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President's Message

Banquet: Our annual banquet and fundraiser is April 2 at the Riverhouse. Many thanks to Peter Martin and his team for all the work that goes into this event. We have already had over 150 people sign up. This is by far the most folks we have ever had. Thanks to everyone and enjoy the banquet!

Albany Show: I hope many of you had the opportunity to attend the Northwest Fly Tyer and Fly Fishing Expo. Many of you may not know that COF member John Kreft has been the chair of that show for a couple of years now. John was honored this year as the Oregon Council of the



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ing efforts and contributions to make the Oregon Council a success.” In addition, he was awarded the IFFF President's Pin from Phil Greenlee, IFFF President, recognizing outstanding work and support of the organization. John Olschewsky from the Hook Fly Shop in Sunriver was awarded the Fly Tyer of the Year honor.

Outings: We have a ton of outings on the books for this year. Sign up has been overwhelming. We had at least 25 folks at the Owyhee River and the BC trip is over subscribed. (If you would like to attend the BC trip, send me an email and I will put you on a waiting list. rossleann@yahoo.com). If you have an idea for an additional outing, please contact our outings director and make a suggestion.

Fishpond: Thanks to Allen Caudle and all the volunteers who assisted at the fishpond at the Redmond Sportsman Show. If you haven't seen the video of one of the biggest fish caught, check out this link. It is hysterical. Thanks to Karen Kreft for filming this and thanks to the Next Cast kids for making this video possible. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lelNjD3ON7g&feature=youtu.be>

~ Lee Ann Ross



The traditional annual visit from our local Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife fisheries staff will be the program at the April meeting. Brett Hodgson, District Biologist, Bend, will provide an update on Angling regulation changes. Upper Deschutes water issues. Crooked River water issues. Fall River fish study, Updates on Crane and East Lake and **MOST IMPORTANTLY** anything of interest you want to ask Brett.

OUTINGS

Middle Deschutes Below Steelhead Falls Outing

April 23, 2016

The middle Deschutes extends from Benham Falls to Lake Billy Chinook. Over the years I have led many outings to various sections of this under-appreciated fishery where you can have 20+ fish days nymphing like on the Crooked as well as top-water salmon and stonefly hatches like



the lower D. (See photo of a nice brown taken with a golden stone on the surface.) Better

yet, there are few people to contend with. If like me, your idea of a perfect day is to take a long hike along a river, largely in solitude, while having the opportunity to land beautiful, wild fish, then the middle D is worth exploring. Some sections do take effort, however, and on this outing you will need to be able to hike in steep, rugged terrain. (See photo. We won't go

OUTINGS CALENDAR 2016

MONTH	DAY	DESTINATION	LEADER
April	9th	Crooked River Cleanup	Jill Bazemore
April	23rd	Middle "D" Below Steelhead Falls	Yancy Lind
May	11th-14th	Davis Lake	Larry Godfrey
May	20th-22nd	2 night Trout Creek Campout, Lower "D" Warm Springs Float	Mike Tripp/ Eric Steele
June	9th-12th	Hosmer Lake	Bob Burke
June	10-12	Capt. Caddis Crappie on a Fly Challenge Prineville Reservoir	Betsy Brower- Mullong/Andy Smith
June	16th-25th	British Columbia Trip	Lee Ann Ross
July	7th-9th	East Lake, 2 nights, BBQ	Eric Steele
Sept	8th-10th	Steens Mountain - Wild Horse & Fish Lake	John Tackmier
Oct	2nd-5th	Beavertail Steel Head	Robert Gentry

to this place, but something not too far off.) This is one of my favorite local day trips, but it can take a lot out of you and your waders if you are not careful.

Contact me at yancy_lind@ml.com or 541-788-5514 to sign up and get more details. Space is limited to 5 anglers.

~Yancy Lind, Conservation Chair,
conservation@coflyfishers.org

Deschutes River Two Night Trout Creek Campout

Fri May 20th - Sun May 22nd

The famous Deschutes Red-band Rainbow is the fish of choice. Depending on water and air temperature, it will be the

middle of the Salmon Fly Hatch, which anglers come from all over the country to fish.

Fishing options include walk/wade up and down river from the campground, rowing a boat across the river to the Warm Spring Reservation side and walk/wade the river, and floating a boat from Warm Spring boat launch to the Trout Creek take out. Strong wading skills are needed or fish from the bank. For those who will drift the 9-mile run, drift boats and pontoon boats are common. It is mostly flat with some minor rapids. I will be in my drift boat at least one of the days. If you have a boat and would be willing to row other club members, let me know. There are two companies that provide shuttle service.

