

Announcement -

TBF JUNIOR STATE QUALIFIER

2008 TBF Junior State Qualifier was held on Sunday, June 1, 2008 at Cottage Grove Reservoir. There were 2 age groups 11-14 years old, and 15-18 years old. Jacob Wall of Jacksonville, won the 11-14 age group and Nathan Bromley won the upper age group. Both qualifiers from each age bracket will advance to the National Championship in Columbia, NC on August 15-16, 2008. Good Luck to both of them.

For more information on the 2009 season, please come back and visit our website or contact Jeff Abernathy at jeffabernathy@juno.com

TBF 2009 OREGON STATE TEAM QUALIFIERS

2009 State Team Qualifying tournaments are scheduled and set. The location for the 2009 Western Divisional Tournament will be Wyoming's Flaming Gorge Reservoir. The dates for the 2009 Divisional are May $25^{th} - 29^{th}$, 2009. Details are still being arranged with the host state. Qualifying tournament dates and locations are as follows:

Sunday, July 20, 2008 – Siltcoos Lake – Maximum of 75 boats Saturday, September 6, 2008 – Prineville Reservoir – Unlimited number of boats Saturday, October 11, 2008 – Lower Columbia River – Unlimited number of boats

The format is a team tournament, you choose your own partner. Each team must declare boater/co-angler status before the events. Teams must stay together for the duration of the qualifiers. The entry fee is \$200 per team, per event. The state team will be determined by the best 2 out of 3 tournaments with 1 throw out event. The top 6 boater / 6 co-angler's total points with a throw out, will determine the 12 person state team to represent Oregon at the Western Divisional. The alternate will be the 7th place boater or co-angler. There will be no team payouts for each event. Only the 13 member state team will receive a payout to help subsidize traveling expenses. Actual traveling subsidy amount is still being discussed which will be distributed. Please see official rules for more information.

**FLW Outdoors, TBF Membership and Club memberships dues are required in addition to your entry fees, if you are not already a currently member. You can register on-line for the FLW Outdoors membership by going to www.flwoutdoors.com click on the membership tab and sign up. The cost of the FLW Outdoors Standard Competitor Membership is \$25 annually, and is good for 1 year from the time you sign up. TBF dues are \$15 and are from Jan 1 – Dec 31 of each year. You will also need to register with a TBF Affiliated club and also pay a membership fee to the club in addition to your TBF membership fee. To join TBF, you can make your \$15 checks payable to THE BASS FEDERATION, and mail it to Oregon TBF - P.O. BOX 2176, Fairview, OR 97024 Club dues start at \$10 per year from Jan 1 – Dec 31. You can join any one of our state clubs. Here is a list of state clubs and their contact information.

Roseburg Veteran's Club – contact Chris DeLong @ <u>roseburgveteranbassmasters@yahoo.com</u> Umpqua Valley Bassmasters – contact Rob Douglas @ douglasrob@hotmail.com Greater Oregon TBF – contact Michael Gibney @ <u>Michael.Gibney@tns-sornesen.com</u>

If you need further information about starting a TBF Club or Junior TBF Club or wish to join our organization, please feel free to contact anyone of our State Officers:

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