Kennedy Lake Report, Aug 27

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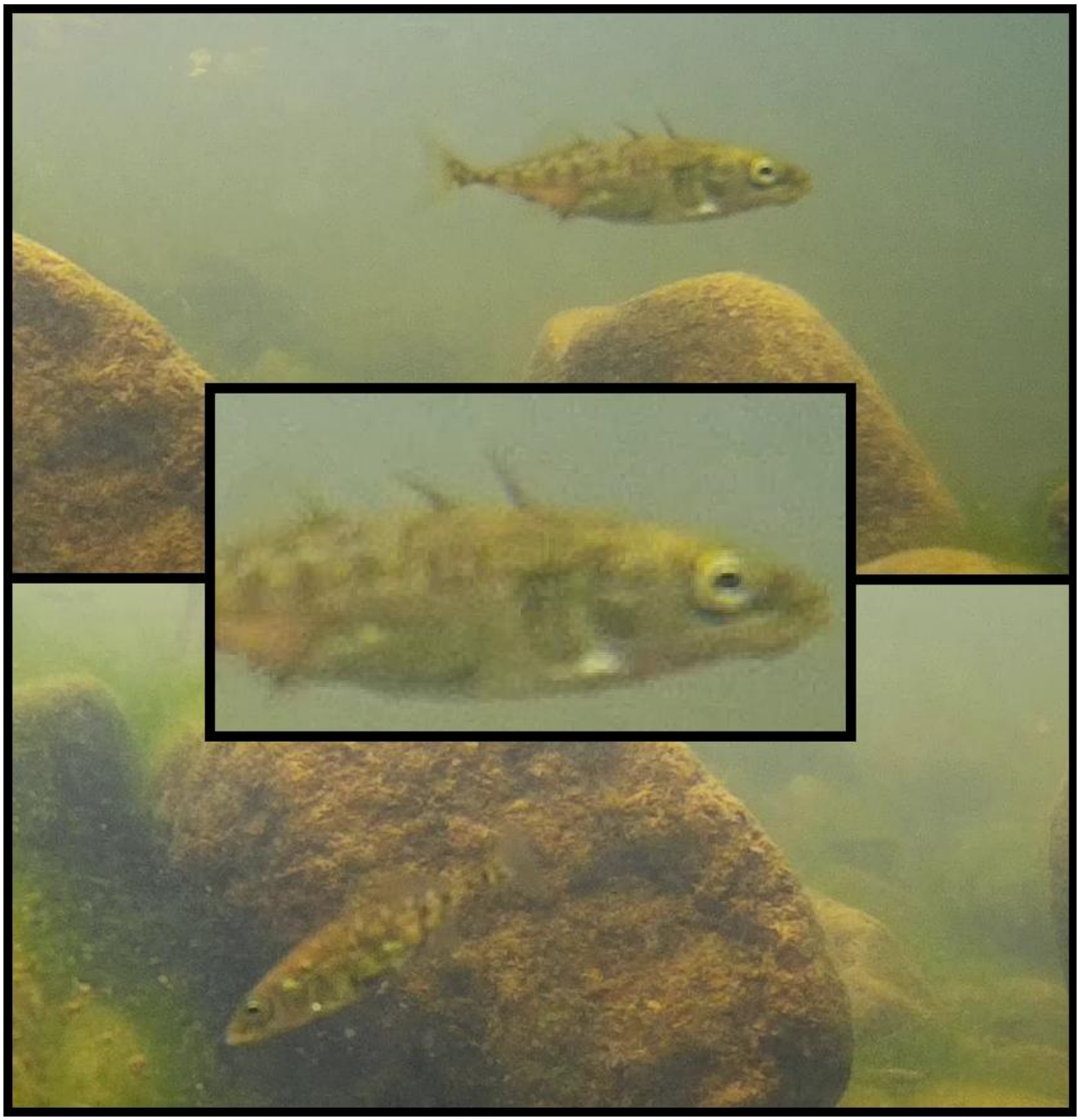
Just returned from an overnite trip to Kennedy Lake with Bruce. We launched my boat and set up camp on the far side of the lake near my favourite hollow cedar.

It drizzled overnight, and we nearly got rained out the next morn! Then it cleared up and we spent the afternoon racing around and tossing small spinners around creek mouths.

The lake is lower than I have ever seen it before. We found no sea-run cutts and zero cohos, only small to medium size resident cutts. Nice pretty fish but not what I was after.

We even made the long run down to the outlet of the lake at Kennedy rapids, but there were no fish at all there which was shocking to me. My boat ran well, which is good cuz we would still be out there rowing if it had not. It was pretty obvious that the good fishing is yet to come, so we loaded up and headed home.

Also notice the pic from video I shot in Millstream River during last Tuesday's water quality monitoring. You can see where this fish earned its name - Three Spined Stickleback. There are a few trout in there too, but I muddied up the water before I could shoot in the deeper part of the pool.