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AMERICANA OUTDOORS STAFF MEMBER, JEFF REYNOLDS WITH A 44" BULL REDFISH FROM VENICE, LOUISIANA!



# THE CABELA'S BASS SUMMIT

BY JEFF REYNOLDS

THE CABELA'S BASS SUMMIT WAS A GREAT EXPERIENCE. BRINGING RETAIL MANAGERS TOGETHER WITH THEIR PRO STAFF, WHO SPENDS COUNTLESS HOURS ON THE WATER, TO TALK ABOUT EVERYTHING IN BASS FISHING - FROM THE HOTTEST BASS FISHING TECHNIQUES RIGHT

DOWN TO THE BEST WAYS TO ORGANIZE TACKLE, IS ONE OF THE BEST WAYS THAT A COMPANY CAN GET TO THE TOP LEVEL IN THIS INDUSTRY.

IN THESE MEETINGS WE HAD INTENSE CONVERSATIONS ON LURES, RODS, REELS, LINE, TACKLE, BATTERIES, AND JUST ABOUT EVERYTHING THAT HAD TO DO WITH BASS FISHING. THE PURPOSE FOR THAT WAS SO CABELA'S CAN STAY ON TOP OF THE HOTTEST TRENDS AS WELL AS GET INPUT FROM FISHERMAN SO THAT THEY KNOW THAT THEY ARE STOCKING THERE STORES WITH MERCHANDISE THAT FISHERMEN WANT.

WE ALSO GOT TO SPEND TIME ON LAKE BASTROP TO GET SOME FISHING TIME IN, WHICH WAS A BLAST CATCHING SCHOOLING FISH, AND A LOT OF THEM. THE BEST THING ABOUT THAT WAS ACTUALLY USING DIFFERENT RODS, REELS, LURES, ETC., TO DISCUSS AND SHOW WHY WE LIKE CERTAIN ACTIONS IN RODS OR DIFFERENT ACTIONS IN BAITS SO THE CABELA'S TEAM COULD TAKE THAT INFORMATION AND USE IT WHEN THEY ARE BUILDING THERE NEXT PRODUCT. IT'S JUST GREAT TO SEE A COMPANY GO THE EXTRA MILE TO SUPPLY THERE CUSTOMERS WITH THE PRODUCTS THEY WANT AND NEED, AND CABELA'S IS ONE OF THOSE COMPANIES THAT JUST DOES A PHENOMENAL JOB AT IT.



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# RANGER BOATS Co-FOUNDER NINA WOOD INDUCTED INTO LEGENDS OF THE OUTDOORS NATIONAL HALL OF FAME



*NINA WOOD, CO-FOUNDER OF RANGER BOATS AND WIFE OF BASS FISHING ICON FORREST WOOD, WAS INDUCTED INTO THE LEGENDS OF THE OUTDOORS NATIONAL HALL OF FAME IN RECOGNITION OF HER LIFETIME OF CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE OUTDOORS AND THE SPORT OF FISHING.*

FLIPPIN, ARK. -- AN ARKANSAS NATIVE RAISED ON THE BANKS OF THE STATE'S FABLED WHITE RIVER, NINA MARRIED FORREST, HER HIGH SCHOOL SWEETHEART, AND WORKED ALONGSIDE HIM AS THE COUPLE BUILT A SUCCESSFUL FISHING GUIDE SERVICE IN THE REGION. WHAT BEGAN WITH THE DESIGN AND MANUFACTURING OF RIVERBOATS TO MEET THE NEEDS OF THEIR GROWING GUIDE SERVICE SOON BLOSSOMED INTO THE PRODUCTION OF WHAT WOULD BECOME KNOWN AS THE MODERN BASS BOAT. THE ICONIC COUPLE STARTED RANGER BOATS IN 1968 AND HEADQUARTERED THE COMPANY IN FLIPPIN, ARKANSAS WHERE IT REMAINS STILL. TODAY, RANGER BOATS IS A LEGENDARY BRAND AND UNPARALLELED LEADER IN TRAILERABLE FISHING BOATS.



SINCE CO-FOUNDING RANGER BOATS 47 YEARS AGO, NINA HAS BEEN INSTRUMENTAL IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE MODERN BASS BOAT, THE RISE IN PROFESSIONAL TOURNAMENT FISHING AND HAS BEEN A MENTOR AND SPONSOR OF SOME OF THE BIGGEST NAMES IN THE SPORT. AN ACCOMPLISHED ANGLER IN HER OWN RIGHT, BOTH NINA AND FORREST HAVE ALREADY BEEN INDUCTED INTO THE FRESHWATER FISHING HALL OF FAME, WITH NINA ALSO RECEIVING NUMEROUS AWARDS AND ACCOLADES THROUGHOUT THE FISHING WORLD FOR HER LONGTIME SUPPORT FOR THE OUTDOORS AND POSITIVE INFLUENCE ON YOUTH.

JOINING WOOD AS INDUCTEES IN THE LEGENDS OF THE OUTDOORS NATIONAL HALL OF FAME CLASS OF 2015 WERE OUTDOOR TV PIONEERS VIRGIL WARD (POSTHUMOUS), BABE WINKELMAN AND MIKE MORGAN, AS WELL AS DENNY BRAUER, O'NEIL WILLIAMS AND FORMER CRAPPIE MASTERS PRESIDENT AND TV HOST PAUL ALPERS. SHE ALSO JOINS FORREST, WHO WAS INDUCTED IN 2006.

