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Bassin’ With Bubba

By Don Bubba Hampton

June is deep water month on Lake Fork. With the spawn over, bass are hungry. Once you start catching them you can set your watch and count on them feeding generally the same time everyday. The hottest part of the day and late afternoon is normally when you will get the best consistent bite.

Location is the key for really great deep water action. Key in on the 20 to 25 foot humps, ridges, ledges, long points, and roadbeds. Also key in on break lines from 20 to 25 feet that drop to 30 to 40 foot depths working your lure though the break lines. Carolina-rigged and drop shot plastics, worms, ring fries, and French fries will catch Fork’s deep bass. Soft jerk baits on weighted hooks and swim baits will be the lure to use when you find schools of bass suspending over deep water structure. Deep diving crank baits in shad pattern will also catch their share of bass.

A good locater is a must for deep water fishing. Once you master the locater, your deepwater bass fishing success will greatly increase. If you do not mark bait fish and fish feeding on the bait, fish move to another area.

The shallow bite can also be good on most days. The early bird will get the worm. Get an early start because top water bite will be the first 30 minutes of daylight, longer on overcast days. Look for points and banks that have good hydrrilla growth on them. Find the grass and you will find the bass.

When the top water bite slows switch to jig/craw and Texas and Carolina rigged worms. Fished around grass edges they will catch their share of bass. When the shallow bite slows down, the deep water bite will start usually around mid day thru late afternoon.

During June both the shallow and deep bites are good, but the night bite will be at its best. Black spinner baits with a big Colorado blade will catch bass all night long. Fish the same area you would during the day. Most of Fork’s main lake points will have night time bass action. Find points with the best grass patches; they will hold the best fish. Find the hydrilla points and work the area thoroughly. If big spinners don’t produce Texas rigged hog/craw or big worm in dark colors will get their share of action.

If you are planning a trip to Lake Fork and need a guide or just general fishing information or an updated fishing report to make your Fork fishing experience a good one, you can call me at 903-360-6994 (cell) or 903-383-7748 (land line). Don’t expect a quick answer via email: fishnews@lakefork.net.

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Game Warden Field Notes

The following items are compiled from recent Texas Parks and Wildlife Department law enforcement reports.

--Failed to Mention-- A Frio County game warden patrolling an area for illegal road hunting activity came upon a vehicle driving slowly and erratically. After observing the driver periodically position his vehicle broadside in the road and shine his head-lights into ranch pastures, the warden made a traffic stop. The driver had a loaded rifle in the seat next to him and admitted to hunting from the road, but denied shooting anything. The warden issued a citation for hunting from a public roadway and cut him loose. A few hours later, the warden received a call from a ranch manager and advised that he had found a dead 10-point buck that appeared to have been shot from the same road where he had just issued a citation. The warden made contact with the road hunter and during the interview the driver admitted to shooting the buck the night before and had gone back out in hopes of shooting another buck. Charges and civil restitution pending.

--Heads or Tails?-- Game wardens conducting surveillance along a county road one night observed a pickup driving slowly and making several U-turns. The vehicle came to a stop on the side of the road about 100 yards from where the wardens were set up. Wardens then heard a shot fired, followed by sounds of a tailgate open and then close a few minutes later. After the vehicle pulled back onto the roadway and began speeding away from the scene, wardens initiated a traffic stop and made contact with the driver, who admitted to shooting the 8-point buck loaded in the truck bed. He claimed the passenger in the truck was his girlfriend and had not assisted him in any way. Another warden approached the girlfriend and asked if she held the antlers or legs while loading the buck? She indicated that she had held onto the antlers while they loaded the deer into the truck. The wardens educated the couple, ages 21 and 17, about the multiple violations they’d committed. Charges and civil restitution for the 8-point buck are pending for both hunters.

--Following a Paper Trail-- A Jack County game warden observed a deer hanging from a skinning rack at a residence and upon entering the property observed five hunters and nine additional deer on the ground nearby. A huge case of shuffling paper trails followed. Initially, it was determined that four of the deer had not been tagged. When the warden then asked to see hunting licenses which, coincidentally, all five said they had left inside the residence, the situation turned sideways. After a short while, one of the subjects exited the home with a completed tag for one of the deer and explained that he had filled it out in the field but forgot to attach it to the deer. The only problem was that the guy failed to allow the ink to dry before handing the tag to the warden. At that point the warden confronted the others inside of the home where they were scrambling to fill out tags and harvest logs. The warden collected all the paperwork and began to sort through it. During his investigation, the warden determined that of the five remaining deer, three were falsely tagged by a hunter who had lost his license and decided to use his brother’s tags instead. Two other hunters were attempting to use tags belonging to individuals that weren’t present and another hunter couldn’t explain why a buck tag was missing from her license because she had only harvested a doe earlier in the season. Her husband then confessed to harvesting an illegal buck on opening weekend and using her tag. He then admitted to harvesting a larger buck the following weekend and tagging it with his tag. The other individual not present was then contacted by phone and asked why he had left his hunting license behind. He stated that he no longer had a need for it and left it behind for the others to use. In total, 20 citations/warnings were issued in addition to numerous verbal warnings including: untagged deer, improperly tagged deer, failure to display hunting license, harvest log violation, illegal buck harvest, allowing another to hunt under a license, and hunting under the license of another. Cases are pending.