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OUTINGS

Trout Creek Campout continued from page 2

Mike Tripp and Eric Steele are the outing leaders for the Trout Creek Campout. We will have an informational meeting before the COF April 20th monthly meeting starting at 6:00 in the game room area. We will discuss the logistics for camping and floating the river, permit requirements, and options for a group meal. Mike Tripp will give a briefing to participants on the “how, when, where” to fish the Deschutes Warm Springs to Trout Creek section to include what to expect along with gear & fly options. Mike has been chasing redbands and steelhead on the Deschutes River for over 30 years and has a vast catalogue of knowledge to share.

Campsites are on a first come first serve basis and some of us will be going in a day or two early to get one of the group campsites and some of the nearby individual sites. This is a dry camp with outhouse facilities.

For those signed up we will have the briefing on April 20th and we will send out updates via email. RSVP Eric Steele steelefly2@msn.com 541-549-2072 Questions concerning fishing gear and flies: Mike Tripp mtripp@bendcable.com 541-312-2193

East Lake 2 Night Outing

Thur July 7th – Sat July 9th

This is a multiday campout at East Lake. The lake provides the perfect setting to fish from boat, float tube or the shoreline.

Boats are available to rent at East Lake Resort. The lake supports rainbow trout, brown trout and kokanee salmon. It is a ideal setting for multiple types of fishing including streamer, nymphing (great chironomid water), and with the callibaetis hatch emerger & dry fly. Go down into the cold depths or ply your dry fly along the weed beds and up close to the lake bank along the steep drop offs.

We will have an informational meeting before the COF June 15th monthly meeting starting at 6:00 in the game room area. We will discuss the logistics for camping and fishing East Lake, and options for a group meal. There will be a briefing to participants on the “how, when, where” to fish East Lake to include what to expect along with gear & fly options.

We have reserved eight campsites in the Cinder Hill campground. Each campsite is for up to 6 people and can facilitate RV or trailer. Partner up with a fellow COF flyfisher and we can maximize the number of people in close proximity to the COF activities. There



Photo: Gary Halvorson, Oregon State Archives

is room for One RV/trailer and a couple of tents. The campsites reserved are #24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 6, & 4. Our Next Cast group will be in #25 & 27. Open and available are: #24 & #6 for the 5th thru 10th and #4 for the 5th thru 9th. Once you claim one of these sites, you can adjust the dates. Contact Eric for one of the sites already reserved. Additional sites to reserve on your own: http://www.recreation.gov/camping/Cinder_Hill_Campground/r/campsiteSearch.do?contractCode=NR-SO&parkId=72092&selectedSiteRb=283342

There are non-reserve sites in this area as well. In addition, East Lake Resort has cabins and an RV site with power & water hookups. They are a very short drive away that enables you to join us around the meal table and the campfire ring.

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Second Call for Volunteers

I WANT TO THANK ALL OF YOU WHO HAVE VOLUNTEERED for the Kokanee Karnival Spring Angling Clinic. We almost have enough volunteers for each day but still need a few more volunteers to complete our daily staff schedule. If you want to volunteer please contact me at (541) 381-7507 or waldo1ft@msn.com. If you just want to see what we do with the students feel free to visit us at Shevlin Park. The dates of the Spring Clinic are April 25 through April 29 and May 2 and 3. We have no activities on Wed April 27. We have 12 classes in the program and two classes attend each day. We usually arrive at around 8:30 am to set up for the day and the students arrive between 9 and 9:30. They usually leave between 1:30 and 2. We clean up



and are done by 3.

Our education activities in the morning include:

- Fish Biology/Care of Catch
- Fishing Tackle/Angling Methods
- Knot Tying
- Casting/Water Safety

We have curriculum sheets for all activities that I can email to volunteers who request them or you can go to our website at KokaneeKarnival.org.

Lunch is provided for all students and volunteers. After lunch the students are divided into small groups and get to fish in Shevlin Pond. The volunteers lead small groups of students to help them fish for trout. If they catch a trout they get a First Fish Certificate and if they want, their cleaned fish to take home.