WOOD AND HER FELLOW INDUCTEES WERE ADDED TO THE HALL OF FAME AT A BANQUET AND CEREMONY ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 15 IN NASHVILLE, TENN. THE LEGENDS OF THE OUTDOORS NATIONAL HALL OF FAME WAS ESTABLISHED TO RECOGNIZE SPORTSMEN AND SPORTSWOMEN WHO, THROUGH COUNTLESS HOURS OF HARD WORK AND DEVOTION TO THE OUTDOORS, HAVE PLAYED AN INTEGRAL PART IN SETTING THE STANDARDS AND GUIDELINES FOR THE REST OF THE OUTDOOR WORLD TO FOLLOW. INDUCTEES INTO THE HALL ARE NOMINATED BY A PANEL OF RESPECTED OUTDOOR WRITERS AND PREVIOUS INDUCTEES AND APPROVED BY LEGENDS COMMITTEE. THOSE WITH THE HIGHEST VOTE TOTALS ARE ENSHRINED INTO THE HALL OF FAME.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE LEGENDS OF THE OUTDOORS NATIONAL HALL OF FAME, GO ONLINE TO [HTTP://WWW.LEGENDSOFTHEOUTDOORS.COM](http://www.legendsoftheoutdoors.com).

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# ADD SOME BRADLEY TO YOUR ADVENTURE

## TEXAS STYLE BBQ BRISKET



### INGREDIENTS

2.5 KG TO 3 KG (5 LB TO 6 LB) TRIMMED BRISKET  
150 ML (2/3 C) DRIED CANE SUGAR (DRY IN OVEN BEFORE USING)  
150 ML (2/3 C) GARLIC SALT  
125 ML (1/2 C) PAPRIKA  
45 ML (3 TBSP) PEPPER  
30 ML (2 TBSP) CHILLI POWDER  
15 ML (1 TBSP) EACH OF POWDERED BEEF BOUILLON, GROUND GINGER, ONION POWDER, GROUND CORIANDER,

### SMOKING METHOD

USING MESQUITE FLAVOR BISQUETTES, SMOKE AND COOK FOR APPROXIMATELY 10 HOURS. THE TEMPERATURE SHOULD BE STEADY AT 80°C TO 90°C (180°F TO 200°F). SMOKE FOR A MINIMUM OF 4 HOURS OR LONGER DEPENDING ON HOW STRONG A SMOKE FLAVOR IS DESIRED. CHECK YOUR BOTTOM TRAY OCCASIONALLY TO MAKE CERTAIN THE DRIPPINGS DON'T OVERFLOW. REMEMBER THIS CUT OF MEAT IS BEST COOKED VERY SLOW AND AT LOW TEMPERATURES.

### TO SERVE

SLICE MEAT THICKLY AND SERVE WITH LARGE CRUSTY ROLLS AND QUALITY BBQ SAUCE. READY TO SERVE TIP: NEVER PUT BBQ SAUCE ON THE MEAT, SERVE IT SEPARATELY AS A DIP.

### PREPARATION

Smother the brisket with lots of the mustard.  
Mix all the dry ingredients together to create a rub.  
Roll the mustard-covered brisket in the rub.





## NEW FOR 2016: RANGER Z175

RANGER QUALITY AND PERFORMANCE, BEST-IN-CLASS INTERIOR SPACE FOR LESS THAN \$26,000 MSRP.

FLIPPIN, ARK. (-- RECREATIONAL ANGLERS EAGER TO EXPERIENCE RANGER QUALITY AND PERFORMANCE WITHOUT THE NEED FOR A 20-PLUS-FOOT, PROFESSIONAL-TOURNAMENT-READY PLATFORM HAVE A NEW FIBERGLASS BOAT THAT EASILY FITS INTO VIRTUALLY ANYONE'S LIFESTYLE AND BUDGET. NO LONGER RELEGATED TO PURCHASING USED BOATS OR LESSER-KNOWN ALUMINUM RIGS, THIS ENTRY-LEVEL FIBERGLASS BASS BOAT DELIVERS UNPARALLELED FIT AND FINISH, THE LATEST MUST-HAVE FISHING FEATURES AND THE INDUSTRY'S BEST RESALE VALUES IN A PACKAGE STARTING AT \$25,900 MSRP.

THE NEW RANGER Z175 MEASURES 17 FEET, 6 INCHES AND WEIGHS IN AT 1,250 POUNDS, MAKING IT IDEAL FOR USE WITH SMALLER TOW VEHICLES, EASIER TO MANEUVER AND EASIER TO STORE IN MOST RESIDENTIAL GARAGES. IN DESIGNING THE Z175, RANGER ENGINEERS BUILT THE BOAT AROUND A 90-INCH BEAM, WHICH DELIVERS EXCEPTIONAL FISHABILITY AND INCREASES INTERIOR SPACE FOR MORE STORAGE AND COMFORT. IN SHORT, THE DEBUT OF RANGER'S Z100 SERIES DELIVERS FISHING AND PERFORMANCE FEATURES TO MAKE IT FEEL LIKE MUCH MORE THAN AN ENTRY-LEVEL RIG.

"FEW THINGS ENHANCE THE FISHING EXPERIENCE LIKE BEING ON THE WATER IN A BOAT WITH THE KIND OF FEATURES, FISHABILITY, FIT AND FINISH OF A RANGER," SAID RANGER BOATS PRESIDENT RANDY HOPPER. "THIS BOAT IS PERFECT FOR ANGLERS READY TO MOVE INTO THE BEST-BUILT BOATS ON THE WATER BUT WHO PREFER SOMETHING THAT'S EASIER TO TOW AND STORE. WITH THE WIDER BEAM AND ABUNDANCE OF STORAGE OPTIONS, THE ONLY THING THAT FEELS SMALL ABOUT THIS BOAT IS THE PRICE."

RATED FOR 115 HORSEPOWER AND AVAILABLE WITH A WIDE RANGE OF PRECISION-MATCHED OUTBOARDS, THE NMMA-CERTIFIED Z175 IS A SINGLE-CONSOLE BOAT WITH A PULTRUDED FIBERGLASS TRANSOM, FIBERGLASS STRINGERS AND ADVANCED INTERIOR DESIGN. THE BOAT COMES STANDARD WITH A MINN KOTA EDGE 70 TROLLING MOTOR, LOWRANCE MARK 5X PRO ELECTRONICS AT THE CONSOLE AND AN ON-BOARD DUAL PRO CHARGER. COMPLETELY REDESIGNED GUNNELS INCREASE THE ANGLE RELATIVE TO THE FRONT CASTING DECK, DELIVERING EVEN MORE FISHING SPACE TO COMPLEMENT THE RECESSED FOOT PEDAL, BUILT-IN LED NAVIGATION LIGHTS AND OFFSET BOW PANEL WITH ROOM FOR MOUNTING LARGE-SCREEN ELECTRONICS.

