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<http://www.sunriveranglers.org>

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Greetings Fellow Anglers,

It's October, the cooler days of autumn have set in, and the fish should be getting more active as they anticipate the coming of winter's colder temperatures. Kokanee spawning is winding down, although you will still see a lot of activity in the usual spawning areas near the shorelines of our lakes and reservoirs and in their tributaries. Larger browns and rainbows should be following the kokanee into the shallows to feast on the caviar being laid by the kokanee.

Although summer fishing is usually quite productive in our local waters, October is the time one can catch some of the largest fish of the season. Fishing can be very good even though the weather can be cold and wet. Some of the best fishing I've experienced has been on those cold days of late October during a cold rain or snowstorm. You may not be joined by many other anglers and you'll probably see very few kayakers or stand up paddle boarders. Dress appropriately for the cool weather, and you should experience some great fishing.

The club outing to Pyramid Lake will be held before the next newsletter comes out. I hope all of you who signed up for the Pyramid Lake adventure enjoy a successful and memorable trip. I'm looking forward to hearing many stories about the large Lahontan cutthroat that didn't get away. Perhaps this trip will become an annual event for the Sunriver Anglers.

Our Holiday Party will be held on December 14 at Crosswater. This party promises to be an enjoyable evening you will not want to miss. The food will be good and there will be an exceptional list of auction items and raffle prizes. Space will be limited to the first 70 people who sign up, so reserve your spot as soon as possible. You don't want to miss out on our biggest and final event of the year.

The Sunriver Anglers Club was established for charitable, educational, conservation and scientific purposes. Two of our efforts in September, Kokanee Carnival and a donation to a fishing event for children with cancer, are examples of the Sunriver Anglers working to meet these purposes. In late September, Jim Adams and Rod Juranek headed up the

Sunriver Anglers' crew of volunteers for the Kokanee Karnival Hatchery Experience program at Fall River Hatchery. Both Jim and Rod spent many hours organizing the program and putting on the daily demonstrations for school children from throughout Central Oregon. Many thanks, Rod and Jim, for your outstanding efforts to give our local youngsters a better understanding of the fisheries and aquatic resources of this area.

The Sunriver Anglers also donated \$250 to a Candlelighters program to give Central Oregon children with cancer and their families the opportunity to fish Odell Lake. The Candlelighters is a nonprofit organization that provides support and services to children with cancer who live in Oregon. This event was held on the first weekend in October and was a memorable experience for the kids, their families, and the volunteers who hosted them.



These are the world's oldest known fish hooks. The hooks were recently found by archaeologists in Sakitari Cave on Okinawa Island. Researchers have determined that the hooks are about 23,000 years old and were carved from sea snail shells. Many of us may be pretty old, but these hooks outdate us by a few years.

Good fishing and hooking, Marv

PS – Phil Fischer's 2017 calendars – more information is below.

Club Meetings

October 20 Anglers Meeting – Fall Film Festival

Get your popcorn ready for the Sunriver Anglers Club Fall Film Festival. On Thursday, October 20, the Anglers' monthly meeting at the SHARC will be a night of beer tasting, popcorn, and short films. At 6:30, the Sunriver Brewery will be presenting some of their beers. Come early and sample a flight of their latest creations. They may have some new seasonal beers just produced for the fall and winter. At 7:00, after a short business meeting, we will see three or four short films.

With the fishing season winding down, and the weather getting cooler, this will be an opportunity to see some beautiful fish landed without getting cold and wet. Bring your notepad, because a new technique or fly may be shown. Write down the locations of where you see those fish taken. Put them on your calendar for next year to give yourself a chance to catch the same kind of trophy trout. Will it be a ten, twenty, or thirty fish night? All happening in about sixty minutes. Don't you wish that your fishing trips were all like a Sports Center highlights of the day show?

Put the **Sunriver Anglers Holiday Party** on your calendar for Wednesday, December 14, at the Crosswater Club. This is a great night of food and camaraderie. Included In the evening will be

a silent auction. Our top hustlers have been out beating the bushes procuring some great items for the auction. The current list for the auction includes a custom made fly rod, boxes of custom flies tied by our members, rounds of golf from Central Oregon courses, beer donated by local breweries, lots of fly fishing accessories, and even a night at Historic Frenchglen Hotel.

