



May 17, 2008 - Lake Pardee – Hot weather highlighted a great day on the water for almost 200 participants in the 16th Annual CIFFI Mike Carrington Memorial Derby at Lake Pardee. CIFFI wishes to thank the sponsors for the event – **Davey Tree, American Truck & Trailer Body, Johnson Outdoors and Pardee Lake Recreation.**

Pardee Lake Recreation's owners Richard & Kerry Cooper provided great support for this event, and CIFFI wishes to thank them for hosting this annual derby every year. The owners are dedicated to making Lake Pardee the premier destination for anglers and the year over year improvements have been fantastic. Improved kokanee management at Lake Pardee has resulted in solid and noticeable size improvements over the previous year. Although fishing was challenging, the winning entries in 2008 were significantly larger than those caught in 2007.

BBO'ed chicken and the fixin's were provided by **O'Conner's Catering**. After the enjoyable meal, many had an opportunity to be a part of the prize raffle that totaled more than \$3000.

CIFFI wishes to thank all of the participants who spent their Saturday on the water supporting CIFFI's fund raising efforts to pay for the kokanee plants in California. Special thanks goes out to Mike Garner of **American Truck & Trailer Body**, who took first place in the Adult Kokanee Division – he donated back his \$500 check to support youth activities supported by CIFFI.

Funds generated by CIFFI's derbies go directly to fund the improvement of fisheries and educational endeavors throughout California. Since 1992, CIFFI - Project Kokanee - has partnered with the California Department of Fish and Game to fund the continued planting of kokanee salmon, installation of rearing pens and support of fisheries in California's lakes. For more information on CIFFI, contact us on the web at <http://www.kokanee.org>.

The winners of the 16th Annual Mike Carrington Memorial Trout and Kokanee Derby at Lake Pardee Derby are:

Adult Kokanee Winners			
	Name	Combined length of 2 fish	Award
1.	Mike Garner	70.20 cm	\$500
2.	Gary Coe	70.10 cm	\$300
3.	Jeff Johnson	69.9 cm	\$200
4.	Jay Nilan	69.7 cm	\$175
5.	Nelsen Money	69.2 cm	\$150
6.	Ron Lemos	68.9 cm	\$125
7.	Andy Nevis	68.9 cm	\$100
8.	Dale Rose	68.8 cm	\$75
9.	Stacy McCleary	68.7 cm	\$50
10.	Larry Hutton	68.6 cm	\$25

Youth Kokanee Winners			
	Name	Length	Award
1.	Catlyn Murdoch	67.0 cm	
2.	Braden Illingsworth	66.8 cm	
3.	Rachael Smith	66.5 cm	
4.	Brian Nevis	66.0 cm	
5.	Damon Schuman	65.5 cm	

Adult Trout Winners			
	Name	Combined length of 2 fish	Award
1.	David Carpenter	94.80 cm	All received Merchandize Awards
2.	Tom Backer	76.2 cm	
3.	Larry Goodell	71.6 cm	
4.	AnnaMarie Mazza	71.5 cm	
5.	Sam Mazza	59.6 cm	

Youth Trout Winners			
	Name	Length	Award
1.	Taylor Harris	34.0 cm	Each Youth received a Participation Award
	Allana Enos		
	Jeanna Smith		
	Katie Shimizu		
	Sydney Schilla		

Bob Roberts Memorial Award (\$100 savings bond)	
Catlyn Murdoch & Taylor Harris	
Big Fish	Tom Backer 40.0 cm \$495
Blind Bogey	Dave Hemphill 31.7 cm \$615