WITH AN INTERIOR REMINISCENT OF MUCH LARGER BOATS, THE Z175 BOASTS CUSTOM-FITTED, PREMIUM SPLIT-BENCH SEATING WITH SPACE FOR THREE INCLUDING A FOLD-DOWN CENTER SEAT THAT DOUBLES AS A STEP TO THE REAR DECK. AT THE HELM, THE BOAT OFFERS A FULL COMPLEMENT OF GAUGES AND MEMBRANE-STYLE BUTTONS, AS WELL AS ANTI-FEEDBACK STEERING AND SPACE FOR LARGE FLUSH-MOUNT ELECTRONICS. THE OFFSET CONSOLE DESIGN ALSO ALLOWS FOR LONGER RODS TO LAY CLEANLY ON THE FRONT DECK, WHILE A CARPETED PORT SIDE ROD STORAGE HOLDS SPACE FOR EVEN MORE STICKS UP TO EIGHT FEET IN LENGTH. STAINLESS STEEL CUPHOLDERS AND GUNNEL STORAGE ON THE STARBOARD AND PASSENGER SIDES, MOLDED DRIVER AND PASSENGER FOOTRESTS, A RUNNIN' ROD RACK AND BUILT-IN INSULATED COOLER HIGHLIGHT THE ADDITIONAL ENHANCEMENTS TO THE FORM AND FUNCTION OF THIS WELL-APPOINTED FISHING RIG.

IN ADDITION, STORAGE COMPARTMENTS FEATURE GAS SPRING-ASSISTED LIDS AND STAINLESS STEEL COMPRESSION LOCKS, WHILE THE REAR CASTING DECK BOASTS MORE FISHING SPACE, A RECIRCULATING, AERATED LIVEWELL PLUS MORE DRY STORAGE AND EASY ACCESS TO BATTERIES AND OIL AT THE STERN.

THE NEW Z175 COMES STANDARD WITH A SINGLE-AXLE RANGER TRAIL® TRAILER, DESIGNED AND BUILT SPECIFICALLY FOR THE HULL TO ENSURE SOLID TOWING PERFORMANCE AND EASY MANEUVERING FOR THE LIFE OF THE BOAT. ALL RANGER TRAIL® TRAILERS ARE EQUIPPED WITH A DURABLE ROAD ARMOR FINISH, DESIGNED TO SHIELD AGAINST ROCK CHIPS, ROAD DEBRIS AND OTHER HAZARDS WHILE HELPING RETAIN HIGHER RESALE VALUE AND PEACE OF MIND. EACH TRAILER ALSO OFFERS LED LIGHTS, ALUMINUM WHEELS, COOL HUB® LUBRICATION SYSTEM, TORSION AXLE SUSPENSION AND A LOCKING, SWING-AWAY TONGUE WITH MATCHING FIBERGLASS FENDERS AND A FULL-SIZE SPARE.



## 2016 RANGER Z175

OVERALL HULL LENGTH: 17 FEET, 6 INCHES  
BEAM: 90 INCHES  
MAXIMUM HP: 115  
ENGINE SHAFT LENGTH: 20 INCHES  
INSIDE DEPTH: 21 INCHES

FUEL CAPACITY: 23 GALLONS  
TOTAL PERSONS/MOTOR/GEAR: 1,200 LBS.  
APPROX. BOAT WEIGHT: 1,250 LBS.  
TRAILER GVWR: SM2995





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DEVELOP A NUTRITIONAL FOOD PLOT THAT PRODUCES TROPHY BUCKS, IMPROVE WETLANDS INTO AN INVITING SPOT FOR MIGRATING WATERFOWL, TREE ROWS FOR UPLAND BIRDS, A LANDSCAPED ACREAGE AND GARDEN THAT FILLS THE NEIGHBORS WITH ENVY. WHATEVER YOUR REASONS FOR CONSIDERING AN LM SERIES TRACTOR, CABELA'S WILL HELP YOU ESTABLISH NECESSARY RESOURCES, AND WE'LL BE RIGHT THERE AS YOU CULTIVATE THE LANDSCAPE INTO A SUSTAINABLE PROPERTY, CUSTOMIZED TO YOUR WILDEST DREAMS.

AS PART OF OUR COMMITMENT TO HELPING YOU ACHIEVE YOUR LAND-MANAGEMENT GOALS, ALL CABELA'S LM SERIES TRACTORS ARE BACKED BY AN INDUSTRY-LEADING WARRANTY. WITH STATE-OF-THE-ART EQUIPMENT-SERVICING FACILITIES AND FACTORY-CERTIFIED TECHNICIANS AT ALL WILDLIFE & LAND MANAGEMENT LOCATIONS, WE HAVE THE TOOLS AND THE KNOWLEDGE TO KEEP YOUR EQUIPMENT RUNNING LIKE IT JUST PULLED OFF THE SHOWROOM FLOOR.



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# SUMMERTIME, FISHIN' TIME

By CODY LEVY

AS A GROUP, THE AMERICANA OUTDOORS STAFF DOESN'T ALWAYS GET THE CHANCE TO JUST GO OUT AND FISH FOR FUN, RATHER THAN BE FISHING FOR THE TV PURPOSES; HOWEVER, I WAS ABLE TO GET A LITTLE TIME IN DOWN ON THE COAST TO DO JUST THAT WITH WILL, WADE, AND WADE'S WIFE, ANGEL. WE TOOK THIS TRIP AS A CHANCE FOR WILL AND ME TO GET A LITTLE MORE EXPERIENCE AND UNDERSTANDING WITH SALTWATER FISHING AS WE HAD EACH ONLY BEEN A FEW TIMES HERE AND THERE, BUT ALSO AS A CHANCE TO KICK BACK AND CATCH SOME FISH FOR THE FRYER!

