Fish Out Committee Report

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Your IWFF Fish-out Committee consisting of Leo Snye, Jack Toomer and yours truly met on Friday Jan 26th to draft out this year's IWFF Fish Out schedule, which is listed below. This schedule is a completed first draft, built around known dates of our "other" planned activities. We were striving to include both week dates and weekend dates to accommodate both retired and working folk. Consider this a "first draft" because we are open to include recommendations from members for additional sites and dates for club sanctioned fish outs. In addition to this list, we have a further "surprise" in that the new website will allow members to post at any time that they are going fishing, to a particular lake or stream or beach, on a particular date and time and if anyone is interested in joining in, to reply to this posting....this will all happen without having to email me to post on the next week's newsletter or send out an email. All you will have to do is go to our new IWFF website and post your request....Pretty Cool eh! I'm excited because now we can take immediate action when fish show up or a bite's on.

Following is our current 'Calendar of Events' including our draft of "sanctioned" (for insurance purposes) club fish outs:

Date	Event
Feb 3	Saturday Fly Tying at Oliver Woods Community Centre
Feb 13 -15	Oyster Hatchery Coho Clipping
Mid - Feb	Dennis Mullins Casting Clinic
Feb 18-28	Local Lake Fish outs/Cowichan R, Stamp R Winter Steelhead; times will be posted on new IWFF website
March 4 & 7	Winter Steelhead fishing Stamp/Cowichan/Salmon (discharge or flow dependant)
March 10	Fly Tying Saturday at Oliver Woods Community Center

- March 15&18 Sproat Lake Fishout and Taylor River Drift
- March 22 Fuller/Chemainus Lake Fish out
- March 29 Cowichan River /Stamp River drift
- April 7 Fly Tying Saturday at Oliver Woods Community Center
- April 8 Green Lake Fish out
- April 13 15 Kissinger Lake Fish out
- April 21 -22 Stream Keepers Course
- April 22 -28 Fish out/Drift TBA
- May 5-6 Panther/Shelton Lake Fish out
- May 15 -17 Reginald Lake/Elk River Fish out
- May 26 Panther/Shelton Lake Fish out
- June 2-5 Elk River Fish out
- June 4 18 BC Interior Merritt to Hw 24 Lakes
- June weekends Panther/Shelton Lakes for Non BC Interior Fishers
- July Eve River Clean up, Beach and River Pink Fishing TBA on IWFF Website
- August River and Beach fishing for salmon TBA on IWFF Website
- Sept 5-10 Canim River Fish out
- Sept 15 & 22 Panther/Shelton Lakes

Sept 26th –early

- Oct San Juan River
- October Chum/Coho fishing TBA on IWFF Website