

## 2007 SHOWS ATTENDED BY ARCTIC ADVENTURES

**Shot Show**  
Orange County Convention Center, Orlando, FL  
January 11<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup>, 2007. Booth # 7048

**International Sportsmen's Expo**  
Cal. Expo & State Fairgrounds, Sacramento, CA  
January 18<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup>, 2007. Booth # S1407C

**Safari Club International**  
Reno Sparks Convention Center, Reno, NV  
January 24<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup>, 2007. Booth # 837, # 839, # 841 & # 843

**International Sportsmen's Expo**  
Colorado Convention Center, Denver, Co  
January 25<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup>, 2007. Booth # 2534

**Forum Pêche à la Mouche**  
Castel Hotel, Granby, QC  
February 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>, 2007

**Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation (RMEF)**  
Reno Convention Center, Reno, NV  
February 22<sup>nd</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup>, 2007. Booth # 808

**The Springfield Sportsmen's Show**  
Eastern States Exposition, Big "E" Fairgrounds,  
W. Springfield, MA  
February 22<sup>nd</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup>, 2007. Booth # 207



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## 2007 SHOWS ATTENDED BY ARCTIC ADVENTURES' REPRESENTATIVES

**Rockingham Hunting & Fishing Expo**  
Rockingham Park, Salem, NH  
January 12<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup>, 2007. Booth # 1  
Arctic Adventures represented by Affordable Adventures

**Yankee Sportsman's Classic**  
Robert E. Miller Expo Center, Champlain Valley  
Fairgrounds, Essex Junction, VT  
January 19<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup>, 2007. Booth # 751  
Arctic Adventures represented by Affordable Adventures

**Eastern Sports & Outdoor Show**  
State Farm Show Complex, Harrisburg, PA  
February 3<sup>rd</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup>, 2007. Booth # 3008  
Arctic Adventures represented by Select Wilderness Adventures

**Allegheny Sport, Travel & Outdoor Show**  
Expomart, Monroeville, PA  
February 14<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup>, 2007. Booth # 522  
Arctic Adventures represented by Select Wilderness Adventures

**Dodge Truck Fishing & Hunting Expo.**  
Connecticut Expo Center, Hartford, CT  
February 16<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup>, 2007. Booth #301  
Arctic Adventures represented by Affordable Adventures

**Outdoorama Sport & Travel Show**  
Rock Financial Showplace, Novi, MI  
February 21<sup>st</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup>, 2007. Booth # 518- 520  
Arctic Adventures represented by Select Wilderness Adventures

**New Hampshire Fly Fishing Show**  
Pelham Fish & Game Club, Pelham, NH  
March 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>, 2007  
Arctic Adventures represented by Affordable Adventures

**Minnesota Deer & Turkey Expo.**  
Four Seasons Center Fairground  
Owatonna, MN  
March 9<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup>, 2007. Booth # 1  
Arctic Adventures represented by Select Wilderness Adventures

**Franklin Sportsmans Show**  
Franklin Middle School, Franklin, NH  
March 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>, 2007  
Arctic Adventures represented by Affordable Adventures

**Ohio Deer & Turkey Expo.**  
Expo Center State Fairground  
Columbus, OH  
March 16<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup>, 2007. Booth # 418  
Arctic Adventures represented by Select Wilderness Adventures

**Northwest Sport Show**  
Convention Center - Minneapolis, MN  
March 27<sup>th</sup> to April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2007. Booth # 1252  
Arctic Adventures represented by Select Wilderness Adventures



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## EXCEPTIONAL BROOKIE - HOOKED AND RELEASED



Gregory Turner TN, USA



Jeff Turner TX, USA



David Turner TN, USA

On September 9th 2006, Arctic Adventures' angling guest Jeff Turner from Dallas, Texas live released the biggest brook trout ever caught at the Tunulik II Fishing Camp on the LaGrève River in Nunavik, Quebec.

The following are excerpts of an article written by Ray Sasser which was published by the Dallas News in the Outdoor Report on Sunday, October 8<sup>th</sup>, 2006.

### A FISH SO GALLANT, IT LIVES TO FIGHT ANOTHER DAY

Dallas angler cannot bring himself to kill 28.8 inch brook trout.

