

# YES! I WANT TO FISH FREE IN THE FOREST SERVICE'S YOUTH FISHING DERBY!

Signify your interest by filling out and returning the two forms below to the Catahoula Ranger Office. You must compete and return both forms by June 2, 2025 for the event described on the reverse side of this flyer. A responsible adult (18 years or older) may be substituted for a legal parent or guardian, but the name of the responsible individual must appear on form #2, the liability waiver. Eligibility for the event will be on a first come-first served basis, so register early. The mailing address of the Catahoula Ranger District, which is conducting the event, is shown at the bottom of this page. You will be notified by mail of your eligibility before the event.

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## REGISTRATION FORM — PLEASE FILL OUT COMPLETELY

DATE OF EVENT: SATURDAY, June 7, 2025 at 8:00 a.m.

TODAY'S DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**T-Shirt Size: Youth** S M L **Adult** S M L

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ AGE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_

# 2

## RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND PHOTO/VIDEO RELEASE FORM

As parent or legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, I certify that said child has my permission to attend and participate in the Youth Fishing Derby sponsored by the U.S. Forest Service, to be held on June 7, 2025 at Stuart Lake Recreation Area, AND FURTHER AGREE to attend said event and personally supervise the above-named child. In the event that I am unable to attend and accompany the above-named child, I designate \_\_\_\_\_ as responsible for the child and this person has agreed to same by signing below. I hereby waive and release all other participants, the host, sponsors and all other officials or parties involved in this clinic from all claims and/or damage incurred in connection with this fishing event. I also hereby grant the sponsor and co-sponsors the unconditional right to use the name, voice and photographic likeness of myself, my designated guardian and the above-named child in connection with any of their audio/video productions, articles or press releases, but not as an endorsement of any kind.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Designated Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

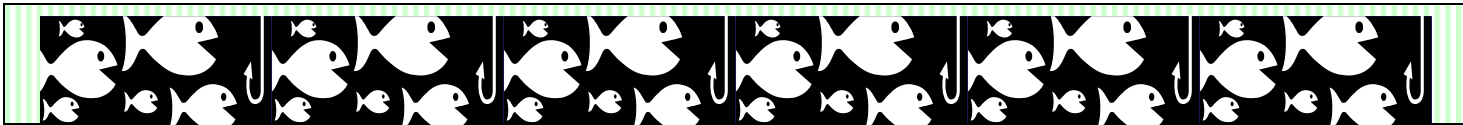
*The following rules and regulations apply to youth fishing derby events sponsored by the U.S. Forest Service at all locations. Additional regulations may be posted at individual derby sites.*

1. Participant age limit: 12 years and younger, must be older than 2. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
2. Bank or shore fishing only is allowed; **NO BOATS!**
3. No horseplay by participants, sponsors or volunteers will be tolerated around the lakeshore.
4. No exposed fish hooks will be allowed except at the lakeshore. In the interest of safety, please remove hooks from lines while the rods/poles are being transported to and from the lakeshore.
5. There is a limit of three (3) stocked catfish per participant.
6. A parent, legal guardian or named responsible party must sign the release of liability form AND accompany and supervise the children during the event.
7. Participants will need to bring their own fishing gear (rods, poles, line, hooks, etc.) to the event.
8. Participants are encouraged to bring their own bait for catfish and bream.

### SEND TO:

### STUART LAKE FISHING DERBY

U.S. Forest Service  
Catahoula Ranger District  
5325 La. Highway 8  
Bentley, LA 71407



# HEY KIDS

**THE FISHING WILL BE GREAT AT**

PRESENTED BY  
**KISATCHIE  
NATIONAL FOREST**

## **STUART LAKE**

For Information Call:  
Kisatchie National Forest  
318-473-7160  
Catahoula Ranger District  
318-765-3554

**SATURDAY June 7, 2025**

# THE GREAT YOUTH FISHING DERBY

### **NOTE TO PARENTS AND EDUCATORS:**

The Kisatchie National Forest welcomes your interest and your participation in making our YOUTH FISHING DERBIES successful. On the back of this flyer you will find three items that warrant attention if you have a child wishing to compete in the Derby. These are the rules and regulations, a registration form and a liability waiver. It is important to note that these forms must be returned by June 2, 2025 to the Catahoula Ranger Office, which will conduct the Stuart Lake Derby for eligibility to participate. This event is limited to 250 participants. Eligibility is on a first come-first served basis, so don't forget to register early!

