

Androscoggin Bassmasters Club History

Welcome to the Androscoggin Bassmasters club history report. It was our goal to include as much club history as possible of the current and past years to reflect on the club members and their many individual accomplishments. As with any history, some of it has been lost or misplaced. However, we were able to recover most of the data and have put together this report as complete and accurate as we possibly could.

In the upcoming pages you will find a detailed description of all the past history of our club. This was put together from information saved and then received from Bob Ouellette, Henry Aube long time members and founders of the club as well as information from club member John Volkernick.

All the information listed is what we found in the club books starting in 1986. Any information or history before that has not been used or located. However if you have any information pre 1986 please visit our website www.androscogginbassmasters.com and contact the membership, we will be glad to include it.

The club history will be reprinted and updated at least once yearly before the start of the new fishing season.

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Angler of the Year Awards

These members were awarded the club Angler of the Year, which was determined by either total weight or total points of the pre-determined number of club tournaments in the given year. Some of these were 3 or 4 fish limit years and some where 5 or 6 tournament years with throw out tournaments included in some.

Year	Angler	Total Weight	Total Points
2007	Keith Poulin	68.38	510
2006	John Volkernick	61.22	N/A
2005	Joe Sanchas	62.56	N/A
2004	Joe Sanchas	53.00	N/A
2003	Joe Sanchas	57.50	N/A
2002	Mark Swett	56.29	N/A
2001	John Volkernick	62.98	N/A
2000	Mark Swett	44.67	N/A
1999	Paul Ruel	35.77	N/A
1998	Steve Ames	43.00	N/A
1997	Henry Aube	37.75	N/A
1996	Henry Aube	56.91	N/A
1995	Pat Therriault	58.36	N/A
1994	Pat Therriault	33.48	N/A
1993	Henry Aube	41.13	N/A
1992	Jay Jalbert	44.28	N/A
1991	Pat Therriault	49.20	N/A
1990	Pat Therriault	40.97	240
1989	Pat Therriault	53.42	295
1988	Pat Therriault	42.00	10
1987	Joe Klonowski	39.94	26
1986	Pat Therriault	35.37	N/A

All Time Highest Yearly Total Weights

Year	Angler	Total Weight	Total Points
2007	Keith Poulin	68.38	510
2001	John Volkernick	62.98	N/A
2005	Joe Sanchas	62.56	N/A
2007	John Volkernick	62.53	479
2006	John Volkernick	61.22	N/A
1995	Pat Therriault	58.36	N/A
2006	Mark Swett	58.31	N/A
2007	Caleb LaFrance	58.18	436
2005	Mark Swett	57.99	N/A
2003	Joe Sanchas	57.50	N/A
1996	Henry Aube	56.91	N/A
2001	Pete Poliquin	56.62	N/A
2007	Shaun Avery	56.34	446
2002	Mark Swett	56.29	N/A
1995	Rick Grenier	55.15	N/A
2007	Mario Blais	53.53	434
1989	Pat Therriault	53.42	N/A
2004	Joe Sanchas	53.00	N/A
2006	Mario Blais	52.10	N/A
2003	Dave Mittelstadt	52.04	N/A

Maine B.A.S.S. Federation Nation State Team Members

The members below made the Maine B.A.S.S. Federation Nation State Team
as club members of Androscoggin Bassmasters.

Year	Angler	State Finish	Weight	Divisional Finish	Weight
2006	Dave Mittelstadt	12th	25.98	N/A	00.00
2005	Mark Swett	8th	?	N/A	?
2004	Joe Sanchas	N/A	?	N/A	?
2003	Brenda Swett	N/A	?	N/A	?
1997	Cindy Aube	N/A	?	N/A	?
1996	Henry Aube	N/A	?	N/A	?
1996	Cindy Aube	N/A	?	N/A	?
1995	Cindy Aube	N/A	?	N/A	?

Arnie Yates Sportsman Awards

These members were awarded the Arnie Yates Sportsman Award, which is an award dedicated to Arnie Yates a past club member that lost his battle with cancer.

Year	Club Member
2007	Dave Parsons
2006	Richard J.R. Pelletier
2005	Jim Weston
2004	Joe Sanchas
2003	Ted Chartier
2002	Mark Swett
2001	Derek Davidson
2000	Bob Ouellette
1999	John Volkernick
1998	Sherry Ames
1997	Sherry Ames
1996	Cindy Aube
1995	N/A
1994	Steve Ames
1993	Bob Hand

All Time Tournament Wins

Below are the top five club anglers with the most club tournament wins. It is believed that Pat Therriault has a total of 25 victories, but only 20 have been confirmed in the club records since 1986.

