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President's Corner

Mike Bryant (mjbryant@email.com)

The Greater Cincinnati Fly Fishing Show is only weeks away and most of our preparations are complete. We have two halls full of exhibitors, a room full of tiers, great presentations and tying demonstrations – all for \$5.00 / person (kids 12 and under are still free). This is an excellent opportunity to introduce someone to fly fishing. So make plans to attend on Saturday, February 12 and plan on bringing a friend or family member. We will have something for everyone, including kids. We still need your help the day of the Show. Before the Show opens, we need folks to help exhibitors unload their materials and equipment as well as help them pack after the Show closes. Two wheeled dollies, and extension cords and power strips are needed. (Be sure to label these items so they can be returned to you!) Please call (513-697-9576), or send me an email (mjbryant@email.com) if you are willing to help.

Our annual Cabin Fever Relief Banquet is March 5. If you have not attended our Banquet in the past few years, you have missed a great time and the opportunity to win some truly great prizes. As I have written in the past few months, our Banquet is a lot of fun. Try it, you'll like it. Plans for the event are on-track. But, we also need your help with donations. Even if you cannot attend, please consider making a donation. This is our major fundraiser and we want to continue providing you the great support over the next year.

At the January dinner meeting, the membership approved the proposed bylaw change to set the number of Board of Directors at a minimum of thirteen. The vote was 76 (For) – 14 (Against). The vote count was witnessed by Don Prince, Debbie Hampton and Jon Kennard. Following the bylaw vote, the new Board of Directors was approved by the membership. The new Board will assume a leadership of B.U.F.F. in March following the Banquet.

Having Fun - In January, Jim and Debbie Hampton, Ken West, Charlie Svarda, Lou Haynes and I went to the Northern Ohio Fly Tying Exposition in Cleveland. Debbie made new contacts for the 2005 Casting For Recovery Retreat while Jim, Ken, Charlie, Lou and I tied flies at our B.U.F.F. booth. We made new contacts, including a potential new destination for a future B.U.F.F. trip. When we weren't tying flies, we were checking out the equipment and destinations. Ask Jim about the great bamboo fly rod we were all drooling over. *Continued on page 2*

February Meeting Program

Bob Gray, who is arguably the most knowledgeable source about fly fishing on our local streams will speak about the last, great, underfished, overlooked flyfishing resource in North America, **the carp**.

Although not everyone will admit it, they probably have made more than one cast in hopes of hooking on to one of them, and without success. Bob will share his expertise in catching carp. Included in his presentation will be where to locate them, how to spot a feeding carp, and what presentation works best, what tackle to use, and of course, the flies that are most enticing to the carp.

At the February 9 dinner meeting, Bobby Gray will provide a presentation on fly fishing for carp in our own backyard (Brookville Lake). He has perfected the technique and will share what he has learned over the past few years. This should be a really fun presentation. And at the March dinner meeting, Glenn Weisner and Wayne Samson will return to provide a fly tying demonstration. Last year's tying demo was excellent, so make plans to attend the March 9 meeting.

Education – Our 2005 education program is now underway with the start of the net building and rod building courses in February. I believe both courses are full. The Beginner's Fly Tying classes start on Friday night, March 4. As the title of the course implies, this is an introductory course on fly tying and no experience is required. And the Fly Fishing 101 course will start on Thursday night, March 3 and runs for next five Thursdays. Lou Haynes and his instructors will provide you a nuts & bolts introduction to fly fishing. For those of you who are just starting in fly fishing (or even you are interested in a refresher), you should consider attending these courses. One of B.U.F.F.'s primary purposes is to provide quality fly fishing educational opportunities to our membership and these courses are just one way we hope to help you enjoy the sport of fly fishing.

Finally, I have a request. One of the aspects that I enjoy most about belonging to B.U.F.F. is the sharing our members provide in regards to their fishing trips and adventures (and occasional fish story). With a club this large, there are many trips that are taken each year. Consider writing a short article for The Buffer and website. It is a great way to share your experiences with others.

Let's hope for good weather in February and March. The spring steelhead run in northern Ohio and Pa. is still ahead of us, and the Mad River is still available if you have the itch. I am looking out over our frozen lake and it is killing me. Oh well, it's a good time to enjoy the upcoming the Fly Fishing Show and Banquet, plan my 2005 fishing trips and tie some flies. Come on Spring!!!

