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WEST END ANGLERS TO RAISE MONEY FOR SHRINERS HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN

GALVESTON - West End Anglers will be hosting their 3rd annual Redfish Showdown to aid children who are receiving treatment in Galveston's Shriners Hospital for Children. The showdown consists of a redfish tournament, winners of which will be determined by a heavy stringer including a live weigh-in. A BBQ dinner, raffle & live music will round out the evening. The top 5 winners of the competition will receive cash prizes as well as custom designed artwork by local artist, Roy Perry.

"We are extremely excited to announce that this year's tournament is being underwritten by Redfish Capital Management (www.redfish-cap.com)," said Coe Parker, West End Anglers Founder. "Through the involvement of many members in our community as well as local businesses, we will hold a raffle and BBQ dinner with 100% of the proceeds going directly to the children receiving rehabilitative and burn care at Shriners Hospital for Children."

West End Anglers will host the 3rd annual Redfish Showdown on Saturday, October 15. The weigh in, BBQ Dinner, and raffle will be held at the West End Marina in Sea Isle beginning at 5:00 p.m. To sign up and see tournament details please go to <http://www.fishwestend.com/general/tournament> . For more information about the event please contact Coe Parker at 713-594-4252 or redfish@fishwestend.com.

About West End Anglers

The West End Anglers designed www.fishwestend.com to provide other fishing enthusiasts with quick links to up to the minute comprehensive weather updates, bay conditions, fishing reports and tidal conditions specifically for West Bay, Galveston. Included on the website is a forum to discuss issues as well as share the latest fishing reports, photos and strategies. From humble beginnings in 2005 with only four close friends who regularly got together to share their love for fishing, West End Anglers has grown to over 2,600 fishing enthusiasts who share a passion for the outdoors. What started out as a means for people to share fishing exploits on line has grown into a community of like-minded people who have discovered a way to combine a common passion with a means of helping those in our local community. For more information, visit <http://www.fishwestend.com>

Following is a list of the corporate sponsors who have donated their services towards our dinner and raffle:

Texas Smokehouse Sauce

In addition to donating all the sauce for our BBQ dinners, how about you take some of Texas Smokehouse Sauce home with you! Texas Smokehouse Sauce is an old style Texas traditional BBQ sauce with a grande smokehouse flavor. It is hands down a competitive sauce for the everyday cook! So take home some of what you need to create the smoky sweet flavor the best BBQ you have ever made.

Saltwater Assault Guide Service with Charlie's Custom Rods

Go find the wall hanger trout you've been looking for with one of Galveston's premier large speckled trout guides, Captain Greg Fancis. Not only will the winner receive a trophy trout trip for two...how about you go fishing with your new custom trout fishing rod designed exclusively by Charlie's Custom Rods. This is a whale of a deal!

Landry's Salt Grass Steakhouse

Come sit down and enjoy some of the best Texas food on the island. Salt Grass Steakhouse invites you to enjoy a dinner for two! Pat's Ribeye, Silverstar Porterhouse and Maudeen's Center Cut Filet await you, and don't forget the Two-Fork Cheese Cake and Shiner Bock Beer Bread, served warm with honey butter. Come enjoy the great food and legendary hospitality at the one and only Landry's Salt Grass Steakhouse.

Coastal Guide Service

Captain Glen Stevens will host you and your party for a day on the water in West Galveston Bay. Whether it be slamming 'em at the jetties or stalking 'em on the flats, Capt Glen looks forward to putting you on the fish!

Hook Set Marine Gear

It's time to get out of the boat and "go get 'em!" Hook Set Marine Gear has donated two sets of top of the line wade fishing equipment to make sure you have what you need in order to limit up!

Trout Support DVD

These instructional DVD's will help you learn the tactics the pros use when chasing speckled trout so you too can "Catch a Limit!"

The Spa San Luis at the San Luis Resort

For the ladies! Spend a day being pampered by the best of the best at the Spa San Luis. Package includes manicure, pedicure, facial, and massage!

Texas Original Pits

Custom 36" Fire pit and a BBQ Grill / Smoker with temperature gauge.

Pro-O2 Systems

Pro-O2 Systems has donated a complete oxygen system. Fish breathe too... Keep your fish or bait live!

Big Nasty Bait Company

Has donated 100 packages of soft plastic lures for the captains' bags.

Breakwater Marine Electronics

Ten (10) certificates for 250+ Fishing Spots for your GPS. Breakwater is your source for marine electronics! Breakwater is also providing the captains bags. For anything electronics, call Breakwater!

Texas Tackle Factory

Texas Tackle Factory will be donating some items for the raffle.

Fish-N-Hunt

Fish-N-Hunt has donated wade belts, stringers & nets. They have also included two Buggs kits for the raffle.

Texas Outdoors Journal

Every entry gets the latest edition of Texas Outdoors Journal, you will find your copy in your captains bag!

Grind Terminal Tackle

Grind Terminal Tackle has donated 4 wade boxes and 4 stringers.

Rockport Rattler

Rockport Rattler has donated a number of jig heads for the Side Pot and Raffle

Jay Cohen – DWI Attorney

www.RefuseDWItests.com – *FishWestEnd would like to thank Mr. Cohen for his assistance & support of this tournament.*

Custom Furniture Maker Victor Martinez

Beat the Texas heat! Fish West End's own Victor Martinez has graciously donated one of his custom designed wood encased coolers. If you ever need to keep drinks cool why not keep them cool in grand fashion. Add that "old time" Texas beer cooler look to your back porch. These coolers not only keep your items cold for days but they do it in style...Texas style!

Flounder Giggling Overnight Trip

You and a friend will hit the secret giggling spots of Fish West End's top flounder expert Bert "2112" Flores. He will show you what it's like to stalk the flat fish in style and come home a winner. Before and after your trip you will stay at Sandy Law's private cabin on Titlum Tatum bayou known as The Blockade Runner. So before and after your trip, pull up a rocking chair, kick back on the porch, enjoy genuine Cajun cooking, and see if you can catch a few trout under the lights...this will be a night you will never forget.

Fishing Tackle Unlimited

FTU will be donating a wading package for the raffle

BillyStiX Custom Spiral Rod

BillyStiX Rods are built one at a time, and are hand-wrapped and fitted to your particular needs. Billy McDaniel has been building BillyStiX Custom Fishing Rods for about 40 years. A Florida native and fisherman himself, Billy understands the needs of his customers.

Boat Workz

Roy Perry with Boat Workz will be creating the custom trophies. These trophies are all handmade by Roy.

West End Marina & Bar

We cannot thank the fine folks at the West End Marina enough for allowing us a venue to hold this event.

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