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FISHING ONE DAY Date: _____ \$500.00

FOUR PLACES (based on 300 entries)
1st Place, \$42,500. , 2nd Place \$21,000. , 3rd Place \$10,000. 4th Place \$6,000. See rule (11)

Traditional Calcutta: \$150. \$ _____

Heaviest eligible shark takes Traditional Calcutta pot. If no eligible shark is caught in the Traditional Calcutta, one winner will be drawn out of a hat. see rule (9),(11)&(28)

Shark-Man Calcutta: \$300. \$ _____

1st Place takes 50%, 2nd Place 30%, 3rd Place 20% of Shark-man Pot. heaviest eligible shark.
If only one eligible shark is caught in the Shark-Man Calcutta, One winner will take all SMC pool money.
If (2) eligible sharks are caught the prize money will be split 70% for 1st place and 30% to the 2nd place.
If no eligible shark is caught in The Shark-Man Calcutta, (3) winners will be drawn out of a hat.
see rule (9),(11)&(28)

High-Roller Calcutta: \$500. \$ _____

Heaviest Mako, if no Mako is caught then the heaviest eligible shark takes High-Roller Calcutta Pot.
If no eligible shark is caught in the HRC Calcutta, the HRC pool money will be returned to the entries.
(Less 10%). See rule (9),(11)&(29)

WHALE Calcutta: \$1,000. \$ _____

Heaviest Mako, if no Mako is caught then the heaviest eligible shark takes High-Roller Calcutta Pot.
If no eligible shark is caught in the WHALE Calcutta, the Whale pool money will be returned to the entries.
(Less 10%). See rule (9),(11)&(29)

FISHING SECOND DAY Date: _____ \$500.00

FOUR PLACES (based on 300 entries)
1st Place, \$42,500. , 2nd Place \$21,000. , 3rd Place \$10,000. 4th Place \$6,000. See Rule (11)

Traditional Calcutta: \$150. \$ _____

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If no eligible shark is caught in the WHALE Calcutta, the Whale pool money will be returned to the entries.
(Less 10%). See rule (9),(11)&(29)

Total Fee \$ _____

***** Print Clearly *****

Entrants Name: _____ Boat Name: _____ #People on Board: _____

Street address: _____ City: _____ State: ___ Zip: _____

Make & Type of Boat: _____ Size: _____ Color: _____

Docking location for the tournament: _____

Entrants phone Number: _____ Emergency Phone Number: _____

E-Mail address: _____

YOU MUST SIGN THIS FORM BELOW. PLEASE INCLUDE LEGIBLE E-MAIL ADDRESS. RETURN ENTRY FORM WITH TOURNAMENT FEES.
(CASH OR CHECK. NO CREDIT CARDS) PAYABLE TO: GPPCBA, P.O. BOX 1355 , POINT PLEASANT BEACH, NJ 08742

BY SIGNING HERE (Entrant Signature) _____
YOU ARE ACKNOWLEDGING YOU HAVE READ ALL THE RULES, UNDERSTAND THEM FULLY AND AGREE TO ABIDE BY THEM; YOU RELEASE THE GREATER POINT PLEASANT CHARTER BOAT ASSOCIATION FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY FOR PROPERTY DAMAGE OR PERSONAL INJURY ARISING OUT OF YOUR PARTICIPATION IN THE TOURNAMENT; YOU HAVE ADVISED EACH OF YOUR BOATFISHING CREW AND MATES THAT THE TOURNAMENT WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PROPERTY LOSS OR PERSONAL INJURY OCCURRING DURING THE TOURNAMENT; YOU ARE THE OWNER/OPERATOR OF THE FISHING VESSEL IDENTIFIED HEREIN, AND SPECIFICALLY CONFIRM TO THE GREATER POINT PLEASANT CHARTER BOAT ASSOCIATION AND THE LATTER'S INSURANCE CARRIER, THAT YOU HAVE PROTECTION AND INDEMNITY INSURANCE COVERAGE ON THE VESSEL IDENTIFIED HEREIN, AND THAT YOU SHALL PROVIDE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THAT INSURANCE CARRIER, AS WELL AS MY POLICY NUMBER, TO THE TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE UPON ITS REQUEST.

