

JOHN PAYETTE



Summary

- Professional bass fisherman, guide, outdoor writer and product representative with a strong background and training in sales and promotions.
- Flexibility to attend tournaments, trade shows, demonstrations and special events.
- Highly motivated with will to achieve.
- Excellent communication and presentation skills.

Promotional Activity

2005

Houston Boat and RV Show Reliant Center, January 8-16, 2005
Skeeter, Yamaha, Motorguide and Castaway Rods

Houston Sportsman's Show January 27-30, 2005

Bass Pro Shops Spring Classic February 10-13, 2005

Academy Fishing Extravaganza, February 17-19, 2005
Meet the Pro, @ Kirby & SW Fwy

Dave Holders Show, March 2-6 2005

2004

Gander Mountain Grand Opening Houston TX Nov 12-13, 2004
Working Motorguide display

Houston Summer Boat Show July 27-Aug 1, 2004
Skeeter/Yamaha booth

Bass Pro Shops Kids Day June 12, 2004
Casting tank demonstrations and product promotions in respective aisles for all my sponsors

Bass Pro Shops Boating and Camping Classic April 18, 24-25, 2004
Working Motorguide display

Bass Pro Shops Hunting Classic Aug 26-29, 2004
Working aisle for Gerber and Hunters Specialties

CAST Catch A Special Thrill Sept 11, 2004
Assisted with program to take seriously ill children out fishing.

Columnist for Honey Hole Magazine, circulation 18,000, since January 2003

Eangler.com
Weekly fishing reporter, since December 2003

Texas Fish & Game Magazine's 2004 Lakes & Bay Maps Issue
Updated map of Lake Livingston

Houston Boat and RV Show January 9-18, 2004
Barber Boats Skeeter/Yamaha, Motorguide

Houston Sportsman's Show, Reliant Center February 6-8 2004
Daiwa booth

Bass Pro Shops Spring Classic, Feb 13-15, 2004
Casting tank demonstrations, seminars, and product promotions at sponsors booths and respective aisles for Daiwa, Gambler-Bang, Leverage, TTI.

Academy Fishing Extravaganza, February 19-21, 2004
Meet the Pro for TTI, Gambler-Bang, P-Line, Castaway Rods

Holders Fishing Show, Feb 25-29, 2004
Castaway Rods working at booth and doing Seminar

Katy Bassmasters Meeting BPS Katy Mills, March 24, 2004
Club Seminar featuring all of my sponsors products

Bass Pro Shops Boating and Camping Classic, April 18-25, 2004

Motorguide, Navionics, Cobra. Casting tank demonstrations for Gambler-Bang, TTI, Leverage, Castaway Rods, and Rapala.

2003

Bass Pro Shops Katy TX December 13, 2003

Casting tank demonstrations and product promotions in respective aisles for Rapala, Storm, Daiichi, Gambler- Bang, Castaway Rods, Leverage, Navionics.

Skeeter Performance Fishing Boats Product Training 8 hours - December 4, 2003 Kilgore TX

Career Day Sartaria Middle School Sugarland TX November 19, 2003

Displayed boat and spoke to students about careers in fishing and preparation for a career in fishing. Asked and answered questions for students and gave away products donated by Navionics, Yamaha & TTI.

Filming of Honey Hole TV Show Lake Livingston October 8, 2003

Bass Pro Shops Katy TX August 24, 2003

Casting tank demonstrations and product promotions in respective aisles for Rapala, Storm, Daiichi, Gambler- Bang, Castaway Rods, Leverage, Navionics.

Houston Summer Boat Show July 9-13, 2003

Barber Boats Skeeter/Yamaha

Houston Boat and RV Show, January 3-12, 2003

Barber Boats Skeeter/Yamaha, Castaway Rods, Daiwa, Action Optics, Lowrance and Navionics Electronic Charts.

Houston Hunting and Fishing Expo, January 31-2 March 2003

for Frontier Marketing and New Millennium Marketing. Representing Daiwa, Triple Fish, Motorguide, Daiichi, X Point, Tru-Turn, and Plano.

Bass Pro Shops Spring Classic, March 20-23 2003

Casting tank demonstrations, seminars, and product promotions at sponsors booths and respective aisles for Rapala, Storm, Daiichi, X Point, Tru-Turn, Gambler- Bang and P-Line, Castaway Rods.

Bass Pro Shops, April 11-12 2003

Casting tank demonstrations and product promotions at respective aisles for Rapala, Storm, Daiichi, Gambler- Bang, Castaway Rods, Daiwa, Lowrance, Navionics. Rapala Days Casting tank demonstrations hourly and product promotions in Rapala aisles.

Bass Pro Shops, May 21, 2003

Product seminar for Katy Bassmasters featuring my sponsors products and took orders for Gambler-Bang products.

