



## Take a Kid Fishing

### Rules and Conditions 2023

**While Take A Kid Fishing is run under the Stabicraft Te Anau Manapouri Fishing Classic event, it is a separate competition and has its own rules and prize giving.**

- This event will take place between 7.30am and 6pm on Saturday 21 October 2023.
- All entrants must register prior to beginning fishing.
- Only children aged 11 years and under as at the 1st of October 2023 are eligible to enter this section of the Tournament.
- Participants must have a current fishing licence. Licences for Children (under 12 years on Oct 1) will be available at time of registration.
- All children entering this event must have a parent or guardian accompany them during the event. This event is not to be treated as a baby-sitting service.
- A number of experienced fishermen will be on hand to advise and assist.
- Only 1 fish per entrant is to weighed in.
- Fish are to be gutted but NOT beheaded
- Any child that lands 2 fish, kept or not, must retire as per the Fish & Game regulations for McGregor Pond.
- While we will be encouraging "Catch & Release", no injured fish are to be returned to the water.
- Weigh in will be available at McGregor's Pond between 9am and 6pm on Saturday 22 October.
- No fish caught in the Take A Kid Fishing competition may be entered in the Te Anau Manapouri Fishing Classic competition.
- Prizegiving will be held at the Te Anau Rugby Club at 2.00pm Sunday 23rd October.
- You must present your weigh in card with the fish.
- If you don't catch a fish, take your weigh in card to the weigh in desk (McGregor Pond) or in the bucket at prize giving to be in the hard luck prize draw.
- Children are encouraged to pre enter on our website but may also enter at the Te Anau Rugby Grounds on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> of October between 2pm and 9pm or on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> of October at McGregor Pond between 9am and 4pm.
- Any dispute regarding the interpretation of these rules shall be decided by the organising committee whose decision shall be final and no correspondence shall be entered into.