FACT SHEET- 2026 NBAA National Championship
Kentucky Lake, Paris, TN April 14-16, 2027
On-Site Tournament Hotline: (580)716-4261
Tournament Director – Bryan McCutcheon

Mandatory Registration/Rules Meeting **Location:** Paris Convention Center 1510 East Wood St, Paris Tn. 38242 **NO BOATS AT REGISTRATION** **Date**: Tuesday, April 13, 2027 **Registration Times:** 4:30 p.m. CENTRAL TIME – Registration Opens 5:45 p.m. – Registration Closes ***6:00 p.m. – Mandatory rules briefing begins. At least one (1) team member MUST attend***. **All anglers must be off the water by 3:00 p.m. on the day of the rules meeting**.	**Launch/Weigh-In** Paris Landing State Park Marina 41 Paris Landing Marina Drive Buchanan, TN. 38222 Take off will begin at 7:00am CT Weigh-In begins at 3:00pm CT Each Day **Reminder:** Registration is on Tuesday with competition days on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.	**Required Safety Equipment** It is the responsibility of all anglers to have required state and federal safety equipment on board. At time of inspection each morning, be prepared to display 1 life jacket for each angler; 1 throwable PFD; and, demonstrate functioning kill switch. Inspection will be held during lineup for takeoff. Live wells must be empty. **Tennessee and Kentucky valid Fishing License is required and in your possession** State law will be followed concerning Alabama Rigs.
Fish Limits 5 fish per team. 15” Any fish presented for weigh-in which fails to measure the official length limits shall accrue penalties at the rate of one (1) pound for each non-legal fish plus loss of the fish. An 8-ounce deduction will be made for each fish presented to the bump master for weighing that is determined to be non-releasable.	**Area Lodging** Quality Inn 1510 East Wood St. Paris Tn. 38242 731-227-2358 Lodge at Paris Landing 400 Lodge Rd. Buchanan Tn. 38222 888-867-2757	**Boundaries** Tournament waters for this event shall be Kentucky Lake and its tributaries only NO LOCKING. Cannot go under the Barkley Canal Bridge. Any waters within these boundaries posted "off limits" or "no fishing" by state or federal agencies will be off limit. Any live release areas established by the Tournament Director will be off limits. That as well as any additional off limits will be announced at the pre-tournament briefing. Only that water open to all public fishing will be considered tournament waters. Any waters closed to public fishing will be closed to this tournament's contestants. All local, state and federal regulations apply.
NO INFO Rule goes into effect on Sunday, prior to the first tournament day of the National Championship event. Beginning on that Sunday you may only fish with your registered partner; You may NOT fish with a guide and you may only talk “Fishing” with other NBAA contestants in this event. **The lake will go off-limits at 3:00 pm Tuesday except during official tournament hours.**		All tournament rules apply READ THE FULL 2027 NBAA National Event Rules posted online at NBAA-Bass.com

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