



**PAYOUT / TOURNAMENT PURSE**

Payouts are based on a 132 team field. If the field is not full payouts will be adjusted accordingly. Places are paid per team. The top 20 teams will win cash prizes.  
 1st - \$7,500 2nd - \$5,000 3rd - \$3,000 4th - \$2,250 5th - \$2,000 6th - \$1,400  
 7th - \$1,300 8th - \$1,200 9th - \$1,100 10th - \$1,000 11th - 20th, \$400  
 \*Additional prizes including door-prize items and/or cash prizes for "wild card" winners may be awarded based on sponsor participation.

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

Tournament Chairs / Officials are Jenna Hoff and Gary Dorval. To withdraw participation or change partners before the tournament contact Jenna Hoff at (701) 898-3210. For tournament updates, complete regulations and to email us with questions/comments please visit us online at [vanhookclassicnd.com](http://vanhookclassicnd.com) Please DO NOT call with questions until you have read the rules completely AND visited the web site.

**LOCATION / MAILING**

The tournament will be held from Van Hook Recreation Area, located 2 miles south of the Jct. of Hwy 23 and Hwy 8 in New Town, North Dakota 58763. Applications should be mailed to the New Town Chamber of Commerce, C/O VHC, Box 422, New Town, ND 58763-0422  
 \*Incorrectly addressed applications will not be accepted.  
 \*\$300tournamententryfee mustbemailedwithapplication.

**ACCOMMODATIONS**

Reserved camping will be available at Van Hook Resort, (701)627-3377. Reservations for the 2023 season will be taken beginning on May 1, 2023. First come / first served camping is available at the New Town Marina, (701)627-3900 and Parshall Bay, (701)862-3362. The Four Bears Casino & Lodge in New Town, (701)627-4018. Van Hook Territorial Inn, (928) 925-8942, The Lodge at Van Hook, (701) 627-4848. Rooms book up early so reserve well in advance!

**TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM & LIABILITY WAIVER**

I acknowledge that I am VOLUNTARILY participating in the Van Hook Catch & Release Classic event. I am aware that my participation in this tournament creates a risk of personal injury or death. I realize I may experience loss or damage to personal property. I assume all risk of injury, death, and loss of personal property which may result from any participation in this fishing tournament. I expressly recognize the loss of property, injury or death could arise from:  
 1. The fishing and boating activities involved in the tournament. 2. The fact that competition rules dictate contestants may fish in boats belonging to other contestants in the contest, as well as in their own boats. 3. The fact that risk normally encountered in open water fishing from a boat may be enhanced by the existence of competition.  
 I agree to abide by all of the tournament rules and that all rules are interpreted to the discretion of the Van Hook Catch & Release Classic Tournament Officials. I agree that all Van Hook Catch & Release Classic Tournament Officials rulings are final with no right to protest further. In the event of a protest and at the discretion of the Van Hook Catch & Release Classic Tournament Officials I agree to submit to a polygraph examination. I hereby release and discharge the tournaments officials, VHC, tournament sponsors, tournament staff and volunteers, Van Hook Resort LLC, tournament launch and landing sites and the North Dakota Game & Fish Department from liabilities and injuries, damages or other loss sustained by me caused by the negligence or strict liability of these parties.  
 I have read this release of liability carefully and understand all of the terms and conditions. I sign voluntarily and without reservation.

**Team Number** \_\_\_\_\_ **LEAVE THIS LINE BLANK**  
 (Tournament Staff)

**Family Team** (Siblings, Parent/Child, Spouses, Grand Parent/Child)  YES  NO

**Team Member 1**

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ **CELL PHONE (REQUIRED!)** \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Participant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Team Member 2**

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ **CELL PHONE (REQUIRED!)** \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Participant Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian**  
 (If participant under 18years)

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Witness**  
 (Tournament Staff)

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**OPTIONAL: IF YOU WISH TO ENTER THE BIG FISH JACKPOT, PLEASE ENCLOSE AN ADDITIONAL \$20 AND CHECK THIS BOX**

