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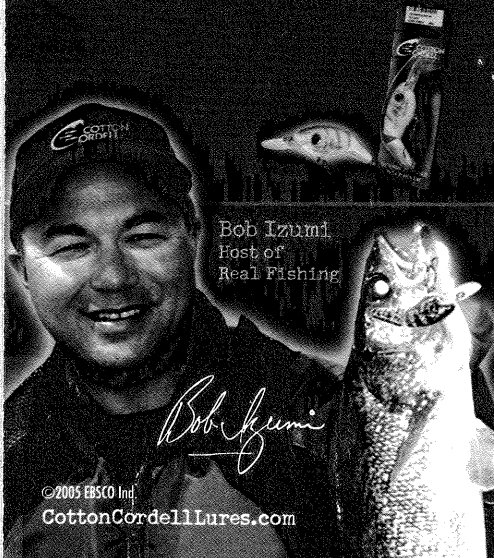


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work from deep to shallow water. More info: Tourism Saskatchewan, 1-877-237-2273; [www.sasktourism.com](http://www.sasktourism.com). —W.P.

**Reindeer Lake, Saskatchewan** Fish ½-ounce jigs in the faster water below the Whitesand Dam in July and August. White soft-plastics work so well, you can forgo tipping the jigs with minnows. More info: Tourism Saskatchewan, 1-877-237-2273; [www.sasktourism.com](http://www.sasktourism.com). —W.P.

**Saskatchewan River, Saskatchewan** On summer evenings, fish The Forks (the confluence of the North and South Saskatchewan Rivers) with Pickerel Rigs baited with minnows or leeches. Work all current seams, especially right where the rivers join. More info: Tourism Saskatchewan, 1-877-237-2273; [www.sasktourism.com](http://www.sasktourism.com). —W.P.

**Tobin Lake, Saskatchewan** Target the old river channel and sandy points during the spring and summer for consistent action on crankbaits or bouncers with spinner rigs. More info: Town of Nipawin, 1-877-647-2946; [www.nipawin.com](http://www.nipawin.com). —B.F.

**Wollaston Lake, Saskatchewan** Work the rivermouths in June. Focus on slower current areas and nearby shallow bays with warmer water. Jigs tipped with chartreuse or yellow soft-plastics are tops. More info: Tourism Saskatchewan, 1-877-237-2273; [www.sasktourism.com](http://www.sasktourism.com). —W.P.

**Dauphin Lake, Manitoba** Throughout June and July, try trolling night-crawler- and leech-tipped spinner rigs behind bottom bouncers at the mouth of any one of the five major rivers that flow into Dauphin Lake. More info: For Your Walleyes Only, (204) 638-8659; [www.foryourwalleyesonly.com](http://www.foryourwalleyesonly.com). —G.P.

**Lake of the Prairies, Manitoba** Jigs tipped with leeches, dew worms, minnows or Berkley Gulp! are the local favourites. Fish the old river channel, rocky points and inside turns all season. But stay mobile—there's tons of structure. More info: Manitoba Conservation, Roblin office, (204) 937-2181. —B.F.

**Red River, Manitoba** In October, trophy greenbacks weighing four to 11 pounds migrate into the river downstream of Lockport. Backtroll with crankbaits or shiner-tipped jigs. More info: Cat Eye Outfitter, 1-888-228-3933. —Jake M.

**Winnipeg River, Manitoba** Drift a jig and minnow, or troll a firetiger Shad Rap close to the bottom at the rivermouth in late September and October. More info: Travel Manitoba, 1-800-665-0040; [www.travelmanitoba.com](http://www.travelmanitoba.com). —G.P.

**Snowshoe Lake, Ontario** In late spring and summer, cast cranks, rubber-tailed jigs or streamer flies into the pools and eddies where the Bird River flows into the lake. More info: Snowshoe Island Outpost, (807) 224-3474; [www.snowshoeislandoutpost.com](http://www.snowshoeislandoutpost.com). —Jake M.

**Dozois Reservoir, Quebec** Focus on drop-offs and along sandbanks in June. Trolling Original Floater Rapalas or worm harnesses will assure you some nice 'eyes. Later in the season, try jigging. More info: Réserve faunique La Vérendrye, (819) 438-2017; [www.sepaq.com](http://www.sepaq.com). —P.C.

**Gouin Reservoir, Quebec** From June to September, this 1,570-square-kilometre waterbody is a haven for anglers who like to jig curly tails. Look for sharp edges and deep structure. More info: Pourvoirie du Barrage Gouin, 1-877-720-8900; [www.barragegouin.qc.ca](http://www.barragegouin.qc.ca). —P.C.

**Lac St-Pierre, Quebec** If you're looking for sizes and numbers, the fall season offers great possibilities. Fish with ½-ounce jigs tipped with three-inch Power Grubs in the navigation channel. More info: Pourvoirie Roger Gladu, 1-866-836-1317; [www.pourvoirierogergladu.com](http://www.pourvoirierogergladu.com). —P.C.

## WHITEFISH

**Gull Lake, Alberta** On sand flats in six to 10 feet of water, fish a yellow or chartreuse wire worm, or gold or copper nymph, close to bottom under a slip bobber. Gull fishes well all summer. More info: Backcountry Sports, (403) 348-0224. —B.F.

**Iroquois Lake, Saskatchewan** Maggots and mealworms dangled below the ice in December fool many whitefish. Working shallow, sandy-bottomed bays from inside ice tents allows you to watch subtle biters take the bait. More info: Tourism Saskatchewan, 1-877-237-2273; [www.sasktourism.com](http://www.sasktourism.com). —W.P. ❖

*As always, please be sure to check the local fishing regulations and seasons before wetting a line at any of these hot spots. For links to all the provincial and territorial regs, please visit our Web site at [www.outdoorcanada.ca](http://www.outdoorcanada.ca).*