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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Greetings Fellow Anglers,

Today I've been sitting at my computer watching the rain pouring down outside and thinking about the fishing that we've had this year and the fishing plans for next year. This year has been a good one on the fishing front. Based on reports from club members and my own observations, 2016 has been a good fishing year. Anglers had many successful trips to our favorite waters such as Crane Prairie and Wickiup reservoirs and East and Lava lakes.

I'm looking forward to next year's fishing already. Planning is underway for club outings at South Twin, East and Hosmer lakes, the Williamson River and at some private waters such as Lake in the Dunes and Monroe Reservoir. Please let me or next year's President, Rynie, know if you have any suggestions for other outings.

It's already November, but there are some intrepid anglers who still have been out fishing recently. We had a good outing at Hosmer Lake in late October and the crew that traveled to Pyramid Lake hopefully had a great experience fishing on some new water. Steelhead fishing in the Deschutes River should be getting better as more fish arrive at the Trout Creek to Warm Springs reach.

Changes in fishing regulations for 2016 have resulted in most of the lakes being open year round. You'll now be able to fish waters that previously closed on October 31, as long as they are accessible. Some nearby lakes that come to mind are South Twin, East, Paulina, Big and Little Lava, and Little Cultus lakes. In past years, fishing at East Lake was often very good until it closed at the end of October. I hope you'll be able to do some exploring and that you'll try fishing these lakes into November. I'm expecting to hear some reports of remarkable fishing at this month's meeting.



The buzz saw shark, Helicoprion, roamed the

seas about 290 million years ago. You can see the exhibit for this shark at the High Desert Museum through April 23, 2017.

Good fishing and exploring this month. Maybe you'll hook into a line cutter like this one.

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2017 Officers

The October 20th Sunriver Anglers meeting included the Annual Meeting and the members voted to approve the following 2017 officers and directors:

President: Rynie Miyashiro

VP: Chris Breault

Past President: Marv Yoshinaka

Secretary: Open

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2017 Board Directors

Alan Stout

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The 2017 officers and Directors look forward to helping the Sunriver Anglers have a great 2017.

Club Meetings

November 17

Nate Brumley, of Meridian, Idaho, will be the speaker for the Sunriver Anglers Club. The meeting will start early at 6:30pm with a Brumley fly tying demonstration. There will be a short business meeting at 7:00, followed by a multimedia presentation titled "Winter Fishing on Dry Flies."

Nate Brumley is a fly fisherman who wants to educate us to become better fly fishermen. He is the owner of dryflyinnovations.com, an online company that specializes in dry flies, fly-tying materials, books, and DVDs. An exciting and energetic speaker, Nate has fly fished for over forty years, always using a dry fly. There are no nymphs, streamers, or wet flies in his fly box. Our speaker has just released a new book on dry fly fishing titled "Addicted to the Rise" in which he discusses searcher flies, fishing outside of the hatch, and luring fish to the surface using flies that simulate a hatch. The book is truly multimedia as it includes still pictures, descriptions, and a DVD with 43 different video clips. The last chapter contains recipes for his top twelve dry fly patterns.

Nate's custom flies are all tied here in the United States by master fly tiers. He sells over one hundred seventy of his own original patterns, along with sets that are specifically chosen for specific rivers and lakes. On his website, there are sets available for many Oregon destinations, including the Crooked River.

Nate has a blog on his website in which he describes his days on the water fishing and talks about how to be patient and persistent. Also on his website are river reports about the water, weather, and size and pattern of fly that caught fish.

You won't want to miss this experienced, informative speaker!

December – no meeting as we have the Dec. 14 Holiday party as the Crosswater Club.

Club Outings

Hosmer Lake Outing Lives Again

The Hosmer Lake outing, which traditionally took place in the fall, was held again this year after a several year hiatus. Doug Vakoc and Marv Yoshinaka volunteered to lead this outing and serve as the cooks. This year's outing was held on October 26th when seven hardy individuals ventured to the cool waters of Hosmer Lake. The weather cooperated and we experienced mild temperatures, light winds, and only a little rain. Hosmer Lake in late October is totally different from the crowded conditions of summer when kayak and stand up paddleboard activities are in full swing. We found the lake and parking lot to be virtually deserted and had both areas to ourselves. No other boats were on the lake except for an Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife vessel that was being used to collect fish from sampling nets.

The hot dog and chili lunch was served piping hot and really hit the spot on this cool autumn day. Our resourceful cooks managed to prepare and serve the meal even though they forgot to bring a serving spoon and tongs. Doug's pencils served as chopsticks to turn and grab the hot dogs and drinking cups were serving spoon substitutes.