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‘Spare’ Some Time for Festive Summer Cookouts

By Sue Hampton

Summer cookouts are not complete without a serving of deliciously seasoned spare ribs. Whether served as a saucy appetizer, a quick snack or a lunch on the go, spare ribs are a tasty finger food that everyone will enjoy.

Barbecued Spareribs
2 slabs pork spareribs (about 3 pounds each), rinsed and patted dry

Dry Rub
4 teaspoons each black pepper, salt and chili powder
1 teaspoon sugar

Sauce
1 tablespoon vegetable oil
1 medium onion, coarsely chopped
3 cloves garlic
2 teaspoons ground ginger
1 cup each ketchup and water
½ cup cider vinegar
½ lemon, juiced and peel grated
4 teaspoons sugar
2 teaspoons salt
1 teaspoon cayenne pepper

In a small bowl, mix the dry rub ingredients. Sprinkle one slab of ribs with a quarter of the rub, working it in with your fingers. Turn slab over and repeat. Work remaining rub into second slab. Cover and refrigerate at least one hour or overnight.

Preheat oven to 375°F. Place the ribs, fat side up, on a rack in a large, shallow roasting pan. Cover the pan with foil. Cook for one hour; then turn ribs over with tongs and cook for an additional 30 to 40 minutes or until the meat between the ribs is tender when cut with a sharp knife.

To make the sauce, heat the oil in a saucepan over medium heat. Add the onion, garlic and ginger. Cook, stirring occasionally, for five minutes. Stir in remaining ingredients. Simmer, partially covered for 25 minutes or longer.

Brush the cooked ribs liberally with some of the sauce. Return to the oven and cook, uncovered, for 10 minutes or until glazed and browned, turning ribs once with tongs.

Cut the ribs with a sharp knife into separate portions. For a festive look with fast cleanup, create spare-rib “packages”. Place three ribs on a paper plate, fold plate around ribs and tie with a folded bandanna. Arrange on serving platter and pass with remaining sauce. A great way to celebrate ‘Father’s Day’!

Wrap Up Cooking – with time to spare! Festive Barbecued Spareribs are great for summertime picnics or backyard barbecues.
**Hook N’ Cook**

**Sand Bass Tournament**

**Saturday, August 12, 2017**

**Benefitting “The Wish To Fish Foundation”**

**Tournament Headquarter: Fisherman’s One Stop • Hwy 515 CR 1970**

**Tournament Committee: Don Bubba Hampton**

Guaranteed Pay-Out Based on 100 Entries
Drawings will be held after weigh-in for door prizes

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**Fishing Hours: 6 A.M. to 12 P.M. Weigh-In Between 12 & 1 P.M. Must Be In Line By 1 P.M.**

1. Entry fee is $25.00.
2. Early entries optional (No Discount)
3. All entry fees must be paid before 6 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 12, 2017.
4. Sign Up: Friday, Aug. 11, 4 p.m. to 9 p.m. and Saturday, Aug. 12, 5 a.m. to 5:30 a.m. at Fisherman’s One Stop.
5. Tournament is open to any person with a Valid Texas Fishing License. Minors can compete but must have signed release form.
6. All State and Local Laws Apply.
7. No alcohol or drugs allowed during tournament hours.
8. Trailering is allowed.
9. Iced Fish Will Be Allowed.
10. Trolling with big motor is allowed.
11. Each contestant may weigh-in only 5 fish.
12. 10" Minimum Length. Live bait is allowed.
13. No pooling of fish, all persons in boat must be paid entry.
14. Contestants can only fish with as many rods as they can.
15. Contestants must agree to submit to a polygraph.
16. Tournament Director & Committee Decisions Are Final.
17. Mail in entries must be received by July 31, 2017
18. All fish become property of tournament to be fried.

**Entry Application**

Entry fee of $25 must accompany mailed entry and must be postmarked on or before July 31, 2017 to Wish To Fish Foundation, 538 PR 5861, Yantis, TX 75497, or you may pay $25 at tournament headquarters before starting time of tournament. $10 extra for Big Sandie (optional). Print clearly. No Checks Accepted at Tournament Sign In.

Name_________________________ Email_________________________

Address______________________________________________________

City_________________________ State________________ Zip________

Having read and understood the tournament rules, by my signature I agree to accept all decisions of the judges as final. By my signature I waive, release and hold harmless all members, officials and sponsors of any and all alleged liabilities to me and/or my equipment.

Contestant Signature__________________________________________

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June 3 ~ Kid Fish
SRA Park
June 3 ~ JC Outdoors Teams
Minnow Bucket
June 4 ~ JC Outdoors Solo
Minnow Bucket
June 9-11 ~ Skeeter Owners
Lake Fork Marina
June 17 ~ Media
Minnow Bucket

July
July 1 ~ JC Outdoors Teams
Minnow Bucket
July 15 ~ Media
Minnow Bucket

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August
August 12 ~ Hook n’ Cook
Sandbass Tournament
Fisherman’s One Stop
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