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INTRODUCTION

The Oklahoma Department of Wildlife Conservation (ODWC) has gathered statewide data on competitive bass fishing for 11 years. These results continue to be a valuable addition to the data our biologists use to manage Oklahoma bass populations. Since we cannot conduct electrofishing surveys every year on every lake, tournament results allow our biologists to monitor bass populations between surveys. It is the only measure we have of what anglers are actually catching.

We want to thank the Tulsa District Corps of Engineers Project Offices, Oklahoma State Parks, the Grand River Dam Authority, and the many City offices that helped distribute *Tournament Report* cards in 2004.

We especially want to thank the many organizations that voluntarily return cards or enter tournament data via our Internet website following their events. Nearly half of the reports we received in 2004 came in via the on-line system. Refinements to that system will be made in 2005 and Tournament organizers will be sent detailed information on how to enter their results.

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SUMMARY OF 2004 RESULTS

Controlling authorities permitted 1110 tournament in 2004. We added 10% for non-permitted events and estimated there were about 1220 tournaments last year. That averages 23 tournaments each week somewhere in the Sooner State! Very few states in the nation have more tournaments than does Oklahoma.

- Permit numbers were down 7.5% from 2003, continuing a slow trend since 1998.
- Ninety-one different organizations submitted 637 *Tournament Reports* from 55 lakes (Table 1). Compared to 727 reports in 2003 from 49 lakes, this is a 12% decrease.
- Only 65% of permitted tournaments returned reports (We need to do better here!!!)



- There were 34,985 tournament entries (Table 1). Multiply this number by the average length of a tournament day (7.4 hours) to get an estimate of fishing pressure (258,889 angler-hours) attributed to tournament anglers.
- Team tournaments averaged 31 boats and draw-for-partner events averaged 24 participants. Draw-for-partner tournaments made up 22% of the contests reporting.

We saw a continuation of an upward trend in angler catch with both numbers and sizes of bass increasing for the third year in a row. Most Oklahoma lakes seem to have recovered from the slow fishing experienced a few years ago that resulted from low water levels and LMBV-related issues. Strong year classes in 2001 and 2002 are resulting in good catches of “keeper” sized bass in 2004.

- A total of 32,748 bass were weighed in 2004. Those fish weighed 69,917 pounds, a 1% increase over 2003.
- Tournaments averaged weighing 51 bass per event, up for the third year in a row for an average total weight per tournament of 110.11 pounds versus 94.87 pounds in 2003.
- The overall success rate (anglers or teams bringing at least one bass to weigh-in) was 61%, up from 60% last year and 55% in 2002.
- The average bass weighed 2.14 pounds, continuing an upward trend of 2.10 pounds in 2003, 2.07 pounds in 2002 and 2.01 pounds in 2001.
- Average winning weights rose to 10.54 pounds, up from 10.19 pounds in 2003 and 9.30 pounds in 2002.

- The heaviest one-day 5-bass limit weighed 27.27 pounds from Grand during a Jimmy Houston Outdoors Team Trail event.
- Limits of bass were weighed by 17% of all anglers or teams. This was higher than the 10-year average of 15%.
- The largest bass reported this year weighed 10.95 pounds from Sardis, caught during a Norman Bassmasters tournament (Table 3). Numbers of bass over 5 pounds were up a whopping 43% compared to last year. *Angler-hours per 5-pound Bass* showed a remarkable decrease, indicating that larger bass numbers were rebounding nicely after the lean years of 1999 through 2001.
- Bass over 8 pounds were also up, 50%, including three bass over 10 pounds! An 11.13 pound bass was reported caught while a team was pre-fishing for a tournament at Sooner.

This year we ranked our Top-20 Lakes if a minimum of 10 reports were received (Table 2).

- Hugo topped the tournament list for the second year in a row. It had the highest *Average Winning Weight*, and anglers there took the fewest hours to catch a 5-pound or larger bass. Biologists believe this to be a result of a water level management plan on Hugo from 1995-1999. A strong 1998 year class was produced during a planned high-water summer. Those fish have grown up to produce the fish that anglers are now catching in good numbers.
- Okemah was once again in 2nd place, flowed in 3rd place by Greenleaf. These small lakes continue to produce quality fishing despite heavy pressure. Murray made a big jump from 18th place in 2003 to 4th in 2004 on the strength on an improving trophy smallmouth population. Oologah and Broken Bow were tied for 5th, followed by Sooner and Eucha in 6th, with Hudson, McGee Creek, Ft. Gibson and Tenkiller rounding out the top ten places.
- Notable lakes missing from the rankings are Konawa, Lawtonka, Pine Creek, Shawnee Twin, Spavinaw, Thunderbird, Waurika, Webbers Falls and Wister because too few reports were received from these reservoirs. Weekly evening or weekend jackpot tournaments are held on some of these lakes but reports were not submitted by tournament organizers. We need tournament directors to contribute their results and ask that anglers check with tournament officials to ensure that reports are being submitting.



