



**Seward Chamber of Commerce
Conference and Visitors Bureau**

2009 Seward Silver Salmon Derby®

Captain's Participation Agreement

This agreement signifies your willingness to partner with the Chamber and act as an event witness for your vessel. Why? According to the rules, all individuals on derby vessels who are at least five years old and engaged in any fishing/retention activity are required to purchase a tournament ticket. We have **waived this rule for those Captains "registered" with us as a Derby partner**, by signing this agreement, indicating that he/she understands and agrees to abide by all tournament rules and serve as a "witness" to ensure all rules are followed.

I, _____, of _____ hereby agree to
(name) (business name)
act as a Silver Salmon Derby witness aboard the vessel _____.

As witness, I agree to

1. Ensure all interested clients have had the opportunity to purchase a Derby ticket.
2. Ensure that all Derby rules are followed by my clients and that each participating client will only turn in the fish they personally caught.
3. Encourage participating clients to turn their fish in for the purpose of supporting *Fish Enhancement*, with the option of "buying back" their fish for a \$5 contribution per fish.
4. Assist participating clients with the weigh-in - letting them know where the weigh-in booth is or assisting them in turning in their fish and discussing with them how you will then process their fish.
5. Not process (clean, gut, etc.) their fish prior to offering them the opportunity to turn their fish in for Derby prize consideration.

Signature

Date

To ensure your clients are eligible to enter the Derby, please return this form to the Seward Chamber Office or Derby Booth ASAP or fax to 224-5353.

Thank you, we appreciate your support of the 2009 Seward Silver Salmon Derby!

Questions?

Any questions about your role as a partner Captain or the Derby in general can be directed to:

Laura Cluberton or Laura Cloward, Seward Chamber of Commerce Staff: 224-8051 or 224-2009