The purpose of the Take ‘em Fishing effort is to encourage anglers to introduce someone new to the sport of fishing.

Anglers who take a youth or a new or lapsed angler (someone who has not had a Nebraska fishing permit for two or more years) are eligible to enter the Take ‘em Fishing Giveaway.

Official rules

1. The promotion begins on April 15, 2022 and will end on Sept. 15, 2022. Only those who enter the giveaway during that time are eligible to win.

2. Fishing outings must occur within the state of Nebraska and must take place between the dates of April 15 and Sept. 15, 2022.

3. Program is open to Nebraska residents and non-residents.

4. Those who enter the drawing must have a valid, current Nebraska fishing permit at the time of entry, if over the age of 15.

5. All entrants must also follow all rules including length and bag limits for the body of water upon which they are fishing, and those over the age of 15 must have a valid, current Nebraska fishing permit.

6. Completion of a fishing trip with a new or lapsed angler is required.

7. Anglers may enter the giveaway more than once; but not more than once per trip/outing, regardless of how many new or lapsed anglers participated in the day’s outing.

8. An angler can increase his or her chances of winning a prize by taking multiple fishing trips with new or lapsed anglers and submitting those trips via the form.

9. Anglers can submit trips up to four times per unique new or lapsed angler. Anglers can enter the Take ‘em Fishing Giveaway by visiting OutdoorNebraska.gov/fishinggiveaway and completing a submission form for each completed outing with a new or lapsed angler.

10. Only the individuals who complete the form are eligible for prizes.

11. Each submission form must include

   a. First and Last Name
b. Current Nebraska fishing permit number

c. Date of fishing trip

d. A valid email address

e. A valid address

f. A valid phone number

g. First and last name of the new or lapsed angler

h. A brief description of their trip

i. An uploaded photo of them fishing with a new or lapsed angler (Once uploaded, these photos will become property of the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission. Any photos, names or information submitted can be shared on social media or used to promote the Take ’em Fishing promotion.)

12. The Nebraska Game and Parks Commission will randomly draw the names of winners of those people who have submitted photos and information between April 15 and Sept. 15. Winners will be contacted via email and / or phone and will be announced on social media.

13. Employees of the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission are not eligible to win prizes.

14. Valid fishing permit status will be checked for all prize winners, as will adherence to all Nebraska fishing rules and regulations and rules of the Take ’em Fishing Giveaway.