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HIGH SCHOOL FISHING TOURNAMENT RETURNS TO DIAMOND LAKE

MUNDELEIN, IL —Mundelein Park District welcomes students from area high schools to

Diamond Lake (http://bit.ly/1Gylszl) for a Bass Fishing Tournament hosted by Streamwood High

School (http://www.edline.net/pages/S/Students/Clubs/Bass Fishing Club). The competition on

Saturday, September 24 puts anglers' fishing skills to the test. This is the fifth year that Diamond Lake is a stop in the Golden Sabre Fall Series which also includes Long Lake and Bangs Lake. "Our school record for biggest bass was caught by Zach Eldredge weighing 5 pounds, 14 ounces," Tournament organizer and Streamwood High School Bass Fishing Coach Marty Baker said of past tournaments on Diamond Lake, "Zach and Genarro Anabarro had a school record 5-fish bag weight of 18 pounds, 8 ounces."

The competition begins with boats launching at 6 am and weigh begins at 1 pm. As many as 22 teams have competed in past years. Registration for high school teams is underway and can be made by contacting Marty Baker at (630) 213-5500 Ext. 8600.