

Atlanta Saltwater Sportsman's Club

Tournament Application

Panama City Beach, September 4-6, 2026

Family Fishing Tournament

Offshore

Applications and payments are due by August 28.

Captain's Name: _____ Boat Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Cell: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ EM Contact #: _____

(InReach, Zoleo, Starlink) Contact: _____

Boat Make/size/color: _____ MMSI #: _____

If the above registered captain is not the boat owner and is representing his own boat/team, list the boat name here: _____

Applicant fees are \$65 each for Captain and Angler(s). "meal-only" attendees are \$25.00 each.

Captain: Blk	_____	Phone: _____	\$ _____	Non-Member Junior
Angler 2: Whi	_____	Phone: _____	\$ _____	☐ ☐
Angler 3: Red	_____	Phone: _____	\$ _____	☐ ☐
Angler 4: Blu	_____	Phone: _____	\$ _____	☐ ☐
Angler 5: Yel	_____	Phone: _____	\$ _____	☐ ☐

Number of Non-Anglers Attending Awards Dinner*: _____ x \$25 = \$ _____

*(Non-Anglers may attend the Captain's and Awards Dinner for \$25/each.) **Total Due: \$** _____

Email Application page to nickramos@aol.com

For payment, Venmo funds to Mike Ball @Mball-ASWSCtreasurer or send check made out to ASWSC to Mike Ball, 2019 Shoals View Lane, Lawrenceville, GA 30045. Only one payment per boat will be accepted. No cash will be accepted.

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Rules Agreement:

1. The Captain **MUST** be in good standing with ASWSC; is responsible for safety of the boat and crew.
2. Captain or a designee must check in with Tournament Director by end of weigh-in time, **EVEN IF NO FISH ARE SUBMITTED**. This is for safety reasons, if you are not heard from and are an hour late, the Coast Guard may be called.
3. Scoring will be per the Offshore Tournament Points Matrix.
4. All fish must be legal to be scored. The weighmaster will have the final say if this is in dispute.
5. A captain/crew member & all scorable fish must be in line at the weigh-in by the end of designated time.
6. **ALL FISH** must have a zip tie provided at the Captains meeting identifying the angler when weighed, or it will not be scored.
7. Each Captain, or a designee must attend the Captains meeting. If not possible, arrangements must be made between the Captain and Tournament Director prior to the Captains Meeting.
8. **NO FISH** caught prior to end of Captains meeting will be scored.
9. This list is important and a **HIGHLIGHT**; All Offshore Tournament Rules apply, even if not listed here.

ASWSC Release and Indemnification Agreement

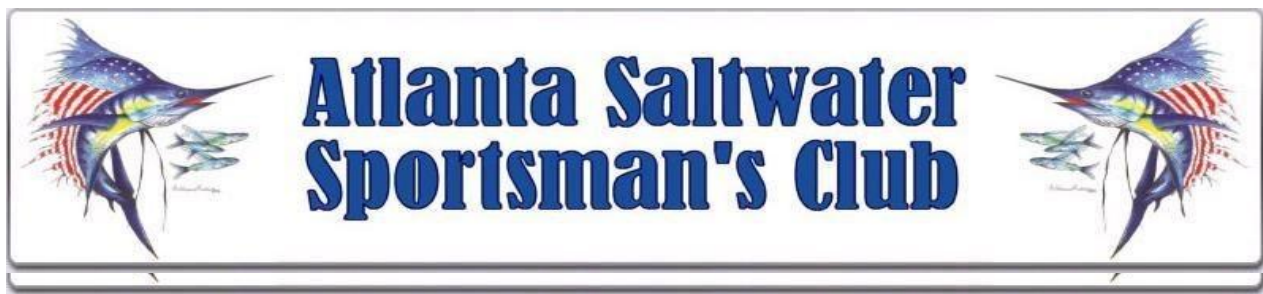
(Attention: Please Read Carefully—Your Signature Indicates Agreement with These Terms)

In signing this document, I do hereby agree and understand that the Atlanta Salt Water Sportsman's Club, (hereinafter referred to as "The Club", is acting as a sponsor of various club activities (including, but not limited to fishing tournaments, picnics, meetings, etc.) and I do fully release, indemnify and hold The Club harmless from any negligence, contractual and intentional tort liability caused by or the fault of any person or entity. The Club is hereby released from any responsibility whatsoever for any decision, action or inaction of entrant, boats of other participants in any Club activities.