2002

Bass Pro Shops, Katy Mills TX, December 21-2002,

Casting tank demonstrations hourly and product promotions for Castaway Rods, Rapala and Storm. Demonstrated and promoted Navionics Electronic Charts and Lowrance Electronics between tank demonstrations.

Bass Pro Shops, Katy Mills TX, November 29-30 2002

Demonstrated and promoted Castaway Rods, Rapala, Storm and various baits on store aquarium hourly. Navionics Electronic Charts, Lowrance Electronics and Castaway Rods in their respective sections between tank demonstrations.

Houston Summer Boat Show, July 10-14, 2002

Barber Boats Skeeter/Yamaha

Academy Sports and Outdoors, February 28, March 1-2, 2002

Meet the Pro Castaway Graphite Rods

Houston Boat & RV Show, January 4-13, 2002

Barber Boats Skeeter/Yamaha

1999 - 2001

Carter's Cycle & Marine Skeeter/Yamaha Boat Shows, Bryan, TX

In-store promotions - Boat Demonstration Rides - Transferring boats

Professional Tournament Experience

2005

Upcoming Tournament Schedule (dates pending)

Bassmaster weekend series
BASS Federation
Bass n Bucks Conroe Livingston Series
Local team and draw events
BASS Opens

2004

Skeeter Owner's Tournament Lake Fork TX, July 8-11 2004

BASS Federation
Lake Sam Rayburn, January 24, 2004
Lake Livingston, February 28, 2004
Lake Conroe, March 27, 2004
Lake Limestone, April 17, 2004
Toledo Bend, May 15, 2004
Sam Rayburn, June 19, 2004
American Rodsmiths Big Bass March 13-14, 2004 Lake Conroe
Anglers Quest Saturday Series
January 3, 2004 Lake Livingston
January 18, 2004 Lake Houston
February 8, 2004 Lake Livingston

BASS Centrals Opens
Ohio, Cumberland & Tennessee Rivers, August 12-14 Paducah, KY
Lake Sam Rayburn September 16-18 Jasper, TX
Atchafalaya River Basin, October 21-23 Morgan City, LA

9th place

2003

2nd Place

Anglers Quest Saturday Series Championship November 22-23, 2003. Photo and stories on Fishingworld.com, Dfwfishingnews.com, Lakecaster Magazine & Texas Sports Guide
Skeeter TEAM Jamboree October 23-25, 2003 Lake Fork, TX

Charity event

2003 Kids Unlimited Annual Bass Tournament Fayette Co. October 18, 2003

6th place

Anglers Quest Saturday Series
Lake Livingston, June 7, 2003
Lake Houston, June 22, 2003
Lake Livingston, July 12, 2003
Lake Houston, July 19, 2003
Lake Livingston, August 2, 2003
Lake Houston, August 16, 2003
Lake Houston, September 20, 2003
Lake Livingston, October 4, 2003

8th place

2003 B.A.S.S Tour, Toledo Bend, February 20-22, 2003
2003 Conroe ISD P.A.L Big Bass, Lake Conroe, March 1-2, 2003
2003 American Rodsmiths Big Bass, Lake Conroe, March 8-9, 2003
2003 Wal-Mart BFL, Lake Livingston, April 26, 2003
2003 B.A.S.S Federation
Lake Livingston, May 3 2003
Toledo Bend, June 14, 2003

2002

3rd place

2002 Bass-N-Bucks Team, Lake Sam Rayburn, December 8, 2002
2002 Anglers Quest Twin Lake Saturday Championship
Lake Houston, November 9, 2002
Lake Livingston, November 10, 2002. Photo's and story in Fishingworld.com, Dfwfishingnews.com, December Livingston Lakecaster Magazine and Texas Sportsguide

2002 B.A.S.S Central Opens
Lake Sam Rayburn, October 30-November 2, 2002
Lake Ouachita, AR, September 25-28, 2002
Red River LA, August 22-24, 2002

