

# The Flyline

Newsletter of the Aguabonita Flyfishers

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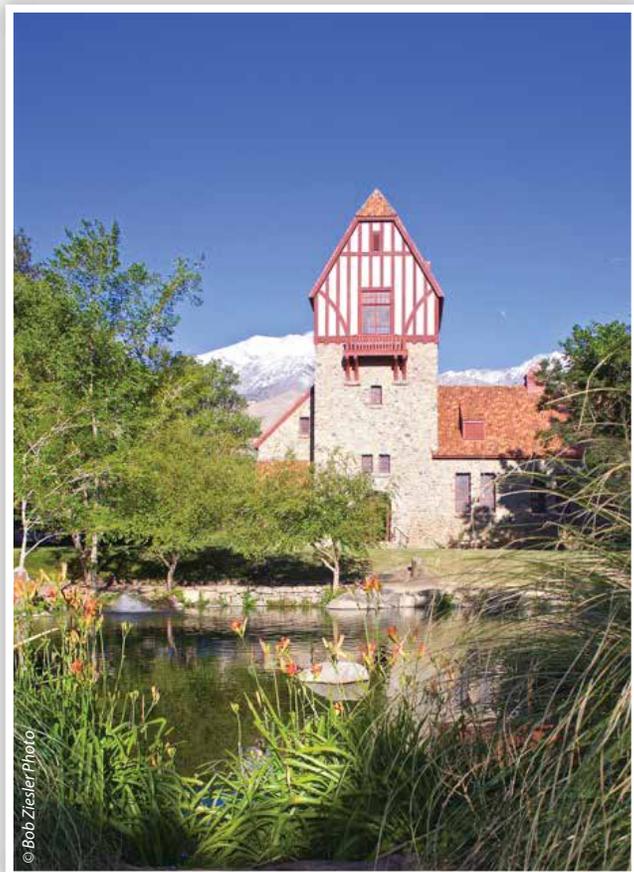
... featured presentation  
for the June meeting

## The Mt. Whitney Fish Hatchery

*...an update by the Friends of the  
Mt. Whitney Fish Hatchery*

Our guest speaker this month is our very own Club member, Ted Pedersen, from Independence. Ted is also President of the Friends of the Mt. Whitney Fish Hatchery organization. He will be updating us on the Hatchery and the status on the property acquisition process with the State. Ted will also show a 12-minute video about the Hatchery, talk about Inyo County's TIC program and then answer any questions you may have.

Join us on the evening of June 2nd for an exciting and informative presentation on this beautiful and historical gem of the Owen's Valley. See you all there!



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## The Leader's Line

Dale Harper, President

**G**reetings!

There was some much needed snow in the Eastern Sierras this past week. It arrived late in the year and was not nearly enough but we are thankful for what there was. Fishing on McGee Creek was slow. It appeared that the cut throat were just starting to move up and spawn. We are in the process of organizing the next club trip. This will be warm water trip, somewhere near Tinamaha.

May 16th is the kids fishing day at the Mt, Whitney Hatchery, an awesome place to spend a day and share some fly fishing knowledge. June 27th is the trout fishing festival at the Hot Creek Hatchery, last year's event was the very well attended and the club was there tying flies, teaching about bugs, and pitching in with the many kids' activities.

May's speaker was Andrew Skaggs from the Cal Trout office in Mammoth. He gave an enlightening talk touching on several subjects including the current drought and the history of droughts in the region. He also discussed the restoration of the native Lahontan cutthroat trout in Silver Creek. Andrew is the project manager for that effort.

In support of the October Fly Fishing Fair in Bishop, the IFFF South West Council is looking for someone to be the chair of the volunteer committee. This will entail organizing, scheduling, and training for people who volunteer.

Lastly a special thanks to all the members that have spent their time working with the youth that will be the caretakers of our streams and lakes in the future.

R/s  
Dale

## Friends of the Mt Whitney Fish Hatchery

Lloyd Smith, Club Liaison

### MT. WHITNEY FISH HATCHERY ANNUAL BBQ

The Friends of the Mt. Whitney Fish Hatchery will be holding their annual BBQ on Thursday, 20 August, starting at 5:00 PM. Great food along with raffles and music in the shade of the large trees while gazing over the pond full of trout. Don't get any better than that! Save the date.



