

Welcome to the Tri-State Tournaments

Canyon Shootout



The Tri-State Canyon Shootout's mission is to provide its participants with a competitive, yet enjoyable, fishing tournament. The tournament will be focused around good sportsmanship and conservation. The Tournament committee vows to hold a classy, well-run Tournament.

The 2025 Tri-State Tournament July 20th through July 24th (Fishing: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday), with your choice of two out of four days. You have the option of picking two consecutive days. or two separate day trips. Day trip hours are Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 5am–10:30pm, and Thursday 5am-4pm. If you decide to fish two consecutive days, you will be able to do it overnight. Hours of an overnight trip will be from 5 am on the first day until 4 pm on the second day. If you decide to come in and not do an overnight, and you get in after the scales close, you will be able to weigh your fish when the scales open the next day.

Captain's Meeting: The Captain's Meeting will be held at 7:00 pm on Sunday, under the tent, at Narragansett Inn which adjoins Payne's Dock. All forms must be completed and submitted prior to the start of the Captain's Meeting. At this meeting, participants will be informed of the tournament procedures and receive their Captains' bags, T-Shirts and Rules. This will also be the opportunity for participants to raise questions regarding tournament procedures. All boats are expected to have a representative at the Captains meeting. In the case they are not present, it is the responsibility of the entered boat to attain any information or updates given at the meeting. All entrants are held responsible for all rules and changes regardless of attendance.

For 2025: The official weigh station will remain Payne's Dock. Huge thank you to Paynes for the exceptional service last season. We are in the process of partnering with Mahogany Shoals to offer a Thursday award ceremony after party. Details to be announced! We are always looking at our optional categories "Calcuttas" to keep prize money spread while still offering the best pay-in to payout ratio. We have reworked the categories to better fit the desires of our participants. The No-Sonar categories have expanded, the Outboard boat Category will now include inboards under 37ft and two options, and the other significant change was moving the 5,000 largest tuna to a 70/30 split. For those who wish to GO BIG! We have upped the ante again with a 5,000 WTA Largest Yellowfin Optional.

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Schedule of Events

Sunday July 20th - Boats arrive to Block Island

5pm Calcutta & Registration Opens

Calcutta Registration closes at 8pm

6pm Cocktails and Raw Bar Begin, followed by dinner

7pm Capt. Meeting (Rules & Announcements)

Enjoy the Island and be Safe!

Monday July 21st - First Day of Fishing

6pm (Cocktail Party Option#1)

*Cocktail party will be on the upper deck at Champlins ** Day TBD*

Tuesday July 22rd - Fishing Day # 2

6pm (Cocktail Party Option#2)

Wednesday July 23th - Fishing Day # 3

6pm (Cocktail Party Option#3)

Thursday July 24th - Last day of fishing

4pm Scales Close

***when all qualifying boats are done weighing*

6pm Cocktails and Fishing Stories begin

7pm Awards Dinner

(timing to be determined by weigh-in)

8pm Raffle & Awards

After Party at Mahogany Shoals (more info. coming soon!)

Enjoy the Island, Party and Be Safe!