

2010 TOURNAMENT CALENDAR



DAIWA BREAM SERIES

The Daiwa BREAM Series is the premier bream circuit in the country. Nationwide qualifying events allow you to fish as a boater (with a boat) or as a non boater (randomly paired with a boating angler) to try and make it to the popular Daiwa BREAM Grand Final. This is the only pathway to the AFC.

Continuing in 2010 is the ability to upgrade your boater entry to 'Pro' status. The additional cost of entry allows 'Pros' to be eligible for an extra prize pool. Back yourself in as a 'Pro' and you could be rolling in the cash.

Four Super Series events in 2010 allow anglers to make it through to the cut-throat Sunday Shootout. These 3 day events are beefed up qualifiers that attract plenty of attention.

Pro \$330, Boater \$120, Non Boater \$110
BREAM Super Series – Pro \$500, Boater \$250, Non Boater \$110

HOBIE BREAM KAYAK SERIES

Competitors fish out of their own craft for the qualifying events which now incorporates WA, SA, VIC, TAS, NSW and QLD creating a truly national feel. The ABT Hobie BREAM Kayak Grand Final however sees all qualifying competitors fishing from identical, factory supplied Hobie Pro Angler kayaks – complete with recirculating livewells – to create a truly level playing field.

The Hobie BREAM Kayak events are unique in that anglers catch bream on lures and then keep their three biggest, legal fish to present to the weighmaster at the end of the fishing session. With single, two day and State Title events, plus the ability to 'option up' as per the BREAM and BASS events the series shapes up to be exciting and not to be missed.

Hobie BREAM Kayak Qualifiers - \$50 per day of competition, Pro – additional \$50 cash.

ABT FLATHEAD QUALIFIERS

After the success of the trial event on the Gold Coast in 2009, ABT has integrated 3 Flathead tournaments on the Sunday of the BREAM Super Series events held at Hawkesbury, Clarence and Gold Coast. Entry is on the day and structured similar to the BARRA tournaments, with a capture, record and release process, with anglers pairing up as a team and taking a digital photo on a Brag Mat for verification.

Held in conjunction with the BREAM Super Series weigh in, these tournaments will be full of excitement and entertainment.

ABT Flathead Qualifiers – Entry Fee TBA

AFFILIATED ABT EVENTS 2009

The popularity of these grass roots team events has seen further events added to the 2010 calendar. Giving anglers more tournament options and more time on the water.

These competitions are run by individuals under the ABT umbrella and are one or two day events that feature cash and product paybacks.

One in every ten teams in each BREAM Classic gain an invite to the ABT National BREAM Classic Championship. Where you and your angling buddy can battle to become crowned the No 1 BREAM team in Australia.

Classic Entries – refer to individual Classic Organiser

MOTORGUIDE BASS ELECTRIC SERIES

The MotorGuide BASS Electric Series is an entry-level series of BASS events open to all ages with low entry fees and the ability to fish alone, or with a partner of your choice. Payouts are product based with badges awarded to the top five anglers and Big Bass winner.

As the name suggests these events are ELECTRIC MOTORS ONLY! The competitive streak in the many addicted BASS anglers has seen the popularity of these events grow to accommodate some large fields.

The top 5 from each event gain an invite to the MotorGuide BASS Electric Convention – A culmination of winners from NSW and QLD battling it out for three Motorguide powered Bluefin punts.

BASS Electric Entries - \$20 on the day. Must be an ABT Member.

QUANTUM BASS PRO SERIES

The most lucrative bass series in the country, the BASS Pro Series randomly pairs boating anglers (boaters) with co-anglers (non boaters) to fish for cash, prizes and berths in the BASS Pro Grand Final.

The BASS Pro Series is the only pathway to the AFC. The National BASS Pro Champ not only gets an AFC guernsey but scores a trip to the USA to experience tournament bass fishing American style.

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BASS Pro Qualifiers – Pro \$330, Boater \$165, Non Boaters \$100.