# TROUT FEST

TOUCH A FISH ~ TASTE A FISH ~ FEED A FISH ~ CATCH A FISH



**Saturday  
9am - 1pm**

## JUNE 27 HOT CREEK HATCHERY

121 Hot Creek Hatchery Road  
Mammoth Lakes CA 93546

**All Activities are Free  
All Gear is Provided**  
Fishing for 15 years and under only.

Casting • Fly Casting • Trout Tasting • Fish Printing • Kid's Fishing  
Aquarium • CDFW Displays • Dissection • Trout Touch Pool • Aquatic Insects  
Feed the Fish • Trout Cleaning • Rigging • Fly Tying

**LEARN TO TIE ~ LEARN TO CAST ~ LEARN TO CLEAN ~ LEARN TO COOK**



**troutfest@wildlife.ca.gov  
559.765.4824**



INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF FLY FISHERS

2015

FLY FISHING FAIRE



BISHOP  
Tri-County  
Fairground  
October 16 - 18

SOUTHWEST COUNCIL IFFF

In conjunction with Inyo National Forest

Something for everyone, all anglers and fly tiers.  
Classes available for beginners through advanced.  
The classes for beginners, the equipment will be provided.  
Many on-stream workshops available.  
Learn from the pros how to cast, tie and catch!

EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO JOIN THE FUN!

**Date:** October 16 - 18

**Location:** Bishop Tri-County Fairground

**Hours:** Friday and Saturday: 9-5 Sunday: 9-3

**Entrance fee:** \$15.00 for all three days, \$20.00 for families up to four members. Eastern Sierra residents get \$5.00 discounted admission.

**Online registration opens August 16**

For more information and registration for classes:  
[southwestcouncilfff.org](http://southwestcouncilfff.org) or Call 818/200/1499



## Tippets From the Fly Addict

Allen Bell

# MOVIN' TO MONTANA SOON...

**I**n the famous words of Frank Zappa, I'm Movin to Montana Soon. Well, maybe not soon, but I'm movin to Montana for sure. Well, maybe not really sure, maybe someday I'll get to move to Montana, or Idaho, or Colorado, or Nevada. Who really knows.

By now, maybe you are wondering what brought on this gypsy moment. It all started a few months ago. My lovely wife and I were driving to Lancaster for the normal stuff. I was along for the ride and the possibility of lunch at Olive Garden. Italian food always lifts my

spirits, so I was in a great mood as we cruised along the highway. Then I heard the phrase that all husbands hate to hear, "Honey, we need to talk." Now, I enjoy conversation with my wife as much as anyone, but this phrase usually means there is more than conversation coming. God forbid, I might have to talk about my...feelings. "Yes Dear, what's up?"

"Did you see the print out by the computer?" Ok, this can go many ways, but I'm pretty much computer illiterate. Any trouble I'm in concerning the computer is immediate and no doubt about guilt. This might be survivable. "No, I didn't see anything, what are you talking about?" She went on to explain that she had

been working on our retirement plan. Which by the way, she is doing a marvelous job at. I'm thinking we are going to get the good Alpo with vegetables instead of the cheap WalMart stuff. She had been looking into retirement taxation. It seems that California is

among the worst states to retire in. We need to think about moving. Oh darn, we may get to...I mean have to leave Cali. Better yet, she's thinking that while we are looking into retirement friendly states, we might as well look at states that have good fishing. You should be able to live where

you can fish every day. WHAT!!!! Sweetheart, you now have my undivided attention!!! She was thinking about Carson City. Nice, but kind of the same problem, most of the good fishing is around an hour away. Still have to drive. I want to get a fishing car that its top speed is 45 mph. If you have to drive faster than that, you live too far from your spot!!

Speaking of spots, I know a few I'd really like to live by. Maybe we could move near Boise and I could fish the Owyhee every day. That would still be a drive, but there aren't that many huge Brown Trout that are that easy to catch anywhere on the planet. I don't



*The Owyhee River!!*

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know about the Owyhee. The main problem is that if I don't take Ellen or Mark, I'd be driving around those farm roads for eternity. If by some great accident I actually found that river by myself, I'd never find home again. May have to check that one off the list.

