

# FINNY FACTS

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San Diego Fly Fishers



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## On-Line Membership is a Reality for All Members- (Below) Trout-in-the-Classroom in Pictures- (page 3)

### This Month's Speaker:

**Greg Vinci**

**Topic: Steelheading The American**

**Bio on Page 10**



### On-Line Renewal

Shortly after the 1st of the year, San Diego Fly Fishers made a move to join the 21st century by offering the opportunity to renewing their club membership using their home computer, smart phone, or Ipad to pay for their dues. This is a win-win situation as the club no longer mails envelopes which means that you don't have to fill out a check, figure out how to use the envelope (I never did), place a stamp on the envelope, then place it in a mailbox.

Thanks to the effort of **David Collins** and **Bruce Harris**, renewal is a few clicks away!

Here's how you do it:

**1st: on your computer (or other device) go to [www.sandiegoflyfishes.com](http://www.sandiegoflyfishes.com)**

**2nd: click on Join Our Club**

**3rd: in the orange colored box click on Renew Online**

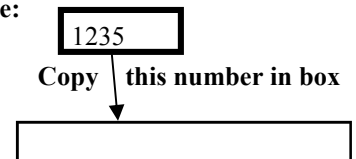
**4th: Read the entire page and complete the form in the aquamarine colored box**

**5th: After you have completely filled out the form, make sure you click the box that states \*I have read and I agree to the terms of the San Diego Fly Fishers General Release. Not sure what is in General release, Click Button on bottom right that says Read SDFE General Release**

**6th: For safety, copy the number in a**

picture above Submit Button and copy that number in a box below the number.

Example:



**7th: Hit Submit Membership Info**

**8th: Select membership type and follow instruction to make payment. If you have made an online purchase, you can work this system.**

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**Next Meeting**  
Monday, March 7, 2016  
7:00 pm  
Southwestern Yacht Club  
**See next page for Pre-meeting Clinics and Classes**

March

- 2nd- San Carlos Recreation Center at 6:30pm

April

- 6th- San Carlos Recreation Center at 6:30pm
- 7th- VA Hospital at 9:30am
- 21st- VA Hospital at 9:30am

Note: Map for San Carlos Recreation Center on back page. Look for Fly Tying Congress. Both using same place.

**2015 Stroud Award Recipient– Louie Zimm and family**

**Yesterday,  
Today,  
Tomorrow**



From left– Shelly Wagner, Paul Woolery, better half Gordie Zimm, Louie Zimm, Moma and Sam Morebello.

January’s club meeting featured **Lew Zimm** receiving the 2015 Stroud award, presented by the 2014 Stroud winner **Paul Woolery**. Lew’s enthusiasm for the preservation of fisheries resonated as he is deeply entrenched in what he loves.

Fly fishing offers a unique combination of solitude on our favorite waters and the camaraderie of sharing our adventures with others. We all come to the sport with various levels of proficiency in casting, fly tying and on the water knowledge.

Joining SDFF with limited knowledge of fly fishing, my indoctrination was fortunate to be instructed by the late **Ned Sewell** and currently by **Lee Anderson** and the Sunday bunch for flipping flies. The late **Bill Stroud** assisted in selecting my first floating and sinking lines, which I still use to this day. **Lucky Ketcham, Chuck Waterman** and **Steve Piper** attempted to instruct me about fly selection and how to wrap thread around an impossibly small hook and make some sort of fish delicacy. Bob ‘Big Fish’ Pharoah provided ‘on the water’ invites and guidance to work on my skill set. Combine those with a great fishing buddy and invaluable paid guide trips and I almost qualify to be called a fly fisher.

So what made me stick to the complex sport of fly fishing. **Lucky Ketcham, Art Reifman, Jon Hee** and folks like you, continue to welcome my lost soul to monthly club meetings. SDFF offers various ways to give back to others, whether it be Chollas Lake ‘Lend a Rod’ program, Trout in a Classroom, water quality surveys, Boy Scouts merit badge, Day at the Docks or golden trout work in Casa Vieja meadow. My hope is that each of us will find our passion in the sport and continue to give back to others.

I know our club and the future of our sport would greatly benefit from having mentors for bay, shore, inland lakes and river fishing. If you feel so inclined, just drop me an email, pull me aside at a meeting or use our club Forum site to say ‘hey, let’s go fishing’. If there is a trip you might want to head up, use the same, to see if others might be interested in joining. And when you and a buddy enjoy a day on the water, take a few pics and send them to our web master **David Collins** so he can upload them to our club website. If nothing else, just to buffer the time between **Jack Duncan’s** and **Lee McElravy’s** fishy smiles.

