

Crystal Lakes Road and Recreation Association  
Fishing Regulations  
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GENERAL: ALL anglers fisherman are required to VISIBLY WEAR Crystal Lakes Road & Recreation Identification, i.e. fishing membership badges or guest fishing passes obtained at the Association's office. Only (4) guest anglers per day are allowed per property. A Colorado Fishing License IS NOT required to fish in any lake or pond on Crystal Lakes property. A Colorado Fishing License IS required to fish the streams. Children under the age of 15 are not required to have a Colorado Fishing License.

REGISTRATION: All eligible members must have their guests & guests' children register at the Association's office and purchase a guest pass before fishing; these guest passes must be VISIBLY worn at all times while fishing.

FISHING REGULATIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS

1. ELIGIBILITY FOR FISHING MEMBERSHIP

- A. FISHING MEMBERS: Fishing privileges in Crystal Lakes are gained through membership in the CLR&R Association. Every CLR&R membership with paid annual Association dues and assessments will be provided yearly Crystal Lakes Fishing badges upon application. (Refer to CLR&R Association bylaws for definition of CLR&R Association membership). Fiscal year badge stickers are valid for the FY issued and members may fish through June 30<sup>th</sup> of the next fiscal year. Members MAY NOT fish after June 30<sup>th</sup> until the next fiscal year's assessments and all prior delinquent fees and assessments are paid. A maximum of two (2) primary fishing badges will be issued per membership to property owners, primary badges are issued to persons with their names on the property's title only. Permanently and legally disabled dependents and dependent children under 21 years of age will be issued fishing badges at the CLR&R office.
- B. GUESTS: All other persons, except annual lessees (refer to Paragraph 2D), who wish to fish in Crystal Lakes must be the guest of a fishing member and must purchase a guest pass.

2. GUEST FISHING POLICIES

- A. ANNUAL GUEST POLICY: Each category 1A membership unit may purchase annual guest passes, each of which must be assigned to a specific individual for the entire fiscal year at a cost of \$150.
- B. DAILY GUEST PASSES: Each category 1A membership unit may purchase daily guest passes for the costs outlined below. All persons using daily guest passes must be accompanied by a member, except as described in paragraph 2D. The daily guest pass is a 24-hour, midnight-to-midnight, pass.
  - 1) Adult guests 15 years of age and older \$ 20.00 per day
  - Five (5)-consecutive-days pass: \$ 80.00
  - 2) Dependent guests 9-14 years of age: \$ 10.00 per day
  - Five-consecutive-days pass: \$ 40.00
  - 3) Dependent guests under 9 years of age No Charge
    - a) Guest anglers under 9 years of age must be accompanied by a Crystal Lakes member or a paying guest angler 15 years of age or older to receive a free pass.
- C. REDUCED RATE CARD: Each category 1A membership unit may purchase bulk rate punch cards, this is a \$200.00 value for the price of \$150.00. This punch may be exchanged for 20 youth or 10 adult day passes or a combination of the two.
- D. UNACCOMPANIED GUEST:
  - 1) Persons who wish to purchase daily guest passes and who will be fishing unaccompanied by a member must have a LETTER OF AUTHORIZATION signed by a member.
  - 2) Annual Leases: Property owners with additional improved property that is leased for one year, and who provide proof of a one-year lease to the Crystal Lakes office, shall be entitled to two (2) adult fishing badges to be assigned to the lessees of the property. Dependent children would not be included, but could purchase badges under the current Crystal Lakes guest fee structure.
- E. GUEST WITH MEMBER BADGES: A *Guest with Member* Badge is available for a cost of \$50.00/badge, good for one year from the date of purchase. This badge may be used by any designated guest who **must be accompanied by a C.L. fishing member in good standing**. All fish kept must be applied to the accompanying member's limit. Even if more than one *Guest with Member* badge is used, the member's limit still applies. A maximum of four (4) *Guest with Member* badges may be purchased per property.
- F. VIOLATIONS: All violations by a member and all violations of the Crystal Lakes fishing regulations by a guest angler will be considered as violations by the member, or lessee, example if your guest commits a violation you as the property owner receive the violation citation. All violations of fishing regulations by minors will be considered violations by parents or the responsible adult.