The Greater Point Pleasant Charter Boat Association
34th Anniversary

MAKO MANIA

 **AND THRESHER**  See rules for Info
TOURNAMENT

WIN A 2019 CHEVY SILVERADO TRUCK
Courtesy of Lester Glenn Auto Group

Four Fishing Days to Choose from
Saturday, June 15th & Sunday, June 16th
Saturday, June 22nd & Sunday, June 23rd

Three Origin Inlets
Shark River, Manasquan or Barnegat

\$250,000 IN CASH PRIZES*

Entry fee \$ 500.00 *based on 300 entries and projected Calcutta Pools Enter before May 15th — \$475.00

For more information call 732-899-7707 or email
info@makomanianj.com or visit us at www. gppcba.com

MAKO MANIA

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* Based on 300 boats entered and projected Calcutta Pools

All New FOUR FISHING days to choose from
3 inlets: Shark River, Manasquan, Barnegat

Captain's Meeting. Friday June 14th

6:30 PM

Wehrlen Brothers Marina

197 Princeton Ave, Brick Township, NJ

FREE Food - Joe Leone's Italian subs and refreshments

Tournament weigh-ins : 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm
Saturdays and Sundays at Captain Bill's Landing

49 Inlet Drive, Point Pleasant Beach, NJ

Door Prizes FREE T- Shirts to the first 150 boats

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- 1) At least one representative MUST attend the Captains meeting (Friday June 14th 2019 at 6:30PM) to register and receive pertinent tournament information.
 - 2) All boats MUST display Tournament numbers on the port and starboard sides of their vessel.
 - 3) The Captain may elect for his boat to fish up to (4) of the Available (4) days of the Tournament. The Captain may elect for the boat to fish one day or up to (4) days. The entry form and fees MUST be turned in no later than the Captains Meeting on Friday, June 14. Separate numbers (one for each day of fishing) will be assigned to any boat fishing multiple days.
 - 4) Mandatory check-out will be required between 5: AM and 7: AM on the morning(s) you intend to fish. Check out will be via Text message to 732-899-7707 the text message must include your boat name and number, time and the inlet you are leaving from. Videos may be used to aid in insuring no early departures.
 - 5) Boats MAY ONLY depart from Manasquan Inlet, Shark River Inlet or Barnegat Inlet to qualify for prizes.
 - 6) All boats regardless of the Inlet from which they depart, must return through the Manasquan Inlet and weigh-in at Captain Bill's Landing in Point Pleasant Beach, N.J. (gas dock on Inlet Drive) to qualify for prizes .
 - 7) Any boat that intends to weigh-in a shark, must pass through the mouth of the Manasquan Inlet (between the rock jetties) by no later than 7:00pm on the day(s) the Captain elects to fish. There will be NO EXCEPTIONS! Any contestant that intends to weigh-in a shark but has not entered the mouth of the Manasquan Inlet by 6:30PM MUST call in with boat name, assigned boat number and their location to the Tournament Committee on VHF Channel 69, but must still enter the Manasquan Inlet no later than 7:00 p.m.
 - 8) The Weigh Station will be open at 4:00PM on all fishing days of the tournament. No sharks will be weighed prior to 4:00PM. Weigh-in will end no later than 7:15 p.m. If, however, a vessel with an eligible shark has entered the inlet by 7:00 p.m. but is unable to get to the scale because of a backup of boats at the weigh-in dock, then the weigh-in may be extended an additional 15 minutes, in the sole discretion of the tournament committee, to accommodate that weigh-in.
 - 9) To qualify for prize money, Eligible Sharks-only Shortfin Mako and Threshers are eligible sharks - must meet the following minimum sizes for this tournament: Mako (Male) 71" (FL); Mako (Female) 83" (FL); Threshers All 66" (FL). Any shark that does not meet these minimum requirements shall be disqualified. Each eligible shark will be judged against its specific species by weight only. Eligible Sharks must be measured according to, and in the manner mandated by, the federal rules implemented by NOAA/NMFS.
 - 10) Measurement: (FL) (fork length) means the straight-line measurement along the length of the fish from the tip of the upper jaw to the fork of the tail. Please see Title 50 CFR 635.2 if you have any questions, to which you will be bound. Each Captain and angler shall be responsible for complying with all federal and state regulations relating to the lawful landing of an eligible shark. Failure to comply with regulations implemented by NOAA/NMFS or the N.J. Division of Fish and Wildlife shall result in disqualification.
 - 11) Mako Mania is a Mako Shark First Tournament. If, however, no Eligible Mako shark is caught, then an Eligible Thresher shark will count in 1st to 4th places and ALL Calcutta's. An Eligible Mako will always take precedent over an Eligible Thresher. So, for example, if an 86" (FL) Mako is weighed in and a 87" (FL) Thresher, the Eligible Mako will always count first over a Eligible thresher even if the Thresher may be larger.
 - 12) All sharks MUST be caught on rod and reel, 130 pound class maximum. (Use of circle hooks is mandatory.)
 - 13) There will be a maximum of six anglers per boat and a maximum of six lines in the water at one time. Non-fishing passengers are not considered anglers.
 - 14) Boats SHALL NOT fish within one half mile of another boat. While underway please avoid passing through chum slicks, and pass other vessels engaged in shark fishing on the up-wind side.
 - 15) Positively NO TRANSFERRING of sharks between vessels at the dock or at sea, prior to weigh-in.
 - 16) All sharks to be weighed-in shall be in their natural state. The jaw of the shark may not be wired, nor may a shark be otherwise altered or weighted.
 - 17) Boats may only retain and weigh-in one eligible shark per day as per National Marine Fisheries Service regulations.
