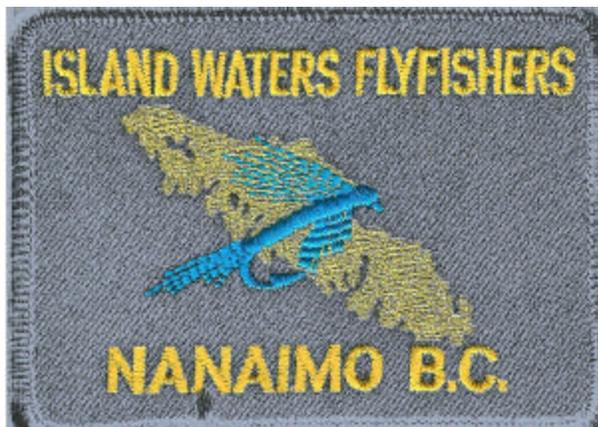




ISLAND WATERS FLY FISHERS



Photo by Harold Tinling - a great shot of beautiful Henry lake



The Island Waters Fly Fishers
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The Purpose of our club is as follows:

- To practice, further and promote the art of fly fishing
- To practice and promote fish conservation and enhancement
- To encourage fellowship and sportsmanship amongst anglers

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The British Columbia Federation of Fly Fishers (BCFFF) is a registered, non-profit society whose main objective is to promote the conservation of the fishing environment in British Columbia. By networking with similarly minded clubs, organizations, businesses and individuals, the BCFFF provides a voice that reflects its member's and the public's concern for the future of B.C.'s natural resources. Our organization believes that concern for the future of our province's environment is not just the exclusive domain of fly fishers or other recreation groups, but should be the concern of all citizens. Consequently, it is with this broader population in mind that we strive to protect and promote our natural resources for the benefit of present and future generations to respect and enjoy.

Visit the BCFFF on their webpage at <http://www.bcfff.bc.ca/>

President's Message

What a great summer! There were fishouts to various lakes nearly every Saturday. Besides the photo descriptions in the newsletter, there were trips to Quennel, McKay, Crystal, Westwood etc. The email system of advising the members of the next fishing trip worked very well. All that was required was a few guys with a common plan, send it out and it was done - and with very little effort. This was discontinued for beach fishing because some of these areas are already congested on Saturday (the best day for most us).



Bernie Heinrichs

A few members reported excellent success for Pinks - and this is the "off year" for them. The line up of activities for this fall looks good. The general meeting on September 27th will feature the second to last fly tying class this year. There has been room for more tyers in the intermediate class - if you have had some experience. Come out and observe this one or the

beginner's class. The visiting and coffee are always good. The Gilly should also produce some good stories accumulated from your summer experiences. These stories do not have to be about fish - entertainment is the main ingredient. The October general meeting is Super Gilly night and most of the previous story tellers have told me that they have another one in the works. They have all reassured me that honesty is the prevalent theme this year - yeah, right! For those who missed it in previous years, come on out for a good night of entertainment and do not worry about being called upon to speak - we have lots of good BS'ers already slated. So come up with your story and tell us about it. A bit of physical evidence is also recommended. The second Tuesday in November is swap night. This is a first for me and our club (I think). Bring out your surplus, but good gear, money and strike up a deal. There are still lots of good lake, river and salt water fishing left this year - enjoy it and see you at the meetings and events.

2005 Program

- Sep 27 - regular meeting and fly-tying
- Oct 11 - final night for fly tying courses
- Oct 25 - SUPER GILLY " TALL TALES"
- Nov 8 - swap night! old gear and stuff
- Nov 22 - regular meeting - Elections.
- Nov 26 - Christmas Banquet and Auction

WANTED

Photos, stories, poems, information, "How To's" etc. for the newsletter.

Recycle your magazines to the waiting rooms in the hospital. Bring them to Larry Miller at the next meeting or noon lunch.

Calendar of Events

Noon Socials and Luncheons

At 11:30 am every 1st and 3rd Wednesday at the Wellington Pub (half price specials). This is getting so popular that there are some who lunch there every Wednesday.

Club Library

Matt Haapala has offered to serve as the club's first librarian. If you have any appropriate books that you would like to recycle, please bring them to Matt or call him at 390-1917. Thank you Matt.

Christmas Party/Auction

Saturday, November 26, 2005 at the Lantzville Legion. We will need auction items. Please think about what you can contribute and how you can help to obtain donations.

