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# Family Fishing over the Years




Acton age 10



Acton age 4

Coby Mackey of Tolar, TX sent in this array of fish pics of himself, son Acton, and other family. He fished 9/0 Eagle Claw SS offset hooks on limb lines, single hook. He and his family enjoy recreational fishing.

# JANUARY 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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	NEW YEAR'S DAY					
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	MARTIN LUTHER KING JR DAY					
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# See ya later, Alligator




Jeffery Taylor of Ferriday, LA caught this 13' gator on a 14/0 hook & 50' of #120 green twisted twine.

Left to Right: Trent Smith, Damion Brumfield, Rich Oates, Tristen Hines, and Taylor Bates, all of Pineville, LA, drew tags for the Dewey Wills/Saline WMA gator hunt. They caught these 11' 9" and 10' 4" gators on opening weekend.



# FEBRUARY 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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	LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY	MARDI GRAS	VALENTINE'S DAY ASH WEDNESDAY			
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	PRESIDENTS' DAY					
🐟🐟25	🐟26	🐟27	🐟🐟28	🐟🐟29		
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# Lifetime of Fishing



Bobby Russell of Nacogdoches, TX caught these fish using stainless steel circle hooks, swivels, and twine purchased from Nets & More. Bobby has been fishing Rayburn and Toledo Bend since he was little and now enjoys fishing with his wife Deanne. Bobby said he is thankful for the quality of products from Nets & More and that our service is second to none. Thank you so much Bobby for your kind words! We are so glad to have you as a customer.



# MARCH 2024


SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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<b>10</b> DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS	11	12	13	14	15	<b>16</b>
<b>17</b> ST. PATRICK'S DAY	18	19	20	21	22	<b>23</b>
<b>24</b> PALM SUNDAY	25	26	27	28	29	<b>30</b>
<b>31</b> EASTER SUNDAY					GOOD FRIDAY	

# Fishing Friends



Tony and Lynn Lathan, as well as Hugh Byrd, caught these catfish on the Tensaw River out of Hubbard Landing in Stockton, AL. Tony and Lynn are from Pensacola, FL and Hugh is from Mobile, AL. Tony and Hugh have been fishing together for 6 years now. They fished limb lines using Nets & More's #24 tarred twisted twine, 1/0 Roscoe swivels, Eagle Claw L197 6/0 hooks, and their own 6/8 lead weights from a lead mold. Great job and great pics! Thank you for being such great customers.

# APRIL 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
 <small>Visit our Photo Gallery netsandmore.com/photo-gallery/</small>	 1  <b>APRIL FOOL'S DAY</b>	2	3	4	5	6
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14	 15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	 23	24	25	26	27
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# Fishin' Fever



Mike McGee of Brandon, MS is shown above with a nice string of catfish. He uses Eagle Claw circle hooks ranging in size from 5/0 to 7/0. Thank you for your picture and business!

Edgar Briggs of Winnfield, LA sent in these 2 pictures. On the right is buffalo that were caught in 3.5" and 4" monofilament tie downs. On the left is a 110 lb gar he caught in a 4" nylon flag net. All fish were caught in spring time on the Red River. Edgar has been fishing for about 20 years and stated that he was able to put two daughters through school by fishing.

# MAY 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
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MOTHER'S DAY	19	🐟🐟🐟20	🐟🐟🐟21	🐟🐟🐟22	☉ 🐟23	🐟24	🐟🐟25
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	MEMORIAL DAY Nets & More Closed				<a href="https://netsandmore.com/photo-gallery">netsandmore.com/photo-gallery</a> for more pictures!		

# Maci and her Uncle Corky



Maci Schneider, age 9, from Anahauc, TX is shown here with her first gator. It was 7 feet long. Pictured with her in the boat is her mother Nichole. Maci's Uncle Corky Peebles, shown here in a camo shirt, was their guide. Elbert Sirmons and Corky show off a really nice size gator in the last picture. Looks like Maci has a good guide to show her the way!

# JUNE 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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FATHER'S DAY				SUMMER BEGINS	☞☞21	☞☞22
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☞30						

# Charlie's Catches



Charlie



Charlie



Thomas



Thomas



John and Charlie

Charlie Geuin, originally from Deville, LA, now lives in Haughton, LA. He sent in these pics of himself, his son Charlie, his right hand man Thomas Pitch, and friend, John Griffith with fish they have caught in Red River. Charlie builds his own nets and fishes commercially.