Nantahala River – North Carolina

Trout Magic – Spring 2005

Mark your calendars and make plans now for **April 29th – May 1, 2005** (Friday – Sunday). This has been one of the more popular BUFF trips and this trip, if anything like previous ones will again be great. It will be Magic. The river is beautiful; it has been said to be the perfect trout stream. The cold clear water has riffles, runs, rapids and pockets. The scenery this time of year will be absolutely breathtaking. The town of Bryson City has a special charm and the people of this area are the friendliest you will ever find. And you are almost guaranteed to catch trout. This will be a great trip for experienced fly fishers and perfect for beginners. Last year more than 30 people attended. **Sign-up begins at the February BUFF meeting** - information packets will be given to all who sign-up. Check out our web site to preview the information packet. Trip Coordinators: Randy Clark, 513-741-8273 & Jeff McElravy, 513-221-2298.

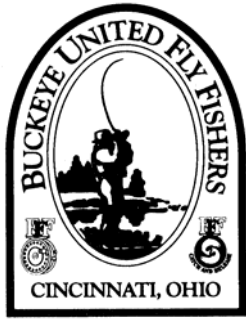
Don Hogue needs.....Help!!

I need ticket sellers for the Fly Fishing Show in the morning and early afternoon on Saturday, February 12, 2005 in one hour & two hour stints from 9:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m.

Don Hogue NeedsMore Help!!

I need three people to help me at the registration table at our Buff Banquet at Receptions Conference Center on March 5, 2005. These individuals will help distribute ticket packets and greet incoming guests. Last year we had a bottleneck, and this year we want to expedite the check-in process.

If you can help...Contact Don 231-4852 or thesputzer@fuse.net , or sign up at the February meeting.



The Greater Cincinnati Fly Fishing Show

Sponsored by: **Buckeye United Fly Fishers, Inc.**
Cincinnati, Ohio

Saturday, February 12, 2005

9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

**Receptions Conference Ctr.
Cincinnati, Ohio**

Everyone is invited to attend the 2005 Greater Cincinnati Fly Fishing Show™. Come and hear great presentations, visit exhibitors showcasing equipment, guide/outfitters, conservation, clubs, flyshops, rod building and watch fly tying demonstrations – all in one great day. A great way to shake the winter blues!! Learn about new fishing opportunities in the Ohio, Kentucky, Tennessee, Virginia, North Carolina, Louisiana, Michigan and other locations. The Show will include:

- Slide presentations and fly tying demonstrations.
- Over 40 exhibitors including fly shops, guides, other clubs, conservation groups, and national equipment rep's.
- A large fly tying area with some of the region's best fly tiers.
- Kid's Corner
- Casting demonstrations

New lower admission price in 2005!

Only \$5.00 per person

Children 12 and under are free

Parking is still FREE!

Beginners Fly Tying

Beginners fly tying starts on Friday, March 4th, and will continue for 5 weeks, the last date being on April 1st. It is on Friday evening from 7 - 9 p.m. at the Maderia Town Hall on Miami St. in downtown Maderia. A different fly will be taught by a different B.U.F.F. instructor each week. You may sign up at the February meeting, on the web sight, or contact Ken West 513-726-6253, or Tom Baker 513-697-7342. Hope you will join us, last year was great fun, and a good time of learning new patterns and techniques.

Cabin Fever Relief Banquet 2005 . . . It's here!!!

The 2005 BUFF Banquet will be held on Saturday, March 5th at Receptions Conference Center in Fairfield. (Check our website for directions.)

The banquet is our largest fundraising event of the year. All profits help to fund our organization's activities and conservation sponsorships throughout the upcoming year. We will have another live auction hosted by professional auctioneer, Russell Arey. And of course we will have tons of raffles including the Magnificent Grand Prizes, General Raffle Tables, Blue & Red Card Raffles and the Children's Raffle. You can look forward to some great entertainment and an outstanding selection of prizes this year.

Our banquet committee has been working very hard for you since October. Here is just a sample of their hard work providing wonderful prizes just for you:

Once again we have over 10 guides that have donated an excursion with them. The generous donations of these guides will allow the lucky winners to learn of the great areas for fishing in many local and non-local fishing waters in our region. What a great way to learn an area and get some tips from the professionals!!!

