



**American Fishing**  
FOUNDATION

Non Profit #26-0668878

## **2009 Boat Raffle Rules & Information**

### **Introduction:**

This document provides detailed information regarding rules, restrictions, actions and schedules which shall be implemented toward the successful completion, and conclusion of the public boat raffle which the “American Fishing Foundation” (AFF) is sponsoring as part of its 2009 Klamath Fishing Derby.

### **Raffle Rules:**

1. Must be eighteen years of age or older to participate.
2. Winner **need not** be present to win.
3. Eligibility does not require donation.
4. AFF Officer’s & Board Members are ineligible from participation.
5. AFF will within forty eight (48) hours of the drawing shall post the winning ticket number on its website @ <http://www.affinc.org/> .
6. Winner shall have only fourteen (14) calendar days from the time of the drawing in which to claim his/her prize.
7. At the time of the drawing, five tickets shall be drawn and recorded in sequential order, the first ticket shall be utilized to verify the winner unless the prize/gift is not redeemed within the allowable specified time.
8. If a winner is not produced during the initial fourteen (14) day period then the next sequentially drawn ticket shall be utilized to identify a winner, and then follow the same sequence until such time as a valid winner is produced.
9. Winner will be required to provide current and valid photo ID in order to claim prize.
10. Winner shall be responsible for all taxes, licensing, registrations, and insurances related to prize/gift upon redemption/control of prize/gift.
11. Only persons who have procured through donation of an official raffle ticket/s are eligible to win the prize/gift.
12. Eligible winner must produce the valid corresponding ticket stub.
13. American Fishing Foundation, by its sole determination, reserves all rights to make any final decisions, or take any actions, as it deems fit or necessary to resolve any and all disputes related to this raffle.

14. AFF will make all reasonable efforts to locate/contact winner, however, it is solely the responsibility of the ticket holders to inform themselves of the drawing results, and then if necessary, make contact with AFF to establish themselves as winner.

**Raffle Goals:**

1. To raise charitable funds which benefit fishery projects, with limitation, by selling raffle tickets to a restricted (see below for restrictions) group of individuals.
2. To successfully produce this same boat raffle every year, in perpetuity, as part of the AFF - Klamath Fishing Derby events.

**Legal Requirements:**

1. This raffle shall conform to the requirements set forth by the State of California per Penal Code Section 320.5. Charitable Raffles. See <http://ag.ca.gov/charities/statutes/pc320.pdf>

**Time Requirements:**

1. Implement raffle ticket sales & boat promotion by January 2, 2009 thru September 18, 2009
2. The closing event of the 2009 Klamath Fishing Derby will conclude with the drawing for the lucky winner which will receive the Raffle Boat Prize on September 19, 2009. Prior to the drawing, announcements and thank you's to all of the contributors for the manufacturing of the boat will occur. Pictures will follow drawing and presentation of boat during press time.

**Ticket Sales Restrictions:**

1. Only persons eighteen years of age or older may purchase raffle tickets.
2. All AFF Board Members shall be prohibited from participation in the Boat Raffle.
3. All AFF Board members shall not solicit in any way ticket purchases through any entity or person, in behalf of themselves, or towards the benefit of themselves.
4. AFF **will not** restrict total tickets sold.

**Control and Procedures:**

1. AFF shall print and sell as many tickets as possible.
2. All tickets shall be numbered so that they can be tracked and accounted for.
3. AFF shall keep detailed records of all ticket production, ticket sales, tickets printed but not purchased, and revenues produced from sales.
4. AFF shall print tickets only in the following forms;
  - a. Single Tickets - These can only be sold for \$10.00 each.
5. All persons and entities which have been selected to sell tickets shall;
  - a. Make sure that all ticket stubs are properly filled out and are legible.
  - b. Collect monies generated from ticket sales and return those monies to AFF.
  - c. Shall only sell tickets in the form and at the cost which they are intended to be sold for.

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