

# 2026 SOUTH DAKOTA WALLEYE CLASSIC & FESTIVAL

AKASKA, SOUTH DAKOTA



## WALLEYE THROWDOWN



JULY 24<sup>TH</sup> – 26<sup>TH</sup>, 2026

### FRIDAY JULY 24<sup>TH</sup>

AKASKA COMMUNITY HALL  
109 MAIN ST, AKASKA, SD

2:00 PM – 6:00 PM

- Tournament Registration Open
- Vendor & Sponsor Displays
- AFTCO Apparel Available for Purchase

7:00 PM

- Mandatory Rules Meeting
- Calcutta Immediately Following Rules Meeting

**COMMUNITY HALL BAR**

Open 2:00 PM until completion of the Calcutta

### FOOD & DRINK

Shari's Jo to Go Coffee Truck Available All Day!  
*(Special Fish Drink for Kids!)*

Shagan Pit BBQ  
Friday Afternoon & Evening

Local Dining & Drinks Available at Sportsman's Bar & Grill

### SATURDAY JULY 25<sup>TH</sup>

#### TOURNAMENT DAY ONE

FISHING HOURS:

7:00 AM – 3:00 PM

(May be adjusted due to weather prior to tournament start)

#### BI-HOURLY WEIGH-IN SLOTS:

- 7:00 – 9:00
- 9:00 – 11:00
- 11:00 – 1:00
- 1:00 – 3:00

#### WEIGH-IN LOCATIONS

- Swan Creek Recreation Area
- West Whitlock Recreation Area

★ **LIVE CONCERT** ★  
**GUNNAR LATHAM**  
— 8:30 PM —

- 90-MINUTE PERFORMANCE
- FREE WILL DONATION
- COMMUNITY HALL BAR OPEN

#### LIVE LEADERBOARD

Live leaderboard available throughout the event at both weigh-in locations showing bi-hourly results & overall standings in real time!

### FOOD & DRINK

Shari's Jo to Go Coffee Truck Available All Day!  
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### SUNDAY JULY 26<sup>TH</sup>

#### TOURNAMENT DAY TWO

FISHING HOURS:

7:00 AM – 3:00 PM

#### BI-HOURLY WEIGH-IN SLOTS:

- 7:00 – 9:00
- 9:00 – 11:00
- 11:00 – 1:00
- 1:00 – 3:00

#### WEIGH-IN LOCATIONS

- Swan Creek Recreation Area
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### AWARDS & CLOSING CELEBRATION

AKASKA COMMUNITY HALL  
109 MAIN ST, AKASKA, SD

4:00 PM  
Community Center Bar Opens

5:30 PM  
Awards Ceremony

### FOOD & DRINK

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**WIN A FORD MAVERICK!**  
Awarded for the single heaviest walleye weighed during the two-day event!



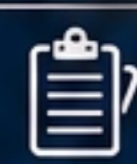
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**REGISTER BY JUNE 30, 2026**  
RECEIVE A \$200 AFTCO GEAR PACK!



REGISTER HERE:  
[HTTPS://MIDWESTFISHTOURNAMENTS.WUFOO.COM/FORMS/2026-AFTCO-WALLEYE-THROWDOWN/](https://midwestfishtournaments.wufoo.com/forms/2026-aftco-walleye-throwdown/)



VIEW FULL RULES:  
[WWW.AFTCO.COM/PAGES/AFTCO-WALLEYE-THROWDOWN-OFFICIAL-RULES](http://www.aftco.com/pages/aftco-walleye-throwdown-official-rules)

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