TABLE 1. SUMMARY OF BASS TOURNAMENT RESULTS BY LAKE FOR 2004.

LAKE	REPORTS REC'D(ISSUED)*	ENTRIES	BASS CAUGHT	BASS PER DAY	PERCENT SUCCESS	AVG WEIGHT	NUMBER > 5 lbs.	NUMBER > 8 lbs.	BIG BASS	FIRST PLACE
ARBUCKLE	13(51)	606	671	1.14	70	1.33	9	2	10.25	9.00
ARDMORE	2	26	44	1.44	92	1.86	0	0	3.40	4.95
BIRCH	2(29)	78	97	1.31	66	0.61	0	0	4.07	3.99
BLUESTEM	1	8	24	2.67	88	2.17	1	0	5.10	13.50
BROKEN BOW	11(32)	976	1143	1.25	75	1.89	10	0	7.70	15.07
CANTON	1	11	17	1.55	64	2.14	0	0	3.14	7.23
CARL BLACKWELL	18	387	142	0.60	44	2.15	4	0	5.40	6.02
CHANDLER	1	22	25	0.91	55	2.81	4	0	6.52	21.16
CHIMNEY ROCK	2	106	125	1.01	66	1.36	2	0	5.30	10.64
CLAREMORE	20	814	187	0.58	36	2.49	3	0	6.55	5.70
CLEAR CREEK	1(12)	30	26	0.87	53	2.59	2	0	5.53	17.31
CROWDER	2(3)	102	27	0.25	11	1.24	0	0	2.34	3.06
CUSHING	1	22	4	0.16	36	3.51	1	0	5.20	5.20
DUNCAN	2(5)	30	54	1.51	87	2.42	2	0	5.13	8.15
ELLSWORTH	1	8	4	0.50	38	2.57	0	0	4.36	6.07
EUCHA	25	1112	1464	1.47	74	1.70	22	0	7.05	12.20
EUFAULA	14(34)	3774	2609	0.79	59	2.19	44	0	7.80	14.85
FAIRFAX	1	8	1	0.13	25	4.69	0	0	4.69	4.69
FOSS	2(35)	37	31	0.79	50	1.97	1	0	5.06	6.52
FT COBB	5(4)	69	70	0.87	56	2.82	1	0	5.89	9.91
FT GIBSON	23(37)	1810	1372	0.74	67	2.36	21	0	6.44	11.35

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GRAND	38(103)	6415	6738	1.12	63	2.48	185	0	7.75	9.70
GREENLEAF	17(42)	516	334	1.31	49	2.79	6	0	5.85	13.03
GUTHRIE	13	171	63	1.00	29	2.38	1	0	5.22	4.79
HOMINY	1	26	7	0.24	31	1.81	0	0	2.64	7.33
HUDSON	23(54)	1068	947	0.95	72	2.35	21	0	7.40	12.10
HUGO	13(20)	610	975	1.29	79	2.12	3	0	5.45	15.38
KAW	3(3)	65	48	0.71	67	1.89	0	0	3.15	6.22
KERR	2(10)	149	113	0.95	62	2.04	0	0	3.69	11.70
KEYSTONE	40(56)	2177	1450	0.87	60	2.21	10	0	5.96	9.54
KONAWA	5	229	381	3.00	72	1.46	7	0	6.12	11.25
LAWTONKA	2	31	31	0.92	65	2.19	0	0	4.86	6.96
LONE CHIMNEY	5	103	88	0.82	61	0.95	0	0	3.60	4.46
McGEE CREEK	18(24)	703	1478	1.91	89	1.26	11	1	8.10	9.78
McMURTRY	17	335	196	0.76	60	1.80	4	0	5.60	6.04
MURRAY	14(58)	880	1471	1.57	82	1.48	13	1	10.90	10.88
NEWT GRAHAM	7	214	220	0.85	80	2.44	5	0	6.70	15.91
OKEMAH	12(12)	360	326	0.84	67	3.22	22	1	8.00	14.64
OOLOGAH	34(28)	584	342	1.23	62	2.36	2	0	5.25	6.04
PAULS VALLEY	1	26	24	0.74	46	2.54	0	0	4.78	9.80
PINE CREEK	6(15)	327	349	0.93	68	2.49	9	0	5.90	12.96