A pair of belly boaters on Rhododendron Lake

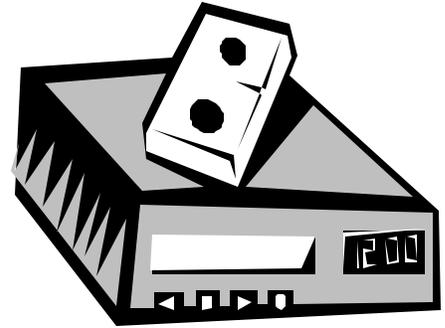


Harold Tinning, above, and Wayne Legge enjoying a great fishout.



List of Videos

See Jim McEwan to Check These Out



- 12 FLY FISHING MAGAZINE – OLYMPIC TROUT & STEELHEAD
- 13 THE ESSENCE OF FLY CASTING – MEL KRIEGER
- 14 FLY FISHING STILLWATERS – ALF DAVIES
- 16 SURVIVING THE HOOK – D.F.O.
- 17 RELEASE 'EM RIGHT – D.F.O.
- 21 TROUT FISHING – STEVE WAWRYKOW, IWFF
- 23 STEELHEAD FISHING – IWFF
- 27 MAGIC OF FLY FISHING – STORIES OF MANY TRIPS
- 34 DUBBING THE LOOP WITH ROOTS
- 35 TYING BASS FLIES – IWFF
- 37 BASS – THE 99% SOLUTION – FISH'N CANADA
- 40 THE RIVER OF NO RETURN – IWFF REPORT
- 42 25 FISHING LAKES – MERRITT TO KAMLOOPS
- 43 - 1 NORTHERN LAKE TROUT – FISH'N CANADA
- 43 - 2 FLOATING FOR GATORS – FISH'N CANADA
- 43 - 3 LARGEMOUTH BASS – FISH'N CANADA

June Meeting

Thank you, Earl Stevens, for the photos - great job in overcoming your camera problems



Leo Snye (guest), Paul Inscho, Jack Toomer, Terence Swean, and Glynn Currie line up to buy their fly draw tickets.



Bob Leverman and Gerry Stevens critiquing the newsletter.



Ron Moll got a few laughs during the Gilly



Doug Peterson demonstrates the fine art of using his fish bonker. He turned it out on his lathe and donated it as a Gilly prize.

Winners at the June Meeting



Dave Degner, right, won a Pinks Fly Fishing DVD prepared and donated by Steve Wawrykow.



Bernie Heinrichs endured the cat calls when his name came up as the winner of the cash at the Gilly draw.



Ray Evans won the fly draw.



Keith MacDonald won the fly fishing calendar donated by Joie, Gone Fishin'.

Pink Salmon Panel Discussion



Steve Wawrykow, moderator, showed us some slides and video excerpts from his DVD that he has nearly completed. This was a preview to the panel discussion. The panel members were Keith MacDonald, Joie Coe, Paul Inscho, Roy Sorensen and Mel Shang. It was a very timely and informative discussion involving a lot of audience participation. Topics included flies and equipment, presentation techniques, tips, methods etc.



This is what a fly fishing club is all about and we need more ideas for another topic.



Keith MacDonald showed us how to rig up a fly fishing rod with line, leader and tippet for Pinks.

Fishouts



Jim MacFie trolling on Marshal Lake



Bernie on his way to Rhododendron Lake - so how do you get a 4 ft. belly boat down a 2 ft. path?



Steve Wawrykow, left, Harold Tinling, and Jim MacFie take a break from their Eve River fishing

This summer saw a lot of fishouts with one every Saturday for a while. Besides the lakes named here, we also went to Panther (several very productive times), Crystal, Quennel, Henry and Westwood. All that was needed was an email notice a few days before and the guys would just show up at Tim Hortons. Thank you Harold and Wayne for the great photos.



Harold Tinling with his 18 in. Brown and Wayne Legge with his matching rainbow from Lois Lake

Lois Lake Fishout



John Bucchieri, left, Bob Leverman, Ed Tremblay, Wayne Legge, Doug Peterson, Bernie Heinrichs, Ray Garton, Gerry Stevens and Harold Tinling. Thanks Harold, for the photo.

Listing of Library Books

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>AUTHOR</u>
1 A Stain Upon the Sea	West Coast Salmon Farming	Collection of Essays - 2004
2 Complete Guide to Fishing Across North America		Joe Brooks - 1970
3 Michigan Trout Streams A Fly-Anglers Guide		Bob Linsenman & Steve Nevala - 1993
4 The Ardent Angler	Short Stories	Editor: Neil Cameron - 1994
5 The Fishing in Print	A guided tour through five centuries of Angling Literature	Arnold Gingrich (1974)
6 To Catch a Fish	Fishing Onward Through Life	Lionel RHG Leach, MC,1995
7 Trout Flies	Naturals & Imitations	Charles M. Wetzel (1955)

See Matt Haapala (390-1917) to borrow any of these fine books.