WE TOOK WADE'S YAMAHA POWERED RANGER 2310 DOWN TO PORT ARANSAS FOR THE WEEK IN HOPES OF STOCKING THE FREEZER WITH SOME FRESH SPECKLED TROUT AND BEING ABLE TO KICK BACK, ALTHOUGH WHILE WE WERE THERE, FISHING SEEMED TO BE THE ONLY THING ON OUR MINDS, GO FIGURE! SO CHECK OUT THE AMERICANA OUTDOORS TRIP DOWN TO PORT ARANSAS IN THE LINK BELOW AND IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO CHECK OUT THE GEAR WE USED, CLICK ON ANY OF THE GRAPHICS!





# YAMAHA

## YAMAHA ANNOUNCES 2016 VIKING AND VIKING VI SXS VEHICLES

**ENHANCED COMFORT AMONG REFINEMENTS FOR INDUSTRY'S MOST DURABLE AND  
RELIABLE UTILITY SIDE-BY-SIDES**

KENNESAW, GA. — YAMAHA MOTOR CORP., USA, INTRODUCES THE NEW 2016 VIKING AND VIKING VI SIDE-BY-SIDE (SXS) VEHICLES, RIGHT ON TIME FOR FALL HARVEST AND HUNTING SEASONS. WITH CLASS-LEADING CAB ROOM AND COMFORT, COUPLED WITH SUPERIOR HANDLING AND OFF-ROAD CAPABILITY, VIKINGS ARE THE TOUGHEST AND HARDEST WORKING UTILITY-BASED VEHICLES THAT ARE ALSO FUN TO DRIVE.

FOR 2016, ALONG WITH A NEW PREMIUM RANCH EDITION VIKING VI, ALL VIKING AND VIKING VI MODELS RECEIVE MULTIPLE UPDATES INCLUDING A SMOOTHER, QUIETER CABIN, ADDITIONAL RIDER CONVENIENCES AND A REINFORCED CHASSIS RESULTING IN THE SMOOTHEST RUNNING, STRONGEST VIKINGS YET IN YAMAHA'S GROWING LINE OF REAL WORLD TOUGH SXS VEHICLES.

THE NEW 2016 VIKING VI EPS RANCH EDITION BRINGS AN ALL-NEW LEVEL OF COMFORT AND CONVENIENCE TO TOUGH OFF-ROAD WORK. THIS MODEL FEATURES HIGH-QUALITY COPPER METALLIC PAINTED BODYWORK WITH A COLOR-MATCHED BROWN INTERIOR AND SOFT SUN TOP, SILVER CAST ALUMINUM WHEELS, REARVIEW CENTER MIRROR, MUD FLAPS, OVERFENDERS, UNDERSEAT STORAGE, A REAR BED GRAB BAR, A HEAVY DUTY FRONT BRUSH GUARD AND UNIQUE RANCH EDITION BADGING.



"THE 2016 VIKING AND VIKING VI SIDE-BY-SIDES ARE ALREADY IN PRODUCTION AND ARRIVING AT DEALERSHIPS NATIONWIDE," SAID STEVE NESSL, YAMAHA'S ATV/SXS GROUP MARKETING MANAGER. "WITH THE ADDED COMFORT, INCREASED CONVENIENCE AND AN ALL-NEW VIKING VI RANCH EDITION, WE KNOW THE SUCCESS AND ENTHUSIASM TOWARDS THE VIKING AND VIKING VI WILL CONTINUE TO GROW IN THE UTILITY, HUNTING AND FARMING COMMUNITIES."



THE 2016 VIKING MODEL YEAR UPDATES INCLUDE NEW AUTOMOTIVE-STYLE TWO-STAGE DOOR LATCHES AND A PARKING BRAKE WARNING BUZZER. NOISE AND VIBRATION REDUCTION FEATURES INCLUDE NEW RUBBER DAMPER PLATES, A MORE RIGID CHASSIS, ADDITIONAL SOUND DAMPENING MATERIALS AND AN ALL-NEW CYLINDER HEAD TORQUE ROD FOR A MORE RELAXING RIDE QUALITY AT ANY ENGINE RPM. THE NEWLY REINFORCED REAR STEEL CARGO BED NOW INCORPORATES MOUNTING POINTS ON THE BED RAILS AND A RUBBER CARGO BED MAT TO FURTHER REDUCE SOUND AND VIBRATION, ALL WHILE IMPROVING DURABILITY AND CARGO-CARRYING CAPABILITY. LARGE ENOUGH FOR A FULLY LOADED PALLET, THE ASSISTED DUMP BED CAN PACK UP TO 600 POUNDS OF EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES. THE STANDARD TWO-INCH RECEIVER HITCH IS RATED TO PULL 1,500 POUNDS, MAKING THE 2016 VIKING AND VIKING VI TWO OF THE TOUGHEST, HARDEST WORKING AND MOST OFF-ROAD CAPABLE SXS VEHICLES EVER.

THE YAMAHA VIKING AND VIKING VI ARE MULTI-PASSENGER OFF-ROAD SXS VEHICLES FEATURING YAMAHA'S TIME-TESTED AND DURABLE TECHNOLOGIES. THEIR UNIQUE CAB CONFIGURATION ALLOWS FOR PASS-THROUGH BUCKET SEATING AND MAXIMUM HEADROOM WITHOUT SACRIFICING CRITICAL GROUND CLEARANCE. ALL COMBINED, THIS MAKES TRANSPORTATION EASY AND COMFORTABLE FOR UP TO THREE FULL-SIZED ADULTS IN THE VIKING, AND UP TO SIX IN THE VIKING VI. THE VIKINGS UTILIZE YAMAHA'S POWERFUL AND PROVEN 700CC-CLASS ENGINE,



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BOTH THE VIKING AND VIKING VI FEATURE NEARLY 12 INCHES OF GROUND CLEARANCE, A FULL STEEL-COMPOSITE SMOOTH SKID PLATE AND AN OPTIMIZED FRAME WITH UPTURNED SIDE RAILS TO ALLOW SMOOTHER TRANSITIONS OVER OBSTACLES. THE VIKINGS' LONG-TRAVEL FOUR-WHEEL INDEPENDENT SUSPENSION IS PERFECTLY BALANCED TO PROVIDE A PLUSH AND COMFORTABLE RIDE WITH A QUALITY DAMPING FEEL IN ROUGH TERRAIN, ALL WHILE CARRYING EITHER A LIGHT OR FULL LOAD.