DAIWA BREAM SERIES



DATE	ARENA	EVENT	TYPE	SPONSOR
Jan 30-31	Gippsland Lakes, VIC	BREAM Qualifier- VIC #1	Qualifier	Squidgy
Feb 13-14	Walpole, WA	BREAM Qualifier- WA #1	Qualifier	Evinrude
Mar 2-3	St Helens, TAS	BREAM Qualifier- TAS #1	Qualifier	Spirit of Tasmania
Mar 6-8	Derwent River, TAS	BREAM Qualifier- TAS #2	Super Series	Pflueger
Mar 27-28	Mallacoota, NSW	BREAM Qualifier- VIC #2	Qualifier	Lucky Craft
Apr 17-18	Taree, NSW	BREAM Qualifier- NSW #1	Qualifier	Carrot Stix
May 7-9	Hawkesbury, NSW	BREAM Qualifier- NSW #2	Super Series	Berkley
May 29-30	Albany, WA	BREAM Qualifier- WA #2	Qualifier	Shimano
Jun 19-20	Lake Macquarie, NSW	BREAM Qualifier- NSW #3	Qualifier	Mercury
July 10-11	Tweed River, NSW	BREAM Qualifier- QLD #1	Qualifier	Ugly Fish
July 23-25	Clarence River, NSW	BREAM Qualifier- NSW #4	Super Series	Bassday
Aug 7-8	Bribie Island, QLD	BREAM Qualifier- QLD #2	Qualifier	Ecogear
Sep 4-5	Glenelg River, VIC	BREAM Qualifier- SA #1	Qualifier	Daiwa
Sep 24-26	Gold Coast, QLD	BREAM Qualifier- QLD #3	Super Series	Lowrance
Nov 5-7	TBA	BREAM Grand Final	Grand Final	Daiwa
Jan 20-22	Sydney Harbour, NSW	Australian Open	Open	Daiwa
Mar 19-21	Moreton Bay, QLD	Humminbird QLD Open	Open	Humminbird
Mar 13-14	Forster, NSW	MegaBREAM	MegaBREAM	Minn Kota
Oct 30-31	TBA	ABT Classic Championship	Teams Grand Final	Skeeter

HOBIE BREAM KAYAK SERIES



DATE	ROUND	EVENT	SPONSOR
Sep 19-20	# 1	Glenelg River, VIC	Hobie
Nov 7-8	# 2	Narrabeen Lakes, NSW	Hobie
Nov 14-15	# 3	Gold Coast, QLD	Hobie
Dec 12-13	# 4	Redcliffe, QLD	Hobie
Jan 9-10	# 5	Noosa, QLD	Hobie
Jan-23	# 6	St Georges Basin, NSW	Hobie
Jan-26	# 7	Bemm River, VIC	Hobie
Feb 6-7	# 8	Westlakes, SA	Hobie
Feb 13-14	# 9	Walpole, WA	Hobie
Feb-28	# 10	Scamander River, TAS	Hobie
Mar 13-14	# 11	Forster, NSW	Hobie
Mar 27-28	# 12	Marlo VIC	Hobie
Apr 17-18	# 13	Camden Haven, NSW	Hobie
May TBA	GF	TBA	Hobie



ABT FLATHEAD QUALIFIERS

DATE	ARENA	EVENT	TYPE	SPONSOR
May-09	Hawkesbury, NSW	Flathead Qualifier #1		
Jul-25	Clarence River, NSW	Flathead Qualifier #2		
Sep-26	Gold Coast, QLD	Flathead Qualifier #3		

