

# PRIZES

1 <sup>st</sup>	\$1500
5 <sup>th</sup>	\$300
10 <sup>th</sup>	\$150
Ball & Chain Award  The highest placing male/female teams.	\$100
Incredibly Mediocre Award*  The 24 <sup>th</sup> place team.	\$100

*\*25-boats required*

## ***Schedule of Events***

### **Friday, September 11, 2020**

5:30 PM Pre-fishing Ends

### **Saturday, September 12, 2020**

6-7 AM Boat check & launching  
(Green Lake State Water Access)

7 AM Fishing Begins

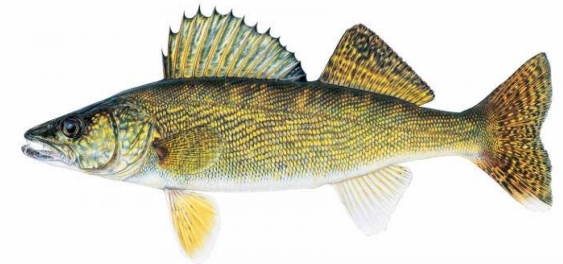
3 PM Fishing Ends

4:30 PM Awards at Zorbaz beach on Green Lake

Call with questions: 612-701-5405

*Note: There will be a requirement of 15 boats to hold the fishing benefit. All entries will be refunded if the minimum boat number is not reached.*

## Stand Up 2 Ataxia's 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Fishing Benefit



This fishing benefit is to bring awareness to ataxia and to help raise money for a cure. Ataxia affects at least 150,000 Americans, three times the number of individuals affected by Lou Gehrig's disease (ALS)

All proceeds go to benefit the BAARC (Bob Allison Ataxia Research Center) at the U of M (University of Minnesota).

# Entry Form (2020)

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

[2]

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like a text confirmation of your entry? \_\_\_\_\_

- Form must include the entry fee of **\$125 per boat** and must be received no later than 09/05/2020.

**Send checks to:           Stand Up 2 Ataxia**  
**14477 Holland Ct**  
**Apple Valley, MN 55124**

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

\*By entering Stand Up 2 Ataxia's 2020 Fishing Benefit, I agree to follow the rules and agree that the tournament officials and sponsors shall assume no liability for any injury that might occur or theft of any equipment. I will not pre-fish after 5:30 PM Friday, September 11, 2020.

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## OFFICIAL RULES

**Launching and Docking:** Launching will take place at Green Lake State Water Access launch in Spicer at 6:30 AM. During tournament hours boats may only be docked at Zorbaz on Green Lake for any reason.

**Fishing Hours:** The tournament will be held from 7:00 AM to 3:00 PM on Saturday, September 12, 2020.

**Scoring:** All scoring will be announced and prizes awarded at Zorbaz on Green Lake only. Prizes will be based on total weight as follows: Walleye (12 per team), Bass (large mouth or small mouth (12 per team), Pike (4 per team). One pound = one point (ex. 3.5 lb. = 3.5 points). No dead fish will be accepted. Fish on stringers will be considered dead.

**Bonus Points:** A onetime bonus of 3 points will be awarded for entering all three species; walleye, northern and bass.

**Length(s):** Bass minimum 12", Walleye minimum 15" (no more than 1 over 20"), and Pike minimum 24" (no more than 2 over 26" and none from 22-26"). Penalty for under-length fish is the weight of that fish deducted from your limit.

**Weighing:** will be done at Zorbaz on Green Lake. At the end of the tournament no fish should be bagged or brought to the weigh station until an official calls for it. Leave fish in an aerated livewell. Contestants are urged to weigh-in throughout the day, but once a fish has been weighed it becomes part of the bag limit and team weight.

**Fish Inspection:** Tournament officials shall have the right to open and inspect any fish during the weigh-in process.

**Ties:** will be broken by the largest walleye caught; if still tied, by the largest northern; then the largest bass.

**Teams:** may consist of a maximum of two people.

**Eligibility:** Persons under 18 can only participate as the teammate of an angler of 18 years or older. The adult member of any team assumes responsibility for the minor team member.

**Tackle:** Artificial and live baits may be used. Barbless hooks are encouraged.

**Safety:** All contestants must observe U.S. Coast Guard and current Minnesota boating regulations. All contestants will wear an approved personal floatation device upon take-off from the starting line.

**Fishing Area:** Green Lake in Kandiyohi County will be used.

**Contestants:** may quit fishing and weigh their catch at any time during the tournament, but once having quit, are through for the day.

**Boat and Motor:** Must meet U.S. Coast Guard and Minnesota boating regulations for two persons occupancy and maximum permissible motor size. Boats must have a functioning live well system.

**Boat Inspection:** may take place before launching and will be constantly observed during the tournament. Boats or boat trailers found to have milfoil or other plant life on them may be disqualified. All contestants' boats shall be readily identifiable by a uniquely colored ribbon which will remain attached to the bow of the boat at all times. In the event of an emergency, officials will be in boats on tournament waters or at the weigh station. Breaking these rules will result in disqualification. Boats may go through AIS inspection when leaving the lake after the tournament.

**Interpretation of Rules:** It is the exclusive prerogative of the tournament committee. On the day of the tournament, the decisions of judges and officials shall be final in all matters.

**Closed Throttle Operation:** Boat operation shall be closed throttle in all areas so designated by signs, buoys or markers and in any area so designated by the tournament officials.

**Fish and Game Law Violations:** will result in immediate disqualification.

**Entry Forms:** may be rejected for any reason.