COLOR OPTIONS FOR THE 2016 VIKING EPS AND VIKING VI EPS ARE HUNTER GREEN, RED AND REAL-TREE® XTRA™ CAMO. ADDITIONAL OPTIONS INCLUDE THE ALL-NEW VIKING VI EPS RANCH EDITION (MSRP \$15,499) AND A SPECIAL EDITION (SE) CARBON METALLIC FOR BOTH THE VIKING EPS AND VIKING VI EPS (MSRP \$14,049 AND \$14,999 RESPECTIVELY), AS WELL AS STEEL BLUE IN THE VIKING EPS. VIKING MODELS NOW COME STANDARD WITH A SUN TOP AT AN MSRP STARTING AT \$11,999.



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WITH THE DEAD ON SHOOTING STICKS YOU CAN TAKE A COMFORTABLE POSITION, RESTING YOUR RIFLE IN THE SWIVELING GUN-V THAT ALLOWS YOU TO TAKE YOUR SHOT AT ANY ANGLE WITHOUT REPOSITIONING THE SHOOTING STICK. THEY ARE CONSTRUCTED FROM STRONG YET LIGHT WEIGHT ALUMINUM AND THE UNIQUE SHAFT DESIGN USED IN ALL OUR SHOOTING STICKS PROVIDES A STRONGER MORE RIGID LEG TO REST ON.

ADJUSTING THE STANDING HEIGHT IS EASY WITH THE SNAP-LOCK / SNAP-RELEASE SYSTEM WHICH ALLOWS YOU TO MAKE HEIGHT ADJUSTMENTS WITH ONE HAND BY FLIPPING THE LATCH OPEN OR CLOSED WITH A FLICK OF YOUR THUMB. MEASUREMENT MARKS ON THE LOWER LEGS ALLOW YOU TO QUICKLY FIND A PRECISE HEIGHT.

TAKE A COMFORTABLE POSITION, RESTING YOUR RIFLE IN THE SWIVELING GUN-V THAT ALLOWS YOU TO TAKE YOUR SHOT AT ANY ANGLE WITHOUT REPOSITIONING THE SHOOTING STICK.

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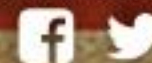
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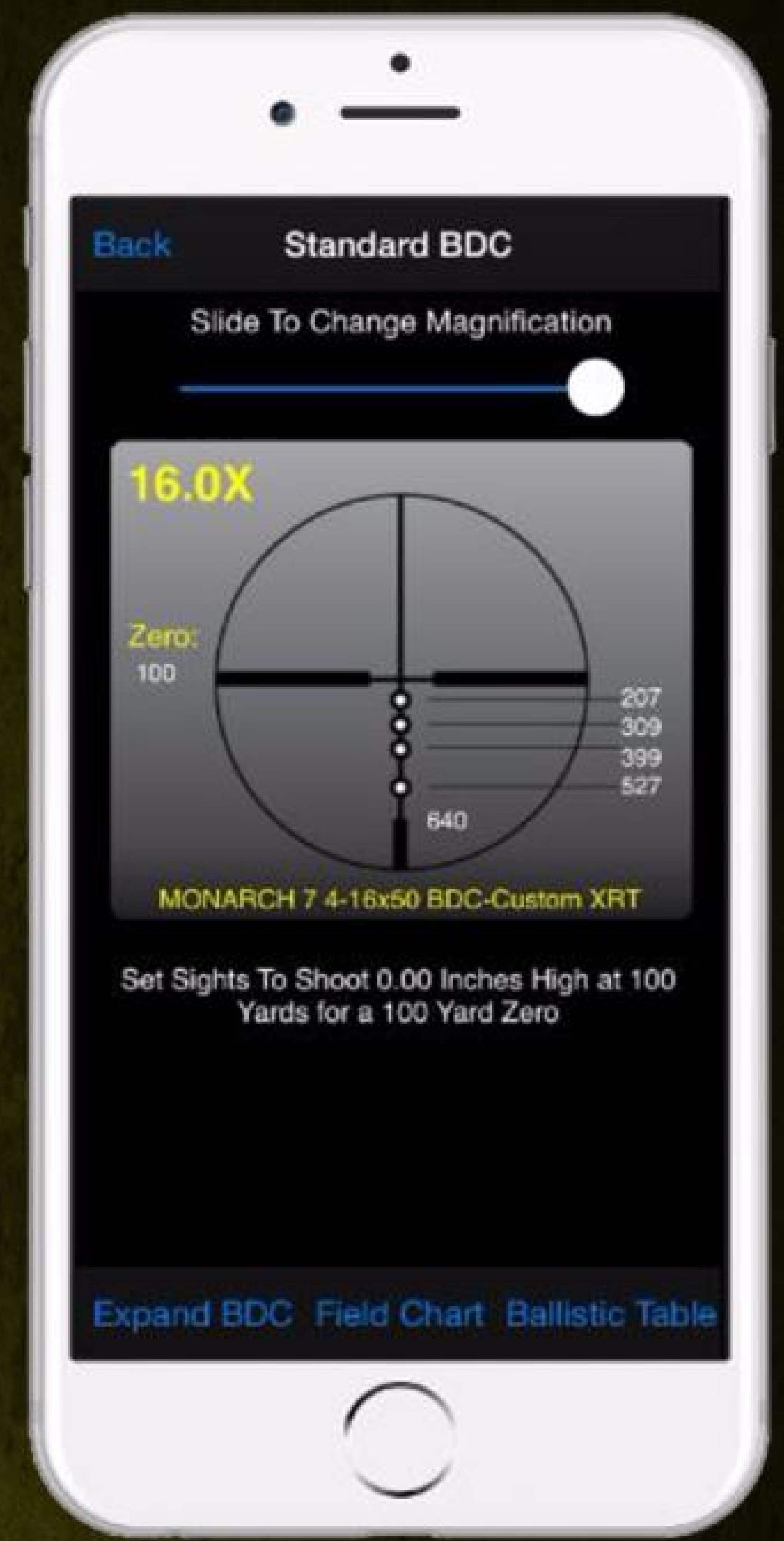
NIKON HAS ANNOUNCED THE RELEASE OF TWO NEW RIFLESCOPES THAT ARE SPECIFICALLY DESIGNED AND ENGINEERED FOR THE .22 LONG RIFLE CALIBER. THE PROSTAFF RIMFIRE II SERIES COMES IN 3-9X40 AND 4-12X40 AND FEATURES NIKON'S BDC 150 RETICLE.