Thomas and Charlie

# JULY 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	☞1	2	3	☞☞4 <b>INDEPENDENCE DAY</b> Nets & More Closed	● ☞☞5	6
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☞28	29	30	☞☞31			




# Sharing is Caring



Jake Lefever from Illinois is shown here with 2 of his 3 sons. Wyatt is proudly holding up his fish and Weston is having fun in his dad's hoop net. Jake fishes the Sangamon River for flathead and channel cat. What he doesn't keep for himself he shares with family and friends and those who can't fish for themselves anymore due to age. Thanks Jake for spreading the love!

# AUGUST 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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Jerry Collins and his wife own and live on a 5 site RV park located on the Louisiana side of Toledo Bend Reservoir. He caught this 70 lb flathead on 3/28/23 using 12/0 EZ-Baiter hooks, Rosco swivels and black tarred twine from Nets & More.

## Holy Toledo!

James Watson of Converse, LA caught this 72 lb flat head using a 12/0 Mustad circle hook on a trotline using live bluegill. He landed it in a 10ft pelican boat at Toledo Bend.



# SEPTEMBER 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	● 2 LABOR DAY Nets & More Closed	3	4	5	6	🐟🐟 7
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22	23	☾ 24	🐟🐟🐟 25	26	27	28
FALL BEGINS	30					📘
🐟 29						
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## Bragging Rights



William Martin, of New Braunfels, TX, shows off his personal best catch at 50 lbs on the right. Once weighed, William released the catfish back into the water. On the left, he shows off his winning fish when he and his brother Trey had a friendly competition to see who could catch the biggest fish. William makes his lines with #60 green braid as the main line, #15 green braid for the leaders, Rosco #1 swivels, and 5/0 Eagle Claw circle hooks. William said he's able to find everything he needs in Nets & More's catalog and that everyone he's talked to at Nets & More has been friendly and helpful. We are so blessed to have such great customers!



# OCTOBER 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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☞☞☞13	☞☞☞14 COLUMBUS DAY	☞15	☞16 ○	☞☞17	☞☞18	☞19
☞20	☞☞☞21	☞☞☞22	☞☞☞23 ●	24	25	☞26
☞27	☞28	29	30	☞31 HALLOWEEN		 <small>Visit our Photo Gallery <a href="https://netsandmore.com/photo-gallery/">netsandmore.com/photo-gallery/</a></small>

# New Product Catfish Getters Diddy Pole = Success!



Above, David Judd, of O'Fallon, MO, caught these catfish on a 3/8" diddy pole. He and grandson Wyatt caught and released them on the Mississippi River. David only keeps catfish under 10 lbs so these 2 lived to see another day.

Terrance Fox caught a 45 lb blue cat on one of Nets & More's new products, the Catfish Getter diddy pole.

# NOVEMBER 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS						
10	11	12	13	14	○ 15	16
	VETERANS DAY					
17	18	19	20	21	☾ 22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	<b>30</b>
				THANKSGIVING Nets & More Closed	Nets & More Closed	

# Gator Getters gettin it done!



Kyle Landry, of Maurepas, LA, drew alligator tags in the Louisiana Maurepas Wildlife Management Area and ordered the gator getter kits from Nets & More. He said it provided everything he needed as a first time gator hunter. Kyle and son, Barrett (age 5), filled their tags in one evening only a few miles away from their home. Good job guys!!

# DECEMBER 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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☾ 22	23	24	🐟🐟 25	🐟🐟 26	27	28
	Nets & More Closed	CHRISTMAS EVE Nets & More Closed	CHRISTMAS DAY Nets & More Closed			WINTER BEGINS
29	● 30	31				
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# Our Team

# JANUARY 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 NEW YEAR'S DAY Nets & More Closed	2	3	4
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12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY					
26	27	28	29	30	31	

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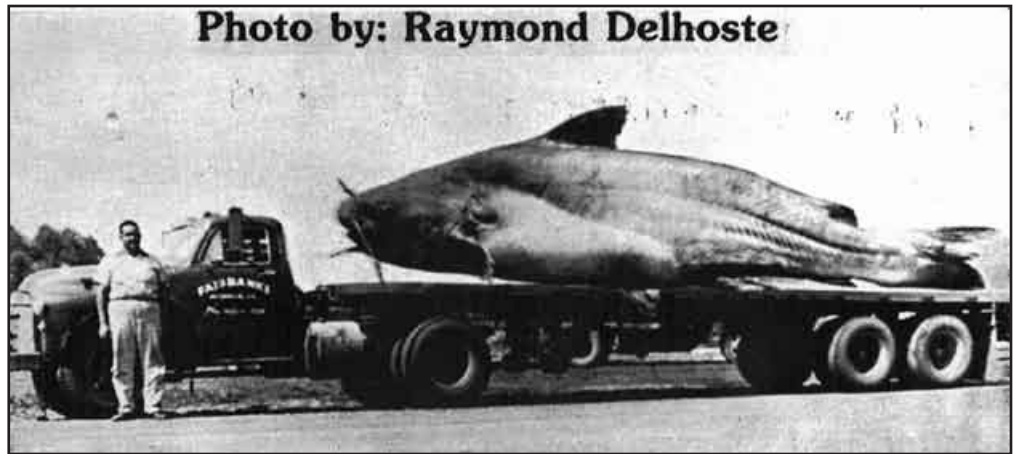


