

Outdoors Notebook: Free Kids Derby at Indian Lake Estates

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The Indian Lake Estates Yacht Club's annual Kids Fishing Derby is Saturday, May 10, at the Indian Lake Estates lake-front pavilion on Lake Walk-in-the-Water.

The event, from 9:30-11:30 a.m., is free for ages 3-16.

There will be a mandatory orientation meeting at 9:30 a.m. that day.

The top three places in three age divisions — 3-7, 8-12 and 13-16 — will earn prizes. Prizes will also go to the smallest fish in each division.

All kids must be accompanied by an adult and wear hats and/or sunglasses.

Pre-registration is advised to sign waiver release forms.

All entries must be received by May 2.

All kids will receive free t-shirts provided by Magnum Signs and the ILE Yacht Club. Lunch of hot dogs, chips and a drink will be provided for youth and parents.

Parents are responsible for fishing gear and lures, but live bait — worms, crickets and minnows — will be provided.

Call George Kremer at 863-692-0851 or Buddy Mongiovi at 863-781-0736, or e-mail sohnikremer@gmail.com.

Drawing for Rifle Raffle For Reagan Next Week

The Natural High Adventures Fishing Club in Polk County will hold the drawing next week for a raffle for a customized Remington rifle to raise money for the family of Reagan Tala of Winter Haven.

Reagan was born on July 22 with a rare genetic disorder called Cornelia De Lange Syndrome.

The Remington Model 700 BDL in 300 Win Mag with a stainless steel barrel was customized by Roy Williamson at Crossroads Gun Shop in Dade City.

Raffle tickets are \$5 each or five for \$20.

The drawing will be held on Thursday, April 24, at the Marine Supply spring event in Winter Haven. You don't have to be present to win.

For raffle tickets, call Tim Henry at McDonald Construction at 863-581-9957 or 863-646-5763, or e-mail him at thentry@mcdconst.com.

Raffle tickets are also available from Devin Edwards at Marine Supply (863-412-2395) and Ron Schelfo at Ron's Tackle Box in Lake Alfred (863-956-4990).

Power Squadron Boating Class at Old Salt June 14

The Lakeland Sail and Power Squadron will teach its "America's Boating Course" in one day on Saturday, June 14, at Old Salt Marine in North Lakeland.

The class is from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

The cost is \$37 and includes materials. Seating is limited and pre-registration is required by June 1.

To pre-register, call 863-667-9047 or visit www.lakelandsailandpower.info.

Remaining classes are Sept. 21 and Nov. 1 at Old Salt Marine at 1922 U.S. 98 North.

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