

The 2nd Annual Pittsburg Fishing Derby – 2019

Event Information

Registration

Anglers must register in one of the following ways by Friday, September 27th at 5:00 pm:

1. Online at www.pittsburgmarina.com/fishderby
2. At the Pittsburg Marina (51 Marina Blvd. Suite E) daily from 8am – 5pm
3. By Mail at:

City of Pittsburg
65 Civic Avenue
Pittsburg, CA 94565
Attn: Sara Aliotti

Must be **received** by Friday, September 27, 2019 at 5:00pm

THERE WILL BE NO DAY-OF REGISTRATION. REGISTRATION ENDS FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27th AT 5:00PM

All participating anglers registered under their non-corresponding age group will be disqualified.

ALL ANGLERS WISHING TO SUBMIT A FISH FOR MEASUREMENT MUST PRESENT A PHOTO ID UPON MEASUREMENT. This ID will be checked against a roster of paid anglers to ensure the fish submitted for measurement was caught by an angler that is properly registered in the competition.

Fees

Children under 16 years old: Free with a paying adult

Adults 16 – 64: \$40

Adults 65 and older: \$30

Measuring Stations

Measuring stations will be located at the Pittsburg Public Boat Launch Ramps (adjacent to 51 Marina Blvd). Judging will occur:

- Saturday, September 28th, from 8:00 am – 6:00 pm
- Sunday, September 29th, from 8:00am – 4:00 pm

Updates

Event Updates will be given on the hour at www.pittsburgmarina.com/fishderby . Anglers may also call (925) 695-4015 for updates during the derby.

Prizes

There will be adult cash prizes – 1st through 3rd place in both striped bass and sturgeon categories and the new on-shore striped bass category, on both Saturday and Sunday. Cash prize amounts will be determined by the number of total entries.

There will be non-cash prizes for anglers under 16 years of age – 1st through 3rd place in the striped bass category and the new on-shore striped bass category on both Saturday and Sunday.

GASOLINE, PUBLIC LAUNCH RAMPS, AND PARKING
AVAILABLE AT THE PITTSBURG MARINA

DERBY RULES

1. Any violation of CA Department of Boating & Waterways as well as CA Fish & Wildlife rules will disqualify all anglers in the boat.
2. Due to inclement weather, the derby may be rescheduled at the discretion of the event coordinators.
3. All anglers must present a valid picture ID that matches the name under which they have registered for the derby at the time of measurement.
4. Shore fishing is allowed but ONLY from the areas designated on the map below. Only striped bass may be caught and measured in the on-shore fishing category. All other derby rules apply.
5. Anglers are subject to random spot checking for registration and licensing. All licensed fishermen must be registered. Any unlicensed fishermen will disqualify all anglers in the boat or onshore.
6. Each angler is limited to one registry.
7. In-boat fishing boundaries are east of the Benicia bridge
8. All in-boat anglers may submit a maximum of one striped bass and one sturgeon each day of the competition.
9. Striped Bass: Target Length will be announced at 6:00 am Saturday and Sunday. The closest to the target length measured from the closed mouth to the tail fork is the 1st place winner. In case of a tie in length, the winner will be determined by time of measurement. The first striped bass measured in will be the winner. It is highly encouraged to catch and release all fish when possible.
10. Sturgeon: Target lengths will be announced at 6:00 am Saturday and Sunday. The closest to the target length measured from the tip of the nose to the fork of the tail is the 1st place winner. In case of a tie in length, the winner will be determined by time of measurement. The first sturgeon measured will be the winner. All sturgeon that are entered must be alive for official observation. It is highly encouraged to catch and release all fish when possible.
11. All fish must be measured by event judges at the Pittsburg Public Boat Launch Ramps.
12. All fish must be free of damage to heads or tails, and tagged (F&G Sturgeon Tag).
13. Event judges may refuse to accept or measure a fish at any time upon their discretion.
14. No measurements will be conducted for fish on boats that are not checked-in and in line at the measuring station by 4:00 pm on Sunday, September 29, 2019.
15. All cash winners may be required to pass polygraph test and provide valid identification to claim their prize.
16. NO FISHING before 6am Saturday, September 28th.
17. NO FISHING after 4:00 pm Sunday, September 29th.
18. Fish caught after 6:00 pm on Saturday, September 28 may be measured to win on Sunday, September 29, 2018.

Event Schedule:

Saturday, September 28, 2018	
6:00 am	Day 1 targets announced, day-of registration opens, and the derby begins
8:00 am	Measuring Stations Open
6:00 pm	Measuring Stations Close
6:30 pm	Day 1 Awards Ceremony
Sunday, September 29, 2018	
6:00 am	Day 2 targets announced
8:00 am	Measuring Stations Open
4:00 pm	Measuring Stations Close, and the derby ends
4:30 pm	Day 2 Awards Ceremony

 If registering by mail, please make checks payable to: The City of Pittsburg **CALL: (925) 252-4019 for questions**

Angler Name: _____	CF# (if fishing from a boat): _____
Address: _____	Circle one: I will be fishing ON-SHORE or OFF-SHORE
City: _____	Zip: _____
Email: _____	Phone: _____

Shore Fishing Allowed Areas Map