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# 2024 CALENDAR

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(This is a re-print of a local newspaper article that ran in the mid 1950s.)

## Monster Catfish Caught In Tew Lake Saturday After 7 Hours Battle; Dresses Over 2,000 Lbs.

I've heard Robert Taliaferro talk about the big fish in Tew Lake for several years. He's always led me to believe that any old fisherman ought to be able to catch a whopper there by just throwing a hook in the water. I, therefore, decided to make the catch to end all catches to wind up the fishing news for this year. But being a rank amateur who had never wet a hook before, I called on Bob Dowdy for professional assistance.

We set out for Tew Lake bright and early last Saturday morning. On the way we had a little accident. We ran over a 40 pound goat. We hated to see all that good meat go to waste, so we pitched billy in the back of my station wagon, thinking we would roast it later on the lake bank.

We got all lined up and started casting baits in the water. That is, Bob did. I got all tangled up in my line and fell overboard two or three times before switching to a cane pole. Our luck was rotten, and by nine o'clock, we hadn't had a nibble. About that time something bumped the bottom of our boat. I thought it was a snag, but then the boat darn near capsized and the biggest catfish I think anybody anywhere has ever laid eyes on rolled over, popped his tail once and slipped back into the lake.

It took us five or ten minutes to get a word out. Bob finally managed to squeeze out a few grunts. He said that he had heard some old darkies, and one or two white gentlemen of questionable repute, speak of such a

monster, but he thought it was their overactive imaginations or over active bottle talk. But there it was. We had seen it with our eyes! I knew that if we could catch that whiskered ol gentleman, my story troubles would be over. And, being a died on the wool newshound, I talked Bob in trying for the catch.

We ran up to Jesse Ford's house and borrowed a one inch rope from him. I looked around in the station wagon and just happened to find a foot long hook with six inch barbs on it. The goat we killed on the way out to the lake sure came in handy. He was just the thing for bait.

We rigged the throw line and pitched the bait out. That cat sure must've liked the goat, because he took the bait in less than five minutes. He started floundering around splashing waves three feet high and chasing all other boats off the lake in short order to prevent swamping them. We tied the throw line to an oak tree, on the bank, which measured 14 inches in diameter. The fish came near tearing the tree up by the roots, before it seemed exhausted after fighting for nearly seven hours.

Bob hopped in the station wagon and headed back to Jonesville where he borrowed one of Bobby Fairbank's big trailer trucks and had a couple of fellers bring out two winch trucks. We finally got the fish loaded and started out to Jonesville with it. And at this point we would like to apologize to the three astonished motorists who ran their cars off the road when

they met us coming into town. Particular apologies to the bleary-eyed passenger in the last car who jumped out and took to the woods, tearing down three panels of fence along the road. Maybe our fishing trip did a little good, for the last time I saw this character he was jumping palmettos and shouting to anyone who could hear that he would never drink another drop.

When we finally got the fish to Jonesville, I got my Uncle Raymond Delhoste, to take the picture above. We couldn't find a pair of scales big enough to weigh the big fish in the rough but it dressed out 2100 pounds of steaks alone.

A biologist from the state Wildlife and Fisheries Commission said that the fish belong to the *Amiurus Ponderosus* species, which is common in Catahoula Parish but rarely ever grew to this size. In fact he said it was probably the largest fish ever caught in the state of Louisiana.

Of course there will be some people in Catahoula Parish who will not believe this story, even though they know Dick White to be a truthful man. Everyone knows Bob Dowdy would not lie about a fish, so we kindly refer these doubting Thomas's to him. He will verify the story. Actually the texture of the meat of the fish was a little coarse, so my Uncle Raymond packed it up at the Three Rivers Fishery and shipped it off to a less particular northern market.