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MEETING NEWS

TIME: 7:30 p.m.

DATE: September 17, 2003

PLACE: Senior Rec. Center
Santa Clara and
Oak

Program by Jim Ferris

*"Yellowstone The Other
Waters...The Journey
Continues"*

UPCOMING EVENTS

BOARD MEETING

September 15th, 7:00 PM

Shakey's Pizza Parlor

SEPTEMBER BBQ

Saturday, September 27th,

9:00 AM

Lake Casitas

OCTOBER BOARD MEETING

October 13th, 7:00 PM

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Senior Rec. Center

SEPTEMBER BBQ ON THE 27th

The board has selected Sat the 27th to have our annual BBQ. Again it will be held at Lake Casitas at the "Gazebo" group picnic area starting at 9:00AM.

We will have a tri-tip BBQ, casting clinic on the water, kayaks for those who wish to fish or bring your float tube (Gary Bulla did hook a Bass while trolling from his kayak), and a general outing for members, their family members, and any guest or visitors who care to join us.

The cost is \$6.00 per family in order to cover expenses. Those members with last names from A to G should bring salads, H to P beans or corn and Q to Z dessert. We are starting early, so as to avoid the afternoon winds that often manifest themselves in the afternoon and we'll go until we are done. At our meeting on Wed. there will be a sign up sheet in order to gauge participation. Additionally, we will telephone the membership.

Looking forward to another successful annual BBQ.

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WIND KNOTS AND TAILING LOOPS

FLY TYING:

It's time to renew our Fly Tying get-togethers and they are scheduled for the fourth (4th) Thursday evening of each month (unless announced otherwise), so mark your calendars.

The first get-together will be on September 25, 7:00PM, at the Brooks Institute's Ventura campus, 5301 N. Ventura Avenue (Rt. 33 to Canada Larga off ramp). As before, we'll meet in the conference room.

We will continue with spinning techniques, including hair and wool. Bill is going to "Kick It Up a Notch". So bring your stuff and be prepared to learn new things and enjoy getting back together and sharing.

THIS MONTH'S SPEAKER: JIM FERRIS

Jim Ferris has spent the summers in Yellowstone country for over 30 years. He presently lives on Henrys Lake outside of West Yellowstone. Jim was a guide and outfitter for over 16 years and was affiliated with Blue Ribbon Flies for most of that time. He has been an advisor and Certified Instructor to the F.F. F. casting program, and has taught fly fishing Schools for Fenwick, Mel Krieger, Bob Jacklin and Mt. San Antonio College. Jim Ferris chaired the first Southern California F.F.F. Conclave and also chaired a national F.F.F. Conclave. He has traveled extensively for trout, salmon, and light salt water all over North, Central, and South America (i.e. Belize), Christmas Island, Chile, Argentina, New Brunswick, Alaska etc.

FROM THE OUTING CHAIRMAN

KERN RIVER ON THE 17/18/19 OCTOBER

Guy Jeans and Ty Stork will be hosting this outing. As you may know Guy now guides and is starting a fly-fishing shop in Kernville. Besides providing an excellent opportunity to learn how to fish the Kern we will be hosting a dinner on Saturday night at Ewings restaurant in the banquet room honoring Ray Johnson for the many years he has served this club and bringing the world of fly-fishing to so many people. The Sat. schedule is as follows:

Rendezvous at Guy Jeans new fly shop at 8:00am for orientation and info on Kern River Area. (not sure of address, call myself or Guy for location later this month)

Cocktail hr 6:30pm to 7pm at Ewing's on the Kern

Dinner and honoring of Ray 7pm to 9pm

(Cost for dinner will be provided at a later date) In order to ensure an adequate tables are reserved request members sign up or call Ty Stork (639-0125) or myself if you are planning on attending.

Guy provided the following possible fishing schedule, sounds great: "I (Guy) would like to offer anyone that wants to learn some of the different techniques I use on the Kern that opportunity, possibly Friday or Saturday morning. I will also offer anyone that wants to fish the upper meadows for Golden hybrids or Browns in some of the most beautiful areas on the planet."

Lodging info is as follows: – this should be a great outing in an area that is not too far away.

Sequoia Lodge (760) 376-2536 rates from \$79 to \$109

Golden Trout Resort (760) 376-6033 rates \$80.00

Whispering Pines Lodge (877) 241-4100 rates from \$159.00 to \$179.00

Additional info on Kernville is available on links of Guy's website,

www.kernvalley.com/flyfishing

EASTERN SIERRA NOVEMBER 1/2/3/4

This outing will cover both the first weekend of Nov. in Bishop or Mammoth plus Monday and Tuesday at the Hot Creek Ranch. Remember the season has been extended until 15 Nov. I have reserved three cabins at the Ranch for Monday and Tuesday. The cost is \$165.00 per night for two people. Additional person is \$80.00 per night, only three fly rods allowed per cabin. (Check in time is 4:00 pm Monday with departure 12:00 noon on Wednesday). Depending on an individuals schedule can either do just the weekend or the Ranch or both as I plan on doing. At the present time eight individuals have expressed an interest in the Ranch. A deposit of \$225.00 is required on all reservations. Four weeks notice is required on all cancellations for a full refund. I fished Hot Creek the second weekend of Nov. last year and had the public side almost to myself – one of the best days I have had on Hot Creek.

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MEMBER'S CLASSIFIED ADS

- 1-14 Wt. 2pc. Austin Flyrod \$ 125.00
1-Redington Large Arbor AL910-Gold finish \$100.00
DB Dunn "Payette" rod case for 10' 2-pc. rods (with reel attached). \$ 40.00
All items in very good to excellent condition. Call Bill @ 805.657.5566
- I have two Sage blanks I want to make into completed rods. 680GFL and 686FLRP. If anyone is interested, I will wrap them as per their color choice and reel seat choice. I'll be at the next meeting or call me at (805)649-5605. Ray Johnson.

NEWLETTER INPUT

If anyone needs to contact me regarding the newsletter, I can be reached at the following numbers.

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