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Swirl Tips

WWW.EVERGREENFLYCLUB.ORG NOVEMBER 2013

Meeting: Nov 26th, 2013 @ The Majestic Cafe
Wet Fly – 6:00 p.m. Meeting – 7:00 p.m.
Location Address: 2929 Colby Ave, Everett, WA 98201



The Presidents Message

By Jim Pankiewicz

Hello my brothers and sisters of the fly,

Just like the seasons, change is upon us. I'm not talking about change that might happen, or change that we should begin thinking about; I'm talking about change that is here now.

Our club has met for the last time at the Tulip Inn. Our November meeting will be at the Majestic Café, our Christmas party will be at the Blue Heron Room on the Everett waterfront, and most of our club meetings in 2014 will be at the Blue Heron Room also.

In 2014 the club will no longer be arranging for a catered dinner at our meetings. Dinner will be available at Scuttlebutts for people who would like to purchase it.

Our library is for the most part gone.

The board has done a great job of dealing with the changes and the tight timeline given us when, with very short notice, we learned that we could no longer meet at the Tulip Inn. In particular I would like to thank Gary Iverson and Jake Jacobsen for all the work they did to research meeting sites. They both went more than the extra mile on this.

Please come to the November club meeting, the Christmas party, and the 2014 club meetings with an open mind. Be open to the changes; be willing to try to see the possibility that this all may be for the best. Come to the meetings with a generous heart also. By that I don't mean that you should buy more raffle tickets. Well, it would be great if you bought lots of raffle tickets, in fact please do, but that's not what I'm talking about. I mean that we should all come to the meeting and work hard at not being quick to criticize. Instead, let's be quick to say thank you to someone.

We have several board members whose term ends this year. Our past president, John Gattinella, is responsible for fielding a slate of officer candidates for the coming year. He is looking for a treasurer, a secretary, a vice-president, and a quiet, unpressured place to catch 5 pound trout within 1 hour of his home. Okay, he will settle for 3 pound trout and he will drive two hours to find them but we really do need some new board members. Dale Dennis and I have agreed to serve on a nominating committee to help John and the club. Dale may stand outside your home and throw pebbles at your windows to help you decide what office you like to hold. Seriously, please consider serving on the board.

I have not fished since our last club meeting. I'm not complaining; I've just been working a lot. But doggone it; I'm going to fish for Chums at least once before the next meeting; heck, maybe even twice!

I look forward to seeing you at our November club meeting and at our Christmas party. Bring your open minds and your generous hearts please. Thanks.

MEETINGS

General Meeting – 4th Tuesday of the month, 7 pm (6 pm Wet Fly hr.)

Board Meeting – 1st Tuesday of the month, 7 pm (6 pm dinner) Village Restaurant

Conservation Committee Meeting – 3 rd Thursday of the month, 7 pm Village Restaurant

Up and Coming Events

December 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 Board Meeting	4	5	6	7 X-Mass Dinner
8	9	10 ST Cutoff	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

Dec 7th

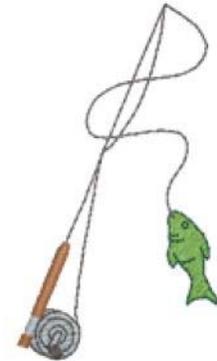
Christmas Party

Jan 8th

Start of Fly Tying Class

Jan 25th ,26th

Winter Fishout



Library New's

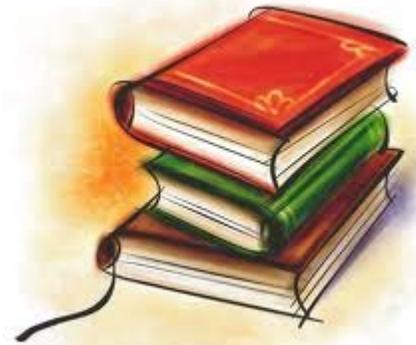
By Dave McCutchen

Library News

We need all books and DVDs returned this month for inventory purposes. Our library is undergoing a major renovation as we move to our new venue. If you are unable to attend this month's meeting and have checked something out from the library please contact me at deepwater22@live.com or 425-337-4123. Library renovation information will be available at this month's general meeting.

Past Due Books and DVDs

Please return checked out library items so they can be shared with others. Remember the club policy for past due materials is \$1 per item per month past due - pay the Ghillie! Thank you!





Old Timers Night

By Gary Medema

November is " Old Timers " month a kind of veterans day for our long time members if you will. Last June we lost one of our oldest and most dedicated members Gordon Swanson. Gordy was an active member of the Evergreen Fly Fishing Club for more than 55 years. He was one of our lifetime honorary members and club historian for many years. At the November meeting there will be an opportunity to make a donation to " Sound Salmon Solutions" in honor and memory of Gordy. I enjoyed his friendship for many years and I'm sure many of you did too. Lets honor him one more time by supporting the sport of fly fishing that we all love.