So, I had to come up with another plan. Having to drive for the rest of my life to find home won't work. What would be my next choice? Hey, how about the Clark Fork, near St Regis. That's a nice place. The people that live there say it's in the 'Banana Belt'. I'm

pretty sure I can get this to happen. The Clark Fork has lots of big fish. It is a beautiful place and the people are great.

Hey, The Clark Fork sounds great. Oh, wifey has a question. "I can't find St Regis on the map, where exactly is this place?" Oh honey, it's 80 miles south of the Canadian border, you know, La Canada. (Sounds warmer when you say it like it's a Latin place!!) I seem to be getting negative feedback on this choice. Too much of this....



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Maybe she's right!!

The Clark Fork River!!

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Ok, how about Dillon!!! Honey, that's my favorite place on the planet, lots of stupid, I mean challenging brown trout. There is a nice medical center, it's right on the I15. For crying out loud, this is a metropolis in Montana. There's even a college there. This is for sure the spot!!! Ya baby, we be movin' to Montana soon!!!! "Um dear, isn't Dillon still in, you know, Montana?" "Yes it is, but it's in SOUTHERN Montana." That should make the difference!!!! You know, in America, it's warmer in the southern parts!

I don't know, but I don't think I'll hold my breath waiting to move to any of these places. My wife has this weird aversion to winter temperatures of 30 below

zero. I'm working on a plan, but, my problem is basically, the trout in the places I where want to live are much dumber than my wife, who I think is pretty sure she doesn't want to live through a Montana, or Idaho, or, well, any possibility of a severe winter. Even a winter in Southern Montana!! Oh well, I will keep working the problem. I definitely am lucky to have such an awesome wife. So, for now, you can start counting the days, because, I am for sure 'Movin' to Montana Soon....maybe.

Blue Skies and Fishy Flies.....Allen



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*My Beloved Beaverhead River!!*

## Lahontan Cutthroat Trout (*Oncorhynchus clarkii henshawi*)

**NEED HELP – SAVE THE DATES FOR THE  
2015 SEASON**



SWC Supports The Efforts On Silver Creek, Tributary Of The West Walker River

Someone Illegally Dumped Brook Trout Into The Recovery Stream For The  
Federally Threatened LCT, Closing The Waters To Angling  
Here's Your Chance To Help With Electrofishing

JULY 8-15, 22-29, AUG 5-12, 19-26, SEPT 2-9, 16-23

CONTACT [debbie.sharpton@gmail.com](mailto:debbie.sharpton@gmail.com)



**Are you upgrading  
to newer waders?  
We can use your  
old ones!**

The Malibu Creek Southern Steelhead Recovery - Crayfish Removal Effort, could sure use “gently worn” wades for the volunteers that want to help. Any size would be put to good use, we can even pay for shipping. We’ve had up to 42 volunteers at a time and could sure use the waders. Our grant budget didn’t have a big wader budget, and working in these real brushy streams the waders don’t last very long.

Please contact Debbie Sharpton at:

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## “Kids Free Fishing Day” Mt. Whitney Fish Hatchery

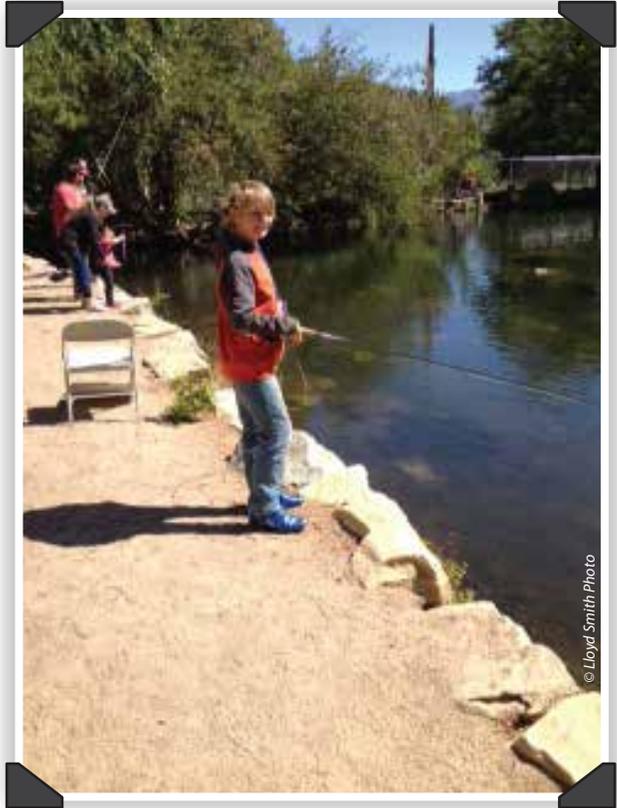
Members of the Aguabonita Flyfishers assisted the Friends of the Mt. Whitney Fish Hatchery with their “Kids Free Fishing Day” held on Saturday, May 16th, from 9:00am till noon. Club members provided fly-casting instruction, fly-tying instruction, and helped with the netting trout.

