

29th Annual Great Saginaw River

KIDS FREE FISHING DAY

Saturday, June 13, 2009

8-10 a.m.

Ojibway Island in Saginaw
Registration is 7:30-9:30 a.m.

Prizes:

Many great prizes including fishing poles, tackle boxes and more! You can win a prize just by attending.

Registration:

To participate in the contest, each child ages 3-15 years must have their parent or guardian fill out the registration form. This signed form and an adult (18 years of age or older) must accompany each child when registering for the contest on Ojibway Island on June 13.

Age Groups:

3-6 years old; 7-10 years old; and 11-15 years old

Equipment:

Bring your own fishing pole and bait. A limited amount of free bait will be available.

Kids Free Fishing Day promotes catch and release.

Join Cub Scouts: The Cub Scouts will be on hand with information on how to join. All boys in grades K - 4 who join Cub Scouts at Fishing Day will receive a FREE FISHING LURE! For more info call 989-695-5593.

Rules and Regulations:

To participate in the Kids Free Fishing Day, all participants must agree to abide by and follow all Michigan State Fishing Regulations. Those registering a fish must be willing to have their parent or guardian make a sworn statement that their fish was caught within the rules of the contest. All fish must be caught from Ojibway Island on Saturday, June 13, 2009, from 8 a.m. to 10 a.m. Entrants must personally catch any fish to be entered in this contest. Enter as many fish as you like, this will increase your chance of winning a prize. Odds of winning a prize depends on the number of registrations received and the number of fish caught. Multiple prizes may be awarded. A ticket will be issued when each child registers; one registration per entrant. Another ticket is given for each fish caught and turned into the fish return tent located on the west side of the Island. A random prize drawing will be conducted the day of the event at about 10:45 a.m. from all tickets. Prizes will be awarded in each age category. You must be present to win. If you do not redeem your ticket within one minute of being declared a potential winner, you forfeit all rights to the prize and an alternate winner may be selected.

All fish may be registered only once and may be marked at the fish return station. It is our goal to preserve the fish resource and return all fish to the water alive, so transport your fish to the fish return area in water as often as necessary. Participation is open to legal residents of Michigan who are at least 3, but not older than 15 years of age as of the date of the entry. Participation is open to amateur status anglers only. Sponsors are not responsible for registration forms or tickets that are lost, late, damaged, illegible, incomplete, incorrect, or misdirected, or for errors in the administration, or fulfillment of this contest, including without limitation, mechanical, human, printing, distribution, or production errors and may modify or cancel the promotion based on such error at its sole discretion without liability. This contest is subject to all federal, and Michigan state and local laws and regulations. Void outside Michigan and where otherwise prohibited. All decisions of the contest officials are final and binding in all respects. Violation of any rules may lead to immediate disqualification, as determined in the contest officials' sole discretion. Income and other taxes, if any, are the sole responsibility of the winners. The parent or legal guardian of winners may be required to sign an affidavit of eligibility upon accepting the prizes or an alternate winner may be chosen. No substitutions for prizes except by Sponsors in which case a prize of equal or greater value will be substituted.

General Release:

By signing your name above and in consideration of your participation or the participation of your child or legal ward, in the Kids Free Fishing Day held on Saturday, June 13, 2009 (The "Event") organized by the Shiawassee National Wildlife Refuge (NWR), City of Saginaw, The Dow Chemical Michigan Operations Fishing Club, Lake Huron Area Council BSA, Friends of Shiawassee NWR, and U. S. Naval Sea Cadet Corps, H.R. Doud Division ("Sponsors"), the above-signed hereby releases Sponsors and any related or affiliated companies and their respective officers, directors, agents, employees, licensee, subsidiaries, consultants and independent contractors (collectively, the "Releasees") of and from any and all liability, claims, demands, actions, and causes of action whatsoever, arising out of or related to any loss, damage, or injury, including death, that may be sustained by the above-signed, his/her child or legal ward, or any property of such individuals, arising from or in connection with the Event, or any prizes awarded, including claims that are known and unknown, foreseen and unforeseen, future or contingent, or that arise out of the negligence of Sponsors.

The above-signed, being fully aware of the risks inherent in participating in the Event, hereby elects to voluntarily to engage in such activity, and/or allow his/her child or legal ward to do so. The above-signed hereby voluntarily assumes all risk or loss, damage, or injury, including death, that may be sustained by the above-signed, his/her child or legal ward, or any property of such individuals, in connection with such activity.

This release shall be binding upon the distributees, heirs, next of kin, personal representatives, executors, and administrators of the above-signed. The above-signed also acknowledges the fact that Sponsors may publish photographs or the Event and entrants' names, likenesses and photographs, for advertising, editorial or publicity purposes. The above-signed hereby grants, releases and quit claims to Sponsors the right to use his/her name of likeness, and/or the name(s) and likeness(es) of his/her child or legal ward in the above promotional, advertising and editorial materials and acknowledges that any photographs, videotape or film taken may be exhibited and re-exhibited without limitation or liability or further compensation.

In signing the foregoing General Release, the above-signed hereby acknowledges and represents that he/she has read the foregoing release and fully understands it. The above-signed understands that this is a release of liability which will legally prevent him/her or any other person from filing suit or making any other legal claim against Releasees, relating to the causes of actions or claims hereby waived or released by above-signed. The above-signed nevertheless enters into this agreement freely and voluntarily and agrees that is binding upon the above-signed, his/her heirs, assigns and legal representatives.

Copies of this form are available at the Shiawassee National Wildlife Refuge, Green Point Environmental Learning Center, and City of Saginaw, or call (989) 759-1669 to have one faxed to you.

This event is sponsored by: Shiawassee National Wildlife Refuge (NWR), City of Saginaw, Dow Chemical Michigan Operations Fishing Club, Lake Huron Area Council – Boy Scouts of America, Friends of Shiawassee NWR, and U.S. Naval Sea Cadet Corps – H.R. Doud Division

Registration Form

Child's Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Check appropriate age category:

3-6 7-10 11-15

I have read and agree with the General Release and contest rules.

Parent/Guardian

Signature: _____

Date: _____