November Meeting

By Gary Iverson Vice President

Our November 26 meeting will be held at the Majestic Café, formerly the Flying Pig restaurant, located at 2929 Colby Avenue in Everett. The lower area of the restaurant has been reserved for our "Old Timers" meeting.

Members can enter the restaurant through the front doors and then down a stairwell to the banquet room. The back door to the banquet room will also be available for those who don't navigate steep stairs very well.

We'll be running the same format as usual - wet fly hour from 6 to 7, dinner/business/fishing reports from 7 to about 7:45. The last hour we'll show a 33 minute DVD presentation on the early years of the Evergreen Fly Fishing Club. The film was shot with an 8mm camera beginning in the mid-1950s and has a great sound track accompanying the film. Following the film, we'll have a few of our senior members share some memories of outings with newer members.

The buffet dinner for that night is meatloaf, mashed potatoes, gravy and vegetable or salad. I think you will enjoy this dinner at a very affordable price of \$15.00

Spey Rod For Sell

Call or email Dale D.

13' 7wt Echo DH (Deck Hogan)

Spey Rod excellent condition \$150.



Annual Auction

By Mike Schutt

Thanks to everyone who supported our club by donating items to the 2013 auction. And a big thanks to all those who helped out with the setup, running & take-down of the auction and banquet room. It's a pretty consistent group that I rely on for help, but we definitely can use more bodies, so please let me know if you're interested in helping out for next year.

As usual, the great selection of trips, art work, and boxes of member-tied flies really helped to bring in some money. We were a little light on attendance this year, but were still able to come close to our projected revenue. We'll begin collecting donations earlier in 2014 so that we can prepare a catalog in advance.

Again, thanks for making the 2013 EFFC Auction a success.



Holiday Banquet

By Gary Iverson

The EFFC Holiday Banquet is set for **Thursday December 5 at the Port of Everett's Blue Heron Room - 1205 Craftsman Way in Everett.**

The Blue Heron is located upstairs from the Scuttlebutt Restaurant and will accommodate 200 people in a 3,000 square foot banquet room. The room features views of the Port's 12th Street yacht basin and has the best sunsets in Snohomish County! Doors will open at 6:00 pm.

Because the Club and Moveable Feast will not be able to sell alcohol on the premises, members may bring their own beer, wine or other spirit for consumption at the party. We have secured a Banquet Permit from the Washington State Liquor Control Board that will allow alcohol consumption from 6:00 pm to 9:30 pm.

Dinner Buffet

Beef Tenderloin Medallions

Roasted Chicken Breasts with Cranberry Stuffing

Steamed Red Potatoes with Herb Butter

Four Cheese Pasta Bake

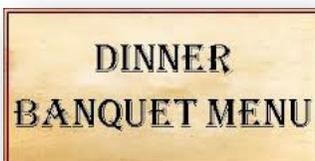
Garden Salad with Ranch & Italian Dressings

Fresh Fruit with Devonshire Dip

Gourmet Breads & Rolls with Butter

White Silk Cheesecake and Chocolate Decadence Cake

Regular & Decaffeinated Coffee, Holiday Punch & Ice Water



Holiday Banquet

Coming from the South:

I-5 Northbound
Broadway Exit
Left on Everett Avenue
Right on West Marine View Drive
Left on Port Gardner Way
Right on Craftsman Way

Coming from the North:

I-5 Southbound
Everett Avenue Exit
Right on Everett Avenue
Right on West Marine View Drive
Left on Port Gardner Way
Right on Craftsman Way



Holiday Banquet Dinner Reservation
Port of Everett - Blue Heron Room
Thursday, December 5, 2013

After the Club's financial contribution, the final cost to you is \$30.00 per person. Reservations must be made by Saturday, November 30. Please mail your reservation to Gary Iverson at the address below. You can also pay me at the November meeting. Make checks payable to EFFC.

Name _____

Sign me up for _____ dinners at \$30.00 per person.

Total enclosed \$ _____. Make checks payable to EFFC and indicate check is for 2013 holiday banquet.

Send Checks to:

Gary Iverson
5513 Ocean Avenue
Everett, WA 98203-1310



Membership

By Gary Iverson Membership

It's that time of year again! That's right... membership dues collection.

**MEMBERSHIP
RENEWAL**

Pay Dues

**Membership Renewal Form
Is On The Last Page!**

Dues remain a bargain at \$30 for members residing in Snohomish County and \$25 (Associate) for those who live outside Snohomish County. Dues are important in managing the club's operating budget, so please pay them on time.

Evergreen Fly Fishing Club

PO Box 221

Everett, WA 98206

2014 EFFC Membership Renewal Form

Membership dues are \$30 for members & \$25 for associate members

Name: _____ Spouse's Name: _____

Address: _____

Mailing Address (if different): _____

Telephone Number including area code: _____

Email Address: _____

Committee or Board Interests: _____

Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

Please send your check payable to EFFC along with the completed the renewal form (above) to the following address:

Gary Iverson, EFFC Membership

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