

# JACKSON HOLE ONE FLY - TEAM SELECTION PROCESS

The Jackson Hole One Fly Board of Directors uses a team selection policy in order to ensure an equitable selection process. Details are as follows:

## **2025 Team Entry Deadline (Application and Deposit) - December 23, 2024**

No team will be considered unless their Entry Fee Deposit \$5,000 for a Regular Team (or \$10,000 for a Sponsor Team) is received by the deadline date. Total Team Entry Fee is \$10,000 for a Regular Team, or \$20,000 for a Sponsor Team; Team Alternate Members are an additional \$500 each.

A list of teams (with application/deposit received) will be circulated to all One Fly board members. A team may be eliminated if behavior at past events has been unacceptable.

A list of One Fly event “supporter” teams will be offered positions. Teams are considered a “supporter” team:

- a) If they are actively committed to the goals of the One Fly through special contributions, support of conservation projects, longevity, and have been willing to help the event when called upon.
- b) If their team members participate in all One Fly events, are punctual and conduct themselves in a sportsmanlike manner.

New team applications are encouraged, and we strive to select a number of new teams each year, conditions permitting.

## **SPONSOR TEAMS**

Sponsor Team positions are available for \$20,000 per team and will be offered a position upon payment of this fee. The Sponsor Teams will receive a full page color ad and special recognition in the One Fly Program Book with a portion of their entry fee going to stream conservation, infrastructure and improvement projects. The dollar difference between the Regular and Sponsor Team fee is tax – deductible.

## **DRAWING**

The remaining positions and an alternate list will be filled by a drawing.

A total of forty teams will be accepted.

## **DEFINITION OF A PROFESSIONAL**

A participant will be deemed to be a professional (or “Pro”) if they meet any of the following criteria within the last 10 years:

- 1) They have been a full or part-time fresh or salt water Fly Fishing Guide or Captain who has received income for guide service performed as Guide or Captain.
- 2) They have been designated as a “Pro Staff” member, “Ambassador” or equivalent title/term for a fly fishing branded products company AND have received cash remuneration from that company as a result.
- 3) They have been a member of, or participant on, a national fly fishing team (such as the US Fly Fishing team).

**Note: Limit of one Pro per team**

- Team Applications and Entry Deposit (\$5,000 for a Regular Team or \$10,000 for a Sponsor Team) due no later than December 23, 2024.
- Team Selection Process begins December 28, 2024
- Selected Teams for the 2025 One Fly will be notified by January 15, 2025. If your team is not selected at that time; it will be put on an Alternate Team List.
- Selected and Alternate Teams may withdraw in writing by February 15, 2025 and deposit will be returned.
- Team Fee Balance (\$5,000 for a Regular Team or \$10,000 for a Sponsor Team), plus \$500 for each Alternate due by April 1, 2025.
- A Selected Team who does not withdraw by Feb. 15, 2025 or pay balance of team fee by April 1, 2025, will forfeit deposit and be replaced from the Alternate Team List.
- On April 15, 2025, after all teams are confirmed and paid, any remaining deposits will be returned to teams on the Alternate Team List.