Many Thanks! to the Aguabonita members who participated; Dave DeKruiger, Lloyd Smith, Bob Ziesler, Jeff Zubek, Neal Barry.





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*The two young flyfishers in the above pictures are the great grandchildren of Bruce and Elsie Ivey!!*



*Above photomontage' courtesy of Bob Ziesler*



## Volunteers Needed!

### Lahontan Cutthroat Trout Recovery Summer 2015

**S**outhwest Council of the International Federation of Fly Fishers, Cal Trout, Trout Unlimited, California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

The project involves clearing streams of invasive brook trout to extend or maintain existing habitat for the large, rare, and endangered Lahontan cutthroat trout. The scenery is awesome, the work is strenuous, and we learn a little more about the habitat, the fish, and ourselves.

Work is being done at two sites, Silver Creek and Slinkard Creek. On either creek a maximum of three volunteers will be on duty at any one time. On both streams the objective is to extirpate brook trout, viewed as an invasive species in this environment, using electro-fishing.

Paid interns work in blocks of eight days on, Wednesday through Wednesday, and six days off. The volunteers assist them starting Thursday in each working session. Volunteers come as they can on Thursday or Friday and normally depart after work Sunday.

### Destination Slinkard Creek

Slinkard Creek is a tiny creek heavily overgrown with willows and other brush, but excellent habitat for the Lahontan cutthroat. The issue is physical access. Even highly experienced small-stream anglers find this riparian corridor impassible. Consequently the main task of volunteers is to clear a pathway along the creek for the team of shockers to follow. If you are experienced in the safe use of hand and power tools, that would be especially valuable.

The work dates for volunteers are nominally Thursday through Sunday, but you can arrive on

Friday, if necessary. Just let me know. If you are inclined to stay after Sunday, you can do that. The Slinkard Creek site is 50 minutes north of Bridgeport, CA, on highway 89, and then a drive on a rough road of two to three miles. Access to the creek is generally less than a mile, but over rough hot terrain. We expect to camp near the work site, but under primitive conditions, easier than back packing and more demanding than car camping. Elevation is about 6000 feet.

If you can participate on Slinkard Creek, follow the registration instructions below. Later on there will be an improved display and much more detailed information. I will send my cell phone number to participants.

#### **Slinkard:**

Dates are as follows: July 9-12; July 23-26; Aug. 6-9; Aug 20-23; Sept. 3-6.

Note: the June session previously announced is already filled out.

#### **Registration:**

Register by navigating to [www.southwestcouncilfff.org](http://www.southwestcouncilfff.org).

From the home page click on the "conservation" button.

The first conservation item offers buttons for each work session.

Select the session you want, click on it, and fill in the needed information.

The software will automatically send you an email (for security reasons).

Registration is complete when you acknowledge the email.

#### **Alternatively:**

Email me at [conservation@goldenstateflycasters.org](mailto:conservation@goldenstateflycasters.org) and let me register you. I'll need name, creek, date, cell phone, and email address.

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## Destination Silver Creek

Silver Creek is a fair-sized stream in a forest setting. Brush and access are not major problems. The goal is to extirpate the brook trout – here viewed as an invasive species – and remove the resident Lahontans to sections of the creek that are free of remaining brookies. There is a protocol that is followed religiously. Volunteers participate in all roles except operating the shocker. Volunteers who feel uneasy about killing the brook trout might prefer Slinkard Creek where volunteers are mainly involved in brush cutting.

The work dates for volunteers are nominally Thursday through Sunday, but you can arrive on Friday, if necessary. Just let me know. If you are inclined to stay after Sunday, you can do that. The Silver Creek site is 23 minutes north of Bridgeport, CA, on highway 108, and then a ride on dirt roads for two or three miles, followed by a two-mile hike from the trailhead to the work site. Some volunteers camp near the work site, some at the trail head. Elevation is about 8500 – 9000 feet.