Pos	Angler	Wins	Best Weight	Body of Water
1	Pat Therriault	20	11.00	Tacoma Lake
2	Henry Aube	13	13.89	Annabessacook Lake
3	Mark Swett	11	17.57	Annabessacook Lake
4	Bob Ouellette	8	11.63	Androscoggin River
5	John Volkernick	9	16.24	Androscoggin Lake

All Time 2nd Place Tournament Finishes

Below are the top five club anglers with the most 2nd place club tournament finishes.

Pos	Angler	2 nd	Best Weight	Body of Water
1	Henry Aube	14	10.73	Three Mile Pond
2	Pat Therriault	12	11.13	Panther Pond
3	Bob Ouellette	11	13.02	Three Mile Pond
4	Mark Swett	9	13.22	Norway Lake
5	John Volkernick	8	14.36	China Lake

All Time 3rd Place Tournament Finishes

Below are the top five club anglers with the most 3rd place club tournament finishes.

Pos	Angler	3 rd	Best Weight	Body of Water
1	Bob Ouellette	17	13.84	Annabessacook Lake
2	Pat Therriault	11	10.39	Wilson Pond
3	Rick Grenier	8	9.81	Three Mile Pond
4	John Volkernick	7	11.40	Pleasant Lake Casco
5	Henry Aube	6	10.53	Pleasant Lake Casco

All Time 4th Place Tournament Finishes

Below are the top five club anglers with the most 4th place club tournament finishes.

Pos	Angler	4 th	Best Weight	Body of Water
1	John Volkernick	9	12.67	Panther Pond
2	Henry Aube	9	8.44	Norway Lake
3	Mark Swett	8	11.54	Webber Pond
4	Cindy Aube	8	8.63	Three Mile Pond
5	Bob Ouellette	8	8.16	Sabattus Pond

All Time 5th Place Tournament Finishes

Below are the top five club anglers with the most 5th place club tournament finishes.

Pos	Angler	5 th	Best Weight	Body of Water
1	Bob Ouellette	16	10.63	Webber Pond
2	Henry Aube	9	8.31	Panther Pond
3	Rick Grenier	7	7.06	Annabessacook Lake
4	Bob Chamberland	7	6.28	Pleasant / Cobb Str.
5	Mark Swett	8	12.59	Panther Pond

All Time Highest Weights 3 Fish

These all time highest weights with a 3 fish limit.

Pos	Angler	Body Of Water	Weight
1	Mark Swett	Three Mile Pond	14.56
2	Henry Aube	Webber Pond	*14.??
3	Henry Aube	Annabessacook Lake	13.89
4	John Volkernick	Crescent Lake	13.73
5	Steve Ames	Three Mile Pond	13.66
6	Bob Ouellette	Three Mile Pond	13.02
7	Derek Laliberty	Wilson Pond	13.02
8	Henry Aube	Sabattus Pond	12.50
9	Pete Poliquin	Three Mile Pond	12.27
10	Rick Grenier	Tacoma Lake	12.22
11	Klaus True	Annabessacook lake	12.21
12	Earl Gardner	Sabattus Pond	12.00
13	Rick Grenier	Panther Pond	12.00
14	Rick Baker	Webber Pond	11.90
15	Don Roberts	Webber Pond	11.86
16	Derek Davidson	Webber Pond	11.77
17	Dave Mittelstadt	Webber Pond	11.76
18	Don Roberts	Wilson Pond	11.75
19	Steve Ames	China Lake	11.75
20	Jason Ouellette	Three Mile Pond	11.73

* Part of lost records

All Time Highest Weights 4 Fish

These all time highest weights a 4 fish limit.

