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SCOUT INTRODUCES

2 NEW MODELS!

Scout's two newest models were debuted at its 2007 Dealer Meeting in September: the **221 Winyah Bay** and the re-designed **187 Sportfish** (formerly the 185 Sportfish).

The 221 Winyah Bay, is the newest addition to Scout's Bay Scout line. It has a beam measuring 8' 6", overall length of 22' and a skinny draft of approximately 10". The new 221 comes with a 636-quart forward insulated fish box/storage area with overboard drain, a standard 15-gallon port live well (and the available option of adding another 15-gallon live well starboard), a 32-gallon raw water release well and a 65-gallon fuel tank.

The newly-redesigned 187 Sportfish is the perfect example of how Scout can take an already popular model and make it even better. It sports an improved deck layout which offers unparalleled comfort and style. Weighing in at approximately 1,450 lbs (without engines), the 187 SF is easily trailerable and fun to maneuver inshore or offshore.



221 WINYAH BAY



187 SPORTFISH

Largest Two Abaco Series Coming Soon...

Scout is introducing even more new models this upcoming model year, and one of them is the new 295 Abaco Series. This model is currently in development, with plans to unveil it at the 2007 Miami International Boat Show in February. The boat will measure a length of approximately 29'8" with a comfortable beam of 9'6". And this model is going to be very different from what Scout customers are used to seeing due to its yacht-like cabin feel. The 295 will feature a center-helm configuration, spacious cockpit, tremendous fishability and plans call for it to be powered by twin Yamaha 250HP engines. The cabin will sport an air conditioner, generator, DVD player and many other amenities that will ensure you and your family and friends get the most out of your Scout experience out on the water.

Scout customers can also look forward to the largest model debut to date for model year 2008. That's because Scout is currently developing



the all-new 350 Abaco. The model is slated to debut at next year's annual dealer meeting in September. While the entire Scout R & D team is working countless hours on this model, this new 35' is being designed in conjunction with world-renown hull designer Michael Peters. Scout believes this model will reach an approximate top speed of 50mph, rigged with twin Yamaha F250 engines.

Fuel consumption and saving money is on all our minds right now. Global unrest, potential hurricanes, energy supplies and the over-all economy are all weighing heavily on the price you pay at the pump and fuel dock. And although gas prices have slid back down a bit over the past few weeks, no one can be sure of where they may be in the coming months and years.

But you made a wise decision when you purchased your Scout boat. Why? Because Scout Boats continues to be the industry leader in pioneering new hull design technologies powered by more fuel efficient engines. With these revolutionary hull designs, we bring to market more fuel efficient, stronger

vessels that allow you to spend less time at the gas pump and more time on the water. Painstaking thought and effort is poured into every hull we build. We do it right. And we do it right the first time.

Scout's 222 Sportfish is a perfect example of how our company designs and builds superior products, and when compared head-to-head with its competition (see chart below), this model gives you a boat requiring less horsepower, with more miles to the gallon which saves you thousands of dollars annually in fuel... and it does all this without sacrificing performance.

MODEL	OVERALL LENGTH	BEAM	TWIN ENGINE MODEL	MPH	GPH	MPG	% OF FUEL SAVED W/SCOUT
Scout 222 Sportfish	22'2"	8'6"	Yamaha F150	39.2	10	3.92	-----
Grady White Fisherman 222	22'2"	8'0"	Yamaha F225	35.8	11.9	3.01	19%
Century 2200 CC	22'0"	8'6"	Yamaha F225	35.7	13.3	2.69	33%
Key West 225 CC	22'5"	8'6"	Yamaha F225	40.6	13.5	3.02	35%
Hydra-Sports Vector 2200 CC	22'4"	8'6"	Yamaha F250	40	14.3	2.8	43%
Boston Whaler 220 Dauntless	22'5"	8'6"	Meercury 225 Verado	40	14.5	2.76	45%
Edgewater 228 CC	22'6"	8'6"	Yamaha F225	38.6	14.9	2.6	49%
Boston Whaler 220 Dauntless	22'5"	8'6"	Mercury 225 Optimax	40.8	16.3	2.5	63%

*With Yamaha F150 the Scout 222SF reaches speeds up to 47MPH

*Comparison data collected from performance data provided in published reports by Yamaha Outboards, Grady White, Boston Whaler and Edgewater

*Data based on models running at 5000RPM

Our entire Scout team is constantly devoted to making your experience out on the water the best it can possibly be, and saving you money by offering the most fuel efficient, high-performance models out on the market today. Year after year, look for Scout to continually design and produce state-of-the-art boats that will look great, all the while saving you more money.

Top Dealers Awarded

Scout recently awarded its top-performing dealers at the company's annual Dealer Meeting, held in Charleston, SC, September 11-13, 2006.

2006 Dealer of The Year

- Hanckel Marine

2006 Top 10 Dealers:

- Hanckel Marine
- Mid Carolina Marine
- Pages Creek Marine
- Fish Tale Sales & Service
- Marine Dynamics
- Shafer's Boats
- Premier Coast Yacht Sales
- RiverCraft Marine Sales
- Dave Bofill Marine, Inc.
- Minmar Marine



The Young Man and the Sea...