We also have many BUFF members who are donating some of their expertise as well. We have fishing excursions to archery lessons along with many others. As you all know this is a great way for club members to share the fly fishing knowledge along with many other hobbies or skills they have. Great way to give back to the club and have fun!!!

For the non-fishing items we have some wonderful items that will be offered. A John Ruthven limited edition "Autumn on the AuSable is an "artist's proof" which John, a great fly fisherman in his own right, generously agreed to make available to our club from his own personal stock. Rather than being a numbered print of 1000, it is marked as one of only five "artist proof" prints; John has signed this print with a personal note: "Best wishes and "tight lines" John A. Ruthven". The print also comes with one of the original Trout Stamps dated 1984.

We will also have available four 2005 season tickets to the NIFL Cincinnati Marshalls. This new indoor football team will allow Cincinnatians to enjoy football almost year round. Be sure to visit the BUFF Booth at the Greater Cincinnati Fly Fishing show, as we will have some of the Diamond Deputies cheerleaders on hand to autograph some photos!! The team has acquired many other great fishing and non-fishing items that many lucky attendees will take home.

The team is making great progress, however, we urgently need the help and support of all BUFF members to make the banquet a smashing success.

Here are 3 things you can do to help us out:

- 1.) Contact Debbie Hampton or Roger Corrodo, if you have a lead or connection with outside sources for donations.**
- 2.) Please donate a raffle/auction item, or make a cash donation, even if you cannot attend the banquet. Consider combining your efforts with other BUFFERS to come up with a Grand Raffle Prize. We need both fishing & non-fishing items. Bring your donation to the February BUFF general meeting or send your cash donation to Don Hogue. You can contact Debbie or Roger to arrange a pick-up. That's about as easy as we can make it for you to donate.**
- 3.) Buy a ticket and come the banquet! Don't forget to bring your friends & family. If you have a friend who has fallen on hard times, consider bringing them as your guest. A ticket to the BUFF Banquet makes a wonderful gift!**

This promises to be a great evening that you just don't want to miss.

Come, Bid, Buy and Enjoy this spectacular event!!

The Education Corner

Lou Haynes

Fly Fishing 101 Course:

The education committee will again provide a free fly-fishing 101 course for “club members only” starting in March. The course will encompass 6 classes to be held on March 3, 10, 17, 24 and April 7, 14. The classes will be held Thursday evenings from 7 to 9 PM at Hopewell Junior School, 8200 Cox Road in West Chester (near the Tylersville road/I-75 interchange). Specific directions to the school will be available at the next club meeting and also will be posted on the club website. The course content is designed for beginners as well as intermediate skilled fly fishers. Pre-registration is requested of those planning to attend most or all of the classes. Members who see a specific class or two of interest just come on in – no pre-registration required! A sign-up sheet will be available at the February meeting. You may also pre-register by calling or e-mailing me (513-777-4854; bdhaynes@one.net).

The tentative course outline is:

March 3 (Lou Haynes instructor): rods, reels, lines, line backing and how to clean your lines.

March 10 (Lou Haynes instructor): leaders, tippets, knots, hooks, how to select a fly fishing system to meet your fishing needs, how to properly put your system together and take it apart.

March 17 (Dave Jones instructor): Equipment needs beyond your basic fly rod system, how to wade safely (video), how to properly remove a hook from someone (video), catch and release procedures, stream etiquette.

March 24 (Ed Jones and Bob Ireton instructors): what fish eat, types of fly patterns, some recommended patterns to get you started, fly tying recipes, basic fly tying.

March 31: school is closed for spring break.

April 7 (Joe Panfalone and Mike Bryant instructors): casting basics, the four parts of a cast, the five essentials to making good casts, casting loops and their control, the 15 most common casting errors (video), definition of casting terms.

April 14 (Tom Herr instructor): how to read the water, i.e., determine where the fish are in a stream (video), how to fish different types of patterns (video), fishing opportunities in the Cincinnati area.



New Members

Please welcome two new members **Ruth McCormack - Cincinnati OH; Nancy Meyrose - Cincinnati OH; Larry & Dorothy Long - Lawrenceburg IN; Rob Glinski Rob - Mason OH ; Dave Eidam - Loveland OH; Mark & Jan Welsh - Cincinnati OH** to the club. We all know how anxious we were when we first joined, so go the extra mile at the next club meeting to introduce yourself and make them feel welcomed.

Wanted: Delinquent Library books, videos, and DVDs!And those who have them!