If you can participate on Silver Creek, follow the registration instructions below. Later on there will be an improved display and much more detailed information about locations. I will send my cell phone number to participants.



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## Refreshments for our Monthly General Meetings

We're taking sign-ups for our upcoming monthly meeting "Goody Providers." Cookies, brownies, pies, cakes, you name it, club members will be more than happy to eat whatever you bring. This is a perfect opportunity to bring your wife's, the girlfriend's, or the significant other's favorite dessert to share. Heck, even some of you guys can probably whip something up that's probably edible. Worse case, head to the local bakery.

A sign-up sheet will be available at monthly meetings where you can choose which month to bring the goodies.

June	Lloyd Smith
July	No Meeting
August	Annual Club Picnic
September	Walt Farmer
October	TBA
November	TBA
December	Annual Sportsman's Festival



## Kudos to the TIC Volunteers

Lew Albright

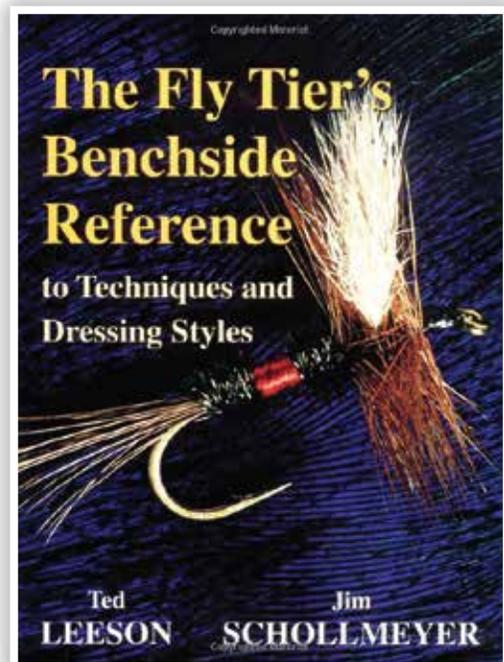
Thank you to the following people: Neal Barry, Don Bowling, Walt Farmer, Oscar Felsen, Fred Freiberg, Steve Garrison, Ed Jeter, John and Barb Linder, Craig Porter, Craig Rae, and Karl Zellner.

Through your efforts, 18 classes had the opportunity to raise and release 1500 fish. This also allowed 350 students to learn not only about raising trout, but also the environment, entomology, and conservation.

Thank you for your hard work!

## Silent Book Raffle

Lew Albright



**Minimum bid: \$50.00**

## On the Hook

Gary Ahr Sr., Weekend Fly-Tying



The next weekend fly-tying session, "Ties & Lies," will be held on Saturday, May 23rd from 9:00am to noon. Join us at "Chuck's Place," 145B Panamint Street.

As always, these fly-tying sessions are open to all. If you need help or assistance to solve a tying problem, then plenty of assistance will be available from the other tiers. You don't have to tie flies either, just come on in and kibitz or listen to the fish stories; maybe swap a few of your own stories.

This is also an opportunity for club members to have access to the club's library to review, check-out and/or return any of the books, reference material, VHS tapes and DVDs that are available.

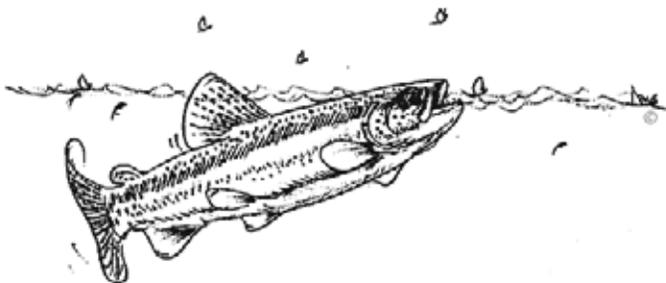
As always, if you have a question please drop me a line at [gary\\_ahr@yahoo.com](mailto:gary_ahr@yahoo.com)

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### Club Donations

The club is looking for donations from members of items for the monthly meeting raffles. If you have items in good condition that are just taking up space please consider donating them to the club. The items do not have to be fly fishing related. You can bring them to a board meeting, a general monthly meeting, or contact one of the board members for pickup. These donations go a long way to help the club raise needed funds to support its various efforts, including Trout in the Classroom, the Youth Program, our conservation projects, and much more.

