# BEST CATCH (Best Catch) RULES

# Here's How it Works!

### ENTERING THE CONTEST IS FREE!

**ENTRY TICKETS** must be picked up at the store in person, come in and fill out an **ENTRY FORM**. You must be entered into the contest, with an **Entry Ticket BEFORE** you can enter any fish into the contest.

# **RULES**

BOULDER JCT. AREA LAKES ONLY- Our Contest is for lakes in...

Boulder Junction, Land O' Lakes, Presque Isle, Winchester, Manitowish Waters, Lac Du Flambeau, ArborVitae, and Plum Lake.

**LAKE MUST HAVE A PUBLIC LANDING** - Assessabled by a public landing so all may have a chance at a big fish!

NO Guide Service - Fish caught while with a paid guide service will NOT be eligable.

**1 PRIZE AWARDED PER PERSON** - Anglers can submit as many fish as you want per season, however, one prize is awarded per person, per year, per category of your choice.

## **CONTEST OPENINGS**

Contest will open for Walleye, Northern Pike & Panfish with the "General Inland Fishing" season.

Contest will open for all **Bass** with the "General Inland Fishing" season.

\*Large and Smallmouth Bass are "Catch and Release" ONLY, until their respective season openings. Contest will open for Musky with the "Musky Norhtern Zone" fishing season.

## CLAIMING YOUR FISH - ONLINE

YOU WILL NEED SUBMIT YOUR FISH ONLINE AT northernhighlandsports.com

Go to the "Best Catch Page" and use the "SUBMIT A FISH" Button

#### YOU WILL NEED 2 PHOTOS OF YOUR FISH -

Picture 1: Your fish with the **Entry Ticket** and your Face. Picture 2: Your fish Measured. Angler **Photo MUST** include a clearly **visible ticket**.

**NAME OF LAKE-** We will need the name of the lake you caught your fish on. *We will not display this information to the public.* 

**TICKET NUMBER-** When you enter the contest we will be issuing you an **Entry Ticket**. You will need to keep the ticket throughout the contest to submit your fish.



Check out the prize details on www.northernhighlandsports.com

#### Musky • Northern Pike • Walleye • Largemouth Bass • Smallmouth Bass

1st, 2nd & 3rd Prizes are awarded per species category.

**1st Prize** for each category is a **Species Specific Specialty Combo**. 2nd Prize for each category is a \$50 NHS Gift Card / 3rd Prize for each category is a \$25 NHS Gift Card.

#### Crappie • Perch • Bluegill

Panfish prizes are awarded to the top 3 fish only

1st & 2nd Place prize goes to biggest Crappie / 3rd Place goes to biggest Bluegill or Perch **1st Prize** is a **Species Spedific Specialty Combo**. 2nd Prize is a \$50 NHS Gift Card / 3rd Prize is a \$25 NHS Gift Card.

#### NEW PRIZE! • All Fish Submission Drawing - Wins a Special Prize!

ALL submitted fish that do not win a category will be entered into an "All Fish Submission" Drawing. All **Entry Pics will be posted on our website** so total **submissions per person are unlimited**, however, only one entry into the drawing per species, per angler is allowed.

#### IN THE EVENT OF A TIE

Prior to the contest starting, a random number between 1-500 was chosen for each species by NHS. A tie, by mesurement, will be broken using the tiebreaker number contestant chooses upon entry. The tiebreaker number chosen by contestant, that is closest to the random species specific number, without going over, is the winner.