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# ADRIAN COLLEGE GRASPS TOP SPOT IN THE CABELA'S SCHOOL OF THE YEAR RANKINGS

UNIVERSITY OF DUBUQUE AND RAMAPO COLLEGE  
SEIZE CONTROL OF SECOND AND THIRD SPOT RESPECTIVELY

BY CODY LEVY

SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS – WITH ANOTHER SCHOOL YEAR IN PROGRESS, MOST COLLEGE STUDENTS ARE FOCUSED ON DREADED HOMEWORK, READINGS, QUIZZES, AND TESTS; HOWEVER, FOR A SELECT GROUP OF STUDENTS, THERE IS AN ADDITIONAL FOCUS – THE ONGOING CABELA'S SCHOOL OF THE YEAR RACE. ADRIAN COLLEGE HAS BEEN ABLE TO CAPITALIZE ON MANY DIFFERENT COLLEGIATE TOURNAMENTS THUS FAR TO PLACE THE TEAM IN FIRST PLACE OVER 300 COMPETING UNIVERSITIES IN THE CABELA'S SCHOOL OF THE YEAR RACE, WITH 2. UNIVERSITY OF DUBUQUE AND 3. RAMAPO COLLEGE CLOSE BEHIND.

UNDERWAY SINCE JULY, THE 2015/2016 CABELA'S SCHOOL OF THE YEAR PROGRAM LOOKS TO HAVE A TOTAL OF OVER FORTY EVENTS UNDER THE PROGRAM THROUGHOUT THE SEASON. COMPRISED OF ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGIATE ANGLERS SCHOOL SANCTIONED EVENTS, FLW EVENTS, B.A.S.S. CARHARTT EVENTS, AND THE CABELA'S COLLEGIATE BASS



FISHING SERIES EVENTS, THE CABELA'S SCHOOL OF THE YEAR RACE IS THE MOST ENCOMPASSING PROGRAM OF ITS KIND MAKING THE TITLE THE MOST PRESTIGIOUS TITLE IN COLLEGE FISHING.

SETH BORTON, HEAD COACH OF THE ADRIAN COLLEGE BASS FISHING TEAM STATED THAT "FROM BEING AN AVID TOURNAMENT FISHERMAN MYSELF, I WANTED TO GET THIS TEAM TO WHERE WE ARE NOW, BUT I DIDN'T THINK WE WOULD GET THERE THIS QUICKLY. IT'S BEEN KIND OF A PERFECT STORM FOR THE TEAM WITH HOW WELL WE'VE BEEN DOING IN TOURNAMENTS OVER THE LAST YEAR."

BORTON ADDED THAT "DID I THINK WE'D GET TO NUMBER ONE IN THE STANDING? YES, BUT DID I THINK WE WOULD GET THERE THIS QUICK? DEFINITELY NOT, SO I'M DEFINITELY VERY PROUD OF THE TEAM FOR ALL OF THEIR HARD WORK AND DEDICATION."

THE TEAM ORIGINATED IN THE 2014-2015 SCHOOL YEAR WITH ALL FRESHMAN AND ONE SOPHOMORE MAKING THE ADRIAN COLLEGE BASS FISHING TEAM ONE OF THE YOUNGEST OF THE YEAR. THE 2015-2016 ADRIAN COLLEGE FISHING SEASON WILL CONSIST OF THE NOW SOPHOMORES AND JUNIOR, MAKING THE THIS YOUNG TEAM A HUNGRY GROUP OF ANGLERS WILLING TO LEARN TOGETHER AND COMPETE AT A NATIONAL LEVEL.

"AFTER COMPETING IN THE COLLEGIATE BASS FISHING OPEN AND BEING REALLY HIGH UP IN THE RANKINGS AFTER DAY 1 IN THE 2015 SEASON, IT REALLY GAVE US THE CONFIDENCE WE NEEDED AS A YOUNG TEAM TO GET MOMENTUM FOR TOURNAMENTS TO COME AND I'M JUST SUPER PROUD OF THEIR CONSISTENCY TO STAY IN THE TOP PLACES EVER SINCE," SAID BORTON.

"IT SPEAKS VOLUMES ABOUT THE TEAM'S ABILITY AND IT SHOWS THAT THE SCHOOL IS WILLING TO PUT A NORTHERN SCHOOL AS A BASS FISHING STAPLE ALONGSIDE THE BETHELS, NORTH ALABAMAS, AND MCK-  
ENDREE UNIVERSITIES OF THE WORLD," SAID BORTON. "THEIR ACCOMPLISHMENTS HAVE DEFINITELY  
BROUGHT A LOT OF EXCITEMENT FROM THE COMMUNITY, THE COLLEGE, AND OBVIOUSLY AMONG THE  
YOUNG GUYS ON THE TEAM AS WELL, BUT NOW IT ALSO ADDS MORE TO LIVE UP TO!"

