

Waterdogs Fishing Club

Big Stone Lake Walleye Tournament

Tournament Specifics

Lake: Big Stone Lake

Tournament Type: Team

Species: Walleye

Date: Saturday and Sunday May 30 and 31, 2009

Sunrise: Sunrise is 5:30 am

Sunset: Sunset is 8:50 pm

Tournament Hours: Saturday: 9:00 AM to 7:00 PM
Sunday: 6:00 AM to 11:00 AM

Meeting Location: Schmidts Landing Resort

Lunch Location/Time:

End-Tournament Location: Schmidts Landing Resort

Tournament Rules:

All rules applying to tournaments, as noted in the club bylaws, apply to this tournament.
Rules specific to this tournament:

- Each team can enter up to 8 Walleyes per day
- Minimum size is 14 inches
- Live bait is allowed
- Two lines are permitted per Minnesota Fishing Regulations

Tournament Coordinators: Mark Bystrom, Stephen Dupont, and Brian Karsjens

Nearby Bait Shops:

Bud's Bait, 748 2nd St. SE, Ortonville 320-839-2480

Ben's Service, Browns Valley 320-695-2175

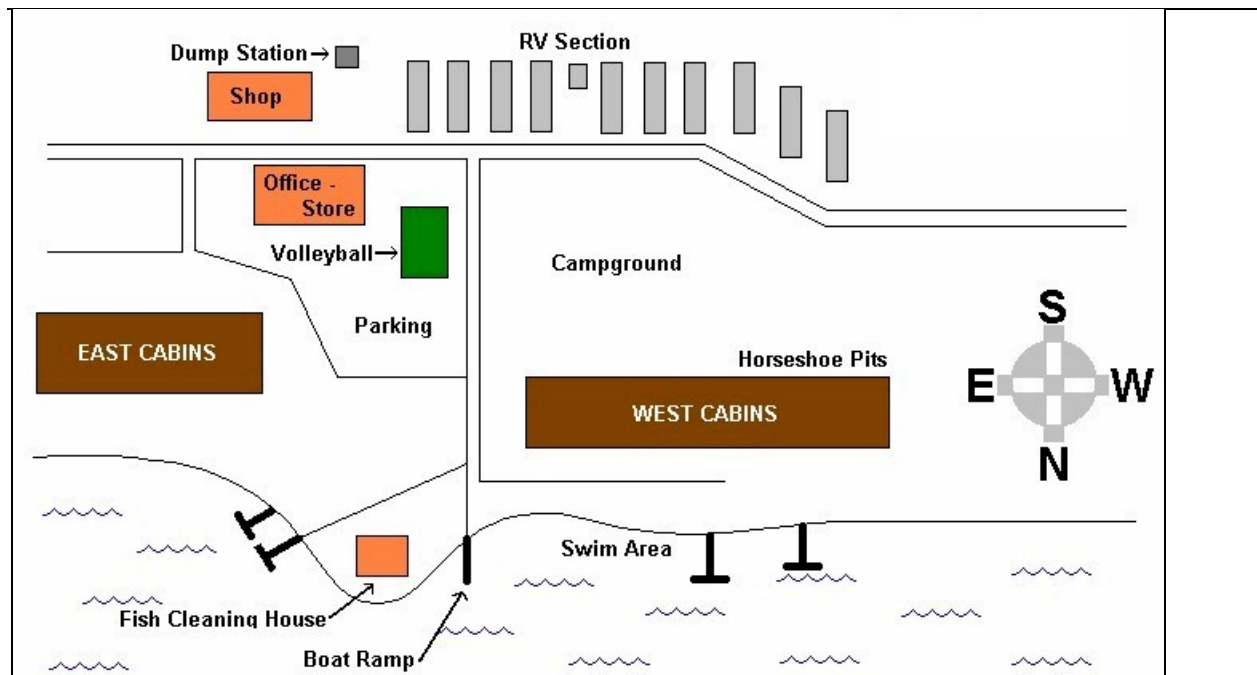
ACCOMODATIONS:

Schmidt's Landing--The largest resort on the lake. They are located on the SD side of the lake, approximately 15 minutes north of Ortonville.

