



# National Outdoor Show 2026

## Kids Fish Race Rules

 **Location:** Tennis court next to the school


 **Sign-ups:** Begin at 1:00 p.m. Saturday

 **Race Start:** 2:00 p.m. (weather permitting)





### Age Groups

- **6–8 years old**
  - **9–12 years old**
- Maximum of 5 contestants per age group*

### Race Instructions

1. **Contestant must be dressed in a full set of oil skins.**
2. Start at the point marked by the judges.
3. Wait for the emcee to say: **“READY, SET, GO!”**
4. On “GO,” quickly:
5. Run to the box/basket full of fish.
6. Gather fish in hands and arms and carry them to the empty container.
  -  There will be rubber fish mixed with real fish — **do not collect anything but real fish.**
7. Once the fish are placed in the receiving box/basket, return to box/basket full of fish.
8. Repeat as many times as possible in **45 seconds**.

### How to Win

- The **winner is the participant with the most fish** in their box/basket after 45 seconds.
-  **Only REAL FISH inside the box/basket count.**
-  **Penalty:** 2 REAL FISH will be subtracted for each (1) rubber fish in the box/basket.
-  In the event of a tie, there will be a **run-off round**.
-  **Judge’s decisions are final.**

Have fun, stay safe, and good luck!