He noticed on a working trip to Venice, Louisiana a boat running in a canal with heavy vegetation and logs and this boat operator did not slow down with caution. That's when he said to himself "I need to find that boat manufacture (Gator Tail), that's the boat I need for

the mine fields of Toledo Bend." He then called the Gator Tail factory and with their boat building guidance they built him a custom boat to his specifications. Its mind blowing all the places he could see from his fiberglass boat but couldn't get there. Now his Gator Tail boat can get him there. This rig has changed the way he fishes.

When he took his friends out fishing in the back country with this new one of a kind rig they would always mention that it was more like an adventure than fishing. This inspired him with some help from his friends to start Mudfish Adventures, LLC so other people could experience this unique style of fly fishing because it has changed his life. He is able to guide a one or two person party to the fishing flats and back country (with no boat pressure) on Toledo Bend's Palo Gaucho area and the Mid Lake region.

Capt. Scooby has built custom rods, custom lures and custom flies for the bass industry for many years. And, when you book a Mudfish Adventure you are welcome to use one of his custom rods (6 ½ or 7 foot). Capt. Scooby has also designed his own short one-piece fly rods (8 weight or 10 weight set up) that he uses for heavy cover in the back country of Toledo Bend in search of the next trophy bass.

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Focusing on salt water and cold water game fishing. Specializes in tying utility flies. Enjoys teaching fly tying to all levels. Lives in Navarre, Florida with the Gulf of Mexico as a playground. Enjoys traveling to cold water rivers and streams.

Type of tying: Salt water and Cold water.

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