

Proceeds to benefit Economic Development – YOU can help CREATE JOBS by fishing!



TRACKER
boats

ProTeam 175

Aluminum Bass Boat, Mercury Motor
& Tracker Trailstar Trailer



Bring home the biggest string of bass to win a
**Tracker ProTeam 175 Aluminum Bass Boat,
Mercury motor and Tracker Trailstar trailer**
provided by **Tracker Boats and
Bradford Marine & ATV.**

Pick up & register on a **Special Registration Form**
at any Bradford Marine & ATV location to enter the
**Special Prize Drawing for a
\$1,000 Bass Pro Shop Gift Card!**

Must be registered for the tournament.

Drawing to be held at tournament weigh-in April 30. Must be present to win.

Fantastic Door Prizes

Over \$1,000 in merchandise to be given away in random drawings of
all contestants (must be present to win)

50th Place - \$300

Sponsored by Jiffy Kwick

Big Bass Pot of \$500

Prize Structure

Place	Prize	Value	Sponsor
1st	Tracker ProTeam 175 Boat and Two Collector BB Guns	\$15,000	Bradford Marine & ATV & Daisy
2nd	\$2,400 and Two Collector BB Guns	\$2,400	RLACC & Daisy
3rd	\$1,200 and Two Collector BB Guns	\$1,200	RLACC & Daisy
4th	\$800 and Two Collector BB Guns	\$800	RLACC & Daisy
5th	\$700 and Two Collector BB Guns	\$700	RLACC & Daisy
6th	\$600	\$600	RLACC
7th	\$600	\$600	RLACC
8th	\$500	\$500	RLACC
9th	\$500	\$500	RLACC
10th	\$500	\$500	RLACC
11th - 25th	Prizes	N/A	Bass Pro Shops
50th	\$300	\$300	Jiffy Kwick
Big Bass	\$500 and One Collector BB Gun	\$500	RLACC & Daisy

*RLACC - Rogers-Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce

TEAM DIVISION COMPETITIONS

Form a Team!

Businesses * Clubs * Organizations * Fishing Groups

The 25th Annual Bradford Marine & ATV Buddy Bass Tournament features three divisions
to allow any size business, club or organization to participate in the tournament.

Compete for a beautiful traveling trophy and all the glory!

Division I – 4 ft. Champion Trophy 8 Boat Entries for \$840

Division II – 3 ft. Champion Trophy 4 Boat Entries for \$420

Division III – 2 ft. Champion Trophy 2 Boat Entries for \$210

(Pre-registration is required to compete in the divisions by April 22, 2016)

WHAT DOES THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DO FOR THE CITIZENS OF ROGERS & LOWELL?

While communities across the nation are experiencing recession and people are losing jobs, our local economy continues to be healthy. This didn't just happen. It is made possible through the organized effort of the Rogers-Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce, whose sole purpose is to ensure a vital economy and quality of life. Whether it's boating, music lessons for the kids, or dining at a favorite restaurant, the people of the Rogers-Lowell area are able to enjoy some of the finer things in life. It is with great pleasure and pride that the Chamber sponsors the 25th Annual Bradford Marine & ATV Buddy Bass Tournament. We hope you will support and participate in this celebration of *The Good Life* we enjoy in Rogers & Lowell! Proceeds from this event will go to Rogers-Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce economic development projects.

SPECIAL THANKS TO THESE OUTSTANDING TOURNAMENT SPONSORS





SATURDAY | APRIL 30, 2016

Prairie Creek Pavilion, Rogers, Arkansas

REGISTER TODAY

Two Ways to Register - See Inside of this Form for Details.

ENTRY FEE: \$110 per boat (\$120 per boat after April 22, 2016)



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**PROMOTIONAL
BOAT RIDES**

Thursday, April 28 | 2 - 4 PM | Prairie Creek Marina
Take a test ride on the Nitro Z9, Z20 or Z21 boats!



All participants (including Buddy Bass Tournament fishermen) who go for a test ride in the Nitro Z9, Z20 or Z21 are entered for a chance to win a \$500 cash prize, the drawing for which will be held at the weigh-in on April 30. The highest scoring fisherman during the Buddy Bass Tournament who also participated in the test rides will win a special merchandise prize.

**If it's raining, boat ride event will be cancelled.*

Also, don't miss the

FRIDAY
April 29
5:00 - 7:00

- Great Door Prizes
- Pick up your Tournament Goodie Bag
- FREE Dinner catered by Golden Corral (served to the first 200 attendees)
- And Much More!

FRIDAY NIGHT BUDDY BASS KICKOFF

at Bradford Marine & ATV, 2325 N Thompson St. in Springdale

Missing some fishing gear?
Come Early & Shop!

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Rules and Regulations

Interpretation of the following rules shall be the exclusive right of the tournament director and/or committee and decisions shall be final in all matters.

1. **ELIGIBILITY:** Limit 2 people per boat. At least one member of the team must be 18 years or older to operate the boat. Members of the Rogers-Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce Buddy Bass Committee are not eligible to participate in the tournament.
2. **REGISTRATION AND ENTRY:** Every team must submit an entry form. Entry fees will be accepted by mail until April 22, and in person through 5 p.m. April 29, at the Rogers-Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce, 317 W. Walnut, Rogers, AR 72756, or after 5 a.m. on April 30, 2016 at the Prairie Creek Marina Pavilions.

