

Western Outdoor News 42nd Annual Lake Havasu Striper Derby Events Schedule

Friday, May 4th

4:00 – 6:30 PM – Team Check In

- Team Check-in and meeting at Havasu Riviera Marina located at 2067 Havasu Riviera Pkwy, Lake Havasu City, AZ 86406 between Acoma St and Mulberry Ave off the 95 HWY. There will be no entry fee to enter the marina for registration. Late Sign-ups, partner changes, blind bogey entries, Big Fish options will occur. Loco's Cocina will be providing authentic mexican food for the entire crowd. At 6:30 PM the Tournament Director will go over contest rules, highlight rule changes for 2023, and give a general overview of the weekend's events to those that are new to the event. After 6:30 PM, no further tournament entries will be accepted.

Saturday, May 4th

5:00 AM – Tournament officially begins.

- Boats and anglers may be on the water beginning at 4:00 AM prior to tournament start time, but no lines may be in the water before 5:00 AM. *Any team found fishing prior to start time will be disqualified.*
- Scales will open at Havasu Riviera Marina launch ramp area **beginning at 1:00 PM and will remain open until 4:00 PM.**
- **All contestants must be in line by 4:00 PM** to have their fish weighed. Teams arriving late will not have their fish weighed. **All fish weighed MUST come from boats docked at the weigh-in site. No walk-in or trailered-in fish will be weighed by tournament staff.**

Sunday, May 5th

• **5:00AM - Tournament Resumes**

Day two of the tournament officially begins at 5:00 AM. Once again, boats may be on the water starting at 4:00 AM, but may not be fishing until 5:00 AM. Scales will officially open at 11:00 AM at Havasu Riviera Marina and will close promptly at 1:00 PM. Again, all teams must be in line by 1:00 PM to have their fish weighed. Teams arriving late will not have their fish weighed. **All fish weighed MUST come from boats docked at the weigh-in site. No walk-in or trailered-in fish will be weighed by tournament staff.**

To allow anglers ample time to load their boats and get cleaned up, the awards ceremony will begin at 3:30 PM and run until roughly 5:00 PM. Awards will be presented at **HAVASU RIVIERA MARINA**. Awards will be presented to the top 10 teams and will also include Saturday and Sunday's blind bogey contest, Top 5 big fish awards, Big Fish optional payouts, Suzuki Spin to Win up to \$3000 and finally, the Grand Raffle prize will be awarded to some lucky Striper Derby contestant!

Once the boat and motor package have been awarded, the 42nd Annual Western Outdoor News Lake Havasu Striper Derby will have concluded. Everyone please drive home safely and we'll look forward to seeing you back at Lake Havasu in 2025.