Although the fishing was not as fast as it has been at some of the previous Hosmer Lake outings, our group did catch some fish ranging in size from pan sized to about 20 inches. The fish were generally fat and feisty which bodes well for next year's fishing. We're already thinking about having an outing at Hosmer Lake in 2017.

Pyramid Lake Outing

In June, our speaker was Chris Wharton, who guides on Nevada's Pyramid Lake. He spoke of the Lahaton cutthroats that inhabit this lake ranging up to twenty five pounds. His talk and pictures were so motivating that close to a dozen Sunriver anglers traveled down to the lake.



Sunriver Anglers Holiday Party is December 14, 2016 at the Crosswater Club. Limited to 70 guests. Fifty are signed up, don't delay.

Program:

4 PM – doors open; guests check in; raffle ticket sales.

No host bar. Seating in the dining room.

Two Mac and Cheese bars with various cheeses, bacon, chicken, chives, and tomato toppings along with appetizers that include caprese salad skewers, prime rib sliders, mini corn dogs, cookies and brownies, coffee, tea, ice tea and lemonade.

5 PM - President's welcome and comments

6:30 PM Silent auction closes. Raffle winners announced.

7 PM Event closes.

RSVP requested to Jack McDonnell at jackmcd@chamberscable.com Reservations Close on Dec. 5 at 5 pm.

Cost: \$45.00 per person including tip. Mail check to Sunriver Anglers, PO Box 4273, Sunriver OR 97707.



Mac and Cheese bar

Special 10x10 Raffle \$10 per ticket for:

Charlie Schillinsky Stillwater Fly Shop The Fisher's Place Custom fly fishing rod, 4 wt. 10' plus his custom flys plus Waterworks Lamson Velocity 1 Reel Nickel with line plus Variety of flies for Steelhead and Trout. Value \$650.

Raffle Items – Six free tickets per guest.

- 1. Metal fly welcome sign plus two boxes of flies from the Fly Fisher's Place.
- 2. Box of 20 flies of assorted flies
- 3. Three bottles of Cool Fish Red Wine
- 4. Three bottles of Cool Fish White Wine
- 5. Three bottles of Cool Fish White Wine
- 6. Two bottles of Cool Fish Red Wine

Table Flowers by Kris of Flowers at Sunriver Village.

Silent Auction – items donated are:

Sunriver Resort One round of golf for four with carts at Crosswater Club in 2017. Valid

4/15/17 to 10/15/17. Two bottles of Sunriver Brewing beer.

Total Value \$820.

Sunriver Resort One round of golf for four with carts at Sunriver Resort Meadows in 2017.

Valid 4/15/17 to 10/15/17.

Two bottles of Sunriver Brewing beer. Total Value \$440.

Sunriver Resort One round of golf for four with carts at Sunriver Resort Woodlands.

Valid 4/15/17 to 10/15/17.

Two bottles of Sunriver Brewing beer. Total Value \$440.

Prineville Golf Club Two golfers for 18 holes with cart. Valid 8/1/16 to 8/1/17.

Two bottles of Sunriver Brewing beer. Total Value \$90.

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Two bottles of Sunriver Brewing beer. Total Value \$90.

Mary Ann Dozer Fly casting lesson in 2017. This is two casting lessons for two people. I

like two lessons because one casting lesson really isn't enough for the serious angler. Each lesson would be 1 1/2 hours. Value is \$200. This needs to be redeemed in 2017 and best not to schedule from May to August. Includes three boxes of flies from the Fly Fisher's Place.

Jeff Wieland "Guided" fishing day for two on any of the Cascade Lakes. Couples are

welcome, and I'll take four by prior arrangement if two are children.

Lunch, drinks, and snacks will be provided. Guests are welcome to bring

their own gear or they can use mine.

We will be fishing in comfort aboard my 20' Alumaweld fly fishing sled with raised casting platforms and padded, swivel seats. The trip is valid through 8-30-2017. It would be best for the winner to contact me in March to talk about what kind of day they'd like to have, which fishery, dates, flies, lunch preferences, etc. The minimum bid is \$250, Value

\$500/day. Cell 541-280-3237 email: jeffjwieland@me.com

Kimble Clark Custom wading staff, aluminum, heavy duty retractor. Value \$100

Three boxes of Fly Fisher's Place flies plus Stillwater – 4 packs of

leaders. Value \$125.

Kimble Clark Custom wading staff, titanium, heavy duty retractor. Value \$135

Three boxes of Fly Fisher's Place flies and one bottle of Cool Fish Red

wine. Value \$51.

Phil Fischer One dozen of Phil's custom flies with box. Stillwater 4 pack of leaders.

Value \$160.