Thanks for your help with the Spring Angling Clinic.
~Frank Turek

CONSERVATION

Update

Chinook/Steelhead Fry Planting

Last month volunteers helped the Oregon Department of Fish & Wildlife and Portland General Electric/Confederate Tribes of Warm Springs plant over 490,000 Chinook salmon fry (about 1" long) into the Crooked River, Ochoco Creek, the middle Deschutes, Whychus Creek, and the Metolius. These fish were carried in buckets to locations with easy access or placed in bags and carried in backpacks to more remote locations, including hiking down some steep canyon trails. The fry should stay for a year before heading down to Lake Billy Chinook where, with any luck, they will find the Selective Water Withdrawal facility (the "fish tower") operated by PGE/CTWS. The SWW will trap these out migrating fish, they will be trucked around the dam complex, released into the lower Deschutes,

and continue their perilous journey to the ocean. Hopefully, they will return in a few years to spawn in the waters where they were released.

This spring approximately 600,000 steelhead fry also need to be planted. ODFW cannot do this on their own. If you would like to help out contact ODFW biologist Terry Shrader at terry.m.shrader@state.or.us. Please let Terry know you are a COF member. May 23-25 are the dates for the Crooked and Middle Deschutes. Whychus Creek releases will be June 6-8.

Reintroduction Update

The 2015/2016 Deschutes steelhead season is winding down. Typically, the greatest number of steelhead are captured in the Pelton trap (at the bottom of the 3-dam complex near Madras) in February. March and April also see some returns and then the season starts again in May. It never ceases to amaze me that summer steelhead enter the lower Deschutes starting in July and can stay until April of the next

year before spawning. There's a reason why early season fish are so much feistier than late season fish. In any event, this last season has been disappointing with fewer fish returning than in recent years. The culprit is believed to be poor ocean conditions – the "blob" of warm water off the coast means less food for steelhead – but we really don't know why.

The importance of providing volitional fish passage at Opal Springs Dam at the bottom of the Crooked River has been confirmed once again as radio tracking data continues to show that the majority of returning steelhead, as well as Chinook salmon in the fall, have attempted to go up the Crooked. The good news is that progress is being made on passage and there is now a good chance that we will see a fish ladder in 3 years. About 90% of the funding for the ladder has now been obtained and there are grant requests being made for the remaining shortfall. *Continued on page 5*

Conservation continued from page 4

If you want more on this topic, visit my website www.OpalSprings-Passage.org.

Lower Deschutes Macroinvertebrate Study

While the Bureau of Reclamation's control of flows in the upper Deschutes has had a lot of attention recently, the lower Deschutes continues to be the focus of interest for many.

Portland General Electric and others have undertaken studies to gauge the impact of the Pelton Dam Selective Water Withdrawal's operation on the lower Deschutes. One of these is a comprehensive and long running study on macroinvertebrates. Preliminary results from this study have been released at various times over the past two years and reported in this column. These early results have detected no change in the total abundance of macroinvertebrates in the river, although lifecycle timing has been altered and some specific species have been impacted. In short, in my opinion, while the hatches are happening at different times, the bugs are still there, there is plenty of food for fish, and there is no evidence that fish have been negatively impacted by Selective Water Withdrawal operation at Pelton Dam.

Final results from this study are going to be delivered at a public meeting on April 6th. I'll be there and provide a report in next month's newsletter but if you are interested feel free to attend.

Wednesday, April 6th at the Redmond Senior Center
325 Northwest Dogwood Avenue Redmond, OR 97756.
5-7 PM

Finally, the Deschutes River Alliance will be releasing their 2015

Lower Deschutes River Macroinvertebrate Hatch Activity Survey Results in mid April. It will be interesting to compare the various studies.

Irrigation Changes and the Middle Deschutes

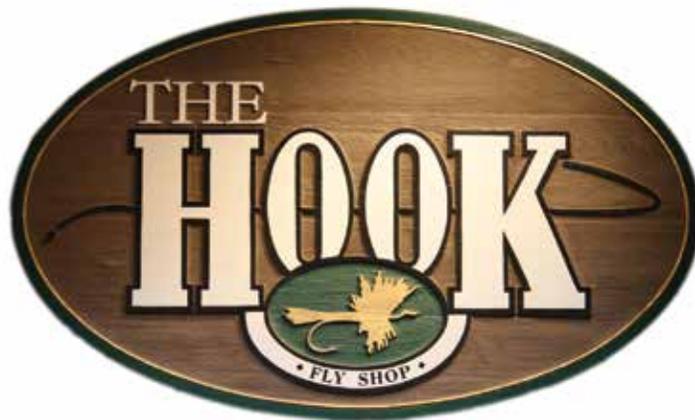
As you probably know, flows in the middle Deschutes from Bend down to Lake Billy Chinook are largely controlled by local irrigation districts. During irrigation season water is released from Wickiup and Crane Prairie reservoirs and diverted into canals in a few places near Bend. After the final major diversion just upstream from The Riverhouse, flows in the Deschutes are dramatically reduced. The environmental consequences of should be obvious. One benefit for anglers, however, is that flows in the lower most stretches, from Steelhead Falls to Lake Billy

