17 & under) or 2 adults.
6. Only 2 lines may be used for each boat participating, if more are used participants will be DISQUALIFIED
7. All rulings by the judges are final.
6. Tournament boats must not be closer than 15 feet at any time.
7. Boats must not go on shore at any time. Restrooms are at the starting point. If a contestant has any reason for gong ashore, they **MUST** return to the starting point.
8. All boats will start and end the tournament at Volden's Pit access.
9. All boats must be in by designated time. Any boats in after that will be DISQUALIFIED.
10. Any ties will be broken by the weight of the teams largest walleye.
11. Boundaries: Anywhere the boat can get safely up to the Marsh Lake Dam
12. All Minnesota fishing and US Coast Guard rules apply (Motor HP is restricted to Manufacturer's nameplate).
13. Alcoholic beverages are not allowed in boats during tournament.
14. Boats will be inspected before and during the tournament.
15. **Entry fees are non-refundable, unless event is cancelled.**
16. Life jackets must be worn at all times during tournament hours except at trolling speeds or less.
17. Use of binoculars and cell phones is not allowed during tournament hours.
18. In case of inclement weather seek shelter on shore.
19. Tournament committee and all representatives are not responsible for accidents.
20. Flight 1 (Boats 1-35 in at 3:30pm) Flight 2 (Boats 36-75 in at 4:00pm).
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22. Any violations of rules or regulations will be grounds for DISQUALIFICATION. All decisions by tournament officials are final.
23. At least one member from each team must attend the rules meeting.
24. **RULES MEETING TO BE HELD ON <u>August 28th 6:00 p.m. at the Happy Hour Sports Bar Madison MN.</u>**

Fees/Prizes

Entry fee: $350/team ALL PAYOUTS BASED ON 75 TEAMS

$50 Option Pot
(Option Pot to be paid at rules meeting)

1st place - $9000.00	10th place - $350.00
2nd place- $4500.00	20th place - $350.00
3rd place - $2500.00	30th place - $350.00
4th place - $2000.00	40th place - $350.00
5th place - $2000.00	50th place - $350.00
6th place - $1500.00	60th place - $350.00
7th place - $1500.00	

*Additional prizes awarded for the largest Walleye & Sheephead

$350.00 - Highest placing Parent/child team: Child must be 17 or under.

Shirts will be available to order: Please get ordering information @

https://www.paulylarsontournament.com/ ,**or** https://www.facebook.com/paulylarsontournament/

: *Lac qui Parle Lake is infested with Zebra Mussels. Please take special precautions to adhere to state statutes regarding aquatic invasive species. Protection of Minnesota lakes from further spread of aquatic invasive species is a top priority.*