



2024 Boones Mill Kid's Fishing Rodeo Saturday, April 27, 2024 9 am to 3 pm



Free fishing for kids 14 years old and under; No fishing license required!

Maggodee Creek in Boones Mill will be stocked with over 1,000 trout. Prizes are for the biggest catches! Volunteers will be on hand to give fishing tips, and there will be free educational materials about fish, streams, and the environment.

Rules

- The rodeo will occur on Saturday, April 27, 2024, from 9 am to 3 pm along a specifically marked section of Maggodee Creek. A horn will sound at 9 am as the official start of the rodeo. The same horn will sound at 3 pm officially ending the rodeo. Registration will start at 7 am.
- Parents/guardians will be required to sign a general release of liability and hold harmless agreement before they and their kids can participate.
- 3. Children must be always accompanied by an adult during the event.
- 4. Wristbands will be issued to participants and their parents/guardians at the registration area and must be worn at all times during the event. People lacking a wristband will not be allowed to participate in the rodeo.
- Parents/guardians must certify they are adults over 21
 years old and have a child or children 14 years old or
 younger who want to participate in the rodeo. <u>Adults</u>
 are not allowed to fish during the event.
- Only one fishing rod per participant is permitted. Legal baits and/or lures are ok to use. Donated rods are available for loan, first come, first serve, if you need one, rods and lures are sold at Boones Mill Mercantile.
- 7. Participants are limited to four (4) fish of any size.
- 8. Trophies and awards will be announced at 3:15 pm at the registration area located at Boones Mill Mercantile (adjacent to the Post Office) on Main Street. The weighing station will be there as well. Trophies will be awarded to the biggest fish by weight, and for second and third, a tie in weight will be determined by the longest fish.
- 9. Fishing laws will be enforced by the on-site game warden during and after the event.

Registration, Sponsorship, and Donations

Registration will be in front of <u>Boones Mill Mercantile</u>, 70 Main Street, Boones Mill, Virginia, 24065. Registration starts at 7 am.

Sponsorships welcome!

Donations of \$100 or more will get a marketing sign which will be on prominent display during the event. Donations above \$500 will get a large marketing banner.

Donations/sponsorships may be made online or via check. Scan the QR Code to donate online. Checks should be made out to Boones Mill Volunteer Fire Department with "Fishing Rodeo" noted on the memo line. Please mail checks to:

Boones Mill Volunteer Fire Department Attn: Carey Altice, Assistant Chief/Treasurer P.O. Box 61, Boones Mill, Virginia, 24065 E: Cardiac34@gmail.com

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