Your BUFF librarian asks your assistance in returning library items in a timely manner. I know it's easy to misplace, forget, or get lazy about returning these items, but the success of the library depends on their being available at each meeting. **Currently there are 8 items checked out in November, and 12 items checked out in December that have not been returned.** If you take them out at one meeting, please be sure that they are returned at the next meeting. Those who have outstanding books -- more than two months -- will not be able to borrow additional items until all delinquent items are returned. This policy will help to keep the library fresh and on the move. Thank you for your awareness and consideration in this matter.

Don't forget that new items appear from time to time, and a complete list is available on our website www.buckeyeflyfishers.com under the library link. The newest items are the latest numbered.

Bob Mackey
BUFF Librarian

A Reason to Never Go Fishing Alone

By Duaine Berger – From Sierra Pacific Flyfishers Newsletter
From FFF Clubwire.

Editor's Note: Although this story takes place in Alaska, it is equally applicable to the places we frequent.

It was time for me to leave Alaska after six weeks of warm weather. My son Mark and I had many fine days fishing the streams that feed Kenai Lake and in the high country near Glenallen. So, it was only natural, when we had a beautiful day, that we decided to get in one last day of fishing to catch small trout and a few big Dollies.

It was September 7th, the day before my scheduled departure and we drove out to fish in a small lake near Portage Glacier. It was a beautiful morning and we were just cruising along in a lazy "Fly Fishing Mode". We parked, suited up, and waded out to small island in the middle of the (very shallow) lake. I left Mark, and walked along the island's shore looking for a good spot to fish. After a while, I heard him calling to get my attention ... I thought he caught a fish. However, when I got back to where I had left him, he was sitting in the water at the edge of this very shallow lake with a frustrated look on his face. He said "I'm hurt, I'm hurt really bad".

I helped him to sit up on the bank and had him leave his leg in the cold water while I hiked about a quarter mile back to his truck to get something to use to make a splint. I found a length of quarter inch poly rope and two alder branches that could be fashioned into a splint. When I got back to him, we wrapped his boot and leg into a solid position. We then hobbled and crawled the quarter mile across the shallow water and thick alder trees, back to the truck.

We still had no idea how badly he was hurt. After a careful trip to Anchorage, (about one hour to crawl out to the truck, and another hour and half drive to the hospital), we got to the emergency room. The x-rays they took showed a shattered ankle, broken in three places with shards of bone all over the place. The nurses in emergency were great. They complimented us on the fine job of splinting...then they said we must have been watching too much wilderness survival on TV! The next day, a very sharp orthopedic surgeon installed two side plates and pinned his ankle back together. Thanks to our working together to hold the damage to a minimum and that excellent hospital staff...all went well.

Mark is home now with his leg up for six weeks, and still wondering what happened. A simple walk, in about six inches of water on level surface with a mud base. Nothing stupid! He went down so fast, he still can not believe it. Mark is a strong six footer who weights 170 pounds, and walks at least a mile or two every day. Not the type of guy you would expect to break a bone in such a simple fall. So much for a warm September day of quiet fishing. Needless to say, we didn't even catch a fish.

I don't know what would have happened to Mark if I hadn't been with him. As a result, I have a basic observation to pass along. When you plan to go "far back" into a quiet place, away from people, please remember that an injury or other emergency can happen to anyone, at any time....and you may not be able to get out under your own power....**NEVER GO FISHING ALONE!**

Calendar of Events

February

Feb 3 **Rod Building**
Feb 3 **Tie & Lie West** 7-9 pm General fly
Tying and story telling. Bass Pro Outdoor
World.
Feb 3 **Tie & Lie East** 6-8 pm General fly
Tying and story telling. Adriens Fly Shop
Feb 3 – 6 **Tracy Byrd Sports Show**
Feb 5 **Net Building**
Feb 9 **BUFF Monthly Meeting** 7-9 pm
Raffel's on Reading Rd.
Social hour 6 pm
Feb 12 **Greater Cincinnati Fly Fishing Show**
Receptions on Rt. 4, 9 am – 5 pm.
Feb 16 **BUFF Board Meeting** 7-9 Church of
Ascension & Holy Trinity,
334 Burns Ave, Wyoming, OH
Members welcome
Feb 17 **Rod Building**
Feb 19 **Net Building**
Feb 24 **Rod Building**

