

ATF 2026 Season Member Sign Up and Waiver Form

I have read and understand and agree to the ATF rules for trail tournaments as posted on the ATF online registration page at www.americanteamfishing.com. I will obey all trail rules, state, and federal rules that apply. I understand and acknowledge that competitive fishing is a dangerous sport and participation in ATF trail events and related activities involve inherent and significant risks, including, but not limited to injuries from hooks, lures, knives, and other fishing equipment and paraphernalia; collisions on the water or at launch/landing sites; slips, trips, and falls on docks, ramps, vessels, or shorelines; adverse weather and water conditions; vessel wake and wave impact; equipment malfunction; wildlife encounters; and drowning. I understand these risks may result in serious injury, illness, permanent disability, property damage, or death to me or others, including spectators. I further understand that risks may be unforeseen or not specifically identified. By signing below, I certify that I have read and understood the above risks and the ATF rules referenced in this form, and I knowingly, voluntarily, and freely assume all risks of injury, death, and property damage arising from or related to my participation in ATF trail events, tournaments, and activities, whether identified or not identified herein, and whether arising from my own actions, the actions of others, or conditions of the event premises or waterways.

I hereby release, discharge, and hold harmless and indemnify, the ATF trail, its Officers, its partners, tournament workers and volunteers, host sponsors, tournament officials, and all other persons or entities associated with this trail's events and tournaments from all liability, claims, or rights of action which are related to, arise out of or are in any way connected with my participation in this trail or trail sponsored or related tournaments, including specifically but not limited to the negligent acts or omissions of the ATF trail, its Officers, its partners, tournament workers and volunteers, host sponsors, and tournament officials, and all other persons or entities associated with this trail's events and tournaments, for any and all injury, death, illness or disease, and other damage or loss to property suffered by myself or others. I give my permission to the trail to use any photo or video that may include my image to advertise the trail and any trail event on social media or trail website. In signing this document, I acknowledge and agree that if anyone is hurt, or property damaged while I am engaged in any ATF trail event or tournament, I have no right to make a claim or file a lawsuit against the ATF trail, its Officers, its partners, tournament workers and volunteers, host sponsors, tournament officials, and all other persons or entities associated with this trail's events and tournaments.

If any part of this Agreement is found unenforceable, the remainder of the Agreement remains in full effect. This Agreement will be governed by the laws of the State of Georgia without regard to conflicts of laws principles. Any action or proceeding seeking to enforce any provision of, or based on any right arising out of, this Agreement may be brought against either of the parties of the courts of the State of Georgia, County of Haralson, or, if it has or can acquire jurisdiction, in the United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia (Newnan Division), and each of the Parties consent to the jurisdiction of such courts (and of the appropriate appellate courts) in any such action or proceeding and waives any objection to venue laid therein.

My signature on this document reflects that I have read this document, understand it completely, understand that it affects my legal rights, and agree to be bound by its items. I have read the [Telephone Consumer Protection Act-Prior Express Written Consent-for receiving automated trail information](#) below. The trail has fully explained this document to me.

Team Captain Signature: _____ Date: _____

Team Captain name and email: _____

Team Captain Cell: _____

Consent to receive informational texts, calls, emails associated with the trail YES/NO Initials _____

Team Partner Signature: _____ Date: _____

Team Partner name and email: _____

Team Partner Cell: _____

Consent to receive informational texts, calls, emails associated with the trail YES/NO Initials _____

Team Alternate Signature: _____ Date: _____

Team Alternate name and email: _____

Team Alternate Cell: _____

Consent to receive informational texts, calls, emails associated with the trail YES/NO Initials _____

Team Captain Emergency Contact and number: _____

Telephone Consumer Protection Act-Prior Express Written Consent-for receiving automated trail information.

By selecting YES to the above you have given consent to receive automated informational text, SMS, MMS, email, and calls associated with trail related or supported events and information. These may be sent by the trail president, tournament committee members, companies the tournament committee members work for, or their representatives, agents, affiliates, or anyone acting on their behalf. You may opt out of these messages at any time by replying to such messages with "STOP" or giving oral instruction to any tournament committee member to stop sending such informational messages. You represent that you are permitted to receive calls, emails, and communications at the telephone numbers and email addresses you have provided. You agree to promptly alert us whenever you stop using or wish to stop receiving information sent to these telephone numbers and email addresses. Your cellular, mobile, broadband or otherwise provider of your telephone and email service may charge you according to your type of plan for receiving these messages. Expect an average of two to four messages per week. Agreeing and giving consent to receive these informational messages is not required to participate in the trail of trail events