Pig Roast



Wayne Legge, left, and Larry Miller with Roberta, wrestle the pig from its warm lair.



Wayne and Larry continue the process while Matt Haapala closes the lid, Collene Busche, Bill McColl and Judy Legge stand by waiting for the squal.



Jed and Carole Degenais look after "Lulu" from next door.



Dorothy and Don Clarke requested that no "cute things" be mentioned in the newsletter.



Hale Yardley, Emily and Fran McColl took precautions from the few drops of rain that did not materialize into anything further.



Lill Stevens waits for Gerry to barbecue the salmon. She was the "behind the scenes" hostess to the fly tying sessions last winter. Thanks Lill.

Pig Roast cont'd



Larry offers Bill the tastiest morsel of meat from the pig - and Bill eagerly accepts the honour.



Ron and Carole Busche enthralled with Ralph's fishing exploits on the "Canal"



Bonnie Haapala, Roberta Miller (hostess), Matt Haapala and Ralph Carlson gather around the most popular table of the evening. The dessert table in the background also drew an attentive crowd.

Thanks to all who contributed to this very successful event.

SUPER GILLY (TALL TALES NIGHT)

At our regular meeting on Tuesday, October 25, 2005



Bring your stories and experiences (some exaggerations have been suspected in previous tall tale events).

The contestants respond better to an appreciative audience so please come even if you do not have a story. There will be no pressure to get a story from you at the event.

Participants are requested to bring a written copy of their presentation so that there is an opportunity to publish the stories in the newsletter.

Prizes and awards for several categories.

Annual Banquet and Auction

Location: Lantzville Legion, Lantzville

Time: Cocktails at 6:00, Dinner at 7:00
Saturday, November 26, 2005

Cost: \$25.00 per couple and **a prize to donate to the Auction.**

Bring lots of money or your loan officer to bid on the donated items.



Island Waters Fly Fishers Society
Minutes of General Meeting

Held on Tuesday June 28 at 7:17 in the
Ukrainian Church Hall, 4017 Victoria Ave.,
Nanaimo, B.C.

Meeting Called to order at 7:17

President Introduced new guests: John Snook
and Leo Snye

Minutes of previous meeting read: moved as
read by Paul Inscho (MSC)

Treasurer's Report: Harold reports we have
\$6367.05 and we are debt free.

Correspondence: None

Committee Reports:

Health: Gerry Steven's wife, Lill, has been
very ill but is responding well to treatment.

Gerry thanked the group for the flower

Entertainment: Bar-B-Q is firmly
established for August 27. The Fun Car Rally
starts at 2:00 and supper follows the rally

Conservation & Fishing Events: Livingstone
River trip is cancelled due to heavy rains, fish
all washed out of the stream. Trip planned for
Tofino in Sept.

Videos 24 in stock

Library we now have more than 10
books

Fly Tying: next formal class Sept 13

Boys and Girls Club: MOVED by Bruce
Cumming that we provide \$300.00 for the fish
out to Englishman River. Unspent money and
receipts will be returned at the end of the
summer. Second Gerry Stevens, Carried

Gilly: Winners Bernie H and Dave D.
(Thanks for the DVD , Steve)

Old Business: NONE

New Business: Wayne Legge suggested we
provide money for the Englishman River
aquaculture enhancement. The money is
controlled by the Malaspino University and they
have collected \$5000 but need more. Since this
is a "local" river the membership suggested that
the Directors investigate further and report back
to the next general meeting in Sept. The person
in charge of this project is known to many
members of our group as Frank was a founding
member of Island Waters.

MOVED by Steve Wawrykow that we pay the
\$100 hall rental fee for the November
Christmas event. Second Paul Inscho , carried

MOVED by Keith MacDonald that we
provide \$1000 for the Handi-Cap casting
platform at Long Lake. Seconded by Bruce
Cumming, carried.

((Note that BCFFF also donated \$1000))

Harold suggested a fly swap to take place at the
Sept meeting. He proposed that each participant
provide enough flies so everyone has one.
Therefore, if there are 20 participants, we each
make 20 flies. Harold will separate, label and
give credit to the tier and redistribute in Sept or
Oct. Many members signed up. (Thanks Harold,
great idea)

Steve W. suggested we purchase a TV/DVD/
Tape machine so that speakers are not required
to bring their own (heavy) equipment. He
would ask someone to make a locked cabinet
for the church Hall. This will be referred to the
next director's meeting.

Main Speaker: Pink Salmon Panel Discussion

Next director's meeting will take place on Sept
13

Meeting Adjourned at 8:15