Chinook, are also lowered to the point where this section becomes quite angler friendly. As a result, the traditional beginning of irrigation season, April 15, is the beginning of middle D season for many locals.

The year marks a significant change. In response to the listing of the Oregon Spotted Frog as an endangered species, Central Oregon Irrigation District has announced a change in water delivery to their patrons. COID is now planning on 1/3 irrigation deliveries from April 1 to April 30, 2/3 deliveries until May 15, and full deliveries on May 16. That's a month delay until the river is fully dropped for those of you who like to fish the middle D.

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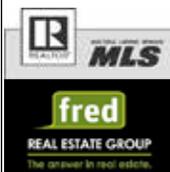
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EDUCATION

Update

FOR FOLKS WHO ARE NEW to the club or the area and want to learn more about beginning fly fishing techniques, I would like to share a few opportunities available to “learn” how to fly fish.

All of our wonderful fly fishing shops in Central Oregon are a wealth of information on the where to go fishing, what kind of flies they prefer and what water is open etc. They also offer guided trips for folks at all skill levels so be sure to take advantage of them.

There are also beginning fly fishing classes offered by Bend Parks and Recreation District this spring as well as through COCC.

Spring Casting Classes

COF and Jeff Perin of The Fly Fisher’s Place will again be hosting casting classes. Classes this year will be held at the Bend Pine Nursery fields. All classes will start at 5:30 pm and last approximately 2 hours (weather dependent). The cost is \$10 per person/per class. Based on advance interest and reservations, we will try to hold 2 sessions of each course. Class limit is 12 per session.

There will be two levels of classes:

A beginning casting class held April 13th and again on May 4th

Casting will include pick-up and lay down of line, false casting, roll casting and if time and skill allow shooting line.

The next class is a skill building course held both April 27th and May 11th

Anglers and fly casters will work on more advanced skills like off shoulder casting, wiggle casting and underhand casting.

Please send an email to education@coflyfisher.org with your preferred date to reserve your spot. Further information will follow to participants.

~Dalton Miller-Jones

SOCIAL MEDIA

Update

I’m going to keep this month’s social media update short and sweet. Here’s a rundown on new things happening with COF’s social media influence:

- Make sure you click the “Going” button on the Facebook Event we’ve created promoting the COF 2016 Annual Banquet on Facebook. Here’s a link: <https://www.facebook.com/events/1609656609255053/>
- Email me with any links to articles, general updates, and/or photos you’d like me to share on the COF Facebook Page.
- Continue engaging with COF on Facebook commenting and sharing our content is always helpful and helps us get the word out about different events we have going on and the causes we care about.
- Follow us on LinkedIn and Like us on Facebook (if you haven’t already done so) Thanks!

~Molly Vernarecci, COF Social Media Coordinator, socialmedia@coflyfishers.org

WILD WOMEN OF THE WATER

THANK YOU to Jessie and Reed at Fin & Fire in Redmond for a great Fly Shop Hop this last month. Reed spoke about the Crooked River and Jessie shared her insights about fishing in Montana...a wonderful shop with wonderful people! And great food and camaraderie! For our next Wild Women get together, we’ll meet at Marilyn Forestall’s Shop, Quiltworks, on Monday, April 25. We’d like to share maps of Central Oregon rivers and lakes and how to approach fishing on each one. This will be very informative, especially for ladies new to Central Oregon. Put it on your calendar!

~Kari Schoessler, wildwomen@coflyfishers.org

MEMBERSHIP

Update

Welcome New Members

Stephen Bancroft

Bill Bedell & Maureen Bedell

Tim Cudmore

Brian Ricker

John Robbins

Emanuel Rose

Jerry Simmons & Linda Simmons

~Tim Schindele, membership@coflyfishers.org



NEXT CAST FLYFISHERS



Update

The Next Cast Flyfishers program provides opportunities and coordinates activities for young fly anglers in the area. We are able to help provide fly fishing instruction through classroom activities, our fly fishing summer camp, ongoing COF events, and individually through mentorship and teaching.