Pos	Angler	Body Of Water	Weight
1	Don Roberts	Panther Pond	18.56
2	Mark Swett	Annabessacook Lake	17.57
3	Joe Sanchas	Thompson Lake	16.46
4	John Volkernick	Androscoggin Lake	16.24
5	Dave Mittelstadt	Annabessacook Lake	15.41
6	Keith Poulin	Annabessacook Lake	15.31
7	Joe Sanchas	Panther Pond	14.97
8	John Volkernick	East Pond	14.94
9	Keith Poulin	Sabattus Pond	14.48
10	Joe Sanchas	China Lake	14.38
11	John Volkernick	China Lake	14.36
12	Klaus True	Three Mile Pond	14.31
13	Caleb LaFrance	Annabessacook Lake	14.31
14	Jeff Comeau	Androscoggin Lake	14.27
15	Keith Poulin	East Pond	14.13
16	Joe Sanchas	Messalonskee Lake	14.05
17	Mark Swett	Three Mile Pond	13.92
18	Bob Ouellette	Annabessacook Lake	13.84
19	David Dodge	Annabessacook Lake	13.81
20	Mario Blais	Androscoggin Lake	13.75

All Time Lowest Winning Tournament Weights 3 Fish

These all time lowest winning weights per tournament are listed with a 3 fish limit.

Pos	Angler	Body Of Water	Weight
1	Art Bousquet	Torsey Pond	5.38
2	R. Brousseau Jr	East Pond	5.38
3	Pat Therriault	Maranacook Lake	5.56
4	Mike Berry	Salmon & McGrath	6.06
5	R. Brousseau Sr	Cochnewagon Pond	6.06

All Time Lowest Winning Tournament Weights 4 Fish

These all time lowest winning weights per tournament are listed with a 4 fish limit.

Pos	Angler	Body Of Water	Weight
1	Brenda Swett	East Pond	9.94
2	Ted Chartier	Pleasant Pond Cobb Str.	10.05
3	Joe Sanchas	Lovewell Pond	10.12
4	Joe Sanchas	Norway Lake	10.15
5	Mark Swett	Messalonskee Lake	10.73

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3	Henry Aube	Annabessacook Lake	13.89
4	John Volkernick	Crescent Lake	13.73
5	Steve Ames	Three Mile Pond	13.66

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4	John Volkernick	Androscoggin Lake	16.24
5	Keith Poulin	Annabessacook Lake	15.31

All Time Largest Largemouth

These are the top 5 anglers with the largest weighed in largemouth bass in a club tournament.

Pos	Angler	Body Of Water	Weight
1	Jason Ouellette	Three Mile Pond	7.30
2	Pete Poliquin	Three Mile Pond	6.91
3	Henry Aube	Annabessacook Lake	6.77
4	Mark Swett	Three Mile Pond	6.74
5	Don Roberts	Panther Pond	6.67

All Time Smallest Largemouth

These are the top 5 anglers with the smallest weighed in largemouth bass in a club tournament.

Pos	Angler	Body Of Water	Weight
1	Cindy Aube	Great Pond	0.88
2	Dan Rodrique	North Pond	0.88
3	Earl Gardner	Messalonskee Lake	0.95
4	Bob Chamberland	Pleasant Cobb Str.	1.00
5	Bob Chamberland	Panther Pond	1.00

All Time Largest Smallmouth

These are the top 5 anglers with the largest weighed in smallmouth bass in a club tournament.

Pos	Angler	Body Of Water	Weight
1	Mark Swett	North Pond	4.90
2	Caleb LaFrance	Norway Lake	4.64
3	Mark Swett	Panther Pond	4.40
4	Jason Ouellette	Norway Lake	4.38
5	Cindy Aube	Echo Lake	4.28

All Time Smallest Smallmouth

These are the top 5 anglers with the smallest weighed in smallmouth bass in a club tournament.

Pos	Angler	Body Of Water	Weight
1	Cindy Aube	Maranacook Lake	0.57
2	Rick Grenier	Thompson Lake	0.75
3	Lou Lagace	Messalonskee Lake	0.94
4	R. Brousseau Sr	Webber Pond	0.94
5	Arnie Yates	Androscoggin River	1.00

All Time Highest Total Weights By Water Body

This chart shows the all time highest total weights from the top bodies of water.

Pos	Body of Water	Angler	Winning Weight
1	Panther Pond	Don Roberts	18.56
2	Annabessacook Lake	Mark Swett	17.57
3	Thompson Lake	Joe Sanchas	16.46
4	Androscoggin Lake	John Volkernick	16.24
5	Annabessacook Lake	Dave Mittelstadt	15.41

All Time Total Tournament Average Fish Size

This shows the average fish size for all past years from the different lakes and rivers we have fished.

Pos	Body of Water	Fish Weighed	Total Weight	Average Size
1	Wilson Pond	15	50.54	3.37
2	Panther Pond	43	138.54	3.22
3	Webber Pond	45	138.93	3.09
4	Three Mile Pond	25	76.68	3.07
5	Annabessacook Lake	50	148.38	2.97