BORTON ADDED THAT WHILE THE SEASON IS STILL VERY YOUNG, THE TEAM IS SET ON STAYING HIGH IN A  
TOP SPOT IN THE CABELA'S SCHOOL OF THE YEAR RANKINGS FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE SEASON.

"NOW THAT WE ARE ON TOP FOR THE TIME BEING, WE REALLY WANT TO STAY THERE. BASED ON WHERE  
THE VARIOUS SCHEDULES GO THIS YEAR, WE'RE GOING TO DO OUR BEST TO TRAVEL TO AS MANY TOURNA-  
MENTS AS POSSIBLE BASED ON THE BUDGET AND NUMBER OF KIDS FISHING FROM OUR TEAM," SAID  
BORTON.

WITH OVER THIRTY FIVE TOURNAMENTS AND NINE MONTHS STILL TO COME IN THE CABELA'S SCHOOL OF  
THE YEAR TITLE IS STILL FAR FROM WON, ESPECIALLY IF THE TWO-TIME CABELA'S SCHOOL OF THE YEAR  
VICTOR, UNIVERSITY OF NORTH ALABAMA HAS ANYTHING ABOUT IT! THE REMAINING CURRENT TOP TEN  
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TO SEE A LIST OF COMPLETE SCHOOL OF THE YEAR RANKINGS, CLICK HERE: [HTTP://WWW.COLLEGIATE-  
BASSCHAMPIONSHIP.COM/UPLOADS/2016%20ACA%20SOY%20Standings%209-16-15.PDF](http://www.collegiate-basschampionship.com/uploads/2016%20ACA%20SOY%20Standings%209-16-15.pdf)

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THE NEW RANGER Z520 IS THE FLAGSHIP OF THE LEGENDARY BRAND'S REALIGNED Z500 SERIES OF TOURNAMENT-READY BASS BOATS. THE LINE ALSO INCLUDES THE NEW Z518 AND Z519, WHICH UPDATE AND REPLACE THE Z118C AND Z119C, RESPECTIVELY. THE ADVANCEMENT OF RANGER'S BASS BOAT LINES ENSURES THAT BOAT BUYERS HAVE MULTIPLE HORSEPOWER AND AMENITY OPTIONS TO SUIT THEIR NEEDS.

BASED ON THE PROVEN, AWARD-WINNING RANGER Z520C, THE NEW RANGER Z520 MEASURES 20 FEET, 9 INCHES IN LENGTH AND IS RATED FOR 250 HORSEPOWER. THE SPECS AND PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS ARE NEARLY IDENTICAL TO THE Z520C WITH NEW DISTINCTIONS COMING IN THE FORM OF INSTALLED EQUIPMENT, HIGHLIGHTED BY A MINN KOTA MAXXUM 80 TROLLING MOTOR AND LOWRANCE MARK 5X PRO AT THE CONSOLE. ULTRA STABLE ON PAD, THE BOAT FEATURES A PULTRUDED FIBERGLASS TRANSOM, FIBERGLASS STRINGER SYSTEM AND HIGH PERFORMANCE STEERING WHEEL. HYDRAULIC STEERING PROVIDES A RESPONSIVE, ONE-PIECE FEEL AND SMOOTH, EASY HANDLING. AVAILABLE IN SINGLE- AND DUAL-CONSOLE CONFIGURATIONS, THE BOAT OFFERS CENTER, PORT AND STARBOARD SIDE CARPETED STORAGE OUTFITTED WITH STAINLESS STEEL COMPRESSION LOCKS. THE CENTER ROD STORAGE CAN HOLD 10 RODS UP TO 8 FEET IN LENGTH WITH 10 RODS UP TO 8 FEET, 6 INCHES IN LENGTH FITTING IN THE PORTSIDE STORAGE.

"THE NEW Z520 IS DESIGNED FOR ANGLERS LOOKING FOR A TOURNAMENT-READY RIG CAPABLE OF COMPETING IN EVERYTHING FROM THE WEEKNIGHT JACKPOT ALL THE WAY TO A MAJOR PROFESSIONAL-LEVEL EVENT," SAID RANGER VICE PRESIDENT OF SALES KEITH DAFFRON. "IT'S BUILT ON A PROVEN, CELEBRATED HULL DESIGN THAT DELIVERS UNMATCHED QUALITY AND FISHABILITY. PLUS IT OFFERS A PRICE POINT ACCESSIBLE TO EVEN MORE ANGLERS."

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#### 2016 RANGER Z520

OVERALL HULL LENGTH: 20 FEET, 9 INCHES

BEAM: 95 INCHES

MAXIMUM HP: 250

ENGINE SHAFT LENGTH: 20 INCHES

INSIDE DEPTH: 22 INCHES

FUEL CAPACITY: 45 GALLONS

TOTAL PERSONS/MOTOR/GEAR: 1,650 LBS.

APPROX. BOAT WEIGHT: 1,825 LBS. (SINGLE CONSOLE); 1,850 LBS. (DUAL CONSOLE)

TRAILER GVWR: CF5000

#### 2016 RANGER Z519

OVERALL HULL LENGTH: 19 FEET, 6 INCHES

BEAM: 95 INCHES

MAXIMUM HP: 225

ENGINE SHAFT LENGTH: 20 INCHES

INSIDE DEPTH: 20 INCHES

FUEL CAPACITY: 37 GALLONS

TOTAL PERSONS/MOTOR/GEAR: 1,500 LBS.

APPROX. BOAT WEIGHT:

1,625 LBS. (SINGLE CONSOLE);

1,650 LBS. (DUAL CONSOLE)

#### 2016 RANGER Z518

OVERALL HULL LENGTH: 18 FEET, 8 INCHES

BEAM: 94 INCHES

MAXIMUM HP: 150

ENGINE SHAFT LENGTH: 20 INCHES

INSIDE DEPTH: 20 INCHES

FUEL CAPACITY: 37 GALLONS

TOTAL PERSONS/MOTOR/GEAR: 1,265 LBS.

