

SPORT FISHING CONTEST - SEATTLE POGGIE CLUB

The Seattle Poggie Club fishing contest is intended to recognize members' success in fishing for salmon, trout, and steelhead. These guidelines are intended to establish fair and equitable measures of standard of conduct for the contest.

The Board of Directors will review all entries and act as final judges. Any affidavit found to be in error will be cancelled and the entry will be considered void. The Board of Directors' decision is final.

The contest starts January 1st and ends December 31st. Awards will be presented at the Annual Awards Night Banquet. Member must hook and play fish being entered. Netting assistance is permitted. All fish entered in this contest must be caught on sport tackle, in waters under jurisdiction of the State of Washington, and in compliance with the sport fishing rules established by the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife.

A member is encouraged to enter as many fish as he or she catches; however, the largest fish will be considered the only entry in each category. No one can win more than one trophy and if a member has firsts in more than one category, those entries will be engraved on one trophy. The member will receive one trophy button for each first place entry. In the event of a tie for first, each member will receive a trophy and award button.

For an entry to be eligible, dues must be paid up at the time the fish is caught, unless the fish is caught prior to the January general meeting, in which case, dues must be paid at the January meeting.

Fish will be weighed in the round. All fish will be witnessed at weigh-in. Witness does not have to be a Seattle Poggie Club Member.

Official affidavits must be filed with contest chairperson within 30 days of the date the fish is caught. Postmarks on letters must meet the 30 day requirement. It is the responsibility of the member entering a fish to aggressively pursue the filing of the affidavit.

CONTEST AWARDS

Awards include trophies and award buttons for the largest fish entered in each division. First Place receives a trophy and a button. Second and Third Place each receive award buttons.

Chinook	Inside Waters	Coho	Inside Waters	Blackmouth	Jan 1 - Apr 30 - Areas 5 - 13
	Outside Waters		Outside Waters		Nov 1 - Dec 31 - Areas 5 - 13
	Fresh Waters		Fresh Waters		
Chum	All Water	Pink	All Waters	Trout (All species)	All Waters
Steelhead	All Waters				

Outside waters are defined as catch record card areas one through seven. Inside waters are defined as catch record areas eight through thirteen.

Send all Entries to: Poggie Thomas Butler, 7217 NE 175th St. #114, Kenmore, WA 98028... butler.thomas22@gmail.com

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**FISHING CONTEST AFFIDAVIT
Seattle Poggie Club**

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SPECIES _____ WEIGHT _____

DATE CAUGHT _____ LURE _____

HOW CAUGHT _____ LINE TEST _____

WHERE _____ LEADER TEST _____

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NAME OF ENTRANT _____

ADDRESS _____

WITNESS _____

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* Affidavits must be filed with the contest chairperson within thirty (30) days of the date fish is caught.