These are just a few of the items on the current list for the silent auction. This list will grow as we get closer to the date because items continue to be donated. It will be a night not to be missed.

The Sunriver Brewing Company will be doing beer-tasting starting at 6:30 pm.

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

In June, our speaker was Chris Wharton, a guide on Nevada's Pyramid Lake. He spoke of the Lahaton cutthroats that inhabit this lake and range up to twenty-five pounds. His talk and pictures were so motivating that close to a dozen Sunriver Anglers are traveling down to the lake the week before our November meeting to try this fishery. Pictures and stories will abound before and after the November 17 meeting. Come and find out who really caught the big one and has the true bragging rights.

Club Events and Outing Reports



Sunriver Anglers Holiday Party is December 14, 2016 at the Crosswater Club. **Limited to 70 guests.**

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. Appetizers that include caprese salad skewers, prime rib sliders, and mini corn dogs. Desserts of cookies and brownie. Drinks included are 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.



Enjoying the mac and cheese bar in 2015

Special 10x10 Raffle \$10 per ticket for:

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

Raffle Items – Two 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

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.

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.
Mary Ann Dozer	Fly casting lesson in 2017. That is two casting lessons for two people. I like two as "one casting lesson" really isn't enough for the serious angler. Each lesson would be 1 1/2 hours. Value is \$200. Needs to be redeemed in 2017 and best to not do it from May to August. Plus 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 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 is \$500/day. Cell 541-280-3237 email: jeffwieland@me.com
Kimble Clark	Custom wading staff, aluminum, heavy duty retractor with three boxes of Fly Fisher's Place flies. Stillwater – 4 packs of leaders. Value \$160.
Kimble Clark	Custom wading staff, titanium, heavy duty retractor with three boxes of Fly Fisher's Place flies. Value \$146.
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.
Marv 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. Value TBD
Marcello's Cucina Italiana	\$50 Gift certificate. Two bottles of Crater Lakes Sprints. Value \$90.
Village Bar & Grill	\$50 gift certificate. Two bottles of Crater Lakes Sprints. Value \$90
Obsidian Hair Spa	Gift certificate for Pummice Mani and Mani by Dawn. Indoor golf putting kit. Value \$85.
Ginger's Kitchenware	Gift basket. Two bottles of Crater Lakes Sprints. Value \$239
JB's Woodturning	Joe Glassford – one exotic wooden 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
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



More items coming!

Request for flies and auction items

For the silent auction, we would like to feature boxes of flies that you use on your favorite lakes and streams. Or tie a dozen of your favorite pattern or variations of the pattern.

Would you tie a dozen flies with a fly box for the auction? Mark the box for the lake or stream.

We would like the fly boxes and other items by December 1.

For those who don't tie, any other items you think would be a good auction item, such as knives, line, rods, reels, nets, bikes, float tubes, guided trips, hosted trips, jet boats, etc., would be appreciated.

Please contact Jerry Hubbard at jhubbard@chamberscable.com or call 541-390-9798 to sign up. Sunriver Anglers 501 (c) 3 Tax ID 93-0950301

Marv Yoshinaka, President

Sunriver Angler's 2017 Calendar Program

The Sunriver Anglers is making available ***2017 Fly Fishing Central Oregon and Scenes of Central Oregon Calendars*** at a reduced cost. Net proceeds will be directed to funding programs for 2017.

This calendar features excellent photography of the fly fishing and fish in our region and of Oregon scenery. Every Sunriver Angler should have one prominently displayed in their home or office. Additionally, these will make excellent Christmas presents for all your friends and fly fishing buddies

A link to the calendars follows (Click on **Preview** on this page to view the calendar):

<http://www.lulu.com/content/legacy-lulustudio-calendar/fly-fishing-central-oregon-2017/19396583>

<http://www.lulu.com/content/legacy-lulustudio-calendar/scenes-of-central-oregon-2017/19407970>

Cost: \$15.00 per calendar. Printing cost is approximately \$10.00, resulting in net proceeds to the club of approximately \$5.00 per calendar.

Timing: Calendar orders must be made by the October 20, 2016 meeting to give time to the printer and delivery. Our goal is to have calendars delivered by mid-November to ensure they are available for the Holiday Season.

