



## **2016 NM B.A.S.S. Nation State Team**

### **“Pro-Am” Tournament Series**

- Qualifiers #1 and #2  
[Conchas Lake, NM](#) May 21, 2016 (#1), May 22, 2016 (#2)
- Qualifiers #3 and #4 (President’s Cup)  
[Navajo Lake, NM](#) (Tentative Location) August 20, 2016 (3#), August 21, 2016 (#4)
- **\$100 entry fee per event for boaters and \$50 per event for non-boaters**
- Saturday and Sunday are separate tournaments each weekend.
- Off limits are the Monday through Thursday prior (May 15-19, 2016) for Conchas.
- **Registration will be from 4:00 P.M. until 5:45 P.M. at the [American Legion Post 19](#). Rules meeting from 5:45 – 6:00 P.M. We must be done with our tournament meeting by 6 P.M. for them to start their regular dinner service. There will be a brief directors meeting following the rules meeting. If you can, leave your boat because there is not a lot of parking. If possible, please park on the road. Car pool as much as possible. The Legion will be able to start serving around 4 PM for those that want to eat early (this will actually help them if you can eat after you register). The menu will include the following: hamburgers, cheeseburgers, fries, onion rings, chicken strips and fried cod. Beer and cocktails will be available. Anyone under the age of 21 will be allowed with their parents. If you are under 21 and will not be accompanied by your parents, you **MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY SOMEONE OVER 21 AND HAVE a notarized guardianship letter for the ADULT OVER 21 to enter the premises.****
- “The best guided bass fishing weekend in the west”. This is a great way to learn more about bass fishing and NM lakes. Boaters only fish against boaters and non-boaters fish against other non-boaters.
- You must be a current member of B.A.S.S. and the New Mexico B.A.S.S. Nation to compete. (\$50 annual dues) Contact a local club or NM B.A.S.S. Nation before May 16 to fish at Conchas. Visit our website at <http://www.nmbfn.com> for membership, club contacts and other information. In addition to a 75% cash payback, anglers may qualify to fish the 2017 B.A.S.S. Western Regional tournament with the ability to qualify for the B.A.S.S. Nation National Championship and then the Bassmaster Classic as part of our state team. B.A.S.S. members from surrounding states are also welcome if they pay NM dues.
- 2017 State Team members are provided a stipend and valuable sponsor incentives to fish the Regional tournament. Observers (free) may be allowed if space is available.
- Contact [Earl Conway](#) if interested in just being an observer or if you are only able to compete one day.
- All contestants must sign a waiver of liability and provide proof of \$300,000 liability insurance on any boat used during competition.

For more information or to have your questions answered please contact:

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