Turner grew up in West Virginia, fishing for one-pound brook trout with his father, David, and his brother Gregg. These days, David and Gregg Turner live in Nashville, Tenn.

"My dad is 76, and Gregg and I decided we needed to take him fishing where he would have a chance to catch a brook trout that weighed five pounds", Jeff Turner said. "I got on the Internet and started doing research.

I settled on Northern Quebec as the place to go and found a small fishing lodge in the Ungava Bay region. I really liked what the camp operators had to say, and we set up the trip for September.

The brook trout fishing was everything the Turners hoped it would be. David Turner caught a seven-pounder the first day. As far as he was concerned, any additional fish would be a bonus. There were lots of bonuses."

Brook trout are common from Georgia's Chatahoochee River north throughout the Atlantic seaboard. A brook trout exceeding 12 inches is a big fish in most places, and fish weighing two pounds and caught in U.S. waters are considered uncommonly large.

The all-tackle record recognized by the International Game Fish Association is 14.5 pounds, a fish caught in 1916. The IGFA fly fishing record for brook trout weighed 10 pounds, seven ounces and was caught in Quebec in 1982.

Quebec and Newfoundland are generally recognized as the hotspots for big brook trout. The Turners vote for Quebec.

Jeff Turner believes the stars aligned perfectly for his family's fishing trip. The full moon occurred September 7. The next day was stormy and very windy, yet Gregg Turner managed to catch 100 fish in spite of the conditions. Several of those fish weighed three to six pounds.

Most of the fly fishing was done with 8-weight rods and wet flies, but Jeff Turner noticed fish swirling on the surface and traded his heavier rod for a 4-weight rod and a dry fly, a # 14 Parachute Adams. It worked fine, until Turner ran out of flies.

The next morning, he bought the camp's remaining supply of Parachute Adams (seven flies) and divided them among the family members. Turner was fishing with his light rod and 3Xtippet, about six-pound test. He had four of the effective dry flies when he set out for the last day of fishing.

"I got in one area and had three hard hits in a row." Turner said. "I lost three of my four flies. I only had one left, and it was pretty beaten up. I wasn't sure it would even work, but I tied it on and made sure the knot was good. Then I made another cast. A fish came up and took the fly."

Turner could tell it was a big trout, but the fish just went to the bottom of the river and lay there. The light rod was bent double, and the fly line was quivering from the strain. The brook trout finally decided something was wrong and took off downstream, ripping line off the reel.

It was the first of nine strong runs that had Turner running downstream in an effort to keep up. He finally landed the fish 45 minutes later and 450 yards downriver from where he hooked it. "We photographed it, measured it, revived it and released it."

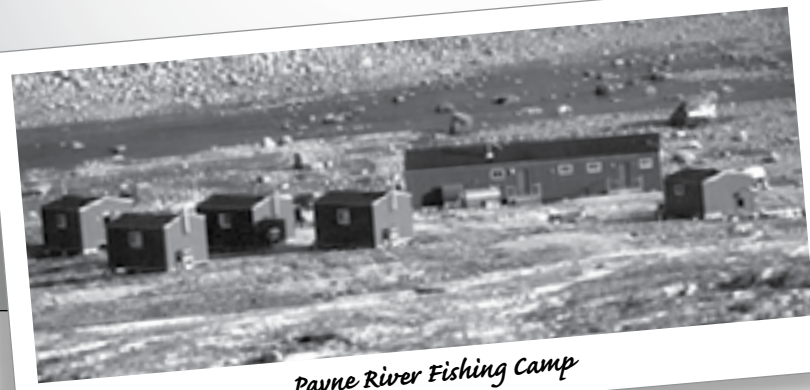
The fish was 28.8 inches long. Its girth was estimated at 18 inches. Using a formula created by IGFA, Turner's brook trout weighed at least 11.7 pounds. It beat the existing fly-fishing mark by a pound, "When I released the fish, I didn't realize it would have been world record, but I wouldn't have killed it even had I known," Turner said. "It was truly a once-in-a-life time fish."