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## Aguabonita Flyfishers Rod & Reel Inventory

### FLY RODS:

1.	Cabela's	9'-0"	6wt	4-piece
2.	Cortland	8'-0"	5/6wt	2-piece
3.	Fenwick	7'-6"	5wt	2-piece
4.	Fenwick	7'-6"	6wt	2-piece
5.	Fisher	8'-6"	3/4wt	2-piece
6.	Fisher	9'-0"	6wt	4-piece
7.	Fisher	8'-6"	5/6wt	4-piece
8.	Fisher	8'-0"	6/7wt	4-piece
9.	Fisher	9'-6"	7/8wt	4-piece
10.	Fisher	9'-0"	10wt	4-piece
11.	G. Loomis	7'-9"	2wt	4-piece
12.	G. Loomis	8'-0"	3wt	4-piece
13.	Powell	9'-0"	5/6wt	4-piece
14.	St. Croix	9'-0"	3wt	2-piece
15.	St. Croix	9'-0"	6/7wt	4-piece
16.	St. Croix	9'-0"	8/9wt	2-piece
17.	St. Croix	9'-0"	9/10wt	2-piece
18.	St. Croix	9'-6"	7/8wt	4-piece
19.	Sage	9'-0"	4wt	4-piece
20.	Sage VT2	9'-0"	5wt	4-piece
21.	Sage	9'-0"	5wt	4-piece
22.	Sage	9'-0"	6wt	4-piece
23.	Winston	8'-6"	6wt	2-piece
24.	Winston Accent	9'-0"	4wt	4-piece

### FLY REELS & LINE:

1.	Berkley	DT2F
2.	Cortland	DT3F
3.	Cortland	DT4F
4.	Cortland	DT5F
5.	Cortland	DT6F
6.	Cortland	WF7F
7.	Cortland	WF9F
8.	STH	10 F/S
9.	Okuma	WF8F

### WADERS:

1.	2 pairs	Size-10
2.	1 pair	Size-14

To check out a rod and/or reel, call Lew Albright at (760) 375-8725. The club requires a nominal fee of \$5.00. The money will be used for maintenance of the equipment.

## Monthly Club Meeting

General membership meetings are held at 7:30pm on the first Tuesday of each month at the Ridgecrest United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall (639 N. Norma St., Ridgecrest, CA). Everyone is welcome to attend! Our meetings feature guest speaker presentations, brief club news, refreshments, a raffle and a silent book auction.

## Annual Cost for Membership

General membership	\$ 20.00
Associate membership	\$ 5.00
Youth membership	\$ 5.00
Life membership	\$200.00
One time initiation fee	\$ 10.00

## Board of Directors Meeting

The Board of Directors usually meet at 7:00pm on the last Tuesday of each month. The board meetings are held at the club classroom located at 145B Panamint Street and are open to anyone with agenda items to share.

To be placed on the next meeting's agenda, please send your request to Dave Calvert at: [dave.calvert.ii@gmail.com](mailto:dave.calvert.ii@gmail.com)



*"If all politicians  
fished instead of  
spoke publicly,  
we would be at  
peace with the  
world."*

*Will Rogers*

## Board of Directors and other Club Officers

<b>President</b>	Dale Harper	(760) 382-4903
<b>Vice-President</b>	Fred Freiberg	(760) 371-1033
<b>Secretary</b>	Dave Calvert	(760) 793-8026
<b>Treasurer</b>	Steve Garrison	(760) 375-3192
<b>Director A (2-Year)</b>	Dave DeKruiger	(760) 384-8760
<b>Director B (2-Year)</b>	Craig Rae	(760) 375-3707
<b>Director SWC-IFFF</b>	Craig Porter	(760) 446-3400

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### Banquet Chairman for 2015

