

Form **990-EZ**

Short Form Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

OMB No 1545-1150

2015

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

▶ Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.
▶ Information about Form 990-EZ and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

A For the 2015 calendar year, or tax year beginning **08/01/15**, and ending **07/31/16**

<input type="checkbox"/>	B Check if applicable:	C Name of organization FLORIDA SPORT FISHING ASSOCIATION INC.	D Employer identification number 59-1876272
<input type="checkbox"/>	Address change	Number and street (or P O box, if mail is not delivered to street address)	E Telephone number 321-986-7596
<input type="checkbox"/>	Name change	Room/suite	F Group Exemption Number ▶
<input type="checkbox"/>	Initial return	PO BOX 1216	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Final return/terminated	City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Amended return	CAPE CANAVERAL FL 32920-1216	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Application pending		
G Accounting Method <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual Other (specify) ▶		H Check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)	
I Website: ▶ www.fsfaclub.org			
J Tax-exempt status (check only one) — <input type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 501(c)(7) ◀ (insert no) <input type="checkbox"/> 4947(a)(1) or <input type="checkbox"/> 527			
K Form of organization <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Trust <input type="checkbox"/> Association <input type="checkbox"/> Other			
L Add lines 5b, 6c, and 7b to line 9 to determine gross receipts. If gross receipts are \$200,000 or more, or if total assets (Part II, column (B) below) are \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ.		▶ \$ 72,288	

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (see the instructions for Part I)

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part I

	Description	Line	Amount
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	
	2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	5,180
	3 Membership dues and assessments	3	7,143
	4 Investment income	4	
	5a Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
	b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	
	c Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c	
	6 Gaming and fundraising events		
	a Gross income from gaming (attach Schedule G if greater than \$15,000)	6a	
	b Gross income from fundraising events (not including \$ of contributions from fundraising events reported on line 1) (attach Schedule G if the sum of such gross income and contributions exceeds \$15,000)	6b	47,230
	c Less direct expenses from gaming and fundraising events	6c	31,203
	d Net income or (loss) from gaming and fundraising events (add lines 6a and 6b and subtract line 6c)	6d	16,027
	7a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	
	b Less cost of goods sold	7b	
	c Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	
	8 Other revenue (describe in Schedule O)	8	12,735
	9 Total revenue. Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6d, 7c, and 8 ▶	9	41,085
Expenses	10 Grants and similar amounts paid (list in Schedule O)	10	
	11 Benefits paid to or for members	11	
	12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	
	13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	1,015
	14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	
	15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	
	16 Other expenses (describe in Schedule O)	16	31,980
17 Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16 ▶	17	32,995	
Net Assets	18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	8,090
	19 Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	54,914
	20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	20	
	21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 18 through 20 ▶	21	63,004

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the separate instructions.

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Part II Balance Sheets (see the instructions for Part II)

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part II

	(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
22 Cash, savings, and investments	54,914	22	63,004
23 Land and buildings	0	23	
24 Other assets (describe in Schedule O)	0	24	
25 Total assets	54,914	25	63,004
26 Total liabilities (describe in Schedule O)	0	26	0
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	54,914	27	63,004

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments (see the instructions for Part III)

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part III

What is the organization's primary exempt purpose?

See Schedule O

Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses. In a clear and concise manner, describe the services provided, the number of persons benefited, and other relevant information for each program title.

Expenses
(Required for section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations, optional for others)

28 CASH OF \$5,177 TO BREVARD COUNTY SCHOOLS TO AID IN MARINE PROJECTS BY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS. GRANT \$5,177.

(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here

28a

29 APPROXIMATELY 150 MAN-HOURS OF LABOR TO CONDUCT A KID'S FISHING DAY AT PORT CANAVERAL FOR OVER 600 BREVARD COUNTY CHILDREN. GRANT \$0. EXPENSES INCLUDING GRANT \$ 997.