For full Tournament details log onto www.abt.org.au

AFFILIATED ABT EVENTS

DATE	ARENA	EVENT	CONTACT
Jan 10	Forster, NSW	Gamakatsu Team Series # 2	Michael Starkey 0412 662 280, Vinnie Bleakley 0412 171 379
Jan 24	Hawkesbury River, NSW	Berkley Evinrude Team Series # 1	Mark Mangold 0419 212 553, Scott Towner 0412 254 098
Feb 6-7	Docklands, VIC	VIC BREAM Classic Series # 1	Bill Hartshorne 0409 823 070
Feb 7	Swan River, WA	WA BREAM Classic Series # 1	Craig Leatt-Hayter 0412 249 647
Feb 13-14	Georges Bay, TAS	TAS BREAM Classic # 1	Neil Grose 0448 131 921
Feb 14	Sydney Harbour, NSW	Berkley Evinrude Team Series # 2	Mark Mangold 0419 212 553, Scott Towner 0412 254 098
Feb 14	Gold Coast, NSW	Gamakatsu Team Series # 3	Michael Starkey 0412 662 280, Vinnie Bleakley 0412 171 379
Mar 20-21	Glenelg River, VIC	VIC BREAM Classic Series # 2	Bill Hartshorne 0409 823 070
Mar 28	Clarence River, NSW	Gamakatsu Team Series # 4	Michael Starkey 0412 662 280, Vinnie Bleakley 0412 171 379
Mar 28	Mandurah, WA	WA BREAM Classic Series # 2	Craig Leatt-Hayter 0412 249 647
Apr 2	Gold Coast, QLD	Easter BREAM Classic	Stephen Wilson 0412 084 867
Apr 11	Lake Macquarie, NSW	Berkley Evinrude Team Series # 3	Mark Mangold 0419 212 553, Scott Towner 0412 254 098
Apr 11	Port River, SA	SABT # 1	Tom Deer 0414 901 550
Apr 17-18	Swan River, TAS	TAS BREAM Classic # 2	Neil Grose 0448 131 921
Apr 18	Maroon Dam, QLD	Tabs Grand Electric Series- R1	Dean Wilson 0413 111 604
May 1-2	Mallacoota, VIC	VIC BREAM Classic Series # 3	Bill Hartshorne 0409 823 070
May 1-2	Eungella Dam, QLD	MAFSA World Sooty Championship	Jeff Eales 0409 552 103
May 2	Manning River, NSW	Gamakatsu Team Series # 5	Michael Starkey 0412 662 280, Vinnie Bleakley 0412 171 379
May 9	Somerset Dam, QLD	Tabs Grand Electric Series- R2	Dean Wilson 0413 111 604
May 15-16	Derwent River, TAS	TAS BREAM Classic # 3	Neil Grose 0448 131 921
May 16	Gold Coast, QLD	Dash 4 Cash # 1	Stephen Wilson 0412 084 867
May 23	Georges Basin, NSW	Berkley Evinrude Team Series # 4	Mark Mangold 0419 212 553, Scott Towner 0412 254 098
May 23	Swan River, WA	WA BREAM Classic Series # 3	Craig Leatt-Hayter 0412 249 647
Jun 6	Richmond River, NSW	Gamakatsu Team Series # 6	Michael Starkey 0412 662 280, Vinnie Bleakley 0412 171 379
Jun 13	Wivenhoe Dam, QLD	Tabs Grand Electric Series- R3	Dean Wilson 0413 111 604
Jun 19-20	Hopkins River, VIC	VIC BREAM Classic Series # 4	Bill Hartshorne 0409 823 070
Jun 27	Gold Coast, QLD	Dash 4 Cash # 2	Stephen Wilson 0412 084 867
Jul 3-4	Sussex Inlet, NSW	Sussex Inlet BREAM Classic	Russell Donnelly 02 4441 2017
Jul 4	Nelsons Bay, NSW	Gamakatsu Team Series # 7	Michael Starkey 0412 662 280, Vinnie Bleakley 0412 171 379
Jul 31	Sydney Harbour, NSW	Berkley Evinrude Team Series- Grand Final	Mark Mangold 0419 212 553, Scott Towner 0412 254 098
Aug 7-8	Gippsland Lakes, VIC	VIC BREAM Classic Series # 5	Bill Hartshorne 0409 823 070
Aug 8	Gold Coast, QLD	Gamakatsu Team Series # 8	Michael Starkey 0412 662 280, Vinnie Bleakley 0412 171 379
Aug 22	Mandurah, WA	WA BREAM Classic Series # 4	Craig Leatt-Hayter 0412 249 647
Aug 29	Sydney Harbour, NSW	NSW BREAM Classic #1	Alan Loftus 0419 629 932
Sep 12	Port Macquarie, NSW	Gamakatsu Team Series # 9	Michael Starkey 0412 662 280, Vinnie Bleakley 0412 171 379
Sep 18-19	Lake Glenbawn, NSW	Skeeter Owners Tournament	Josh Batterson 0408 621 426
Sep 26	Port River, SA	SABT # 2	Tom Deer 0414 901 550
Oct 3	Hawkesbury River, NSW	NSW BREAM Classic #2	Alan Loftus 0419 629 932
Oct 9-10	Glenelg River, VIC	VIC BREAM Classic Series - Grand Final	Bill Hartshorne 0409 823 070
Oct 9-10	Port Macquarie, NSW	Port Macquarie BREAM Classic	David Poulton 0401 191 554
Oct 10	Swan River, WA	WA BREAM Classic Series- Boat Show Invitational	Craig Leatt-Hayter 0412 249 647
Oct 17	Tweed River, NSW	Gamakatsu Team Series - Grand Final	Michael Starkey 0412 662 280, Vinnie Bleakley 0412 171 379
Oct 23-24	Great Lake, TAS	Tasmania Trout Classic # 1	Neil Grose 0448 131 921
Oct 30-31	Taree, NSW	Skeeter BREAM Classic Championship	ABT (07) 3387 0888
Nov 21	TBA	WA BREAM Classic Series- Grand Final	Craig Leatt-Hayter 0412 249 647
Nov 22	Bribie Island, QLD	Gamakatsu Team Series # 1	Michael Starkey 0412 662 280, Vinnie Bleakley 0412 171 379
Nov 27-28	Arthurs Lake, TAS	Tasmania Trout Classic # 2	Neil Grose 0448 131 921
Dec 4-5	Port River, SA	SABT # 3	Tom Deer 0414 901 550