48140 Schmidt's Road
Big Stone City, SD 57216
(800) 610-4928
(605) 432-6911

<http://www.schmidtslanding.com/>

- East off I-29 at Wilmot, exit #213, onto Hwy. 15 to Hwy 109, then 4 miles east
- From Big Stone City, 8 miles northwest on Hwy. 109
- From Milbank, 12 miles north on Hwy. 15 and 4 miles east on Hwy. 109



Conveniences:

The resort has a convenience store, bait shop, gas, and 3 docks for tying up boats. All cabins have stoves, fridges, etc...And they have a private concrete boat ramp. Check in time is 3pm and check out time is 11 am. The resort owners asked that if we bring any refreshments that they be in plastic or cans only—no glass.

Cost:

Cabins:

The resort has a minimum 2-night stay policy, thus the final cost will depend upon both the number of Dog's in each cabin and the number of nights of their stay. As long as we have enough Dog's coming up for 2 nights we should be able to accommodate one-nighters with the roll-out bed or couch. Currently we have three cabins held and may be able to secure a fourth cabin if needed. We will be holding beds on a first come, fist serve basis. Cabins will have bedding but Dog's will need to supply their own soap and towels for both the kitchen & bathrooms. The Costs are as follows:

2 persons- \$79/night total.

3 persons- \$99/night total (3rd person on fold-out couch or roll-out bed).

4 persons-\$119/night total (4th person on fold-out couch or roll-out bed).

**Note We can have up to 6 people in each cabin at a cost of \$20 per night per each additional person per night. The 5th & 6th persons would need to supply their own bedding (cots, sleeping bag, pillow, etc...).*

Camping:

There should be sufficient camp sites to accommodate us. The cost is \$28.95/night per camp site up to 4 people—electrical only. Full hook-up sites are \$36.95/night. They do NOT have a 2-night stay requirement for camping.

Optional:

Dog's wanting to stay on their own have a number of motels in Ortonville to choose from. However, since the ramp at the resort is private, Dog's would need to launch elsewhere and boat to the resort for the start of the tournament. The closest public landing is approximately 2 ½ miles away.

OFFICIAL SCORECARD

Waterdogs Fishing Club

Big Stone Lake Walleye

Tournament Hours: May 30, 12:00 Noon to 8:30 PM; May 31, 6:00 AM to 11:00 AM

TOURNAMENT TEAM MEMBERS: _____ / _____

May 30		May 31	
FISH NUMBER	LENGTH	FISH NUMBER	LENGTH
1		1	
2		2	
3		3	
4		4	
5		5	
6		6	
7		7	
8		8	

Estimated Weights of Walleyes							
Length (Inches)	Weight (Pounds)	Length (Inches)	Weight (Pounds)	Length (Inches)	Weight (Pounds)	Length (Inches)	Weight (Pounds)
14	1	20.5	3.2	27	7.3	33.5	13.9
14.5	1.1	21	3.4	27.5	7.7	34	14.6
15	1.3	21.5	3.7	28	8.1	34.5	15.2
15.5	1.4	22	3.9	28.5	8.6	35	15.9
16	1.5	22.5	4.2	29	9	35.5	16.6
16.5	1.7	23	4.5	29.5	9.5	36	17.3
17	1.8	23.5	4.8	30	10	36.5	18
17.5	2	24	5.1	30.5	10.5	37	18.8
18	2.2	24.5	5.4	31	11	37.5	19.5
18.5	2.3	25	5.8	31.5	11.6	38	20.3
19	2.5	25.5	6.1	32	12.1	38.5	21.1
19.5	2.7	26	6.5	32.5	12.7	39	22
20	3	26.5	6.9	33	13.3	39.5	22.8