Rod Juranek One dozen custom flies with box. . Stillwater 3 pack of leaders.

Value \$145.

Ron Angell One dozen custom flies with box. Stillwater 4 pack of leaders.

Value \$160.

Dennis Miller One dozen custom flies with box. Stillwater 3 pack of leaders.

Value \$145.

Mary Yoshinaka One dozen custom flies with box. Stillwater 4 pack of leaders.

Value \$160.

Doug Vakoc One dozen custom flies with box. Stillwater 3 pack of leaders.

Value \$145.

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Camp Abbot Trading Co. Caddis chest waters – Ladies size M. Value \$129.

Camp Abbot Trading Co. Caddis chest waters – Men size M. Value \$129.

Camp Abbot Trading Co. Caddis chest waters – Men size L. Value \$129.

Camp Abbot Trading Co. Bulk fishing lines large reels of 4#, 5#, 8#, 10# & 20# (all 3,000')

Camp Abbot Trading Co. Maxima line 4#, 8# and 10# (all 3,000')

Gary Lewis Various fishing books. Stillwater Fly Shop one Rio sink tip kit.

Three bottles of Cool Fish white wine. Value TBD.

Marcello's Cucina

Italiana \$50 Gift certificate. Two bottles of Crater Lakes Spirts. Value \$90.

Village Bar & Grill \$50 gift certificate. Two bottles of Crater Lakes Sprits. Value \$90

McMenamins Pubs \$50 gift card. Two bottles of Cool Fish red wine. Value \$95.

Obsidian Hair Spa Gift certificate for Pummice Mani and Mani by Dawn. Indoor golf

putting kit. Three bottles of Cool Fish white wine. Value \$130.

Ginger's Kitchenware

Gift basket Two bottles of Crater Lakes Sprits. Value \$239

JB's Woodturning Joe Glassford – one exotic wood bowl. Value \$75.

Tumalo Creek Full day kayak, canoe or SOP Rental. Two bottles of Sunriver Brewing.

beer. Value \$TBD

Frenchglen Hotel \$75 gift certificate with 3 bottles of Cool Fish Red wine. Value \$120.

Crane Prairie Resort Weed end get-a-way: 2 nights in the RV Park & Basic Boat & Motor.

Rental Good 2017 Season. Not valid on holiday weekends. Value \$TBD.

Jerry Hubbard Terry Maddox pencil drawing 192/277 signed: Cascade Mountains.

12"x14" matted frame. Value \$50.

Jerry Spetz Serigraph by Merryl Jaye. 60"x45" framed desert scene. Value \$450.



Sunriver Angler's Fly Tying Corner By: Phil Fischer

Callibaetis Biot Nymph



This past fly-fishing season wrought destruction on my fly boxes. Back in June, I had full boxes of flies lined up in neat tidy rows in each box. I had spent the previous winter prepping for the season by tying all those patterns that I knew would perform well on our Central Oregon lakes. Last May, I had every fly one might need for East Lake, Lava, Hosmer, Crane Prairie and others. But here in November the season is past. I am left with wonderful memories, pictures of nice fish caught, and the rubble that is now contained in my fly boxes. Everything comes around again and soon the snow will fly, meaning it must be time to once again reorganize flies and start tying for next season.

I inventoried flies and found I need to tie a bunch of those chironomids used early season on East Lake, the damsels for June on Crane Prairie and Lava, and the ants, beetles, and hoppers used mid-summer. But the most glaring hole in my fly boxes is Callibaetis. This is the single most important hatch on our lakes all summer. This year I fished Callibaetis on Hosmer during a memorable hatch in June and took some nice rainbows on dry flies. And on East Lake, virtually every trip featured Callibaetis, from drifting nymphs over the hump to sight casting cruising fish on the West shore, to the fabulous hatches and spinner falls during early July along the east beach just down from the resort. Even on Wickiup and Crane Prairie I ran into Callibaetis hatches. So here it is November and with my boxes in shambles, I'd better to get busy tying. Up first, Callibaetis.

For this month's pattern, I have chosen a Callibaetis nymph that is effective in advance of the hatch and often during the hatch when some of the larger fish take nymphs subsurface. It is a very effective fly on East Lake, Hosmer, Lava and others. This pattern features a unique blend of materials to make it fish effectively. I weight it slightly to get the fly to sink at a nice pace, but not too fast. I use a biot on the abdomen to simulate the segmentation on the natural and tie a rib over this biot wire for color and strength. The thorax features a dubbing blend that has UV (ultaviolet) fibers that seem to trigger a trout's instinct to take this fly. Lastly, the wingcase features barbs from a peacock eye feather. This is a natural flashback-like look, without adding flash.