March

Mar 3 **Tie & Lie West** 7-9 pm General fly
Tying and story telling. Bass Pro Outdoor
World.
Mar 3 **Tie & Lie East** 6-8 pm General fly
Tying and story telling. Adriens Fly Shop
Mar 3 **Fly Fishing 101** 7-9 pm Hopewell Jr. School
Mar 3 **Rod Building**
Mar 4 **Beginning Fly Tying**
Mar 5 **Cabin Fever Relief Banquet** Receptions on
Rt. 4
Mar 9 **BUFF Monthly Meeting** 7-9 pm
Raffel's on Reading Rd.
Social hour 6 pm
Mar 10 **Rod Building**
Mar 10 **Fly Fishing 101** 7-9 pm Hopewell Jr. School
Mar 11-13 **Northern Ohio Steelhead Trip** (Primary dates)
Mar 11 **Beginning Fly Tying**
Mar 16 **BUFF Board Meeting** 7-9 pm Church of
Ascension & Holy Trinity,
334 Burns Ave, Wyoming, OH
Members welcome
Mar 17 **Fly Fishing 101** 7-9 pm Hopewell Jr. School
Mar 18 -20 **Northern Ohio Steelhead Trip** (Secondary dates)
Mar 18 **Beginning Fly Tying**
Mar 24 **Fly Fishing 101** 7-9 pm Hopewell Jr. School
Mar 25 **Beginning Fly Tying**

April

Apr 1 **Parky's Farm** 10am – 2 pm
Apr 1 **Beginning Fly Tying**
Apr 7 **Tie & Lie West** 7-9 pm General fly
Tying and story telling. Bass Pro Outdoor
World.

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Apr 14 - 17

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Apr 22 -24

Apr 28 – May 1

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May 21 -22

May 27

Tie & Lie East 6-8 pm General fly
Tying and storytelling. Adriens Fly Shop
Fly Fishing 101 7-9 pm Hopewell Jr. School
Parky's Farm 10am – 2 pm
BUFF Day Trip – TBD
BUFF Monthly Meeting 7-9 pm
Raffel's on Reading Rd.
Social hour 6 pm
Catskill Fly Tying Rendezvous
Fly Fishing 101 7-9 pm Hopewell Jr. School
Parky's Farm 10 am – 2 pm
East Fork River Sweep 9 am – 1 pm cooking
BUFF Board Meeting 7-9 pm Church of
Ascension & Holy Trinity,
334 Burns Ave, Wyoming, OH
Members welcome
Parky's Farm 10 am – 2 pm
Rockwell Springs Trip
Nantahala Fishing Trip
Parky's Farm 10 am – 2 pm

May

Basic Casting Cottell Park 10 am-1pm
Tie & Lie West 7-9 pm General fly
Tying and story telling. Bass Pro Outdoor
World.
Tie & Lie East 6-8 pm General fly
Tying and story telling. Adriens Fly Shop
Parky's Farm 10 am – 2 pm

Spring Day at Parky's Farm 12-4pm
BUFF Monthly Meeting 7-9 pm
Raffel's on Reading Rd.
Social hour 6 pm
Parky's Farm 10 am – 2 pm
Basic Casting Cottell Park 10 am-1 pm
BUFF Board Meeting 7-9 pm
Church of Ascension & Holy Trinity,
334 Burns Ave, Wyoming, OH
Members welcome

Parky's Farm 10 am – 2 pm
Women's Only Fly Fishing 9 am – 3 pm TBD
Day Trip TBD
Basic Casting Cottell Park 10 am-1pm
Fishing Has No Boundries Cowen Lake 8 am -4 pm
Parky's Farm 10 am – 2 pm



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Dave Uckotter Beginning Casting
Coordinator

Open Fly Tying

Bill Fischer Club Mail

Jim Boude Hart Show

Jim Hampton Monthly Raffles

Lou Haynes Club Assets Owner
Fishing Show
Advertising
FFF-OSC Director

Open Club Historian

Don Prince Club
Health/Recognition

Patti Howell Outreach Co- coord.

Don Hogue Membership Health

Steve Lilly Program Support

Open Fly Fishing Show
Chair – Fly Tying

Open Fly Fishing Show
Chair – Exhibitors

Debbie Hampton Banquet Co-Chair
Roger Corrado Banquet Co-Chair

Please note that there are open positions!! If you would like to get more involved, volunteer for a job!!!

