

Final Day Preview

TUNDRA TEN

<u>Pos.</u>	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Last Name</u>	<u>Hometown</u>	<u>ST</u>	<u>Qualified Through</u>	<u>Day 1</u>	<u>Day 2</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Deficit</u>
1	Keith	Combs	Huntington	TX	B.A.S.S. Elite Series	24-8	23-4	47-12	0-0
2	Jacob	Powroznik	Prince George	VA	FLW Tour	18-0	22-4	40-4	7-8
3	Kevin	VanDam	Kalamazoo	MI	B.A.S.S. Elite Series	16-4	19-0	35-4	12-8
4	Jason	Christie	Park Hill	OK	FLW Tour	19-12	12-8	32-4	15-8
5	Mike	Iaconelli	Pittsgrove	NJ	Sponsor Exemption	21-8	9-0	30-8	17-4
6	Mike	McClelland	Bella Vista	AR	PAA Tournament Series	16-8	13-12	30-4	17-8
7	Bryan	Thrift	Shelby	NC	Defending Champion	14-0	16-0	30-0	17-12
8	Chris	Zaldain	San Jose	CA	B.A.S.S. Elite Series	14-0	15-4	29-4	18-8
T9	John	Murray	Phoenix	AZ	B.A.S.S. Elite Series	14-8	14-0	28-8	19-4
T9	Bobby	Lane	Lakeland	FL	B.A.S.S. Elite Series	17-8	11-0	28-8	19-4

LEER HEAVYWEIGHT BAG

Heaviest bag over the course of three days

<u>Name</u>	<u>Weight</u>	<u>Day Caught</u>
Keith Combs	24-8	Friday

TOURNAMENT RECAP

After day one, Keith Combs and Mike Iaconelli were battling for the TTBC championship. Combs' climb to the top of the standings began quickly. After pulling in a 6 pounder early on day one, he spent the rest of the afternoon hunting a giant bringing in a leading bag of 24 lbs, 8 oz. Mike Iaconelli started his day by boating two quality keepers and in the final hour boated two bass over the 5 pound mark bringing him to a close second place at 21lbs, 8 oz.

Combs continues his reign on the field with another impressive limit weighing 23 lbs, 4 oz on day two. Combs pushed his two-day total weight to 47 pounds, 12 ounces and opened up a lead of 7 lbs, 8 oz over his closest competitor, Jacob Powroznik.

Jacob Powroznik had another successful day with a limit weighing 22 lbs, 4 oz to remain within striking distance of Combs.

FORMAT & RULES

The Toyota Texas Bass Classic is a three-day individual, professional bass angling event comprised of the best anglers from the three major tours.

Final standings will be based on cumulative weight over the course of the three-day tournament. Anglers are allowed to post weight daily on their five largest bass.

After the conclusion of the second round, the field will be reduced to the Top-10 (the "Tundra Ten") anglers advancing to the final round on Sunday.

The tournament features a unique catch and release format that requires all fish longer than 14 inches be weighed. The top five bass caught will be credited to each angler (per day).

Fish falling between 14 and 21-inches will be weighed in the boat and recorded by a certified and independent judge. The fish will then be released immediately by the angler back into the lake.

Each contestant will be allowed to keep one fish (per day) 21-inches or larger, which will be weighed on the stage at the Lone Star Convention & Expo Center, and then turned over to Texas Parks & Wildlife Department officials for proper care, handling, and release back into the lake.