Checks will not be accepted for payment after April 22, only cash or credit card.
3. **TOURNAMENT TIME:** Departure will be in sequence in which team reservation forms with appropriate fees are received. Official starting times and return check-in times are 6:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m., 6:20 a.m.-2:20 p.m., 6:40 a.m.-2:40 p.m., and 7:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Contestants may launch from any location on Beaver Lake; however, contestants CANNOT make their first cast until the assigned time.
4. **LATE CHECK-IN PENALTY: DISQUALIFICATION.** No excuses! Boats must check-in at official tournament flag, to be located at Prairie Creek Marina No Wake Zone on dock.
5. **FISHING LOCATION:** Anywhere on the tournament lake except within 50 yards of another contestant's boat, a public dock, or the weigh-in area.
6. **BOATS AND MOTORS:** Any boat 14 ft. or longer will be accepted if powered by an engine of 10 hp or more and equipped with a kill switch and an aerated live well. Boats may not be trailered during tournament hours.
7. **TACKLE AND EQUIPMENT:** Only artificial lures may be used. Pork-style lures are allowed. All bass must be caught on a rod and reel. **NO TROLLING!**
8. **SAFETY AND SPORTSMANSHIP:** Safe boating and fishing practices must be observed at all times. Life jackets must be worn when boat is on plane. **ALL GAME & FISH LAWS WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.** All contestants are required to follow high standards of sportsmanship, courtesy and conservation. Intoxication will be cause for immediate disqualification. No alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs will be allowed in the boats during the tournament hours extending through the signing of the weigh-in form. Illegal use of drugs, commitment of a crime, or other conduct reflecting unfavorably upon efforts to promote safety, sportsmanship, fair competition and compliance with tournament rules are grounds for disqualification and/or rejection of any application for participation.
9. **SCORING:** Largemouth Bass, Spotted Bass (Kentucky), Meanmouth Bass and Smallmouth Bass will be counted for total weight. The total stringer weight per team will determine finishing place. Any Largemouth Bass, Smallmouth Bass, or Meanmouth Bass under 15" and any Spotted Bass (Kentucky) under 12" presented for weigh-in will cause a two (2) pound penalty subtracted from the total weight, plus the loss of the short fish. Bass will be measured on a flat board, mouth closed and tail to touch the line. **SIX (6) FISH LIMIT PER TEAM.** Any # of fish over the six fish limit presented for weigh-in, the weighmaster will begin culling with the largest bass. A penalty of 0.5 pound will also be deducted from the stringer weight for each dead fish. Any frozen or iced fish presented for weigh-in will result in immediate **DISQUALIFICATION.** Use of any electronic implanted device(s) (bugging) used to locate fish will result in team **DISQUALIFICATION.** Contestants must be in sight of their partner during tournament hours. Bass will be weighed on two scales with same calibration.
10. **TIES:** Total weight category, lowest boat number, and total number of fish will determine winner.
11. **POLYGRAPH TEST:** By his/her signature on this entry form and/or participation in this tournament, contestants agree to submit to and pass a polygraph test if required by the tournament committee. Refusal to submit will result in immediate disqualification. Contestants disqualified by result of polygraph test will forfeit all monies and prizes and will be banned from future tournaments.
12. **PROTEST:** Protest must be filed in writing with the tournament committee no later than 15 minutes after the conclusion of the weigh-in.
13. **TOURNAMENT CANCELLATION:** The Rogers-Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce reserves the right to cancel this tournament upon written notification to registered contestants and full refund of any tournament fees paid.
14. **FISH:** All fish become the property of the tournament committee.



Official Entry Form



PLEASE PRINT THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION - PLEASE COMPLETE ALL SECTIONS:

A. Name: _____ Phone: _____
 Address: _____ Email: _____
 City/State/Zip: _____ Social Security #: _____
(Registration & 1099 will be sent on all winnings over \$600)

B. Buddy Name: _____ Phone: _____
 Address: _____ Email: _____
 City/State/Zip: _____ Social Security #: _____
(Registration & 1099 will be sent on all winnings over \$600)

SINGLE BOAT ENTRY

_____ Single Boat Entry = \$110 per boat (Late Entry Fee = \$120 per boat after April 22, 2016)

TEAM BOAT ENTRY*

_____ Team Competition: _____ Division 1 = 8-boat entry (16 people) for \$840
 _____ Division 2 = 4-boat entry (8 people) for \$420
 _____ Division 3 = 2-boat entry (4 people) for \$210

* Each boat in a team entry must complete a registration form.

Team/Company Name: _____
 Team Captain or Main Contact: _____
 Address: _____ Phone: _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION:

_____ Enclosed is my check/money order in the amount of \$ _____
(Payable to the Rogers-Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce)

_____ Bill by credit card in the amount of \$ _____

Payment Method:
 Visa MC AMEX Discover Cash Check # _____
 Card #
 Exp. Date _____ Card Security Code _____
3- or 4-digit number on back of card or above card number
 Cardholder Name _____
 Billing Address of Credit Card _____ Zip _____
 Signature _____
 Special Instructions _____

SIGNATURES:

LIABILITY RELEASE: Having read and understood all rules and regulations of this tournament, I hereby agree to abide by all tournament rules. The signature of each entrant hereby waives and releases all other contestants, the Rogers-Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce (as host), sponsors and tournament officials from all claims of injury and/or damage incurred by each to self or equipment in connection with this tournament. I understand that the tournament officials reserve the right to refuse and/or refund this entry upon reasonable grounds. All information provided above is true to the best of my knowledge. Employees and family members of the Rogers-Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce will not be eligible for the grand prize.

Signature: _____ Buddy: _____ Date: _____

RETURN FORM TO:

Rogers-Lowell Area Chamber of Commerce Phone: (479) 636-1240 Email: ashley@rogerslowell.com
 317 W. Walnut Street, Rogers, AR 72756 Fax: (479) 636-5485 Web: www.RogersLowell.com

rcvd by _____ amt pd _____ pmt form _____ date _____ time _____ official entry# _____