 - 18) All fishermen shall comply with all State and Federal laws relating to fishing for sharks, including, but not limited to, the required use of circle hooks by all HMS Shark Permit Holders, compliance with minimum sizes and bag limits, and permitting requirements. Any unlawful fishing practice or regulatory violation will be directed to and dealt with by Federal or State Conservation Officers and the courts. The Tournament Committee will defer to any such action. If a summons is issued against an individual or a vessel that has weighed-in a contending shark, that participant's prize money will be held until a court has determines whether or not the shark was caught or retained unlawfully or in compliance with the law. If the court determines that it was not caught lawfully or in compliance with the law, then that participant's money shall be forfeited and distributed as follows: If no summons is issued, a resolution of any alleged violation of, or non-compliance with the law, shall be determined by, and in the sole discretion of, the Tournament Committee. Whether a participant has complied with Tournament rules shall be decided solely by the Tournament Committee, and in the Tournament Committee's sole discretion, and all participants agree that the decision of the Tournament Committee is final in this regard.
 - 19) In the event legal action is pursued regarding Tournament Committee decisions, disqualification, or prize money, whether filed by Mako Mania and GPPCBA or by a Participant, Mako Mania and GPPCBA shall be entitled to its reasonable attorneys' fees and costs, which shall be paid out of the prize money in dispute. If the prize money in dispute is insufficient to pay Mako Mania and/or GPPCBA reasonable attorneys' fees and costs, each Participant in the litigation shall be jointly and severally liable to pay Mako Mania's and/or GPPCBA reasonable attorneys' fees and cost. In no event shall Mako Mania and/or GPPCBA be liable to any person for any attorneys' fees or costs. Each participant agrees to these terms as a condition of entering the tournament.
 - 20) The Tournament Committee has the right to retain any eligible shark for internal inspection by the Cournment Committee, a marine biologist and/or pathologist.
 - 21) VHF Channel 69 will be the official Tournament channel for all Tournament Communications. Please keep it clear. In the event of excessive radio traffic, then Channel 70 is designated as first alternative channel.
 - 22) All contestants, participants and/or passengers on a contending vessel agree to submit to a poly-graph examination if so requested by the Tournament Committee. If a rule or legal violation is discovered as a result, then that participant, contestant, passenger or the entire boat shall be disqualified from any prize.
 - 23) All boats MUST report any landed male Mako of 71" (FL) or greater, female Mako of 83"(FL) or greater, and any Thresher 66"(FL) or greater, to the Committee Via VHF Channel 69 (or alternate channel 70-see above), immediately after the shark has been landed.
 - 24) Any boat assisting a disabled vessel MUST report the circumstances immediately to a Committee person via VHF Channel 69.
 - 25) ALL PARTICIPANTS AND PASSENGERS PARTICIPATE, FISH, AND SAIL IN THIS TOURNAMENT AT THEIR OWN RISK! Fishing for sharks, and boat operation in any weather condition but particularly inclement weather, is inherently dangerous. The captain and crew are solely responsible for deciding whether or not to sail on any given day based on his or her evaluation of the boat and sea conditions. The Captain hereby agrees to inform all participants who will be on the vessel any fishing day of the inherent risk of shark fishing as well as boat and sea conditions and shall provide any and all necessary information with each participant so that he or she can make an informed decision as to whether or not he or she will participate.
 - 26) There is no "WEATHER DAY" any Captain concerned about the safety of his crew and vessel due to severe weather conditions may apply for a refund from the Tournament Committee. Request for a refund will only be accepted at the Captains Meeting or up until 6:00AM Saturday June 15th. Refunds are subject to a \$50.00 administrative fee on entry's fees and HRC and Whale Calcutta's are refundable less 10% charitable donation to GPPCBA Ship Sinking Fund and the Lustgarten Foundation. Maritime Law prevails.
 - 27) The Tournament may be altered, canceled, postponed or extended to other dates by the Tournament Committee if deemed necessary or advisable by the Tournament Committee, but this discretion in the Tournament Committee shall not be a substitute for the decision of the participants or passengers to participate or not by the Captain, owner or participants.
 - 28) In the event the Tournament is canceled, entry fees, minus \$50.00 administration fees, will be refunded. Traditional Calcutta and the Shark-Man winners will be determined by drawing from a hat. THERE WILL BE NO REFUNDS.
 - 29) The High-Roller and the WHALE Calcutta's less 10% charitable donation to GPPCBA Ship Sinking Fund and the Lustgarten Foundation will be refunded if no eligible sharks are caught or if the Tournament is canceled.
 - 30) In case of a tie, Mako shall take first prize. In the event that two Makos tie, then the first shark weighed in will take first prize, the second weighed second prize. If no Mako is landed, then the largest Thresher Shark shall take first prize. If two Thresher Sharks tie for first place, then the first shark weighed in shall take first prize and the other shall take second prize.
- 31) To win the 2019 Chevy Silverado Truck, the N.J. State Record for short fin Mako shark must be exceeded (currently 856 pounds). The heaviest Mako Shark , approved by the NJDEP Div. of Fish and Wildlife Record Fish Program and Insurance Company will be considered for the prize. Only one vehicle/prize will be awarded to the heaviest record breaker. The truck title will be issued to the individual that is listed on the Tournament registration application form unless a note signed by the entrant depicts otherwise. Federal and N.J. Sales Tax is the responsibility of the prize winner.
- WIN**
A 2019 CHEVY SILVERADO
for breaking the Mako Shark State Record