We hope that by providing these opportunities, young anglers will be exposed to fly fishing and increase their interest and level of involvement.

The program has been very successful and gaining support from the local community and from other fly fishers! In addition to upgrading our equipment, through our grant received from Kokanee Power of Oregon, we have individual donors underwriting our 3-day fly fishing camp and providing materials and equipment to support the camp! This support allows us to offer an overnight fly fishing camp for our advanced fly fishers.

Our Next Cast Flyfishers are awesome and continuing to succeed through all of the activities offered!

Upcoming events include:

- **Crooked River clean-up and outing**—Saturday, April 9, 2016. We will join the COF on the river for a litter pick-up, bbq and fly fishing. PLEASE RSVP for a food count! Also let me know if you need to borrow equipment.
- **Next Cast Flyfishers 3-Day Fish Camp**—June 20-22, 2016—Shevlin Park, Bend OR, this camp is coordinated through Bend Parks & Recreation and registration will be included in the summer activities catalog published in March, the camp

- will fill up fast. Camp attendees, age 10-14, learn all aspects of fly fishing including knot tying, bug collection and identification, fly tying, casting and fly fishing in Shevlin Pond.
- **COF/Next Cast Flyfishers East Lake Outing**—July 7-9, 2016. Next Cast is offering an advanced fly fishing camp including a camp out and fly fishing at East Lake. This camp is for our advanced fly fishers.

Please contact me directly if you have questions.

~Karen Kreft, nextcast@coflyfishers.org,
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March Brown Soft-Hackle

Well the snow pack looks promising and with just a little more snow we should be in good shape for “2016”.

It has been a good show season so far and there are some great flies coming off the vises of the tyers. It is interesting that the interest in old patterns and especially soft-hackles and wet flies was on the rise. Tyers were developing soft-hackle and wet fly patterns with newer materials and using old techniques, nothing wrong with that. John Kreft and I have been doing this for a while now.

The pattern this month is a March Brown Emerger and is just such a pattern, the “March Brown Soft-Hackle”. I have fished this pattern for years and the one here is one of the old standards with just few little tweaks with some modern materials that have helped it be a fish taker in the last few years. You

can weight it if you like for faster water, but it works very well just under the surface without any extra weight.

Materials

Hook: #14 to # 10 Long curved light wire hook, like the Daiichi 1270

Thread: Lt. Brown and Orange 14/0

Tails: Wood Duck 6 to 8 fibers

Body: Beaver (Mottled Grey/Brown) dubbing with a little tan UV ice dub mixed in

Rib: Fine copper wire

Thorax: Dark Hares ear with a little tan UV ice dub mixed in

Hackle: Grey partridge (soft hackle)

Directions

1. Lock in the brown thread about eye width from the eye and wind rearward laying down a thread base to just above the barb.
2. Tye in the Wood Duck tailing material, keeping it on top of the hook, tail length should be around shank length.

3. Tye in the copper ribbing and let it hang for now.
4. Dub the beaver and wind forward forming a tapered body to the 2/3 point on the hook.
5. Wind the copper rib forward in 4 even turns and tye off.
6. Dub the hares ear in the thorax area and tye off.
7. Prepare the Partridge Hackle feather for tying in by the tip and tye it in. Wind the hackle forward 1 1/2 to 2 turn's max. and tye off with the hackle leaning slightly towards the rear of the fly.
8. Changing to the orange thread and finish with a nice neat head. “Good Luck and Good Hunting”

~ Jerry Criss, 541-536-3581,
tffly44@msn.com

See You Next Year

ASI WRITE THIS, I'm putting the finishing touches on COF Winter Fly Tying for 2016. It's been a terrific year, well attended with an average of 28 tyers every week for three months.

I'd like to thank our instructors who have taught some great flies and/or helped with the technique class this year—Bryan Hostetler, Jeff Perin, Phil Fischer, Caleb Reider, Bill Seitz, Sherry Steele, Mike Telford, Jerry Criss, Pete Martin, Cliff Price, Charlie Schillinsky, Wes Wada, and Doug Andres. We couldn't have had a great year without them!

Please thank the Fly Fisher's Place and Patient Angler for providing discounted prices for the fly tying materials used.

