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The President's Notes

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Sorry this was mostly about my trip, but I hope it proves helpful or at least gives you a Hello to everyone from Salem, Oregon. My trip will be about 6 weeks, including the Badlands, Mt. Rushmore, Sturgis, and the Badlands in South Dakota and went on to Yellowstone. That part of the trip was towing out motorcycles and riding them everywhere we stopped. The more interesting part of the trip to most of you was when I got to Oregon and fished a tailwater and a mountain lake.

I met Tom Warren in Boise, Idaho and we drove over to the Owyhee river (tailwaters) in southeast Oregon. This stream is rated one of the best in the country for Brown trout. It is basically a catch and release stream for Browns but not for Rainbows. Right from the start the fishing was very good. The "normal" Brown we caught was about 19 inches with larger ones very common. We were told that the state stocks thousands of Rainbows each year but they basically end up being food for the Browns. While I normally am a nymph fisherman, I basically fished dry flies the whole trip and had a blast. On the Owyhee we found that grasshoppers proved very good – especially one we picked up at Cabelas. Surprisingly, the biggest fish I caught there was a 24 inch Rainbow. The largest Brown was 22 inches. What a great place to fish – I plan to fish there again next year – let's make it a Club trip.

The second place we stopped to fish in Oregon was a little high mountain lake called "Lost Lake" which is just over the Santiam Pass from Sisters, Oregon. This is a small lake that has an amazing amount of Brook trout. The fly that worked best there was a Parachute Adams. We got a campsite right next to the lake with easy access. We could not have had a more picturesque place to camp and better fishing.

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BUFF August 2010 Program

NO MEETING

Fishing Outing At East Fork Tailwaters

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Now, some helpful tips – 1. Check your tippet before you leave on a trip – don't just pick up a spool out of your cabinet and expect it to have a lot on it – just to pull off some while standing in a stream and finding you only have about one foot left. (Luckily, I had other spools). 2. When someone recommends a hot fly to you and only buy one and have the fish tear it up the first day - Then call a friend and ask him to bring two more – and use them up the next day. Luckily, Tom Warren was smarter and bought more which he graciously offered them to me – Thanks Tom!!!! 3. Try out your new float tube before taking it all the way to Oregon – I thought I had the right air pump, and it worked pretty well, but again Tom to the rescue with a pump to pump it up all the way.

I am sorry I missed the Picnic/Swap Meeting. Hope it was as good as expected. I plan to be back later in August, so I will miss the August meetings. Chuckle!

Roger

Picnic & Swap meet

The BUFF picnic and swap meet was combined this year into one outing at Central Turner Lake. There were 28 members who signed up early online. However, more people showed up and some left early. It was hard to get an exact count. The food was prepared by our own Beth & Andy Statt. The food was very good and plentiful -- any one who left hungry it was their own fault. Now, the fishing was another story. I don't know if the fish knew that BUFF was coming or it was the HOT weather, but the fish went down deep and were never found. In the casting accuracy contest there was a tie between Tony Kalbli and Jim Neckers.

Fall Cumberland River Trout Trip August 19-20-21-22

The "Trout Gods" did a good job of protecting the trout in the Cumberland River last year from the expert fishers of BUFF. High water flooded out our two trips in 2009.

We have a trip planned for August 19-20-21-22 (Thursday travel to-Sunday return). Once again we must watch the dam's water release. If the release is greater than 3700 cubic feet per second, then the river becomes unfishable.

If you need more information about the trip, go to the BUFF web site and look under trips-2010-Cumberland River. Should you need more information call Bob Mackey (582-6756) or Dave Jones (825-7174)? Also look at the list of names recorded as going on the trip to see if your name is included; if not and you wish to go, contact Dave or Bob.

August Fishing Outing

We are not having an official meeting on August 11th - the 2nd Wednesday of the month. This year we are having a fishing outing. Everyone is invited, but it is just an evening out – no business meeting. We are going to fish the Tailwaters of East Fork (Harsha) Lake in Clermont County. (We have had meetings at this location in the past) The Tailwater Shelter has been reserved for our use for the evening. Just two rules are of note: NO alcohol, and the area closes at 10:30 pm. You are on your own for food and drink -- stop and pick something up on your way or pack your own picnic supper. I was told the fishing was good here and the company will even be better.

Driving Directions

From Cincinnati: Coming from the north or south, take I-275 to the OH-125 exit – turn towards Amelia – east on Beechmont Ave (OH-125) Continue to follow OH-125 thru Amelia, and turn left (north) onto OH-222. Travel north approximately 1 mile, and turn right onto Slade Road. Travel into the park and follow signs to the tailwaters picnic area.

