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Essex County Executive
The Board of County Commissioners
And The Department of Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs



"Our fishing derbies are excellent opportunities for children to enjoy the historic Essex County Park System in a different and fun way. You'll have a great time creating your own 'big fish' stories and spending some quality time with your friends and family in some of the most beautiful parks in the area. I invite everyone to come out, cast their lines and Experience Essex."

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Open to Children 15 years of Age and Younger 🚧 FREE TO ENTER 🚧 Win a Prize!

FISHING DERBY WEEK 2023	
DATE	SITE
Tuesday, May 16	Monte Irvin Orange Park
Wednesday, May 17	Irvington Park
Thursday, May 18	Grover Cleveland Park
Tuesday, May 23	Weequahic Park
Wednesday, May 24	Verona Park
Thursday, May 25	South Mountain Reservation
Saturday, June 3	Branch Brook Park
Weekday Registration: 5:00pm - 6:00pm Derby: 6:00pm - 7:00pm Awards: 7:15pm - 7:30pm	Sunday Derby Registration: 8:00am - 9:00am Derby: 9:00am - 10:00am Awards: 10:00am - 10:30am

- See www.essexcountynj.org for any cancellations due to weather.
- Children are encouraged to bring their own fishing poles.
- There are no rain dates in case Fishing Derbies are canceled due to weather.
- Prizes will be awarded in various age categories.



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