(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here

29a

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(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here

30a

31 Other program services (describe in Schedule O)

(Grants \$) If this amount includes foreign grants, check here

31a

32 Total program service expenses (add lines 28a through 31a)

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Part IV List of Officers, Directors, Trustees, and Key Employees (list each one even if not compensated — see the instructions for Part IV)

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part IV

(a) Name and title	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC) (if not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation
JOHN DURKEE PRESIDENT	3.00	0	0	0
DAMON PULIAS VICE PRESIDENT	3.00	0	0	0
ERIC GRIGGS TREASURER	3.00	0	0	0
RANDY ALOISE SECRETARY	3.00	0	0	0
CURT THURSTON	2.00	0	0	0
DOUG KASKA	2.00	0	0	0
CHRIS SCHOLLMAYER	2.00	0	0	0
CHRIS PASHOS	2.00	0	0	0
MICHAEL ROWLAND	2.00	0	0	0

Part V Other Information (Note the Schedule A and personal benefit contract statement requirements in the instructions for Part V) Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part V

- 33 Did the organization engage in any significant activity not previously reported to the IRS? If "Yes," provide a detailed description of each activity in Schedule O
34 Were any significant changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the amended documents if they reflect a change to the organization's name. Otherwise, explain the change on Schedule O (see instructions)
35a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year from business activities (such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a, among others)?
b If "Yes," to line 35a, has the organization filed a Form 990-T for the year? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O
c Was the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III
36 Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If "Yes," complete applicable parts of Schedule N
37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions
b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?
38a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the tax year covered by this return?
b If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations Enter
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities
40a Section 501(c)(3) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under section 4911, section 4912, section 4955
b Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year, or did it engage in an excess benefit transaction in a prior year that has not been reported on any of its prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I
c Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958
d Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization
e All organizations At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If "Yes," complete Form 8886-T

Table with columns Yes, No and rows 33, 34, 35a, 35b, 35c, 36, 37a, 37b, 38a, 38b, 39a, 39b, 40a, 40b, 40c, 40e. Contains 'X' marks in the No column for rows 33, 34, 35a, 35c, 36, 37b, 38a, 40e.

41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed None
42a The organization's books are in care of ERIC GRIGGS Telephone no 321-986-7596
332 OAKLAND AVE
Located at INDIALANTIC FL ZIP + 4 32903

- b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside the U S ? If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country

Table with columns Yes, No and rows 42b, 42c. Contains 'X' marks in the No column for rows 42b, 42c.

43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year 43

- 44a Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ
b Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities during the year? If "Yes," Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ
c Did the organization receive any payments for indoor tanning services during the year?
d If "Yes" to line 44c, has the organization filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O
45a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?
b Did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," Form 990 and Schedule R may need to be completed instead of Form 990-EZ (see instructions)

Table with columns Yes, No and rows 44a, 44b, 44c, 44d, 45a, 45b. Contains 'X' marks in the No column for rows 44a, 44b, 44c, 45a, 45b.

	Yes	No
46 Did the organization engage, directly or indirectly, in political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I	46	X

Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations only

All section 501(c)(3) organizations must answer questions 47-49b and 52, and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51

Check if the organization used Schedule O to respond to any question in this Part VI

	Yes	No
47 Did the organization engage in lobbying activities or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II	47	
48 Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	48	
49a Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?	49a	
b If "Yes," was the related organization a section 527 organization?	49b	

50 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None"

(a) Name and title of each employee	(b) Average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Reportable compensation (Forms W-2/1099-MISC)	(d) Health benefits, contributions to employee benefit plans, and deferred compensation	(e) Estimated amount of other compensation

f Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000 ▶ _____

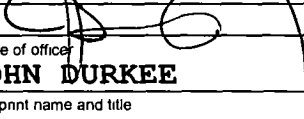
51 Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter "None"

(a) Name and business address of each independent contractor	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation

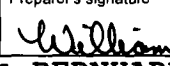
d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000

52 Did the organization complete Schedule A? **Note:** All section 501(c)(3) organizations that completed Schedule A

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, this return and all information furnished hereon is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information in his possession.

Sign Here ▶ 
 Signature of officer
JOHN DURKEE
 Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only

Print/Type preparer's name WILLIAM BERNHARDT	Preparer's signature 
Firm's name ▶ HARRIS, MILLER & BERNHARDT	
Firm's address ▶ 976 BREVARD AVE SUITE A ROCKLEDGE, FL 32955	

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions

**SCHEDULE G
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**

Supplemental Information Regarding Fundraising or Gaming Activities

OMB No 1545-0047

2015

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Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a

▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ

▶ Information about Schedule G (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

Name of the organization

**FLORIDA SPORT FISHING ASSOCIATION
INC.**

Employer identification number

59-1876272

Part I Fundraising Activities. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 17. Form 990-EZ filers are not required to complete this part.

1 Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply.