QUANTUM BASS PRO SERIES



DATE	ARENA	EVENT	SPONSOR
Feb 20-21	Lake St Clair, NSW	BASS Pro Qualifier # 1	Rovex
Apr 25-26	Lake Somerset, QLD	BASS Pro Qualifier # 2	TT Lures
June 26-27	Lake Boondooma, QLD	BASS Pro Qualifier # 3	Motorguide
Aug 21-22	Lake Glenbawn, NSW	BASS Pro Qualifier # 4	G Loomis
Feb 23-24	Lake Glenbawn, NSW	BASS MegaBucks	Megabass
TBA	TBA	BASS Pro Grand Final	Quantum

MOTORGUIDE BASS ELECTRIC SERIES



DATE	ARENA	DIRECTOR	CONTACT	EVENT TIMES
Jan-24	Lake St.Clair, NSW	Justin Scott	0429 201 661	6am-12pm
Feb-06	Maroon Dam, QLD	Chris Galligan	0434 365 373	2pm-8pm
Feb-06	Lake Cania, QLD	Chris Horne	0410 716 701	2pm-8pm
Feb-07	Lake Cania, QLD	Chris Horne	0410 716 701	5.30am-11.30am
Feb-28	Clarrie Hall Dam, NSW	Tony Payne	0409 260 977	6am-12pm
Mar-14	Bjelke-Petersen Dam, QLD	Will Schloss	0458 797 265	7am-1pm
Mar-14	Lostock Dam, NSW	David Mudd	0409 711 064	6am-12pm
Mar-20	Toonambar Dam, NSW	Adrian Melchior	0415 587 900	2pm-8pm
Mar-21	Toonambar Dam, NSW	Adrian Melchior	0415 587 900	5.30am-11.30am
Mar-28	Lake Cressbrook, QLD	Brad Clark	0448 588 955	7am-1pm
May-02	Lostock Dam, NSW	David Mudd	0409 711 064	6am-12pm
May-16	Isis Balancing Storage, QLD	Gary Leather	07 4153 4747	6am-12pm
May-23	Lake Cressbrook, QLD	Brad Clark	0448 588 955	7am-1pm
May-30	Bjelke-Petersen Dam, QLD	Will Schloss	0458 797 265	7am-1pm
Jun-06	Lake Lenthalls, QLD	Tim Steenhuis	0432 770 894	7am-1pm
Jun-20	Wivenhoe Dam, QLD	Rory Saint	0415 445 142	7am-1pm
Jul-04	Clarrie Hall Dam, NSW	Tony Payne	0409 260 977	7am-1pm
Jul-11	Lake Lenthalls, QLD	Tim Steenhuis	0432 770 894	7am-1pm
Jul-18	Wivenhoe Dam, QLD	Dale Sinclair	0413 550 021	7am-1pm
Jul-31	Lake Cressbrook, QLD	Brad Clark	0448 588 955	7am-1pm
Aug-08	Wivenhoe Dam, QLD	Dale Sinclair	0413 550 021	7am-1pm
Aug-15	Lake St.Clair, NSW	Justin Scott	0429 201 661	7am-1pm
Aug-29	Bjelke-Petersen Dam, QLD	Will Schloss	0458 797 265	7am-1pm
Sep-05	Isis Balancing Storage, QLD	Gary Leather	07 4153 4747	6am-12pm
Sep-12	Maroon Dam, QLD	Chris Galligan	0434 365 373	7am-1pm
Sep-19	Lake Moogerah, QLD	Rory Saint	0415 445 142	7am-1pm
TBA	Motorguide BASS Electric Convention	ABT	07 3387 0888	

NOTE: Events added to this calendar after publication date are available on www.australianbass.com.au