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PRAGUE	3	59	75	1.12	69	2.07	2	0	7.94	10.58
SARDIS	18(26)	561	726	1.14	68	2.11	20	1	10.95	12.06
SHAWNEE TWIN	5(30)	80	7	0.24	18	1.92	0	0	3.90	2.04
SKIATOOK	41(52)	3128	2477	1.15	51	1.53	22	1	8.60	8.17
SOONER	18	427	382	0.95	68	2.24	23	0	7.78	10.98
SPAVINAW	3	79	152	2.61	81	2.04	4	1	8.01	17.17
TENKILLER	102(125)	4407	3775	1.24	52	2.24	53	0	7.32	11.08
TEXOMA	24(36)	1459	1826	1.03	71	2.03	18	1	8.31	14.08
THUNDERBIRD	2(31)	114	53	1.88	53	2.88	5	0	6.00	9.94
VANDERWORK	2	29	35	1.16	63	1.33	0	0	2.57	3.12
WAURIKA	2(4)	40	18	0.47	48	2.93	1	0	5.71	6.91
WEBBERS FALLS	2	170	183	0.89	86	2.06	1	0	5.29	14.18
WISTER	1(3)	8	44	2.32	100	2.23	0	0	4.00	23.15
TOTALS	637	34,985	32,748				558	9		
AVG. PER TOURNAMENT		55	51	1.10	61	2.14	0.88	0.01	4.42	10.54

* Number in parentheses are numbers of tournament permits issued by Corps of Engineers, GRDA, State Parks or other controlling authorities compared to number of reports received by ODWC

TABLE 2. THE TOP-20 TOURNAMENT LAKES IN OKLAHOMA BASED ON 2004 REPORTS

RANKED BY "FISHING QUALITY INDICATORS" FROM LAKES SUBMITTING TEN OR MORE ODWC TOURNAMENT REPORTS

AVERAGE NUMBER CAUGHT PER 8-HOUR DAY	PERCENT SUCCESSFUL ANGLERS	AVERAGE WEIGHT PER BASS (lbs.)	AVERAGE 1 ST PLACE WEIGHT (lbs.)	ANGLER-HOURS PER BASS OVER 5 lbs.	OVERALL RANK							
MCGEE CK	1.91	MCGEE CK	89	OKEMAH	3.22	HUGO	15.38	HUGO	34	#1	HUGO	96
MURRAY	1.57	MURRAY	82	GREENLEAF	2.79	BROKEN BOW	15.07	GUTHRIE	39	#2	OKEMAH	80
EUCHA	1.47	HUGO	79	CLAREMORE	2.49	EUFAULA	14.85	OLOGAH	51	#3	GREENLEAF	79
GREENLEAF	1.31	BROKEN BOW	75	GRAND	2.48	OKEMAH	14.64	SOONER	106	#4	MURRAY	70
HUGO	1.29	EUCHA	74	GUTHRIE	2.38	TEXOMA	14.08	OKEMAH	107	#5	OLOGAH	69
BROKEN BOW	1.25	HUDSON	72	OLOGAH	2.36	GREENLEAF	13.03	FT. GIBSON	112	#5	BROKEN BOW	69
TENKILLER	1.24	TEXOMA	71	FT. GIBSON	2.36	EUCHA	12.20	CLAREMORE	120	#6	SOONER	68
OLOGAH	1.23	ARBUCKLE	70	HUDSON	2.35	HUDSON	12.10	McMURTRY	126	#6	EUCHA	68
SKIATOOK	1.15	SARDIS	68	TENKILLER	2.24	SARDIS	12.06	GREENLEAF	132	#7	HUDSON	67
SARDIS	1.14	SOONER	68	SOONER	2.24	FT. GIBSON	11.35	BLACKWELL	160	#8	MCGEE CK	66
ARBUCKLE	1.14	FT. GIBSON	67	KEYSTONE	2.21	TENKILLER	11.08	TENKILLER	160	#9	FT. GIBSON	65
GRAND	1.12	OKEMAH	67	EUFAULA	2.19	SOONER	10.98	MURRAY	192	#10	TENKILLER	64
TEXOMA	1.03	GRAND	63	BLACKWELL	2.15	MURRAY	10.88	SKIATOOK	213	#11	SARDIS	62
GUTHRIE	1.00	OLOGAH	62	HUGO	2.12	MCGEE CK	9.78	SARDIS	228	#12	TEXOMA	61
HUDSON	0.95	KEYSTONE	60	SARDIS	2.11	GRAND	9.70	MCGEE CK	257	#13	GRAND	57
SOONER	0.95	McMURTRY	60	TEXOMA	2.03	KEYSTONE	9.54	HUDSON	260	#14	GUTHRIE	53
KEYSTONE	0.87	EUFAULA	59	BROKEN BOW	1.89	ARBUCKLE	9.00	KEYSTONE	270	#15	EUFAULA	46
OKEMAH	0.84	TENKILLER	52	McMURTRY	1.80	SKIATOOK	8.17	EUCHA	272	#16	KEYSTONE	44
EUFAULA	0.79	SKIATOOK	51	EUCHA	1.70	McMURTRY	6.04	GRAND	313	#17	CLAREMORE	43
McMURTRY	0.76	GREENLEAF	49	SKIATOOK	1.53	OLOGAH	6.04	TEXOMA	314	#18	ARBUCKLE	41
FT. GIBSON	0.74	BLACKWELL	44	MURRAY	1.48	BLACKWELL	6.02	ARBUCKLE	322	#18	SKIATOOK	41
BLACKWELL	0.60	CLAREMORE	36	ARBUCKLE	1.33	CLAREMORE	5.70	BROKEN BOW	435	#19	McMURTRY	40
CLAREMORE	0.58	GUTHRIE	29	MCGEE CK	1.26	GUTHRIE	4.79	EUFAULA	712	#20	BLACKWELL	33