Rainbow taken on a Callibaetis nymph at Hosmer Lake in June

Callibaetis mayfly hatches start occurring on local lakes in June and last through the summer and into early fall. Trout key on the nymph stage prior to and during the hatch. Fishing techniques for the Callibaetis Biot Nymph pattern varies, from fished beneath an indicator or wind drifted or stripped in short choppy pulls of your fly line to get the fly to lift and drop as you retrieve the pattern. I will often fish this nymph in tandem with a leech or wooly bugger when I am doing a strip retrieve. The larger fly might attract the fish, but they almost always take the Callibaetis nymph.

Callibaetis Biot Nymph Materials List:

Hook: Daiichi 1260 Size 14-16 or similar **Thread:** Tobacco Brown, 70 Denier

Tail: Natural Lemon Flank Feathers from a Wood Duck

Abdomen: Natural Turkey Biot in light Olive

Rib: Bronze Wire - Fine

Wing Case: Bronze Peacock from the Eye of a Peacock Tail Feather

Thorax: Light Olive Dubbing (75%), UV Dubbing Tan (25%) **Legs:** Natural Lemon Flank Feathers from a Wood Duck

Tying instructions and steps are being published in video form, and can be found on the Sunriver Anglers Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/SunriverAnglers/ or at the following YouTube URL: https://youtu.be/0ztZVuYO1-E

Experiment with this pattern during the Callibaetis time at East Lake, or Lava, Hosmer or other favorite lake where Callibaetis thrive. If you have questions or would like additional information about the Callibaetis Biot Nymph pattern, please don't hesitate to email me. Or if you have suggestions on future patterns to feature in this column, I welcome your input. I can be reached at Philfischer@sbcglobal.net.

Fred Meyer's Community Rewards Program

To sign up for the rewards program, please go to the end of the e-news for instructions and Marv's offer to help you register!

Facebook

The Sunriver Anglers has a Facebook page on which members and anglers can post items of interest. Go to: https://www.facebook.com/SunriverAnglers

Education and Conservation

Loaner Rod and Reel Outfits

The club has three fly fishing outfits that include a rod, reel, line, and case that are available on loan to Sunriver Anglers members. All of these outfits come with floating lines and two of them also have extra spools with clear intermediate sinking lines.

These rods are well balanced and easy to cast. Some of you may have tried them out during the casting session at the May meeting. Please contact Doug Vakoc (phone 541-598-8613 or email doug@ vakoc.com) if you're interested in borrowing one of these outfits.

Member-Get-A-Member

Every time you recruit a new member, you help strengthen the Sunriver Anglers.

Recruiting a member is easy—when you connect with fellow anglers at meetings, online, or while fishing, simply tell them how you benefit from your membership in the Sunriver Anglers and suggest that they visit www.sunriveranglers.org to learn more about the value of membership.

If they decide to join, ask them to put your name on the membership application (available on our website) so you get the credit. It's that simple. Your reward?



A Sunriver Brew Pub \$10 gift card!

Thank You Sunriver Brewing Company for your support of the Anglers!

Resources

Check our web site at www.SunriverAnglers.org for a list of resources.

Swap Meet - For Sale and or Wanted

Sunriver Anglers Shirts and Hats for Sale – XL and XXL

Columbia Sports donated 15 light blue UPF 30 Omni-Shade shirts w. logo. \$30 each: 8 XL and 4 xxl. Small – 1; Medium – 3; Large – 3
We have yellow logo shirts at \$30 each:
Medium – 7; Large – 1
Hats – 18 at \$15 each

To order, e-mail Jerry at jhubbard@chamberscable.com Mail check to Sunriver Anglers PO Box 4273, SR 97707

If you have fishing items for sale or need fishing gear, let Lee at lectrology: left-sale-com end items for sale or need fishing gear, let Lee at lectrology: left-sale-com end description of the item(s) and contact information.

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The Sunriver Anglers will be credited with a reward from your purchase. Money from the Community Rewards Program will be added to support our club projects.

How to participate:

- 1. Link your Fred Meyer rewards card to the Anglers at: www.fredmeyer.com/communityrewards
- 2. Scroll down and click on "Link your rewards card now."
- 3. Click on "Sign In" if you are already registered with the Fred Meyer rewards program. If not, then click on "Register" and fill in the registration information.
- 4. "Find Your Organization" should appear on the next screen.
- 5. Enter following number in the box to link your card to the Anglers: 87237 and click on "Search."
- 6. Sunriver Anglers should appear below "Organization Name." Click on the circle to the left of Sunriver Anglers and then click on "Enroll" You are now done. Please contact Marv Yoshinaka (541-593-5461) if you need any help in getting registered with the Community Rewards Program,