To the fullest extent provided by law, my team, my crew, my guest, and I hereby agree to indemnify and hold The club harmless from any and all claims, suits, obligations, liabilities, losses, damages, cost or expense suffered by, arising out of, resulting from, any act of mine or any member of my crew during my and their participation in Club sponsored activity, including any and all claims, suits, obligations, liabilities, losses, damages, cost or expense caused in whole or in part by any negligent act or negligent omission of The Club, regardless of my vessel, it's passengers crew participants and equipment, in conjunction with any activity sponsored by The Club. Said photographs may be used by The Club in promotional and/or advertising material or in any other way otherwise not unlawful, and consent of the vessel, it's owner and persons photographed is hereby acknowledged.

This agreement shall take effect as an instrument under seal, and be binding upon signature to the benefit of my and my team's and crew's heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns.

Capt. Signature _____ Date _____



Tip Sheet

Panama City Beach (Offshore) – Sep. 4-6, 2026

When:

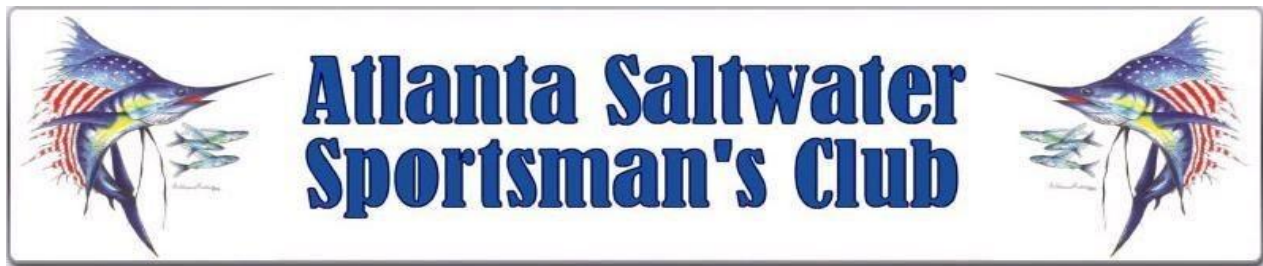
- Club Social Event 6:00 PM (Central) Friday Sept. 4 – Chuck Alford's Dock (ASWSC meeting space), 1059 Bay Cir, PCB, 32407
 - Food & water provided, BYOB
 - Plan to hang out for the meet and greet with new and old members
 - Youth Fishing Derby tackle will be distributed
 - Fishing spots will be provided to ensure everyone catches!
- “Coastal Soiree” at Shell Island on Saturday, Sept. 5 from 12:00 PM- 3:00 PM
 - Hotdogs & chips will be provided, BYOB
 - Kids activities including Fishing Derby (12:00 PM-3:00 PM)
- Captains Meeting: Sept. 5 at 5:00 PM at ASWSC meeting space;
 - Lines in- at conclusion of Captains meeting
- Tournament Fishing: From Captains meeting to weigh-in
- Weigh-in: Sunday, 5:00PM to 6:00PM. All boats must be at the dock by 6:00PM to be weighed
 - All fish will be counted towards the Sunday tally
- Awards Banquet: Sunday Sept. 6, 7:30 PM @ ASWSC meeting space
 - Catered meals and more!; water provided, BYOB

Other Tournament Information:

- Scoring - per ASWSC Matrix for Offshore
- Rules - Specific information will be available with the Offshore Matrix, Guidelines and Tournament Rules available on the ASWSC Tournaments Web Page:
<http://www.aswsc.org/tournaments/>.
- Download the **Fish Rules** app (<http://fishrulesapp.com/>) for all of the state/federal regulations.

Where to Stay:

- There are Air BnB homes near the club meeting space for rent
- Home2Suites by Hilton PCB 7710 Front Beach Rd, PCB, FL 32407 • (850) 740-0660
- Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott PCB 7718 Front Beach Rd, PCB, FL 32407 • (850) 234-7422
- Hawthorn Suites by Wyndham PCB FL 7909 Panama City Beach Pkwy, PCB, FL 32408 • (850) 588-4119
- La Quinta Inn & Suites by Wyndham PCB 7115 Coastal Palms Blvd, PCB, FL 32408 • (850) 234-3133
- NSA Naval Support Marina/Hotel/Cottages • (850)-234-4402
- There are a multitude of family-friendly condos on the beach, about a 3 or 4 mile drive, for rent



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Ramps:

