

# RCPIA Youth Fishing Derby – June 27, 2026

Casting range – hit the target all kids win a prize.

Adult mentorship on safety, rigging, baiting hooks, and tying knots.

Free bait and RCPIA Volunteers will assist you with your fishing and measure your “catch”.

TWO AGE GROUPS: (4-8) & (9-15)

Prizes in each age group for the largest fish caught and most fish caught.

An important part of angling is enjoying the time outside on the water, the thrill of the pursuit, friends and family.

## CONTEST RULES

All contestants must bring their fishing rod & reel.

All contestants must check in at the registration table. (Registration 7:00am – 7:30 am).

No fishing is allowed before the official contest starting time (7:30 am)

Each contestant must use only one fishing rod and reel.

Parents may help with rigging, baiting, and casting fishing rods.

Winning fish will be determined by overall length. (nose to the tip of tail)

All ties and any other decisions will be made by the RCPIA Judging Group.

Fishing from the boat ramp or beach only, no boats or watercraft.

**Complete on line registration found at <https://forms.gle/T8jRurnn17zei85o7>**

Note: Event limited to first 40 anglers / Pre-registration(s) must be received by 6/25/2026.

**As the parent and/or guardian of the registered child(ren) and in consideration of the participation of the named minor child(ren) in the activity or activities set forth above to indemnify and hold harmless and blameless Rock Creek Park Improvement Association (RCPIA) and individual supporters from any and all liability from damages, loss or injuries, either to person or property, which said individual may sustain while engaged in the activity or activities conducted by or in connection with the event. I authorize RCPIA Youth Fishing Derby to use my child's photograph and name for promotional purposes for press releases, brochures, flyers and/or any other publication.**