

**Lake Superior Chapter of Muskies Inc.
Prize for largest Muskie of the year
(2019) “Replica Award”**

The largest Muskie caught and released by any member will receive a free graphite Muskie mount from Lax Reproductions, courtesy of Lax Reproductions & Lake Superior Chapter Muskies Inc.

The rules are as follows:

1. The Muskie must be a minimum of **52 inches** in length.
2. **Fish must be measured on bump board and photograph with Fish on bump board.** (new in 2018)
3. **Photographed and the photo sent to the contest chairperson within 30 days of the catch via mail or email.** Photos will not be returned. Photos can be digital or via a smartphone, however, digital is preferred.
4. Muskie registrations without pictures will not be eligible for the award.
5. All entries must be recorded on a Muskie Inc. Fishing Contest Entry blank or entered online at www.muskiesinc.org. Entry blanks are found at the Muskies Inc. website or are available from your Fishing Contest chairperson. Entry blanks may be copied for recording additional Muskies caught.
6. Fishing Contest Entry blanks (paper or online) must be:
 - A. FILLED OUT COMPLETELY** on the front page or online to be eligible for points or awards. This includes the name of the body of water and bait used. **THIS REGULATION WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED TO COMPLY WITH THE PURPOSES OF MUSKIES, INC.**
 - B. Witnessed by at least one person and must have the phone number and signature of that witness.**
 - C. Entered online or received (via mail) by the Lake Superior Chapter Contest Chairperson within 30 days of the date of the catch.**
7. **You may only win this once in your lifetime.**
8. **If the winner turns down the replica prize, it will go the next member with the largest fish. The original qualifier will be eligible again after 3 years.**
9. You must be a member of the Lake Superior Chapter #33 in good standing for 45 days prior before entering. If the membership is a renewal, it must be completed prior to the expiration date. If a transfer from another chapter, the 45 day waiting period applies from the date of transfer.
- 10. Winner must attend at least 2 monthly meetings or 1 outing and 1 meeting all between January 1, 2019 and December 31, 2019 Banquet qualifies for 2 meetings. If a junior wins parent or guardian must attend the meetings.**
11. In case of a tie, the winner will be decided by their 2nd largest fish of the year. In case of a 2nd tie, the winner will be decided by a coin flip.
 - A. Contest review committee will consist of at least 3 members to include the Lake Superior Chapter Contest Chairperson and at least 2 other members (one of which will be a non-board member). The committee will be established to review all disputes or questions on entered Muskies. They will arbitrate any dispute and their decisions shall be accepted as final.