### 3. BAG LIMITS AND SPECIAL REGULATIONS – CATCH & RELEASE SPORTSMAN AREAS

#### A. UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE ALL STREAMS within the Crystal Lakes' boundaries will be catch-and-release, single hook, artificial lures and flies only.

##### A.1. THE NORTH FORK of the POUUDRE, east of the TAMI ROAD BRIDGE to NATIONAL FOREST BOUNDARY.

- 1) Only flies and lures may be used in this area, barbless hooks recommended.
- 2) All fish caught must be released immediately.
- 3) Any fish found in possession on SPORTSMAN AREA waters will be considered to have been caught in that area, \$150.00 fine for this violation plus \$20.00 for each fish in possession.

##### B. CUTTHROAT POND at BEAVER PARK on TINY BOB ROAD:

- 1) Catch and Release only; all fish caught are to be released alive immediately.
- 2) Flies only. NO LURES OR BAIT.
- 3) Same as 3.-A.-3) above.

##### C. BOATING REGULATIONS:

- 1) All boats must be registered with the CLR&R office and display a Crystal Lakes sticker.
- 2) Boats and float tubes are allowed on Crystal Lake only.
- 3) Boats must have one life jacket on board for each occupant.
- 4) No gasoline motors may be used. GAS motors must be removed from the boat and the boat cleaned of any fuel products before launching. Only electric trolling motors may be used.
- 5) Boats may be launched by hand from any point on the lake. The only places a vehicle may launch a boat are at the West End of the lake by the boathouse, and at Lakeview Park on the Northeast end.
- 6) When not in use, all boats must be stored in the boat storage facilities provided at either end of the lake or on individual owners' properties. Use of the boat storage facilities will require the payment of a boat storage fee to the CLW&S Association.

##### D. ICE FISHING SHELTERS:

- 1) Must be put in place by hand. Vehicles of all types are not allowed on the ice.
- 2) All ice fishing shelters must be removed from lakes when not in use.

##### E. DAILY BAG LIMIT:

- 1) A child under 9 years of age may catch one (1) fish, however if the child wishes to continue fishing they may apply his/her fish to his/her adult fishing partner's daily bag limit, not to exceed four (4) fish between the child and adult.
- 2) A youth 9 through 14 years of age may catch two (2) fish per day.
- 3) An adult 15 years of age or older may catch four (4) fish per day.

##### F. POSSESSION LIMIT:

- 1) Eight (8) fish in storage per angler.
- 2) Fish caught and placed on a stringer, in a container or live well, or not returned to the water immediately, are counted in the daily bag limit. Do not continue to fish after you have caught your limit.

### 4. GEAR:

#### A. BAIT, ROD, AND HOOKS:

- 1) No live minnows may be used as bait.
- 2) No live bait may be used, with the exception of worms, grasshoppers, or leaches.
- 3) No fish may be taken except in the ordinary manner with ONE rod and a maximum of two (2) hooks.

### 5. VIOLATIONS AND SECURITY:

#### A. VIOLATIONS: Violations of any of the Crystal Lakes fishing regulations will be submitted to the Crystal Lakes Fishing Board for action.

#### B. FISHING SECURITY:

- 1) The Crystal Lakes Fishing Board will monitor the fishing program and enforce the fishing regulations.
- 2) Abuse of or failure to cooperate with a fishing security person is a regulation violation.
- 3) Fishing security persons will have the authority to confiscate fishing permits and guest passes from violators, make creel checks and confiscate fish as evidence.
- 4) Fishing Board members will issue Fishing Citations if necessary.

#### C. COMMERCIAL GUIDE FISHING CLASSES:

- 1) **There is ZERO TOLERANCE of commercial guide fishing classes on any of the Crystal Lakes waters. Such instruction is expressly prohibited by CLRRRA Board action 11-19-05.**

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