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Region	Contest Name	Date & Hours	Waterbody	Species of Fish	Contest Sponser	Contact Person	Telephone
1	2020 Fall Mack Days	Sept 18-Nov 15, 2020 *Date Change due to COVID-19	Flathead Lake	Lake Trout	Confederate d Salish & Kootenai Tribes	Cindy Benson	406-675-2700 ex 7294
1	2020 Spring Mack Days	June 2-June 30, 2020 *Date change due to COVID-19	Flathead Lake	Lake Trout	Confederate d Salish & Kootenai Tribes	Cindy Benson	406-675-2700 ex 7294
1	Big Sky Bass Bash Echo Lake/TBF/ABA Buddy Series Qualifier	April 25-26, 2020 7am-3pm	Echo, Abbot, Peterson Lake	Largemouth Bass, Smallmouth Bass	Treasure State Angler Circuit	Chancy Jeschke/Don Collins	406-201-8853/406-261-3924
1	Big Sky Bass Bash Echo Lake	Sept 26,2020 7:30am-3pm	Echo, Abbot, Peterson Lake	Largemouth Bass, Smallmouth Bass	Treasure State Angler Circuit	Chancy Jeschke	406-210-8853
1	Bull Lake Pike Strike	June 20, 2020 6am-8pm	Bull Lake	Northern Pike	Halfway House Bar & Grill	Jason Williams	406-295-4358
1	Cabinet Gorge	July 11, 2020 11am-8pm	Cabinet Gorge Reservoir	Northern Pike	North Idaho Pike Association	Brock Morrow	208-661-6303
1	Fall Frenzy	Sept 12-13,2020 7am-2pm	Noxon Rapids Reservoir	Northern Pike	North Idaho Pike Association	Brock Morrow	208-661-6303

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1	Inland Empire Bass Club	September 26-27, 2020 6am-4pm	Noxon Reservoir	Largemouth Bass, Smallmouth Bass	Inland Empire Bass Club	Charles Croft	1-509-220-9040
1	Koocanusa Classic	April 4-5, 2020 6am-4pm	Lake Koocanusa	Rainbow Trout	Tobacco Valley Rod and Gun Club	Rose Carvey	406-297-3378
1	Koocanusa Resort & Marina Trout & Salmon Derby	May 16-17, 2020 12:01am-2pm	Lake Koocanusa	Rainbow Trout, Kokanee Salmon	Koocanusa Resort & Marina	Randy Burch	406-293-7474
1	Montana TBF State Team Qualifier	Aug 22-23, 2020 6am-3pm	Noxon Reservoir	Largemouth Bass, Smallmouth Bass	MT TBF	Don Collins	406-261-3924
1	MT Bass Nation State Championship	June 12-14, 2020 6-4pm	Noxon Reservoir	Largemouth Bass, Smallmouth Bass	MT Bass Nation	Mike Dominick	406-493-9559
1	MT Bass Nation Team Open	May 16-17, 2020 6am-4pm	Noxon Reservoir	Largemouth Bass, Smallmouth Bass	MT Bass Nation	Mike Dominick	406-493-9559
1	Pike Pursuit	May 30-31, 2020 8am-3pm	Loon, Crystal, Upper, Middle, Lower Thompson Lakes	Non-Native Northern Pike	Happy's Inn	Kris Cole	406-334-3783

