

LOUISIANA BASS FEDERATION
5116 Ross Lane
Marrero, La. 70072

Fellow Bassmasters,

The upcoming Fall Qualifier will be held at Red River Alexandria, La. The tournament dates are September 26-27, 2009, with the official practice dates September 24-25, 2009. Dead water will be from September 13, 2009 at dusk thru September 23, 2008. During the tournament you will be able to lock thru to Pool 3 and Pool 1. The applications for the tournament must be postmarked by September 13, 2009 and sent to the address above. Make checks payable to Louisiana Bass Federation Nation. Please make copies of the enclosed application and distribute to your members. Members who have paid for both tournaments, please identify on your application, those members who paid for one tournament, your entry fee is \$125.00.

There will be a general membership meeting on Thursday, September 24, 2008 at the Best Western Inn and Suites in Alexandria. The meeting will begin with a supper hosted by the Red River Waterway Commission beginning at 5:00 pm, the meeting will be held following the meal. On the agenda will be changes in the Casting Kids Program, Junior Bassmasters, Central Divisional Tournament, and the Federation Nationals. Plus we will decided on a new format for the 2010 Tournament Season.

On September 25, 2008 we will check inn at the Alexandria Public Boat Launch beginning at 5:00 pm. We will have the trailer set up and there is a Pavillion with Men's and Ladies restrooms. You will check in and acknowledge your status and pay for Big Bass. We will begin drawing for partners at 6:00 pm. There will be no meal on Friday, so we should be out of there in no time. We will draw for Sunday partners after the weigh-in on Saturday. On Sunday we will give out the payout, then award the State Team with plaques.

Here is the host hotel, be sure to call and make reservations. They have plenty of outside plug-ins for charging. Be sure to mention you are fishing the BASS Federation Nation Tournament.

Best Western Inn and Suites 318-445-5530
2720 North MacArthur
Alexandria, La 71303

If you have any questions you can call me at 504-450-5651.

Wayne Allemand