

2026 BHA Bluegill Bash- Colo, IA



Start Date: 6/6/2026 12:00 PM

End Date: 6/6/2026 8:00 PM

Timezone: CDT

Come join the Iowa Chapter of BHA for the 3rd Annual BHA Bluegill Bash at Hickory Grove Lake! Wet a line with some likeminded anglers, enjoy some wild game, and have a chance to win some great prizes or raffles. All proceeds directly support hunting and fishing access on Iowa's public lands!

This event is family-friendly and open to the public, so bring your friends, families, and fishing buddies for an afternoon at the lake! Admission starts at just \$10/person over 16 years old (Kids 15 and under are \$5) , and includes two meals, entry into fishing contest, and 1 Door Prize ticket.

PLUS - Get your tickets before the event and be entered to win a 1-year Elite (50 state) Membership to the onX Hunt App!

*This event takes place during Iowa's Free Fishing Weekend—no fishing license required!

Schedule

12:00PM - Kick off the event with wild game lunch provided by Iowa BHA before setting out to test your panfishing skills.

4:00PM - "Weigh-in", with a prize awarded to the biggest bluegill.

4:30PM - Prizes and Raffles

6:00PM - Wrap things up with a fish fry and some cold beverages.

?? When: June 6, 2026

?? Time: 12:00PM- 8:00PM

?? Where: Hickory Grove Lake- Oriole Ridge Lodge, Colo, IA(Get Directions)