APPROX. BOAT WEIGHT:

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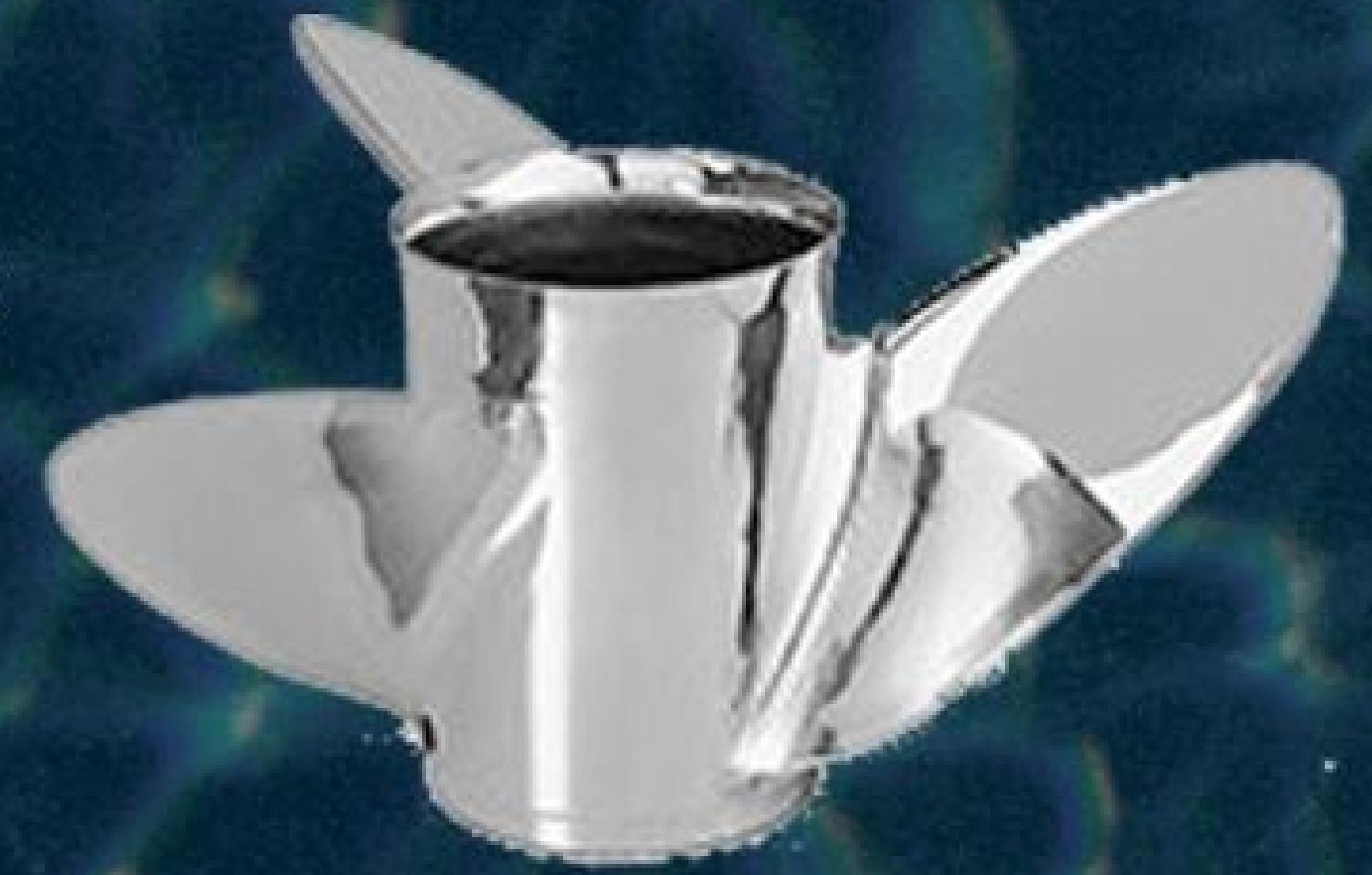




# **YAMAHA** ANNOUNCES NEW PROP SELECTOR ON **YAMAHAOUTBOARDS.COM**

## NEW TOOL SIMPLIFIES PROPELLER SELECTION FOR CONSUMERS

KENNESAW, GA.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- YAMAHA MARINE GROUP TODAY ANNOUNCED THE INTRODUCTION OF AN ALL-NEW PROPELLER SELECTOR TO HELP CUSTOMERS NARROW DOWN PROPELLER OPTIONS, BASED ON THEIR INPUT. THE NEW TOOL CAN BE FOUND EASILY AT [YAMAHAOUTBOARDS.COM](http://YAMAHAOUTBOARDS.COM)>PROPELLERS>PROP SELECTOR ([WWW.YAMAHAPROPSELECTOR.COM](http://WWW.YAMAHAPROPSELECTOR.COM)).



STEPPING THROUGH THE SELECTION PROCESS IS EASY AND INTUITIVE AS CUSTOMERS ARE PROMPTED AT THREE INTERVALS IN THE PROCESS TO REFINE RESULTS. PROPELLER OPTIONS ARE REFINED BASED ON TYPE OF CRAFT AND HORSEPOWER, AND REFINED EVEN FURTHER BY TYPE OF PERFORMANCE GOALS THE BOATER WANTS TO ACHIEVE. THE MOST REFINED LEVEL BASES RESULTS ON "PITCH" AND "RPM" TARGET GOALS.

ULTIMATELY, THE TOOL REMOVES MUCH OF THE INITIAL EFFORT IN SELECTING AN APPROPRIATE PROPELLER, ALLOWING CUSTOMERS TO RECEIVE A VERY TARGETED NUMBER OF PROPELLER SOLUTIONS, WHICH THEY CAN DISCUSS FURTHER WITH THEIR LOCAL DEALER.

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