






PISC Year Long Tournament Rules

 All entrants must be a paid member of the Plum Island Surfcasters for the current year prior to entering a fish.


 This event will run from April 1st - December 31st.


- Regular tournament will run from April 1st - October 31st, with awards given in November.
- Exotics will run from April 1st to October 31st. Species include Spanish Mackerel, Bonito and False Albacore. Length for both kept and released fish will determine the winners. Awards to be given in November.
- Die Hard tournament will run from Nov. 1-Dec. 31st with awards given the following January at the general meeting.


 Species will include Striped Bass and Bluefish only for regular and Die Hard tournament.


 The categories for the Regular and Die Hard tournaments are as follows: (C&R: Catch & Release)


- Striper from Plum Island (C&R only)
- Striper from Surf (Kept)
- Striper from Surf (C&R)
- Striper from Boat (Kept)
- Striper from Boat (C&R)
- Striper on Fly (Kept)
- Striper on Fly (C&R)
- Blue from Surf (Kept or released)
- Blue from Boat (Kept or released)
- Blue on Fly (Kept or released)
- Note: Length of Bluefish will determine the winner. Length must be from end of snout to the fork of the tail.


 There will also be awards in each of these categories for Juniors (17 and under).

 There are no geographical boundaries for this tournament.

 (Except Striper from Plum Island must be from Plum Island)



 Awards will be given for the HEAVIEST fish in each “Kept” category and for LONGEST fish in each C&R category. Fish must be weighed on a certified scale (many tackle shops have scales available). Entry form must be signed by weigh station in all Kept categories. Fish caught and released must have a witness signature on the form unless fish are released based on the Catch, Photo and Release criteria (see below).


 Tournament affidavits slips can be found on our webpage


 Entries should be completed using the club web page or using the club entry form. Slips must include the following information:


Species



- Senior or Junior
- Weight for kept fish
- Length for released fish
- Name and phone number of entrant
- Date of catch
- Time of catch
- Date of submission
- Name and location of weigh station
- Surf or Boat caught
- Name of witness
- Witness signature
- *Photograph for each C&R fish if no witness. See club web pages for details on how to enter a catch and release fish when there is no witness.


 Awards will be given for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in each category for regular
 tournament. Awards will be given for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in each category for Exotics tournament. Longest fish only.


 Die Hard tournament will only award first place per category.


 Any angler may only hold one place at a time per category.

 Slips must be submitted within 30-days of being caught. Slips must be submitted no later than 3-days after the end date of the tournament. If mailed in the post mark date will be used.

 Slips must be turned in to the tournament director, (see board web page), either by mail,
 Emailed, using the online form on the club web page or at the monthly meeting.

 We will have a monthly drawing and award for fish entered during each month. Any member who submits a fish for entry in the yearlong or exotics will have their name entered. A members name will only be entered once per month. For seniors all striper entered must be 28" or greater. Juniors may enter any size striper.

 All tie breakers will be determined by the day slip was received

 Second tie breaker determined by day and time fish was caught

 All decisions are final.

Fish long, fish hard, and turn in those slips!