Charity event

2002 Kids Unlimited Annual Bass Tournament Fayette Co. October 26, 2002

- 4th Place 2002 Anglers Quest Pro-Am Championship, Lake Livingston, October 3-6, 2002. Photos and story in November Livingston Lakecaster Magazine, Fishingworld.com, Dfwfishingnews.com and Texas Sportsguide
2002 Wal-Mart BFL
Lake Sam Rayburn, September 28-29, 2002
Toledo Bend, June 29, 2002
Lake Livingston, May 18, 2002
Lake Sam Rayburn, March 16, 2002
Toledo Bend, February 16, 2002
2002 Skeeter Jamboree, Red River, LA, September 5-7, 2002
2002 Anglers Quest Pro-Am, Lake Livingston, August 15-18, 2002
- 7th Place *2002 Anglers Quest Saturday Team*
Lake Livingston, August 10, 2002
Lake Houston, July 27, 2002
Lake Livingston April 15, 2002
- 14th Place 2002 Anglers Quest Pro-Ams, Lake Palestine, June 20-23, 2002
2002 Everstart Red River, LA, June 12-15, 2002
2002 Skeeter Owners Tournament, Lake Fork, June 8-9, 2002
2002 Honey Hole Team, Lake Conroe, March 24, 2002
- 4th Place American Rodsmiths Big Bass, Lake Conroe, March 10, 2002
2002 Sealy Open Team
Toledo Bend, February 17, 2002
Sam Rayburn, March 17, 2002
2002 Texas Tournament Trail
Lake Sam Rayburn, March 9, 2002
Lake Texoma, April 27, 2002
Toledo Bend, May 11, 2002
Police Activity League Big Bass, Lake Conroe, March 3, 2002
2002 Everstart, Lake Sam Rayburn, February 6-9, 2002
- 7th Place & 1st Pl., Big Bass 2002 Anglers Quest Saturday Team, Lake Livingston, February 2, 2002 Photos and story in March Lakecaster Magazine, fishingworld.com and dfwfishingnews.com

2001

- 19th Place Skeeter Team Jamboree, Lake Sam Rayburn, September 6-8, 2001
2001 Anglers Quest Championship, Red River LA. October 13-14, 2001
2001 Anglers Quest Pro-Ams
Lake Livingston, May 19-20, 2001
Lake Palestine, June 23-24, 2001
Lake Livingston, July 28-29, 2001
- 36th Place 2001 B.A.S.S. TOP 150 Amateur, Toledo Bend Res., February 21-23, 2001
- 13th Place 2001 Anglers Quest Pro-Am, Sam Rayburn, January. 20-21, 2001
2001 Texas Tournament Trail, Sam Rayburn, February 3, 2001
2001 Anglers Choice Pro-Am, Sam Rayburn, February 10-11, 2001
2001 B.A.S.S. Central Invitational, Sam Rayburn, March 1-3, 2001
2001 Honey Hole Team
Sam Rayburn, January 14, 2001
Lake Conroe, February 18, 2001
Richland Chambers, March 18 2001
2001 Wal-Mart BFL
Sam Rayburn, March. 24, 2001
Lake Palestine, April 28, 2001
Lake Sam Rayburn, May 19, 2001
Toledo Bend, June 16, 2001
Lake Sam Rayburn, September 29-30, 2001
2001 Castaway Big Bass, Lake Conroe, March 31-April 1, 2001
2001 Bass-N-Bucks
Toledo Bend, December 3, 2000
Sam Rayburn, February 4, 2001

Sam Rayburn, March 11, 2001
2001 Everstart, Sam Rayburn, April 4-7, 2001

2000

3rd Place 2000 Anglers Quest Pro-Am, Lake Conroe, May 27-28, 2000
6th Place 2000 Anglers Quest Pro-Am, Lake Livingston, July 29-30, 2000
8th Place 2000 Anglers Quest Pro-Am, Toledo Bend, February 26-27, 2000
20th Place 2000 Redman Super Tournament, Sam Rayburn, September 9-10, 2000
2000 Redman
Sam Rayburn, February 5, 2000
Toledo Bend, March 4, 2000
Lake Palestine, April 1, 2000
Red River, June 10, 2000
Regional Wild Card, Grand Lake, OK, November 3-4, 2000
2000 Anglers Choice Pro-Am
Lake Texoma, April 15-16, 2000
Red River, June 3-4, 2000
Lake Livingston, July 8-9, 2000
Toledo Bend, August 19-20, 2000
2000 B.A.S.S. Central Invitational, Red River, October 12-14, 2000

AFFILIATIONS/MEMBERSHIPS

TEAM Skeeter	B.A.S.S. Federation
Association of Bass Professionals	B.A.S.S.
Honey Hole Magazine and TV Show	Operation Bass
Anglers Choice	Bass-n-Bucks
American Bass Anglers	Katy Bassmasters
Texas Black Bass Unlimited	TOWA Texas Outdoor Writers Association

SPONSORS

Castaway Graphite Rods, Montgomery, TX, 936-582-1677	Skeeter Boats and Yamaha Outboards, Kilgore, TX, 903-984-0541
Navionics Inc. Wareham, MA 508-291-6000.	TTI Products, Wetumpka, AI 334-567-2011
New Millennium Marketing, Woodlands TX 281-296-7134	Frontier Sales & Marketing, Katy TX 281-345-4650
Jones & Company, Stuart Fl 772-221-0100	Gambler-Bang, Pompano Beach FL 954-969-1772
AFT Inc Peoria, AZ 623-486-6663	Ludwikoski & Assoc, Olathe, KS 913-681-3500
Ferguson-Keller Associates, Maple Plain, MN 763-479-8565	Sokol Associates, Oakdale, MN 651-738-5945