

## Ritchie Helps Showcase World-Class Sportfishing at Bassmaster Elite Tournament

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State Senator Patty Ritchie helped wrap up the Bassmaster Elite Tournament on Sunday in Waddington, as the four day fishing extravaganza drew to a close.

The "Evan Williams Bourbon Showdown at St. Lawrence River," tournament attracted the country's top anglers and thousands of fishing enthusiasts to St. Lawrence County, with Idaho native Brandon Palaniuk taking home the weekend's top prize and earning a spot in the 2013 Bassmaster Classic.

(Senator Ritchie is pictured in the above photo with Northern New York Junior Bassmasters)