Eleven-year-old Dylan Wallace, son of Scout Vice President Dave Wallace, was recently awarded

Junior Angler Division

Champion for the second straight year at the 5th Annual

Lowcountry Red/Trout Celebrity

Classic Tournament held in Charleston, SC. Dylan even placed in the top 10 for the entire tournament. Dylan is also now fishing Junior Bass Masters tournaments, and recently won his first tournament back in September. **Congratulations Dylan! We're proud of you!**

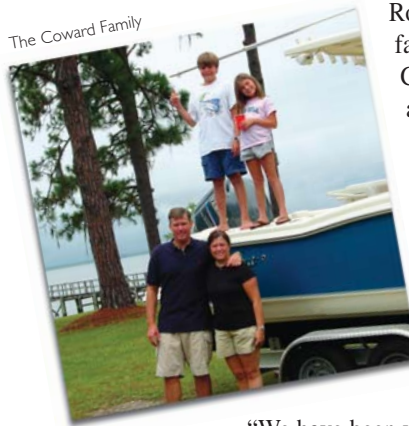
SCOUT WELCOMES 9 NEW DEALERS

Scout has added nine new national and international dealers to its growing roster. The company would like to welcome the following new dealerships to its family:

- **Advance Marine Boat Sales** – Shady Side, Maryland
- **Dave's Motorboat Shoppe, LLC** – Gilford, New Hampshire
- **Dry Harbour Marine** – Charlevoix, Michigan
- **Exotic Boats** – Athens, Greece
- **Maiden Creek Marine** – Fleetwood, Pennsylvania
- **Nova Scotia Ltd.** – Lunenburg, Nova Scotia, Canada
- **Port Boat House Ltd.** – Port Alberni, British Columbia, Canada
- **S.N. Karukera Marine** – Marina du Bas Fort, Guadeloupe
- **Sportfishing Boats Australia** – Penrith, New South Wales, Australia

CUSTOMER profile

The Coward Family



Ronnie Coward and his family reside in the Charleston, SC area, and are the proud owners of their first Scout model: a 242 Sportfish Guy Harvey Edition. The Coward family uses their multi-purpose Scout for fishing, cruising, and even water sports.

"We have been very impressed with the quality of our Scout," said Ronnie. "My son and I have taken it offshore several times and it handled and performed amazingly well. I feel very comfortable and safe in my Scout, and I've never received so many compliments on anything as I do my Scout Boat."

WANT A MORE EFFICIENT BOAT, REQUIRING LESS HORSEPOWER WITHOUT SACRIFICING PERFORMANCE?

WANT TO GET MORE MILES-PER-GALLON AND SAVE THOUSANDS ON FUEL? WANT THE RELIABILITY OF YAMAHA POWER AND THE PEACE OF MIND OF A COMBINED 10 YEAR LIMITED HULL WARRANTY AND 3 YEAR STEER-TO-STEER WARRANTY? Then you want Scout's 262 SF.

WHEN COMPARED HEAD-TO-HEAD WITH OUR COMPETITORS, SCOUT NOT ONLY OUTPERFORMS THEM ON THE WATER WITH ITS REVOLUTIONARY NU'3 HULL DESIGN, IT ALSO OUTPERFORMS THEM WHERE IT TRULY COUNTS... IN YOUR WALLET.

262 SPORTFISH

With twin Yamaha F150's, the Scout 262SF reaches speeds exceeding 50 mph.

MODEL	OVERALL LENGTH	BEAM	TWIN ENGINE MODELS	at 5000 RPM			% OF FUEL YOU WILL SAVE WITH SCOUT
				MPH	GPH	MPG	
Scout 262 Sportfish	26'2"	8'10"	Yamaha F150	43.4	19.5	2.22	
Grady White Chase 273	26'11"	8'6"	Yamaha F225	42.8	25.7	1.67	31.8%
Regulator 26FS	25'10"	8'6"	Yamaha F225	46	26.2	1.75	34.4%
Cobia 274CC	27'6"	8'6"	Yamaha F225	47.2	27.5	1.72	41.0%
Pursuit 2670 Offshore C/C	26'7"	9'3"	Yamaha F225	42.5	27.7	1.54	42.1%
Edgewater 265 Center	26'6"	9'6"	Yamaha F225	47.5	28.1	1.69	44.1%
Southport 26CC	26'6"	9'6"	Yamaha F225	45.8	28.2	1.62	44.6%
Boston Whaler 270 Outrage	27'	8'6"	Mercury 225 Verado	46.6	31.9	1.46	63.6%

* Comparison data collected from performance data provided in published reports by Yamaha Outboards, Mercury Marine, Grady White, Boston Whaler, Pursuit.

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Writing Winners!

Scout recently held its second writing contest to see which one of its customers could submit the best Customer Chronicle story to be posted on the company website. **Scott Cothran** from Mauldin, SC took 1st place honors. **Myron Williams** from Dothan, AL took 2nd place, while Vergennes, VT resident **Joseph Pregent** took 3rd place. Each winner was awarded a series of Scout apparel items.

Keep those great Scout stories coming! Just log onto the company website at www.scoutboats.com, and then click on the Customer Chronicles link to submit your best story and photo. Your story will be posted on our website for other customers and friends to see!

Visit www.scoutboats.com for more information!

SCOUT GEAR

Keep warm this season with these toasty Scout Gear items...

Visit us on-line at scoutboats.com for more Scout Gear!

Check Out These Featured Scout Apparel & Gift Items...

Scout Apparel items make a great gift for your family, or for yourself. You can now order these and other great Scout Apparel items through our website, www.scoutboats.com, which has an easy-to-use shopping cart feature. Be sure to check back often for additional items, offers and specials.

If you have questions about your order, please contact **Lisa Collins** at lisa@scoutboats.com.

Please allow approximately two weeks for delivery on all in-stock items.



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Colors: Navy or Grey • Sizes S-XL
SPECIAL PRICE: \$14.00



Fleece Blanket
Assorted Colors
SPECIAL PRICE: \$12.00



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