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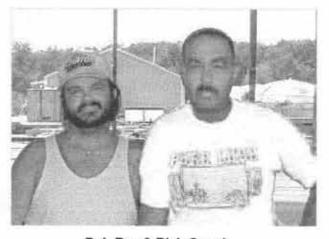


Ray & Gaugh Win Pomme

11.44 lb bag takes 1st Place

Bob Ray and Rich Gaugh overcame another weekend of tough fishing conditions the weekend of July 15-16 to capture 1st place at Pomme De Terre out of a total 29 boats. This marked the first Hawo Hawler Tournament of 2000 where we didn't get rained on, although heavy rains earlier in the week increased the lake level 4' over the previous weekend. A special thanks to the new Pomme - State Park Marina crew for their hospitality and fixing breakfast on Sunday morning.

1st Place



Bob Ray & Rich Gaugh 7 fish, 11.44 lbs, 7 pts each, \$228 Pattern - Black worms w/ red flake fished in shallow brush

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Next Tournament - Wappapello

August 12-13 at Barretts Resort

This years Wappapello Tournament will be held at Barretts Resort, located across the cove from the Redman Creek Ramp. Please note - anyone not staying at Barretts will need to launch across the cove at Redman Creek

The 1999Tournament was won by Bill Scheller and Steve Marler with 18 fish / 22.47 lbs caught on worms. 99 was also where the all time club record of 215 fish. the most fish ever at any Hawg Hawler Tournament was set. Wappapello has no size limit on bass, so it's a great tournament for kids to get a chance to weigh some fish.

Directions

55 south to 67 south to Greenville. Left on highway "D", go across Wappapello dam and watch for signs for Redman Creek Ramp. To get to Barretts Resort, continue 1 1/2 miles past the dam, go Right on "RA", and follow the signs to Barretts.

Due to scheduling conflicts, we have had to make another change to our Banquet date and location. We are locked in with a final date and place as follows:

When: Saturday - October 28, 2000

- Where: Quinns Place at the junction of Hwys 21 & B in Hillsboro
- Time: Program will begin at 4:00PM, Dinner at 5:00PM

Mark your calendars. More information will be provided in future newsletters

Pomme De Terre Results - continued from page 1

2nd Place



Terry Bost & Dave Jett

6 Fish, 9.28 lbs

Pattern - Red Shad worms in bushes 6 points each \$190



Pomme De Terre Big Bass Winners

Elders & Ray





Saturday-4.03 lbs Chuck Elders

Sunday - 2.61 lbs Bob Ray

Big Bass paid \$145 each for Chuck Elders on Saturday and for Bob Ray on Sunday (sorry we didn't get a picture of your fish Bob). Chuck's 4.03 lber also took the 50/50-side pot of \$120.



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With the warm summer water temps, stress on caught and released fish is at it highest levels of the year. Here's a few tips to help your catch survive the journey to weigh-in and release.

- Fill livewells early (when surface water is coolest), close the system, and keep aerator running <u>continuously</u>.
- Cool your livewell with frozen 2 liter or gallon bottles of water.
- Use Catch & Release chemicals in your livewell (available at tackle stores).
- Cut the line and leave the hook in if the fish is hooked deep.
- Minimize handling. Get your fish into the livewell quickly, with minimal handling. When taking pictures, prepare in advance - wet your hands and remove the fish from the water just long enough to get the photo.
- When going to weigh-in, put lot's of water in your bag (no such thing as too much).

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Chuck Elders & Don Ernst 4 Fish, 7.63 lbs Pattern - Worms 5 points each

\$138

4th Place

3rd Place

Gayle & Charlie Beach, 5 fish, 7.56 lbs Pattern - Black/Red Glitter Worms in brush piles, 4 pts each, \$104

5th Place

Bryan Walker & Jim Fanter, 6 fish, 7.43 lbs Pattern - Rattle Traps & Top Water, 3 pts each, \$86

6th Place

Randy Holman & Charlie Martin (New Members!) 4 fish, 7.24 lbs

Pattern - Red Shad Worms & Watermelon Lizards on points, 2 pts each, \$70

7th Place

Jim Coyner & Randy Orlowski, 6 fish, 7.16 lbs Pattern - Worms on steep points, 1 pt each, \$54

Coat-tails

Rich Gaugh, 1 fish, 1st place

Free Tournament Winners

Scott Mertz (again) Gary Eubanks Bryan Walker

Jim Coyner

Miscellaneous Facts

	Saturday	Sunday	Total
# of Fish	39	43	82
Weight	65.26 lbs.	60.48 lbs.	125.74 lbs.