

NEBRASKA STATE HIGH SCHOOL FISHING TOURNAMENT 2016

NEBRASKA GAME AND PARKS AND THE TBF STUDENT ANGLER FEDERATION



WELCOME TO THE SIXTH ANNUAL NEBRASKA STATE HIGH SCHOOL FISHING TOURNAMENT
 JULY 23RD, 2016
 ELWOOD RESERVOIR, NEBRASKA

On behalf of the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission and The Bass Federation-Student Anglers Federation, we invite you to Elwood Reservoir and the Sixth Annual Nebraska State High School Fishing Tournament. Grades 9 through 12.

Grant Pavelka and Tyler Rowland of the North Platte Bass Bosses caught a five-fish limit weighing 9.86 pounds to capture the Nebraska SAF High School Fishing Championship on July 25, 2015 at Lewis and Clark Lake near Crofton. The winning team's largest bass weighed 2.35 pounds. Ben Pavelka was the team's coach and boat operator. Rees Cudaback and Eli Leggett of the Millard North Mustangs took second place with three fishing weighing 5.84 pounds. Zane Leibhart and Brent Bergman of Lincoln County Bass Bosses caught three fish weighing 4.86 pounds for third place. The Millard North team of Caleb Hoover and Grant Young caught the tournament's biggest bass at 2.49 pounds. This fifth annual event was held at Lewis and Clark Lake State Recreation Area's Weigand Marina. Twelve teams competed.

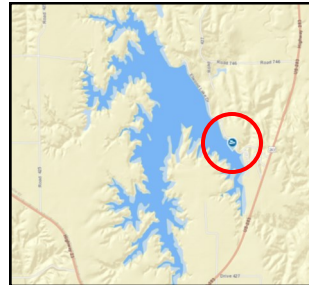


The state tournament is a cooperative program between the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission and The Bass Federation – Student Angler Federation. The High School Fishing program includes a state tournament for every state in the continental United States, as well as Ontario, Canada. Two-person teams from grades 9 through 12 compete and are paired with a coach who provides a boat for competition.

To register for the 2016 Nebraska State High School Fishing Tournament
www.highschoolfishing.org/2016-state-championships/



Elwood Reservoir is known for its diversity of fish species including; channel catfish, white bass, wall-eye, muskellunge, northern pike and wipers. This year's tournament will offer the opportunity to catch and weigh-in both largemouth and spotted bass. Elwood, located in the central Nebraska, offers multiple fingers and bays with a variety of habitats. Note: Boats restricted to 5 mph (no wake).



Tournament Location: Elwood Reservoir WMA Boat Ramp located on the west side of the lake on Elwood Drive. Twelve miles south of Lexington, or 3 north of Elwood, Nebraska on US Highway 283.

TOURNAMENT DETAILS

- Elwood Reservoir, Nebraska.
- Saturday, July 23rd, 2016
- Headquarters: Elwood Reservoir WMA Boat Ramp
- Check in : 5:30 AM
- Rules and safety meeting 6:00 AM
- Tournament launch: 7:00 AM
- Fishing ends: 1:00 PM
- Weigh-in: 1:15 PM
- Awards: 2:00.PM
- For questions, contact; larry.pape@nebraska.gov
- For tournament rules: www.highschoolfishing.org