

NEWSLETTER

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We Support Catch and Release

August 2010



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Next Meeting:

August 18, 2010
Lakeside Fire Dept
2922 Highway 260
Lakeside, AZ 85929
(928) 368-6112

5:30 PM – Social Hour
6:30 PM - Meeting

WMFFC Mission Statement

The Mission Statement of the White Mountain Fly Fishing Club is: "To assist in the development and maintenance of fly fishing opportunities and to promote and participate in fly fishing in its many forms."

We support and practice Catch and Release. We support the use of Barb-less Hooks and harmless netting and release practices. Fish should never be held out of water for longer than you can hold your breath.

Tight Loops

Well guess what??? . . . we got wet again at the Hawley Lake outing. Can't seem to pick a weekend with good weather! Still had a good time though.

Everyone I saw caught fish.

With the profits from our banquet, the club is looking to work towards more conservation projects. This is a big part of what the club is about.

If you have any projects that interest you, let the board members know or use the suggestion box. This should be your year to get involved.

By now you should have received the "buddy list". Give somebody a call and find out what a great group of people we have in our club.

The Dutch-Oven Cooking Family Outing I wanted to have in August has been changed to September 18. More information will be given out at the August meeting. This is going to be a fun outing... make plans to attend and bring your family.

We still have the fly-tying classes going on at the Lakeside Fire Station on Wednesday evenings at 7:00PM through August.

See you there!



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**2010
WMFFC
Board
Members**



- President:** Ken Wolf..... (928) 367-0936
- Past President:** Bob Bowers..... (928) 367-5579
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August Monthly Meeting @ 6:30PM

NOTE: Lakeside Fire Department

Agenda:

- Social Hour -- (5:30PM)
- Call to Order -- (6:30PM)
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Introduction of Guests and New Members!
- Committee Reports
- Business
- Previous Outing Overview and Upcoming Outings!
- Fish Tails
- Raffle
- The special presentation for this month will be:

GERRY MYERS -- VP



To Be Announced

Dutch Oven Cooking – On September 18th which is our regular monthly outing, we will have a family gathering with dutch oven cooking as the specialty of the day. Right now it is planned to be held at Mountain Meadows in Lakeside, but more information will be presented at the August 18th monthly meeting.

Renew Your Membership – Renewals were due on July 1st – BUT – you can still renew. The cost is \$30.00. Contact Dennis Jones @ 928-367-6124.

**Upcoming
Three Month
Calendar**



August	18 th 21 st	2010 Monthly Meeting Big Lake
September	15 th 18 th	Monthly Meeting Dutch-Oven Cooking with the Family
October	20 th 23 rd	Monthly Meeting Horseshoe Lake

Outings, Club Projects and Upcoming Events

Hawley Lake Outing ...



It was a good day, but also disappointing. The weather started out really good and the morning was good for fishing. With a mountain lake like Hawley and the pines, the setting was great for about anything you want to do. What was disappointing was how few showed up to enjoy this. I heard from one

party that came up to Hawley, but couldn't find us.

I had my grandson with me and introduced him to fly fishing. He did pretty well for the first time and had a lot of fun.

About 10:00 AM or so, the rain clouds came rolling in along with lightning, so everyone got off the lake. It rained pretty good, so we all sat in our vehicles until it let up. About 11:00 AM the rain stopped, so we decided to do lunch. We broke out the grills and grilled a bunch of hot dogs. We also had a carrot dish that was very good (one of those dishes you want the recipe for), chocolate chip cookies and soft drinks. Even with so few showing up, it turned out to be a very good lunch.

After sitting around for a little while after lunch just chewing the fat, we decided to call it a day, so we packed up and headed home. It was a good time, enjoyed by those who came.

Hope to see you at the next outing at Big Lake.



Submitted by Ted Lambert, Outings Chairman

Summer Classes ...

August 11 and 25 advanced fly tying

- All classes are on Wednesday, 7:00 PM at Lakeside Fire Station
- All materials will be provided by the club.
- To sign up please contact Dennis Jones at dcjones1@frontiernet.net or 928-367-6124.
- Sign-up info was mass emailed in late June.