TABLE 3. TROPHY BASS REPORTED IN 2004 TOURNAMENTS.

LAKE	ORGANIZATION	DATE	WEIGHT
TEXOMA	FISHERS OF MEN	03/06/04	8.31 lbs.
ARBUCKLE	CHISHOLM TRAIL BASS CLUB	03/14/04	9.28
ARBUCKLE	ALL AMERICAN BASS	03/20/04	10.25
SARDIS	NORMAN BASSMASTERS	03/20/04	10.95
OKEMAH	OKEMAH BASS BUDDY	03/28/04	8.00
SPAVINAW	UNITED BASS ANGLERS	04/24/04	8.01
SKIATOOK	SKIATOOK TAG WNJ	07/31/04	8.60
MCGEE CREEK	LITTLE DIXIE BASS CLUB	09/11/04	8.10
MURRAY	LITTLE DIXIE BASS CLUB	11/06/04	10.90

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Aquatic Nuisance Species (ANS)

Largemouth Bass Virus (LMBV) has spread to over 30 of our lakes, causing fish kills and poor fishing for following outbreaks. **White Perch** have invaded Kaw Lake with unknown impacts to native fish populations. Blooms of the toxic **Golden Alga** hit Lake Texoma and Altus-Lugert Reservoir causing fish kills and threatening popular sport fisheries. Exotic **Asian Carp** have been caught in several Oklahoma rivers, threatening to out-compete many native species of fish, including sport fish. **Zebra Mussels** have now been found in Grand Lake, Kaw Lake and Oologah as well as the waters of the Arkansas River Navigation System.

It is likely that some of these invaders were spread by anglers & boaters! They can be transferred in bilge or livewell water, on carpeted trailer bunks or frames. Please do your part to prevent the spread of unwanted aquatic nuisance species by inspecting and cleaning your boat when you leave the lake, don't dump unused minnows or bait, and never transplant fish from lake to lake. The health of our aquatic resources depends on your efforts. Learn more about how to prevent the spread of aquatic nuisance species at www.protectyourwaters.net/prevention/prevention_generic.php#1



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NEW INTERNET ADDRESS NEW PROCEDURES

FOR SUBMITTING BASS TOURNAMENT RESULTS
DIRECTLY TO ODWC VIA OUR ON-LINE SYSTEM

Log on to: <http://fishlab.ou.edu/bass/tournament.htm>

There is **no “www” in the new address** and there is **no user name or password**.

Call up the site and enter results as you would on the *TOURNAMENT REPORT CARD*. Be sure to include contact information, including an E-mail address so we can send you the end-of-the-year report when it is completed.

Enter your results as soon after the event as possible so the information is fresh and accurate. If that is not possible, you may submit reports weekly, monthly or at the end of the season (please try to get all reports submitted by November 1st).

To enter several reports at one time:

- Fill in the data from your first report and click on the “**Submit**” button at the bottom of the page. You will be taken to a “Confirmation” page.
- From the Confirmation Page click on the “**Back**” button of your browser and it will take you back to the data you just entered.
- Change the information in the appropriate fields such as “Lake Name” and “Date” and the catch statistics, leaving other information such as your organization name and address the same,
- Click on the “**Submit**” button again to send the new data. Repeat as often as necessary to get all your tournament results entered. Use the “Reset” button only if you want to start over completely with all blanks fields.

We are constantly trying to update and improve the tournament results reporting process. If you have suggestions on the data entry form or format or on how this information is presented in the end-of-the-year report, please let us know.