	Dave Calvert	(760) 793-8026
<b>Club Equipment</b>	Lew Albright	(760) 375-8725
<b>Club Library</b>	Fred Freiberg	(760) 371-1033
<b>Conservation Chairman</b>	Karl Zellner	(760) 499-6361
<b>Education Chairman</b>	John Linder	(760) 377-5750
<b>Membership Chairman</b>	Lloyd Smith	(760) 377-3542
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<b>Outings</b>	Vacant	
<b>Programs</b>	Fred Freiberg	(760) 371-1033
<b>Publicity</b>	Barbara Linder	(760) 377-5750
<b>Trout In the Classroom</b>	Jay Crawford	(760) 375-8275
<b>Webmaster</b>	Neal Barry	(760) 301-2098
<b>Weekend Fly Tying</b>	Gary Ahr Sr.	(209) 918-1053
<b>Youth Coordinator</b>	John Linder	(760) 377-5750

Goodies for the  
June Club Meeting  
— Lloyd Smith —

Goodies for the  
September Club Meeting  
— Walt Farmer —

# June 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31	1	Full Moon <b>Monthly Club Meeting</b> 7:30pm - 9:00pm <b>Dinner @ Casey's</b> 6:00pm - 7:00pm	2	3	4	Flex-Day 5
7	8	Last Quarter	9	10	11	12
TIES & LIES <b>Weekend Fly Tying</b> 9:00am - Noon	14	15	16	17	18	19
		New Moon <b>Great Smoky Mountain NP</b> Created 1934	20	21	22	23
			First Quarter 24	25	26	27
28	29	30	1	2	3	4
	<b>Olympic NP</b> Created 1938	<b>Monthly Board Meeting</b> 7:00pm				

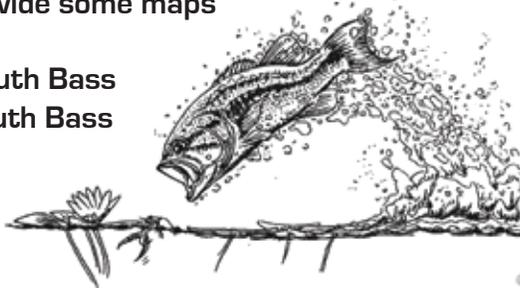
## June Club Outing

### “Warm Water Fishing in the Owens Valley”

**When:** Saturday June 13th

**Where:** Various locations in the Owens Valley.  
It depends on how adventurous you are!  
We'll provide some maps

**Species:** Largemouth Bass  
Smallmouth Bass  
Bluegill  
Carp



**Suggestions:** Many locations are good for float tubing or kayaking. Others offer great casting room from shore or wading  
Bring your own lunch and plenty of liquids. Stay Hydrated!!!

**Prepare for:** Windy conditions  
Heat  
Range cattle  
Skinny dippers

## Club Affiliations

### State and National

👍 **International Federation of Fly Fishers (IFFF)** - Since 1964, the Federation of Fly Fishers has been an organized voice for fly fishers. The Federation of Fly Fishers and its Councils are the only organized advocate for fly fishers on an national and regional level.

<http://www.fedflyfishers.org/>

👍 **Southwest Council International Federation of Fly Fishers (SWC-IFFF)** - The Southwest Council of the International Federation of Fly Fishers represents all of Southern California and Nevada. The Federation of Fly Fishers is a 48-year old international non-profit organization dedicated to the betterment of the sport of fly fishing through conservation, restoration and education.

<http://southwestcouncilfff.org/>

👍 **California Trout (CalTrout)** - Since it's establishment in January, 1971, CalTrouts mission has been to protect and restore wild trout, steelhead, salmon and their waters throughout California.

<http://caltrout.org/>

👍 **Trout Unlimited (TU)** - Since 1959, Trout Unlimited has worked to conserve, protect and restore North America's cold water fisheries and their watersheds. We have protected more than 10,000 river miles nationwide and pioneered new scientific, legal and legislative tools to make America's rivers cleaner and healthier.

<http://www.tu.org/>

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The Aguabonita Flyfishers is an affiliated club of the International Federation of Flyfishers (IFFF) and its affiliate, the Southwest Council of the International Federation of Flyfishers (SWC-IFFF). The Aguabonita Flyfishers is also affiliated with California Trout (CalTrout) and Trout Unlimited (TU).

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## Aims and Purposes of the Aguabonita Flyfishers:

To improve and increase the sport of fly fishing

To promote and work for the betterment of fishing waters

To provide assistance to club members to help them become more effective fly fishermen and to promote the fellowship of the membership

To encourage and assist others to become fly fishermen and true sportsmen

To encourage and advocate conservation of fisheries, waters, and watersheds



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