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- 32) In the event all four places are not filled, the remaining prize money will be divided proportionately between the winners.
 - 33) In the event three hundred boats are not entered, a proportionate percentage of the prize money will be awarded.
 - 34) There will be **NO REFUNDS FOR ANY REASON**, including for mechanical failures, one hour after the start of the first day of fishing.
 - 35) If a controversy occurs, a formal protest may be submitted to the Tournament Committee for determination and decision using the approved protest form. The protest form must be submitted, along with a check for \$200.00 (made out to GPPCBA), to the Tournament Committee Representative BEFORE MIDNIGHT on the day of the alleged infraction occurred. A Protest form, with applicable instructions, will be in each Captain's Bag provided at the Captain's meeting. Any protest submitted after the day and time set forth herein will not be considered. If the protest stands the \$200.00 will be refunded. Decisions on a protest shall rest in the sole discretion of the Tournament Committee, and each Captain and participant agrees to be bound by that decision.
 - 36) All Tournament Committee decisions are final!
 - 37) All winners MUST submit their social security number or corporate I.D. number prior to the award of any prize or Calcutta money.
 - 38) Checks will be made out to the entrant's name listed on the application form unless a note, signed by the entrant, directs otherwise. The appropriate tax form(s) must be filled out accurately by the person receiving the prize prior to the check being issued.
 - 39) Every boat contending MUST be equipped with a working VHF radio, all USCG mandatory safety equipment and EPIRB. It shall be the Captain's obligation to assure that all equipment on the participating vessel is in good, working order.
 - 40) Your Captains Bag (received at registration) will contain any additional rules, regulations and Check-out Procedures.