February Menu

Beef stroganoff
Chicken Cordon Bleu
Au Gratin potatoes
Buttered corn
Tossed salad with dressings
Rolls and butter
Assorted sheet cakes

2/2005 B.U.F.F. Financial Report
(rounded to dollar amount)

Beginning Total	\$9012
Receipts	
Membership	\$485
Dinner	\$900
Match the Hatch	\$20
Interest	\$1
Raffle	\$455
Banquet Donations	\$325
Casting For Recovery	\$25
Banquet tickets	\$345
Tracy Byrd Tickets	75
Banquet Registration	\$1490
Calendar	\$330
Visa/MC	\$35
Total Receipts	\$4471
Disbursements	
Raffel's	\$910
Bank Charge	\$13
Display Board	\$1819
Education	\$337
Fly Fishing Show Ad	\$390
Buffer	\$214
January Speaker	\$132
Club Printing	\$429
Monthly Raffle	\$325
Calendar	\$795
Tracy Byrd Show	\$300
Cabin Relief Forms	\$26
Hart Show	\$55
Banquet-Raffle Rod	\$291
Tom Jones Memorial	\$40
Total Disbursements	\$5739
Ending Total	\$7745

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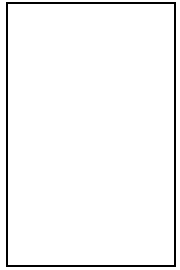
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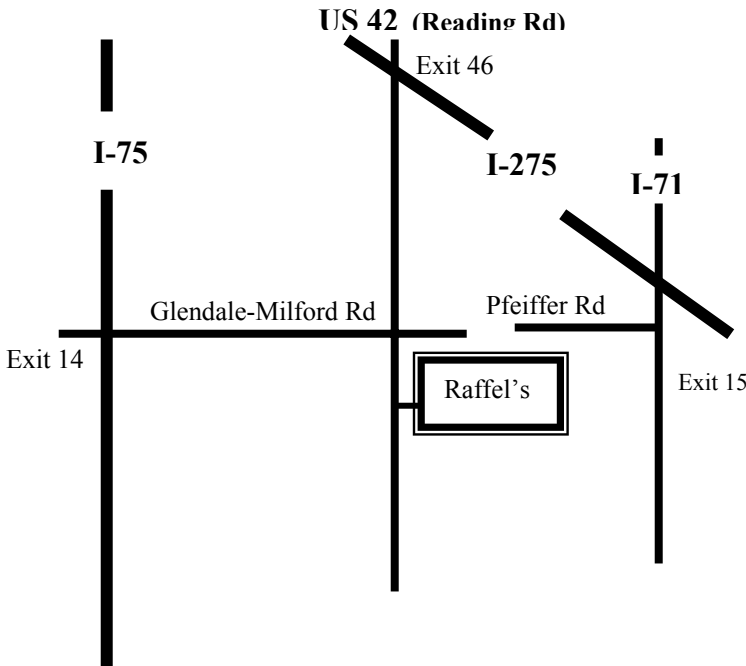
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Next Monthly Meeting – Wednesday – February 9

CALL 779-4489 OR SIGN UP ON LINE AT WWW.BUCKEYEFLYFISHERS.COM FOR DINNER RESERVATIONS NO LATER THAN 10 PM ON THE SUNDAY BEFORE THE NEXT MEETING. DINNERS ARE \$10.00/PERSON FOR A CATERED MEAL. DOORS OPEN FOR SOCIAL HOUR AT 6 PM – DINNER SERVED A 7 PM. RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED – DON'T WAIT – CALL NOW! (SEE THE MENU ON PAGE 8)



Directions:

From I-275 – Take Exit 46, (US 42), south for three miles to Glendale-Milford Rd. -- Continue south and RAFFEL'S will be on the left approximately 3/10 mile.

From I-75 -- Take Exit 14, east, on Glendale-Milford Rd. until the intersection of US 42, (Reading Rd). Turn right (south) on US 42, and RAFFEL'S will be on the left approximately 3/10 mile.

From I-71 -- Take Exit 15, west, Pfeiffer Rd. & this becomes Glendale-Milford Rd.. At the intersection of US 42, (Reading Rd), turn left, (south) on US 42, and RAFFEL'S will be on the left approximately 3/10 mile.