

**June 4-5, 2011**

**Kentucky Lake**

Moor Resort & Marina  
Gateway Bass'N Gals  
St. Louis Area Club

Lake Level - 359.0 and steady (Normal Pool 359.0)

Water Temp - 78-84

Clarity – Good visibility 2-3 feet.

Weather Saturday: Low 75, high 95, clear & hot

Wind - 5 to 13 mph out of the WSW

Weather Sunday: Low 71, high 93, clear & hot

Wind – calm at takeoff, gusts to 20 mph out of the NNW by weigh-in

Take off Saturday: 5:15am. Weigh-In was at 2:30pm.

Take off Sunday: 5:15am. Weigh-In was at 12:15pm.

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The Gateway Bass'N Gals fished their third 2011 tournament event out of The Moors Resort & Marina. It was a one and a half day tournament on Saturday, June 4<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, June 5<sup>th</sup>, 2011. There were 4 boats with 10 participants fishing this tournament.

Fishing was excellent on this trip. There were good numbers of fish brought on both days. The weather was very hot for early June but it was tolerable and except for the very end the winds laid down making the lake very fishable. All considered it was a very nice weekend on the lake.



**Lynda Gessner took first place with one fish on Saturday and a five fish limit on Sunday. Her total weight for both days was 19.76 lbs. Lynda also took big bass on day two with a hefty 5.14 lb largemouth.** Lynda caught the majority of her bass on the east main lake ledges up river from the Moors with a Carolina rigged Z-Man watermelon pepper floating finesse worm on a heavy action 7 ft St. Croix rod with a Lew's tournament series reel rigged with 20 lb FINS Shock Absorbing braided line with 20 lb Seaguar fluorocarbon leader. **Kim White fished with Lynda and finished ninth with a bass that weighed 1.43 lbs.** Lynda and Kim caught their bass in the bays early on a Yellow Magic Pop-R and root beer Bandit 300

crankbaits. They worked main lake ledges later in the day with the Carolina Rig. They found fish on the drops from 6 to 20 feet. Lynda won \$100 for 1<sup>st</sup> Place and day 2 Big Bass.



**Pam Leeper (center) took second place with a five fish limit on Saturday that weighed 11.71 lbs. Pam also took big bass on day one with a nice 4.35 lb bass. Pam won \$80 for 2nd Place and day 1 Big Bass. Pam caught her bass on 7" Berkley's Power Worms in plum fished Texas rigged. Pam fished as a non-boater with Bonnie Katke and fellow co-angler Mary Lipka.**

**Bonnie Katke finished third with two bass Saturday and three on Sunday. Her total weight for both days was 10.96 lbs. Bonnie caught her fish on a Texas rigged 7" purple Berkley's Power Worms. Bonnie won \$20 for 3rd Place. Mary Lipka finished sixth with three bass Saturday and one on Sunday. Her total weight for both days was 8.35 lbs. Mary caught her fish on a Pop R and 7" purple Berkley's Power Worms. Bonnie, Pam and Mary started the day working the rip-rap at the Moors with top water. Later they found post spawn bass suspended under docks at Kentucky Dam Village Marina.**



**Leslie Anderson took fourth place with two bass Saturday and two on Sunday. Her total weight for both days was 9.09 lbs. Leslie caught her bass on a deep diving crankbait. Pam Dugan and Bonnie Betts fished as non-boaters with Leslie. Pam finished fifth with two bass each day for a total weight of 8.45 lbs. Pam caught her bass with Carolina rigged 10" red shad Berkley's Power Worms.**

**Stephanie Mesplay took seventh place with two bass Saturday and two on Sunday. Her total weight for both days was 6.12 lbs. Stephanie caught her bass on Texas rigged green finesse worm. Stephanie fished as a non-boater with Robbie Hartline. Robbie finished eighth with one bass each day that weighed 3.8 lbs. Robbie caught her bass on Texas rigged 10" motor oil Berkley's Power Worms. Robbie and Stephanie were targeting post spawn fish on main lake points.**

**Great trip and congratulations to all!! The next tournament will be held out of the Truman State Park Marina on Truman Lake on July 31st.**