



Player Instructions

It's FREE to signup, go to <http://www.kingcachalot.com/> and fill out your info. You will be added to our database. You will get a confirmation email and you must verify in order to login.

Joining a Tournament

Once you are logged in, you can register for any open tournament that you choose. When you register for a tournament you will be charged the amount the tournament creator has setup ONLY if there is a fee. No fee will be charged for FREE Tournaments. Before you join a tournament you can click on the "Rules" button to view the rules for that tournament. Tournaments will tell you how many players are in the tournament but will not show you the players cards. Once you join you can see the catch cards and the player cards.

Submitting Your Catch

You can submit your catch only from your mobile device, go to the tournament that you wish to upload your catch to by going to the tournament page, from there you will be able to submit a catch, click the "Upload your Catch" button and use your phone to take the photo and answer the default questions. You can only upload from your mobile device. Your latitude and longitude will be captured for proof that you uploaded from the water depending on the tournament rules.

Creating a Tournament

Our create a tournament form will allow you to name your tournament. This will create a tournament page for you to send out to your friends.

If you create a FREE tournament then you don't have to pay anything. You can only create 1 FREE Tournament at a time. You can have as many paid Tournaments as you want. Depending on the tournament type you will be sent to paypal for payment. Only Paid Tournaments can earn you Badges for your player card.

There are two Tournament types... Public and Private. In a public tournament any one can join according to your rules set. (Ex. If you make the tournament available to only players in your state then only they can enter an eligible catch) In a Public Tournament KingCachalot.com Admin chooses the winner based on your rules of the Tournament. Admin keeps 10% of the pot for Public Paid Tournaments. In a Private Tournament you will be emailed a code that only you can share with anyone you want to join your tournament. No one can join without this code. The Tournament Creator for a Private Tournament can choose the winner when tournament closes. Admin keeps 15% of the pot for a Paid Private Tournament.

You can attach a link to your Tournament Page if you have it on Facebook. Just enter the link to page in the text box.

If you have more details or would just like to copy rules from your PDF, etc., then just paste the text in the other details box.

Rubber Duck Badge

Leaving a Tournament can earn you a Rubber Duck Badge. These badges are not good because they tell people that you don't finish the tournaments and take your money out of a game. Many people do not like to play with these people and can choose to keep Rubber Ducks out of any Tournaments. Exiting will give you less Tournaments that you can join.

Remember there is a fee also if you are playing a Paid Tournament. You will be banned if you exit too many Tournaments.



(Not good)

Other Badges



Based on tournaments played locally



Based on tournaments played in state



Based on tournaments played nationwide

Based on amount of money won



\$1-1,000



\$1,000-10,000



\$10,000-100,000

Based on tournament wins



1-25



25-100



100-250

Based on tournament withdrawals
after the third rubberduck they
get kicked out



1



2



3

Based on player being a
fishing captain
this must be an option when
creating profile



If the player is a professional



Based on amount of fish caught



1-50

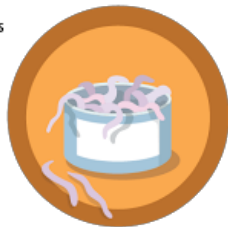


50-250



250-500

Based on amount of tournaments created



1-25



25-100



100-250

Based on different locations played



1-5



5-15



15-50

Based on different species caught



1-5



5-15



15-50

King Cachalot Rules of Play

Required equipment:

--Smartphone with location setting turned on, or a gps capable digital camera, to log gps coordinates in the exif data in submitted images of fish.

--All state and federally required safety equipment, including pfd, whistle or air horn, and a white light visible from 360 degrees if fishing after sundown.

Scoring:

--Fish will be scored from evidence visible in digital photographs in an easily read image format submitted online using the tournament page.

--Photographs must be taken in water at time of catch.

--Uploaded photographs must include the fish placed upon a pre--approved measuring device (King Cachalot Ruler), as long as they do not block proper measurement of the fish.

--Unmodified live fish must be placed upon the measuring board facing left on said ruler, dorsal fins up, and in a natural lay, with mouths closed and un-- pinched tails. Violation of these parameters as determined by the judge(s) will be penalized with a minimum deduction of 1 inch from the total measured length of the fish.

--Unaltered photograph exif data must include date, time, and gps coordinates.

--Photographs must not be altered from their original capture.

Other reasons for rejection of photographs or disqualification:

--Any obvious attempts to stretch fish unnaturally may result in the disqualification of the submitted photograph.

--Photographs that are of poor quality may be rejected at the discretion of the judge(s) (blurred, out of focus, tick marks and measurements are not readable, etc.).

--Altered exif data.

--Fish caught outside the designated tournament boundary.

--Submitting and entering multiple photographs of the same fish to pass them off as different fish.

--Submitting photographs of dead fish.

Additional recommendations:

--Photographs in 5 megapixel or higher resolution.

--Take a selfie at the launch with an identifiable marker (sign board) or nearest verifiable landmark to the body of water on the day fish are caught in case further verification of fishing location is requested.

--Keep safety in mind at all times. Equip your kayak with reflectors and a flag if fishing in waters with high speed boat traffic or personal watercraft.

--Always be considerate of other anglers.

--Respect the environment. Do not leave anything behind that you brought with you. Do not unduly molest, injure, or bother other fish or wildlife encountered.

--Fish with friends.

--Have fun, and fish hard!