Bayside Marina: 6327 Big Daddy Dr., Panama City Beach, FL 32407 (850) 234-7650

- This is walking distance from ASSC meeting space; their gas prices are usually one of the cheapest for marinas.
- They charge \$30 for a boat launch (in and out), There is trailer parking near the club in my area around the corner from the marina.
- Military members can access a good ramp via NSA Naval Support for free (100% ID card check at the gate)
- The ramp across the bay at the college is suitable for bay boats & tide dependent

Bait and Tackle Shops:

Half Hitch Bait and Tackle and True Value Hardware
2206 Thomas Dr, Panama City, FL 32408 (850) 234-2621

Howell Tackle Supply
3100 E Hwy 98, Panama City, FL 32401 (850) 785-8548

Non-Ethanol gas is available at several stations:

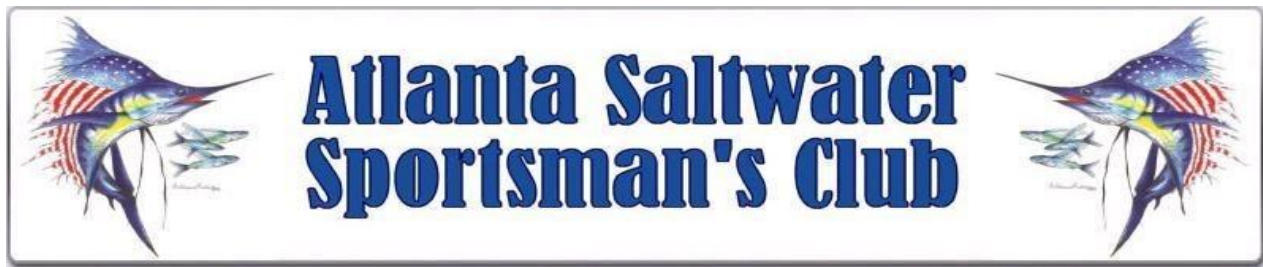
Murphy 12 Thomas Dr, PCB, 32408 (Tight for big boats)
Casey's 2015 W 23rd St, PC, 32405
Sun Stop 8410 Front Beach Rd, Panama City Beach, FL 32407
VP Gas (N of town) 4105 US-231, Panama City, FL 32404

On-Water Gas:

Sun Harbor, just on other side of Hathaway Bridge, go between the dock and Tug Boats (or sea wall) to the very back, nice set up. HOURS: 08:00 - 5:00, but plan is for them to extend hours to 7:00 on weekends

Bayside Marina, same lagoon as the meeting area, but tight squeeze HOURS: 8:00 - 5:00

If desperate, Treasure Island Marina in Grand Lagoon has 24 hr. gas



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Offshore Fishing:

- Overnight offshore trips are possible with good weather conditions. PLEASE coordinate with the Tournament Director for safety
- Red Snapper will be PRIME during this time. Seasonal pressure should have reduced allowing larger fish near shore to replenish
- Red Grouper can be found at all depths and are abundant
- Amberjack are expected to be in season, which are sure to give every angler a workout and a chance to WIN!
- Mangrove & Vermillion Snapper numbers are healthy and will keep you and kids busy
- Triggerfish, Kingfish, Mahi, & Wahoo are commonly targeted here. Plan to fill your coolers!
- GAG Grouper are expected to be in season!!!!!!

Youth Fishing Derby:

- Fishing Derby will be held for children on Sunday from 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM
- Catches will be validated via photograph and sent to Nick Ramos at 505-573-9672
- Photographs should contain a child with their catch to count towards fish totals. All species are eligible.
- Catch and release is acceptable
- If you are on a boat, ensure children wear ALL required life preservers
- Marquess of Queensbury Rules will apply!

Feel free to contact us for more info. **Chuck Alford: 470-270-1110**, chuckalford@comcast.net
Nick Ramos: 505-573-9672, nickramos@aol.com

BONUS FOR NON-FISHING ADVENTURES

Zoo World- <https://www.zooworldpcb.com/>

Shipwreck Island-

https://www.shipwreckisland.com/?utm_source=gbp&utm_medium=organic&utm_campaign=yext_listings

Sea Dragon Pirate Cruise- <https://www.piratecruise.net/>

Sea Screamer- <https://seascreamer.net/>

Ripley's Believe it or Not!- <https://www.ripleys.com/attractions/ripleys-believe-it-or-not-panama-city-beach>

Pier Park- <https://www.simon.com/mall/pier-park>

Wonder Works- <https://www.wonderworksonline.com/panama-city-beach/>

Pirates Voyage Dinner Show- <https://piratesvoyage.com/panama-city-beach/>