# A MILD WINTER...

A mild winter and a warm early Spring resulted in a new record for ice out conditions in the Payne fjord. The Arctic char fishing was exceptional in the early season and the Lake trout and Brook trout fishing upriver was very productive as water levels settled during late July. François Boulet, publisher of "Pêche à la mouche", a popular fly fishing magazine amongst Quebec fly fishermen, fished with us from June 28th to July 3rd, 2006. He was utterly amazed and impressed by his angling experience. The Arctic char's striking power each time a fly was taken on the surface, the number of searing runs and the Arctic char's sheer strength left François in complete awe. During the same week we were able to film and photograph an Arctic wolf being challenged by an Inuit sled dog!

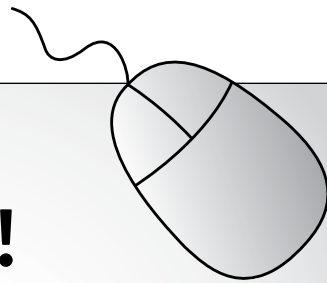
Although the Payne River fishing camp is all about Arctic char and trout fishing, many guests were excited by the wildlife they encountered and the treeless Arctic landscape.

We are busy making plans for another successful season in 2007 and we invite you to contact us or visit our website for complete information on the Payne River Fishing Camp. Plan to join us for an Arctic "fishing" Adventure you'll never forget!!



*Payne River Fishing Camp*

## VISIT US ON THE WEB!



We urge you to visit our site [www.arcticadventures.ca](http://www.arcticadventures.ca) which is dynamic, informative and user friendly. Our photo gallery and video clips will give you a great insight into Arctic Adventure's outfitting experiences. While visiting the new site, subscribe to our e-mail Newsletter and we will keep you informed about Arctic Adventures' latest news, events and booking opportunities.

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## GUESTS' PHOTOS



David Ritchey NV, USA



John Beaven's brookie BC, Canada



Gary Krick, Ken Snyder, Kevin Snyder PA, USA



Howard R. Behnke NJ, USA



François Boulet QC, Canada



Jean Messier QC, Canada



Mario Palardy QC, Canada



Jim Bires PA, USA



Paul Barrows TX, USA



Jobie, Chuck Costas NV, USA, and Jimmy

# 2006 QUEBEC-LABRADOR CARIBOU HUNTING SEASON

Our 2006 Quebec-Labrador caribou hunting season was very successful because both our experienced guides and their hunting guests worked hard to harvest their trophies. Unlike previous years we did not see many large concentrations of migrating caribou. There were days when one or another of our camps would have several thousand animals in their area. On most days guides and hunters had to spot and stalk to successfully harvest big bulls. Many hunters reported that they preferred the 2006 game presence and hunting conditions as they had to hunt and work for their trophies.

Except for one three day period during late August our air transportation logistics went smoothly and our coordinators Dugie Wellman and Benoît Demers did an excellent job greeting and hosting our hunters traveling thru Kuujuaq.

Our Montreal coordinator Sean McDonagh provided all returning hunters and anglers with friendly, professional meet and assist services when they arrived at Montreal P.E. Trudeau airport. Although some outfitters leave their hunters to fend for themselves, we are there when our guests need us!

We thank all our hunting guests who filed a guest report following their hunt. The positive feedback motivates our camp staff. The ideas and suggestions help us better serve your needs.

We are actively preparing our 2007 caribou hunting season, booking Montreal hotel accommodations, reserving commercial air flights and air charters to our camps.

We are also busy responding to telephone and e-mail inquiries, updating our website, developing new promotional materials and attending shows informing new hunters and anglers about our highly successful World Class hunting and fishing adventures.

## THE BEST ACCOMMODATIONS!

Arctic Adventures has spent a lot of time and money in an effort to provide our hunters with the best accommodations and camp set up available amongst Quebec-Labrador caribou hunting outfitters. Tent framed accommodations have been completely replaced by solid 12' x 24' oil heated cabins, each with two separate bedrooms. The bedroom divisions afford privacy and a certain relief from loud snorers. All camps now have adjacent solid wood shower cabins, with sinks, hot and cold running water and flush toilet facilities. Dining rooms and guides' accommodations have also been rebuilt in our efforts to upgrade each hunting camp. We have also built new meat houses, and installed stainless steel butchering tables at each camp to provide superior care for your game.

Along with the best accommodations, our dedicated cooks continue to serve copious quantities of great food which our guests appreciate. Our guides and camp managers have been with us for many years and they know what to do to please their guests and when to do it!



*Willie's Caribou Camp*