- a Mail solicitations
- b Internet and email solicitations
- c Phone solicitations
- d In-person solicitations
- e Solicitation of non-government grants
- f Solicitation of government grants
- g Special fundraising events

2a Did the organization have a written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services? Yes No

b If "Yes," list the ten highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization

(i) Name and address of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(iii) Did fundraiser have custody or control of contributions?		(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col (i)	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
		Yes	No			
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						
8						
9						
10						
Total						

3 List all states in which the organization is registered or licensed to solicit contributions or has been notified it is exempt from registration or licensing

Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 of fundraising event contributions and gross income on Form 990-EZ, lines 1 and 6b. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000

		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other events	(d) Total events
		FISHING TOURNAM (event type)	_____ (event type)	None (total number)	(add col (a) through col (c))
Revenue	1 Gross receipts	47,230			47,230
	2 Less Contributions				
	3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	47,230			47,230
Direct Expenses	4 Cash prizes	15,250			15,250
	5 Noncash prizes	3,078			3,078
	6 Rent/facility costs				
	7 Food and beverages				
	8 Entertainment				
	9 Other direct expenses	12,875			12,875
	10 Direct expense summary Add lines 4 through 9 in column (d)				31,203
11 Net income summary Subtract line 10 from line 3, column (d)				16,027	

Part III Gaming. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (add col (a) through col (c))
Revenue	1 Gross revenue				
	2 Cash prizes				
Direct Expenses	3 Noncash prizes				
	4 Rent/facility costs				
	5 Other direct expenses				
	6 Volunteer labor	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes % <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes % <input type="checkbox"/> No	
	7 Direct expense summary Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d)				
	8 Net gaming income summary Subtract line 7 from line 1, column (d)				

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization conducts gaming activities

a Is the organization licensed to conduct gaming activities in each of these states?

Yes No

b If "No," explain

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year?

Yes No

b If "Yes," explain

- 11 Does the organization conduct gaming activities with nonmembers? Yes No
- 12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming? Yes No

- 13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity conducted in
 - a The organization's facility

13a		%
13b		%
 - b An outside facility

14 Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records

Name ▶

Address ▶

15a Does the organization have a contract with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue? Yes No

b If "Yes," enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization ▶ \$ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party ▶ \$

c If "Yes," enter name and address of the third party

Name ▶

Address ▶

16 Gaming manager information

Name ▶

Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$

Description of services provided ▶

- Director/officer
- Employee
- Independent contractor

17 Mandatory distributions

a Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license? Yes No

b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$

Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the explanations required by Part I, line 2b, columns (iii) and (v), and Part III, lines 9, 9b, 10b, 15b, 15c, 16, and 17b, as applicable. Also provide any additional information (see instructions).

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZComplete to provide information for responses to specific questions on
Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

▶ Information about Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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INC.**

Employer identification number

59-1876272**Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 8 - Other Revenue**

Description	Amount
AUCTION PROCEEDS	\$ 10,508
SALE OF FOOD/DRINK AT MEETING	\$ 1,464
MEETING INCOME RAFFLES	\$ 625
MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	\$ 138
Total	\$ 12,735

Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 16 - Other Expenses

Description	Amount
Expenses	
POSTAGE	\$ 80
COMPUTER EXPENSES	\$ 2,033
INSURANCE	\$ 2,033
KID'S DAY EXPENSE	\$ 230
FOOD & BEVERAGE- MEETINGS	\$ 815
COST OF MEMBER GOODS	\$ 3,470
BANK SERVICE CHARGES	\$ 80
CHARITABLE DONATION	\$ 6,927
MEMBERSHIPS	\$ 100
FACILITIES- MEETINGS	\$ 810
BANQUEST COSTS	\$ 2,900
BANQUET AWARDS	\$ 7,010
PICNIC COSTS	\$ 515
DONATION	\$ 749

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

FLORIDA SPORT FISHING ASSOCIATION**59-1876272**

FACILITY CHARGE SOUTH CHP	\$	700
AUCTION ITEMS	\$	2,568
RAFFLE EXPENSE	\$	280
SPEAKER FEE	\$	500
FOOD AND BEVERAGE SOUTH C	\$	180
Total	\$	31,980

Form 990-EZ, Part III - Primary Exempt Purpose

TO PROMOTE THE CONTINUED AVAILABILITY OF THE LOCAL MARINE ENVIRONMENT FOR USE BY ALL RESIDENTS AND TO ENCOURAGE THE CHILDREN OF BEVARD COUNTY TO USE AND APPRECIATE THIS ENVIRONMENT.

Form 990-EZ, Part III, Line 31 - All Other Accomplishment

ALL OTHER EXEMPT PURPOSES.