

Youth Fishing Derby Covered Bridge Park

(2465 Wehr Mill Road, Allentown, PA 18104)

Official Derby Rules & Regulations

<u>Please use common sense, be courteous and have respect for others and your</u> <u>surroundings and HAVE FUN!</u>

- The Fishing Derby begins at 9:00AM and ends at 12:00pm (No fishing before or after).
- The participant must be registered in the Youth Fishing Derby.
- Adults are not permitted to fish in the derby fishing area until after 12:00pm on the day of the event.
- Each child should have no more than one rod with one hook or lure in use at a time.
- All participants under 9 years old must be with a parent or a guardian at all times during the event.
- The participant must have in their possession at the time of the catch and weigh-in, their rod that they used to catch the fish that day (for photo opportunity).
- No large lures, spinners, jigs, etc. Live bait, small soft lures, and power bait acceptable.
- All fish must be caught within the Jordan Creek waters between the two fishing derby barriers.
 - \circ The areas where the gabion baskets are located are strictly off limits.
 - No fishing from boats or wading.
- Winners for each age group will be announced immediately following the end of the Derby (12:00pm)
 - o 3 Age Groups: 4 yrs. and under, 5- 9yrs old, 10-15 yrs. old
 - Winners must be present to claim their trophy.
 - The fish must be entered whole, not gaffed, gutted or snagged.
 - This is a trout derby, but any species of fish caught in the open fishing area will be accepted.