~ John Kreft, 503-559-3811,
jckreft@gmail.com

EVENTS

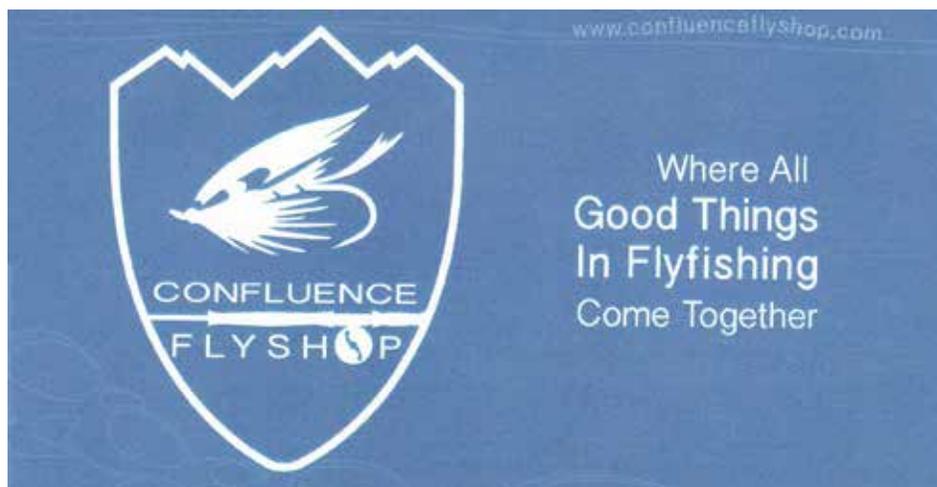
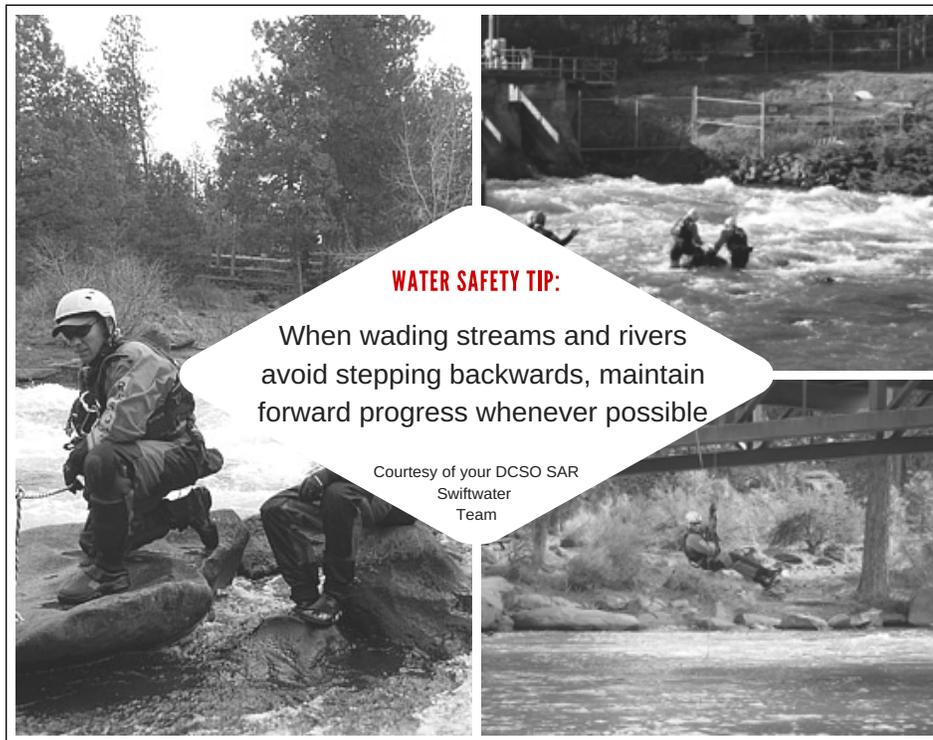
Annual Crooked River Cleanup

Saturday, April 9

Every year the club cleans up the Crooked River from the dam to Castle Rock campground. Thanks to Pete Martin's efforts, we will now have an "adopt a highway" sign in that section for our efforts. Meet at the Big Bend Campground (the campground just downstream from Bowman Dam) at 9:00 a.m. We'll all meet at the campground for lunch when finished.

