

Derby Rules & Regulations

- Normal park entry fees to Collins Lake are not included with derby entry fees collected. Day Use entry or Camping fees shall apply upon arrival in addition to any derby fees paid.
- This derby is a tournament that is hosted and officiated by Collins Lake. Decisions of Collins Lake staff shall be final in any disputes. 100% of the proceeds of this event will be donated to Yuba Sutter Young Life, a Christian organization working with teens in our local community.
- Derby entry forms may be submitted until 9:00 am on April 4, 2020 at the Collins Lake office. Entry forms received on the day of the derby, April 4, 2020, are subject to an additional \$5.00 late registration fee per participant. Pre-registrations may be done on-line at <https://collinslake.weebly.com/>
- All derby participants agree that in consideration for the privilege of participating in this tournament, they hereby release all tournament officials, the event host, and sponsoring organizations from all claims of injury and/or damages incurred in connection with this event. Collins Lake reserves the right to refuse entry to anyone attempting to enter this event.
- Collins Lake entry gate opens at 5:30am. Derby fishing hours are 7:00 am to Noon. Participants must check-in at the weigh-in table at Group Picnic Area #3 (located at the bottom of Road 4) by Noon to have their catch considered for this tournament. Late arrivals to the weigh-in will be disqualified, regardless of when they may have caught their fish. Only trout fish that are freshly caught between the derby hours and fresh in appearance and intact will be considered for prizes. Fish that are stiff and appear questionable in appearance to have been caught prior to derby hours may be disqualified by derby officials at the weigh-in table. Decisions of the derby officials shall be final for any questionable fish. Prize awards will be announced at 1pm. Winners must be present to win prizes.
- Derby prizes shall be awarded based on the weight of any single trout weighed in.
- All derby participants shall receive an event wristband at check-in. All participants must still have this wristband visible at weigh-in. Participants may only weigh in fish that they have caught themselves and must be present at weigh-in.
- No fishing lines in the water before 7:00am.
- All California Dept. of Fish & Wildlife fishing regulations apply, including possession of a valid California fishing license for everyone age 16 & up. Anglers must fish only with a closely attended single fishing rod. 2nd rods are NOT permitted for this tournament. No hand lines. Catch and release is not allowed. Snagging of fish is prohibited. State limits of 5 trout per person shall be required of all participants.
- Fishing from either the shoreline or from a boat is permitted. For boaters, all boating laws must be obeyed.
- All participants agree to obey these Derby Rules as well as the Rules and Regulations of Collins Lake. Failure to do so may result in eviction from the park, disqualification from this tournament and/or arrest. Decisions of the park staff are final.
- No refunds of derby entry fees paid. Derby will be held rain or shine.
- Every derby entry will include a BBQ lunch at weigh-in.
- Every derby entry will receive 1 free raffle ticket. Raffle to be held at weigh-in station starting after the weigh-in cut-off at 12:00 noon. Additional raffle tickets may be purchased at the event up to the start of the raffle drawing. Raffle winners need to be present to win.

Derby Prizes

- Cash prizes will be awarded to the adult participants in the 1st thru 5th positions.
- A fishing rod & reel will be awarded to the youth participants in the 1st thru 10th positions