From Batavia: From SR 32 take the OH-222 exit , and remain on OH-222 thru Batavia approximately 4 miles to Slade Road. Turn left and follow signs to the tailwaters picnic area.



BUFF 2010 Calendar



August 2010

- Aug 5 **Tie & Lie**, Bass Pro Outdoors, 7-9 pm
- Aug 10 **VA Fly Tying** Dave Jones 930 am
- Aug 11 **Fishing Outing – East Fork Lake - No Monthly Meeting or dinner**
- Aug 18 **BUFF Board Meeting** Atonement Lutheran Church, 305 Cameron Rd. Springdale, OH 7 pm
- Aug 19-22 **Cumberland River Trip**, Jamestown, KY, B. Mackey & D. Jones
- Aug 20 **Tie & Lie**, Bass Pro Outdoors, 7-9 pm

September 2010

- Sep 1-4 **Au Sable River Trip**, Grayling, MI, S. Bailey
- Sep 2 **Tie & Lie**, Bass Pro Outdoors, 7-9 pm
- Sep 8 **BUFF Monthly Meeting** 6:45 – 9 pm
Raffel's on Reading Road
- Sep 10 **Parky's Farm**, 10-2 pm
- Sep 12-17 **Pere Marquette River Fall Salmon Trip** J. Guenther
- Sep 15 **Little Miami Clean-Up Float Trip**, Izaak Walton, S. Lilly
- Sep 15 **BUFF Board Meeting** Atonement Lutheran Church, 305 Cameron Rd. Springdale, OH 7 pm
- Sep 17 **Parky's Farm**, 10-2 pm
- Sep 17 **Tie & Lie**, Bass Pro Outdoors, 7-9 pm
- Sep 23 **VA Fly Tying** Dave Jones 6:30-8:30 pm
- Sep 24 **Parky's Farm**, 10-2 pm

October 2010

- Oct 1 **Parky's Farm**, 10-2 pm
- Oct 7-10 **Ladies Trout Trip**, Sharon Bailey
- Oct 7 **Tie & Lie**, Bass Pro Outdoors, 7-9 pm
- Oct 8 **Parky's Farm**, 10-2 pm
- Oct 8-12 **Smoky Mts. Trout Trip**, Jerry Schatzman

- Oct 13 **BUFF Monthly Meeting** 6:45 – 9 pm
Raffel's on Reading Road
- Oct 15 **Parky's Farm**, 10-2 pm
- Oct 15 **Tie & Lie**, Bass Pro Outdoors, 7-9 pm
- Oct 20 **BUFF Board Meeting** Atonement Lutheran Church, 305 Cameron Rd. Springdale, OH 7 pm
- Oct 22 **Parky's Farm**, 10-2 pm
- Oct 29 **Parky's Farm**, 10-2 pm

November 2010

- Nov 4 **Tie & Lie**, Bass Pro Outdoors, 7-9 pm
- Nov 10 **BUFF Monthly Meeting** 6:45 – 9 pm
Raffel's on Reading Road
- Nov 17 **BUFF Board Meeting** Atonement Lutheran Church, 305 Cameron Rd. Springdale, OH 7 pm
- Nov 18-21 **Fall Steelhead Trip**, Chagrin Falls, OH Tom Herr
- Nov 19 **Tie & Lie**, Bass Pro Outdoors, 7-9 pm
- Nov 23 **VA Fly Tying** Dave Jones 6:30-8:30 pm

December 2010

- Dec 2 **Tie & Lie**, Bass Pro Outdoors, 7-9 pm
- Dec 8 **BUFF Monthly Meeting** 6:45 – 9 pm
Raffel's on Reading Road
- Dec 15 **BUFF Board Meeting** Atonement Lutheran Church, 305 Cameron Rd. Springdale, OH 7 pm
- Dec 17 **Tie & Lie**, Bass Pro Outdoors, 7-9 pm

August Menu

No Dinner Served

**Bring what you want to eat
to the fishing outing**

2010 B.U.F.F Officers/Board of Directors/Key Positions

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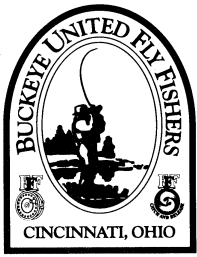
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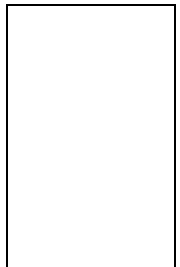


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Next Monthly Event – Wednesday August 11

NO Meeting this month -- Fishing Outing at East Fork (Harsha) Lake Tailwaters. No reservations needed!

