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MEETINGS

General Meeting – 4th Tuesday of the month, 7 pm (6 pm Wet Fly hr.) Flying Pig Brewery
Board Meeting – 2nd Thursday of the month, 7 pm (6 pm dinner) Village Restaurant
Conservation Committee Meeting – 3rd Thursday of the month, 7 pm Village Restaurant

Meeting: January 22, 2007 @ Flying Pig Brewery
Wet Fly – 6:00 p.m. Meeting – 7:00 p.m.



President's Message

By Mark Edson

My four-year membership with this club has been fantastic. I've met some good friends, met some great fisherman and attended some great trips. EFFC is a great club and I'm honored to be accepted as president for this year. As my first act as president, I should remind everyone to pay their dues so we can all enjoy your company this coming year.

For anyone that is looking to get more involved with the club, we have an open position as Christmas party chairman. There is always plenty of help available for the Christmas party chairman, but we're really looking for someone to step up and guide the process. We have tentatively reserved the Hawthorne Inn again this year for Saturday December 6th.

Don't forget about fly tying lessons either. They started on the first week of January and are a great way to get into fly tying as well as a great opportunity to learn from some great tyers. Equipment is available as well if you don't own a vise.

Also, at the board meeting this month, the board discussed some ideas for ways to remember Joe Bly. One idea was to name a regular scholarship after him; other ideas included various conservation events that could be used to emphasize Joe's desire to give back to all these great fishing places. Please give us any ideas you have. We'll discuss further at the next board meeting and would appreciate your feedback.



WSCFFF By Carl Johnson

Gary Loomis to give CCA Presentation
to Fly Fishers

Don't forget.

On Friday, January 18 at 7 p.m. at the Mt. Vernon P.U.D. building.

For more information on the CCC, please visit their website: <http://www.joincca.org/index.html> .Want more Salmon and Steelhead? Then come hear Gary talk about the CCA's plan to bring more fish to our rivers. Round up a carpool of folks and planto attend! Let's show our commitment to saving fish. A big effort can make a difference. See you in Mt. Vernon.



Publications By Bruce Turner

It's now time to start work on the calendar. I will need lots of help with this. I need your photos... Send them in to me. Digital photos are preferred (in jpg format) but regular photos will also work. I'll take photos at a meeting, on a CD, or sent to me as attachments in e-mail message.



"Authors of the Northwest"

May 3rd 2008 Fly Plate

By Mike Clancy Secretary WSCFFF

There are wonderful and talented authors living in our great Pacific Northwest. Many have produced videos, written books and articles that display flies and techniques on how to "Catch and Release" our native fish. It was a difficult task to select the candidates for our fly plate with so much talent in our area. We originally selected 15 authors, to learn that not all authors tie flies. Some are better writers than tiers, that's okay. But, I think everyone will be pleased with our selection of the tiers that contributed their flies to our fly plate. i.e. – **Bruce Ferguson, Les Johnson, Frank Amato, Darrell Martin, Doug Rose, Steve Probasco, Skip Morris, Dave Hughes, Mike Croft, Randell Kaufman, David Williams, Steve Raymond, Trey Combs, Fenton Roskelly and Mark Mandell.** All of these folks have written articles or books to teach use how to learn the techniques of fly fishing. They tied flies for us that are featured in their books, articles and videos. The "Authors of the Northwest" flyplate is going to be one of a kind. It has been a real pleasure to have been involved in the collection of the flies from these talented folks, and I think they are proud to have been included in such a work of art. This fly plate is going to be crafted by Steve Jensen of Springfield, Missouri, a wonderful friend of the FFF, and a talented artist in creating fly plates for councils all over the USA. We will display the flyplate at the Bellevue Show in February and at other affiliated club events. The flyplate is part of our fund raising program so we may continue to support our affiliated clubs in their conservation and education programs. The fly plate will be auctioned at our Conclave in Ellensburg, May 3, 2008.



Fly Tying Contest By Joe Bernstein

Back in November, **Chris Grieve's** Chum Salmon Fly beat out the competition handily.

Congratulations Chris!!!!



The fly pattern for January is the **Intruder**. Use your favorite colors to come up with a winning fly for this month's contest. Here are a couple of pictures, along with one recipe (there are many).



RECIPE:

- Hook:** Mustad 79580, 36890 #1 and up
(Used as a foundation only as the bend and point are cut off)
- Trailing Hook:** #1 Up Eye Octopus Hook
- Thread:** Gudebrod 8/0 or 6/0 Black
- Loop:** Fireline (60lb, 50lb or 30lb)
- Tail:** Chartreuse Polar Bear Hair
- Rear Hackle:** Chartreuse Polar Bear Under Fur
Followed By a Large Webby Pheasant Rump
Feather Dyed Black
- Body:** Peacock Green Mylar
- Body Hackle:** Black Neck Hackle
- Rib:** Fine Gold Wire
- Front Hackle:** Chartreuse Polar Bear Under Fur
Followed By a Large Webby Pheasant Rump
Feather Dyed Black
- Wing:** Black Ostrich
- Collar:** Chartreuse Guinea Fowl
- Eyes:** Dumbbell Eyes



EFFC Membership By Mark Simpson

Dues are Due! \$30 for members and \$25 for associate members.

Please do not send your dues to the club's post office box or to other club officers. The membership chairman needs to receive your dues directly, preferably by mail, along with any change to your address, phone, e-mail, etc. Please complete the annual renewal form and send it with your dues so we can accurately verify your information listed in our next calendar. It is highly recommended to pay your dues by check. Your dues are important to the operating budget of our club so please pay them before our January general meeting.



Coming Activities By Gary Medema

The winter steelhead outing is coming up on Feb. 23rd. Make plans to fish for the day on the river of your choice. The prize for the biggest fish is the Dub Price Award; a beautiful water color painting of a snowy winter river scene with a steelheader and his catch. Dinner and weigh-in will be at the Village Restaurant at 5:00 p.m. The Village is located just off the 4th st. exit from I-5. Even if you don't fish come to the dinner it's always a fun time.



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EFFC Membership Renewal Form

Membership dues are \$30 for members & \$25 for associate members

Name: _____ Spouse's Name: _____

Member's Address: _____

Mailing Address (if different): _____

Telephone Number including area code: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Committee Interests: _____

Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

Please make check payable to EFFC, fill in the Membership Renewal form, & mail both to the following address:

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