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1	TBF/ABA Buddy Series Qualifier	May 10, 2020 6am-3pm	Lake Mary, Ronan	Largemouth Bass	MT TBF	Don Collins	406-261-3924
1	TBF/ABA Buddy Series Qualifier	Aug 8-9, 2020 7am-3pm	Bull Lake, Troy	Largemouth Bass, Smallmouth Bass	MT TBF	Don Collins	406-261-3924
1	Tri-State Buddy Tournament/TBF/ABA Buddy Series	July 25-26, 2020 6am-3pm	Noxon Reservoir	Largemouth, Smallmouth Bass	Clark Fork Bass Anglers/TBF of Montana/ABA	Don Collins/Patrick Gollen	406-261-3924/406-827/1515
4	Ackley Lake Club 2020 Tiger Muskie Fishing Derby Fundraiser	June 20-21, 2020 8am-6pm	Ackley Lake	Tiger Muskie	Ackley Lake Club	Lewis Reedy	406-423-5645
4	Broadwater Rod & Gun Club Walleye Derby	July 11, 2020 8am-3pm	Canyon Ferry	Walleye, Carp, Northern Pike	Broadwater Rod & Gun Club	Debi Randolph/Doug Breker	406-451-6035/406-949-0070
4	Camp Mak-A-Dream Walleye Benefit	Aug 14, 2020 7am-3:00pm	Canyon Ferry Reservoir	Walleye	WU-Helena	Carol Henckel	406-633-2598
4	Canyon Ferry Carp Safari	June 13, 2020 5am-5pm	Canyon Ferry Lake	Common Carp	Montana Bowhunters Association	Joelle Selk	406-422-6798
4	Canyon Ferry Walleye Festival- 2020 Sunrise Tournament	June 27-28 6am-2pm	Canyon Ferry Reservoir	Walleye, Carp, Northern Pike	Townsend Area Chamber of Commerce	Shawn Jacobs	406-431-0742

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4	John Arnold Fish Derby	Aug 22, 2020 8am- 3pm	Hauser Reservoir	Walleye, Yellow Perch, Northern Pike	WU- Missouri River Chapter	Jim Gillespie	406-449- 8639
4	Lewistown Bowhunters Association Carp Quest	June 20, 2020 First light-4pm	Petrolia Reservoir	Common Carp	Lewistown Bowhunters Association	Stephen LePage	406-535- 5636
4	Tiber Tournament	July 25-26, 2020 7am- 4pm	Tiber Reservoir/La ke Elwell	Walleye	Walleyes Unlimited- Great Falls Chapter	Ray Cole	406-868- 2028
5	14th Annual Yellowstone Challenge	May 9, 2020 10:30am- 7pm	Yellowstone River	Channel Catfish	Montana Catfish Association	Brady Flaten	406-939- 0209
5	Worden Cat Havoc	July 25, 2020 12pm-8pm	Yellowstone River	Channel Catfish	Fish Hard Industries	Eddie White	406-696- 1281
6	19th Annual MT Pikemasters Public Tournament	June13-14, 2020 7am- 3pm	Fort Peck, Dry Arm, Rock Creek Marina	Northern Pike, Walleye, Smallmouth Bass	Montana Pikemasters- Billings Chapter	Clay Buckmiller	406-860- 7435
6	20th Annual Women's Fishing Contest	July 18, 2020 7am-3pm	Fort Peck Reservoir	Walleye, Northern Pike, Bass	Walleyes Unimited- Glasgow Chapter	Jill Meiers	406-263- 7553

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6	21st Annual Milk River Catfish Classic	June 6, 2020 4pm-12am	Milk River (Bjornberg Bridge to mouth of the Milk River)	Channel Catfish	Montana Catfish Association	Brenner Flaten	406-263- 7909
6	33rd Annual MT Governo's Cup Walleye Tournament	July 9- 12,2020 7am-4pm	Fort Peck	Walleye, Northern Pike	Glasgow Area Chamber of Commerce	Lisa Koski	406-228- 2222
6	Crooked Creek Walleye Classic	August 15- 16, 2020 7am-4pm *Date change due to COVID-19	Fort Peck	Walleye, Northern Pike, Smallmouth Bass	Walleyes Unlimited- Crooked Creek Chapter	Slim Craig	406-366- 6313
6	Fishin For The Cure	Aug 1, 2020 7am-4pm	Fort Peck	Northern Pike, Walleye, Smallmouth Bass	Fishing For The Cure	Tracy Russo	406-924- 9255
6	Hell Creek Ladies Fishing Tournament	June 27-28 7am-3pm	Fort Peck- (Hell Creek)	Walleye	Walleyes Unlimited- Jordan Chapter	Rebecca Stein Phipps	406-853- 3546
6	Hell Creek Walleye Tournament	July 25-26, 2020 7am- 3pm	Fort Peck Reservoir (Hell Creek)	Walleye, Northern Pike	Walleyes Unlimited- Jordan Chapter	Casey Thomas	406-977- 2718
6	N.B.A.A. Qualifier 1	May 30-31, 2020 6am- 4pm	Fort Peck	Smallmouth Bass	Eastern Montana Bass Association	Richard Gilmore	406-208- 0564