Submitted by Dennis Jones, Membership Chair

Elections Results...

Gerry Myers – Vice President

Dawn Hewitt – Treasurer

Michael Smith – Board Member

Help CFR Win \$250,000!

CFR is in the running for the Pepsi Refresh Project \$250,000 Grant. It would mean so much to many more women in areas where CFR does not yet serve breast cancer survivors. Please continue to place your votes three ways for CFR in the \$250k category. Vote daily until August 31st This grant would expand our reach...we could add 5-7 more fly fishing retreats in states where we have not yet been! The contest runs from August 1st through the 31st only and is driven by daily VOTES! CFR needs 500,000 votes during the month of August in order to win \$250K. YOUR help is critical. Go to www.refresheverything.com A page should come up with two choices - you want the "Browse Ideas and Vote" choice on the right. When you get to the "Vote Now!" page - you still have to register this first time - on the lower left you will see Welcome, sign in or Join - click on join and register to be a voter. Once you have registered you will see your name in that lower left so you will know you have signed in. Now in the upper right there is a search text box. Put in "Providing Hope and Healing Retreats for Breast Cancer Survivors" When the results come up you can vote there or go to the project page.

WHITE MOUNTAIN FLY FISHING CLUB, INC.

GENERAL MEETING MINUTES, 07-21-2010; LAKESIDE FIRE DEPARTMENT

Call to order by: Ken Wolf, President @ 6:30 PM - Pledge of the Allegiance by Mike Styvaert.

The June minutes were approved.

New Members and Guests:

- Three new members joined the club: Jim Hatchesen, Fred Fuller, and Keith Spain. We also had three guests.

Committee Reports:

- Treasurer – Balance of \$13,165.94.
- Conservation – Club approved ADOT Highway Mile 375 on 260.
- Outing – Hawley Lake Saturday July 24 – one day only. Craig Harmon made signs for our outings giving directions to the outings.
- 2010 Election of board members:
- Gerry Myers – Vice President
- Dawn Hewitt – Treasurer
- Michael Smith – Board Member
- Recognition for the annual banquet; awards given to:
- John Switzer, Mike Styvaert, Bill Langdon, Craig Harmon, Nick Culty, not present – Dawn Hewitt and Michael Smith.
- Awards to Project Healing Waters: Fran Stier and Gary Miller.
- Casting for Recovery: Gary Miller, Fran Stier, and Gail Allgood.
- Raffle was a huge success this month; thanks go out to Bill Langdon and all who donated items.

Announcements:

- Banquet - \$4,160.00 profit this year.
- The banquet is planned for June 11, 2011.
- U.S. Department of Agriculture – improving eleven fish barriers for Apache trout. The club response – would like to see more help for brown trout for stream fishing.
- Fools Hollow – thanks to everyone that helped with the fish habitats. It was money well spent.
- Will be passing out new “buddy lists” to members who signed up.
- Family event – Dutch-oven cooking event at Mountain Meadows Park. This is a family out; more information to follow.
- Alaska trip for the club – August 27 – September 3, 2011. If you are interested contact Ken Wolf.
- Pay your dues by the end of August to receive your newsletter.
- Bob Bowers will be contacting the members who signed up for rod building.

Program:

- The program was given by Dr. Gary Hall – Pesca Maya Fishing Lodge – bone fishing.

Respectively submitted By: Ken Wolf, President & Acting Secretary

Meeting was adjourned at 8:45 PM

Edited By: Cory Huth & Sparky Snyder

New Members - Welcome to our club's new and renewing members, Fred Fuller, Jim Natcher, Keith, Judy & Macey Spain, Kathy Hoogerwert and Darrel Brinkerhoff.

If you have an Ad or Article that you would like featured in the next Newsletter, please submit them by the 1st of the Month * Sparky Snyder *** sparkysnyder@cableone.net**

“There is a little something in this newsletter for everyone, even those who look for mistakes.”