## ANCIENT CITY GAME FISH ASSOCIATION



**In-Club Wahoo Tournament** 

DATES: January 1 thru 31, 2021

<u>FISHING</u>: This tournament is an ACGFA "members only" boat tournament. Entrants (boat captains) must be ACGFA members in good standing. Anglers are not required to be ACGFA Members, but fish points will not count towards BOY. Anglers are fishing as a crew for the boat. This is a thirty-one day tournament. Anglers must fish in local waters. Federal, State, and/or County fishing laws and regulations always apply.

<u>SAFETY</u>: SAFETY IS ALWAYS FIRST. Captains are responsible for the safe and legal operation of their boats at all times.

<u>QUALIFYING FISH</u>: The fish species eligible for this tournament is Wahoo. Fish must be caught on hook and line, and landed in whole condition. Fish must be of legal length, bag and possession limits. Weighing in of a fish that are not within legal limits will result in disqualification from the tournament. Mutilated fish will not be weighed.

<u>RADIO</u>: Captains are reminded that they should have an operational VHF radio on board their boat for safety. Many ACGFA members monitor VHF channels 68 & 72. Checkout and check-in do not apply in the normal sense for this tournament.

<u>WEIGH IN</u>: More than one (1) Wahoo per boat may be weighed during the tournament. Only the heaviest Wahoo will count for the tournament. Additional Wahoo may be weighed for in-club year end tournaments. Fish MUST be weighed at any of the club approved locations. In case of a tie, the earliest weigh-in date/time wins. <u>In order for fish to count</u> in the tournament each card or web entry must be plainly marked "WAHOO" in the "Tournament" blank.

<u>AWARDS</u>: The prize structure for this tournament is: \$300 winner take all. The winning boat will also earn 100 point bonus; the points will be added to their 2020-2021 Boat-of-the-Year points. The awards will be presented at the February General Membership Meeting.

<u>PROTESTS</u>: The Tournament Chairman will settle any protest. The Tournament Chair's decision is final.

<u>ENTRY FEE</u>: Boats can register at the **Christmas** party or on the acgfa.com website no later than December 31st. Entry fee is free for member boats. Non-member boats are not allowed. There is a ten-boat minimum for this tournament. There is an optional Calcutta of \$25 - CONTACT KEVIN WHITFIELD TO ENTER.

<u>TOURNAMENT CHAIRMAN</u>: If you have any questions contact Tournament Chairman, Eddie Gatchell at (904) 814-3489 or Kevin Whitfield at (904) 669-5327.