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6	N.B.A.A. Qualifier 2	Aug 8-9, 2020 6am-4pm	Fort Peck	Smallmouth Bass	Eastern Montana Bass Association	Richard Gilmore	406-208-0564
6	N.B.A.A. Qualifier 3	Sept 19-20, 2020 6am-4pm	Fort Peck	Smallmouth Bass	Eastern Montana Bass Association	Richard Gilmore	406-208-0564
6	Rock Creek Walleye Tournament	June 6-7, 2020 7am-3pm	Fort Peck Reservoir	Walleye, Northern Pike	Walleyes Unlimited-Wolf Point Chapter	Steve Harada	406-653-1463
7	Big Sky C.A.T.S. State Championship	Sept 12-13,2020 7am-3pm	Yellowstone River	Channel Catfish	Fish Hard Industries	Eddie White	406-696-1281
7	Forsyth Cat Bash	June 13, 2020 9am-5pm	Yellowstone River	Channel Catfish	Fish Hard Industries	Eddie White	406-696-1281
7	Glendive Catfish Tournament	September 19, 2020 8am-4pm *Date change due to COVID-19	Yellowstone River	Channel Catfish	Steven Linder	Steven Linder	406-939-5925
7	Monster Catfish Roundup	July 18, 2020 7am-3pm	Yellowstone River	Channel Catfish	Montana Catfish Association	Steven Harris	406-489-1170
7	Savage Volunteer Fire Dept Catfish Tournament	June 13, 2020 7am-3:30pm	Yellowstone (Cottonwood Creek to Sidney Bridge)	Catfish	Savage Volunteer Fire Dept	Brady Reuter/Holly Salsbury	406-480-9041 or 406-776-2474

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7	Spring Cat Slam	May 2, 2020 7am-3pm	Yellowstone River	Channel Catfish	Fish Hard Industries	Eddie White	406-696-1281
7	Yellowstone River Classic	Sept 12, 2020 8am-4pm	Yellowstone River	Walleye and Smallmouth Bass	Walleyes Unlimited-Miles City Chapter	CJ Truesdale	307-399-3498
7	Yellowstone River Rats Walleye Tournament	Oct 17, 2020 8am-4pm	Yellowstone River (North Dakota line to Obergfells Island)	Walleye, Northern Pike	Yellowstone River Rats	Todd Dooley	701-580-4227
FISHING CONTESTS CANCELLED DUE TO COVID-19							
1	Bull Lake	May 9, 2020 7am-4pm	Bull Lake	Northern Pike	North Idaho Pike Association	Brock Morrow	208-661-6303
4	Fort Benton Spring Classic Fishing Derby	May 15-17, 2020 5pm-12pm	Missouri, Marias, Teton	Catfish, Sturgeon, Smallmouth Bass, Northern Pike, Carp, Goldeye, Walleye, Burbot, Drum	Lehman's True Value	Dustin Lehman	406-799-6358
4	Lions Club Father's Day Fish Derby	June 21, 2020 7am-3pm	Newlan Creek Reservoir	Rainbow Trout, Brown Trout, Kokanee Salmon	White Sulphur Springs Lions Club	Gerald Zarr	406-547-3802

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5	Bighorn River Alliance Carp Tournament	July 10, 2020 10am-4pm	Bighorn Reservoir	Common Carp	Bighorn River Alliance	Anne Marie Emery	208-520-6290
6	Fresno Challenge	June 13-14, 2020 7am-4pm	Fresno Reservoir	Walleye, Northern Pike	Walleyes Unlimited-Fresno Chapter	Steve Chvilicek	406-262-3199
6	Jerry Johnston Memorial Tough Guy Tournament	April 18, 2020 8am-4pm	Fort Peck	Walleye, Northern Pike	Walleyes Unlimited-Jordan Chapter	Clyde Phipps	406-977-2200