

2011 CTBF STQT

Fish Care

The following Guides and instructions have been formulated in an effort to reduce initial and delayed mortality of fish at this year CTBF STQT Tournament. Please read the following instructions very carefully and do your solution to prove that a tournament can be conducted with high bass survival rates. Let's do everything we can to prove that we as anglers are pros at keeping bass alive.

Instructions for Ute Reservoir CTBF Live well Care:

Cooler to keep ice

Pool thermometer or digital probe

16oz bottle of 3% hydrogen peroxide

Live Release

In an effort to provide the best possible live release during this tournament, we are encouraging you to be proactive in addressing Livewell conditions all day long, although the weight in procedures is critical, your handling of the fish throughout the day is even more critical, since your fish are in your possession for the majority of time. Please study the following suggestions and give the fish your utmost consideration.

1. Fill Livewell shortly after take from good water in the MAIN BODY OF WATER OF THE LAKE. DO NOT FILL LIVEWELLS OR EXCHANGE WATER IN CREEKS OR COVES and especially from taken off sight!
2. IMPORTANT! Treat Livewell with **Catch Release** early and re-circulate for a couple of minutes to properly mix. Make sure you dose Livewell before you start fishing.
3. Keep your Livewell cool. Get close to 65 degrees as possible.
4. Add 3% hydrogen peroxide once you catch your first fish. The 3% hydrogen peroxide will provide adequate dissolved oxygen levels even if you experience Livewell failure. Pay attention to the dosage rates below and do not exceed our recommendations.

20 gallons of water 6 fl. Oz.

25-30 gallons of water 8 fl. Oz.

50 gallons of water 16 fl. oz.

5. Please exchange water at least once during the day and repeat cooling of water. Dosing of Catch and Release and reapply Hydrogen Peroxide to the Livewell.