After lunch, there will be a club fishing outing on the river. Members will be available to provide instruction on nymphing techniques. New members should check out the Crooked River fishing PowerPoint presentations on the COF website.

We need an accurate head count for lunch. If you plan to help, email me Jill Bazemore (rangerjill2@yahoo.com). Vegetarian? Let me know. Bottled water will be available or BYOB.



EVENTS

2016 COF Fundraising Banquet & Raffle

Riverhouse on the Deschutes

April 2, 2016 | 5:30 pm

With a newsletter deadline of March 25th and the COF banquet on April 2nd what can I say about the banquet?

Two things. As of today, March 25, there are 151 people registered for the banquet—WOW!

And thank you fly tiers. The boxes of flies tied by COF members are some of the most popular donations in our annual fundraising banquet. It takes time to tie flies and I would like to thank the following fly tiers for their time and donation:

John Howard
Peter Martin
Mike Morsilli
Betty Rentz
Ron Giaier
Gary Davis
Dale Nichols
Cliff Price
Dick Christiansen
Bill Seitz
Sherry Steele
Daryl Loveland
Steve Kimple
Gary Hager
Clyde Baker
Greg Stumpf
Bill Hinchliff
Bob Lakin
Gary Lang
John Kreft
Jerry Criss
Charlie Schillinsky
Joel King
Earl Rettig

~Peter Martin, Banquet Chair, 541-388-8956,
banquet@coflyfishers.org

EVENTS

Bend Fly Fishing Festival

Fly Fishing Festival Hosted by Bend Casting Club & Trout Unlimited



The Bend Casting Club, an affiliate of Trout Unlimited, will be hosting its third annual free Bend Fly Fishing Festival on Saturday April 16th, 2016 from 10am – 4:00pm at Tumalo Creek Kayak & Canoe located at 805 SW Industrial Way, Bend.

Gary Lewis' staff will be there with some of his books; Brian Okeefe will be doing a seminar; Jeremiah Houle from Confluence Fly Shop will be fly tying and casting; Caleb Reider from Patient Angler will be fly tying; BlackStrap Industries, Abel Reels, and Howler Brothers will have booths. Jeff Perin from the Fly Fishers Place in Sisters will also be presenting. There will be a kids activity area - they will be making some colored paper trout and steelhead and some other neat little things. Shred Town will be there as well serving up some amazing food!

To learn more about Bend Casting Club's Fly Fishing Festival see our event on Facebook at [Facebook.com/event/10038839](https://www.facebook.com/event/10038839) or visit our Facebook page at [facebook.com/bendcastingclub](https://www.facebook.com/bendcastingclub).

COF will have a table at the show. If you are willing to help staff that table please contact Lee Ann Ross at rossleeann@yahoo.com.

~Lee Ann Ross

PHOTO GALLERY

March 2016 Metolius Field Trip

WITH JIM WIGINGTON, HYDROLOGIST/GEOLOGIST



UPSTREAM EVENTS April 2016

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	LOCATION	CONTACT
2-3	8:00 AM	Trout Bum Sale	Fly and Field Outfitters	
2nd	5:30 PM	Annual Banquet	Riverhouse Convention Center	banquet@coflyfishers.org
9th	9:00 AM	Crooked River Cleanup	Big Bend Campground	outings@coflyfishers.org
13th	5:30 PM	Beginning Casting Class	Bend Pine Nursery	education@coflyfishers.org
20th	7:00 PM	General Meeting	Bend Senior Center	Corol Ann Cary
16th	TBD	Bend Fly Fishing Festival	Tumalo Kayak and Canoe	Lee Ann Ross
25th	6:00 PM	Wild Women & Fishing Maps	Quiltworks	Kari
27th	5:30 PM	Casting Skills Course	Bend Pine Nursery	education@coflyfishers.org

In the Future

Kokanee Karnival April 25, 26, 28, 29 May 2 and 3. To volunteer, contact Frank Turek at waldo1ft@msn.com

Beginning Casting, Bend Pine Nursery May 4, 5:30, Contact education@coflyfishers.org

Casting Skills Course, Bend Pine Nursery May 11, 5:30, Contact education@coflyfishers.org

Washington Fly Fishing Fair in Ellensburg, WA April 29 & 30

Sandy River Spey Clave, May 13-15, Oxbow Regional Park, Sandy OR

Next Cast Flyfishers 3-Day Fish Camp, June 20, 21, 22, Shevlin Park, Bend OR; Contact: Karen Kreft



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