Orders: Please provide your name, email address, and phone number, along with the number of calendars you'd like to order, to Philfischer@sbcglobal.net(email), or call 541-593-7458.

Order Pick-up: We will communicate when the calendars arrive and deliver them to the Anglers November meeting. Otherwise, you can arrange to pick them up in Sunriver.

(Calendars ordered by COF members will be delivered to the COF November meeting. If you cannot be at the November meeting, you should pay in advance with your order and your calendar(s) will be held for you at the Membership table until you attend a club meeting.)

Payment: Pay in advance via check made out to the Sunriver Anglers or at the time of pick-up. Send advance payments to: Sunriver Anglers, PO Box 4273, Sunriver OR 97707, along with a filled-out copy of the order form shown below.

Name:

Email Address:

Phone Number:

Number of Fly Fishing Calendars:

Number of Scenes of Oregon Calendars:

Price per Calendar: \$15.00 Amount Due:

Check here if you are a COF member and want your calendar order delivered to the November COF meeting.

Fred Meyer's Community Rewards Program

To sign up for the rewards program, please go to the end of this 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.

New Member Welcome

Gary Bigham

Sunriver Anglers Fly-Tying Corner

October Caddis Stimulator and Aspen Leaf



Have you noticed those big lumbering mothy-like bugs flying over the Deschutes or Fall River lately? Chances are you were seeing the adult October Caddis. This caddis emerges in late September and October throughout many rivers in Oregon and Northern California. *WestFly*, the well-known fly fishing and entomology website in the Pacific Northwest, nicknamed this bug “the Great Pumpkin of Western Rivers.”

It is a big bug and for a few short weeks in the fall can be important to imitate, as these insects make a tasty treat for rising trout. A steelhead will occasionally take this pattern on the surface as well, skated at the tail out of your favorite steelhead run! It is an honest size 8, which makes it a pattern that is easy to see on the water. And one doesn't have to cast delicately with this fly.

During egg laying flights, the October Caddis daps the water's surface to deposit its eggs. It is often this behavior that we are trying to imitate as fly fishermen. So a little “splat cast” on the water is a good thing with this pattern. You generally won't see lots of these bugs about, but the trout know they are there and will take them eagerly if afforded the opportunity. Look for the egg laying flight in the afternoon and evening. Even if you don't see the naturals about, this fly can be a good searching pattern and will often raise a wary trout looking for a large meal.



October Caddis Adult

The October Caddis Stimulator is a pattern I have tied for years to imitate these big bugs on California's McCloud and Upper Sacramento rivers. When we relocated to Sunriver, I dug this fly out of my box one day on the Lower Deschutes and it performed magically! The bushy hackle and wing will give a convincing impression of a caddis. This fly is designed to float high on the water, and can be skated and skipped on the water much like the naturals. I've even recently heard of fly fishers casting October Caddis imitations like this one on Crane Prairie, skating them similar to a traveling sedge. I continue to adapt this pattern by using a darker wing and hackle and adding just a bit of Krystal Flash to help the fly shimmer on the water's surface.

Next time you are out fishing, look for that big mothy-looking October Caddis in the evening as the natural returns to the stream to lay its eggs, and be ready to splat and skate this fly along the banks and riffles in search of rising trout.

October Caddis CDC Pattern Recipe:

Hook:	Tiemco 200R or 2312 hook in size 8-10
Thread:	Ultra UTC Fluorescent Red 210 Denier (6/0)
Tail:	Dark dyed elk in burnt orange
Abdomen:	Spirit River UV2 Scud Shrimp Golden Stone
Abdomen Hackle:	Whiting Dry Fly Hackle in dark dun ribbed with copper wire
Under wing:	Dark olive Krystal Flash
Over wing:	Dark dyed elk in burnt orange
Thorax:	Spirit River Brite Blend Polar Orange
Thorax Hackle:	Dark brown Whiting Dry Fly Hackle
Head:	Fluorescent Red

Tying instructions and steps are 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/EtU5ifcZUKA>

Experiment with this pattern during late September and October for the prolific October Caddis hatches that occur on the Lower Deschutes River. If you have questions or would like additional information about the October Caddis Stimulator 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

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

If you have fishing items for sale or need fishing gear, contact Jerry Hubbard at jhubbard@chamberscable.com. Please provide a good description of the item(s) and your contact information.

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

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How to participate:

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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,