



Fishing Rodeos

U. S. FOREST SERVICE FISHING RODEOS

In celebration of National Fishing Week, the U. S. Forest Service will sponsor two fishing rodeos in the upcoming weeks. Co-sponsors include the Chattahoochee Forest National Fish Hatchery, the Georgia Department of Natural Resources- Wildlife Resources Division, and Trout Unlimited.

Lake Winfield Scott Kid's Rodeo – Saturday, June 6th. Registration begins at 9:00 A.M. and is open to all kids 16 and under. Participants must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Dockery Lake Senior Rodeo – Wednesday, June 10th. Registration begins at 8:00 A.M. and is open to all fishermen 55 years-old and up.

There will be free refreshments at both rodeos. All registered participants will be eligible for the drawing for prizes donated by sporting goods manufacturers and distributors, and local merchants to be held after the rodeos.

Parking at Lake Winfield Scott will be free on Saturday, June 6 for the Kid's Fishing Rodeo. In addition, the Georgia Department of Natural Resources has made Saturday June 6th, Free Fishing Day. Adults (Georgia residents) can fish without a license on Saturday after the rodeo. Parking fees at Dockery Lake will be waived at Dockery Lake on June 10th for the Senior Rodeo.

Lake Winfield Scott will be closed to fishing on June 5th and June 6th in preparation for the kid's rodeo. It will reopen at noon on June 6th after the rodeo. Dockery Lake also will be closed on June 9th and 10th for the Senior Rodeo. It will reopen at noon on June 10th.

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