*-Bruce Michael*



**Thank you for your support.**

**Bratwursts are available for purchase at COSTCO Warehouse stores.**

**Pre-Meeting Clinics**

- **Fly Tying Demonstration with Greg Vinci from 6pm.**
- **Don’t forget there is dining and adult beverages available from 5:30 pm**

# CONSERVATION



## Hello San Diego Fly Fishers!

I want to thank all of you for your incredible efforts in the Trout In The Classroom Program! The teachers at all three schools were very impressed by the support they are receiving. It is unfortunately an unusual thing for the schools to be embraced so by the community, and so you have already made a huge difference. Believe me, the students see this, and get a sense of community and an understanding of service. Again, this is different from what they normally experience. I think you all could see that when you met them.

Again, Thank you all, and I look forward to working with, and learning from all of you. I have not included every person's email address, as that tends to get treated as spam. PLEASE forward this to all who have helped, especially the 2 Bruces! Have a great day!

Bob Forthun  
Education Coordinator  
San Diego River Park Foundation

## Mark Your Calendar !

**The release of the 1st Batch of fry is Friday, March 11th between 10am-1pm at Lake Murray at the Fly Casting Area or Launch Ramp; Look for the yellow School Buses.**



Volunteers (from left) **Bruce Harris, Bob Forthun, Gary Strawn, Bob Stafford, Alan Thompson, Sarah Hutmacher, Fred Gregory, Bruce Bechard, (Missing- Bruce Michael)**



A student is carefully releasing the trout eggs into the classroom tank by using a spoon to disperse throughout the tank



Eggs lying on the bottom of the tank, see the two eggs as marked by white arrows.

## Rush Creek Clean-up



The Tenth annual Rush Creek clean-up will take place on Saturday June 11 2016 and will focus efforts on an eight mile stretch of Rush Creek from the Southern California Edison power plant upstream of Silver Lake down the canyon to US 395.

Volunteers should meet at the Silver lake boat ramp at 8:00am and bring gloves, a hat, sunscreen, repellent, boots and waders if you have them. Trash bags will be provided by Silver Lake resort.

This section of Rush Creek is especially popular with anglers and each year up to 50 bags of material are collected. Particular importance is collecting stray fishing line caught in the bushes and trees as this is a huge threat to birds and other wildlife. After the clean-up, Silver lake Resort will treat the volunteers to a free barbeque lunch.

If you are interested in keeping this pristine stretch of water clean come up and meet members of the Streamborn Fly Fishing Club who are the primary organizers of the event. Any questions on the clean-up you can contact Joe Lemire to confirm your attendance ([jflx8@dslextreme.com](mailto:jflx8@dslextreme.com)) at (909)609-1101

Thank you Streamborn!

# Casting Corner

## Causes and Correction of Tailing Loops

**John J. Adametz**

Why do we care about tailing loops? First, tailing loops are the cause of wind knots, which can decrease the strength of your leader/tippet by up to 50%. Second, tailing loops result in poor presentation of the fly, and third, tailing loops are a result of inefficient casting.

First, let's define a tailing loop. A tailing loop, also called a crossed loop or a closed loop, occurs when the fly leg (typically the upper leg of the loop to the fly in an overhand cast) crosses the rod leg (lower leg of the loop) as a result of the rod tip traveling in a concave (bathtub) path. This is different from an underslung loop, which is not a casting fault, and is caused by gravity when really great casters are throwing exceptionally tight loops at long distances.

What causes a tailing loop? Tailing loops are always caused by a concave path of the rod tip. That is, the rod tip dips below the straight line path then rises, like the shape of a bathtub. If you remember one thing from this article, remember for good loops, you want your rod tip to travel in a straight line path. So let's discuss this



concept in a little more detail. To understand how to correct a tailing loop, we must first understand the fundamentals of throwing efficient, tight, or good loops. A fusion of the five essentials of fly casting as described by Jay Gammel might say that good loops are formed when the caster accelerates the rod smoothly through a stroke and arc proportional to the amount of line outside the rod tip, such that the rod tip travels in a straight line path, with a pause proportional to the amount of line outside the rod tip, while eliminating slack. By adjusting the amount of force you apply and subsequent bend you place in the rod

and rotational arc of the tip, you can control the path of the rod tip and the shape of your loops. Too little bend or too wide an arc and the rod tip will travel in a convex path (like a windshield wiper) resulting in a wide or open loop. Too much bend or too narrow an arc and rod tip will travel below the straight line path and when the tip raises back up, you will have created a tailing loop.

There are many things we do that result in a concave path of the rod tip. I will discuss three of the most common faults: (1) inappropriate application of force or unsmooth acceleration, (2) too narrow an arc, and (3) creep, which is movement of the rod in the opposite direction of the unrolling line without bend in the rod. If your loops are tailing, try the following: apply less force/bend in the rod, widen the arc that the tip travels, and don't start your forward cast and smooth acceleration until the backcast is nearly unrolled behind you. Remember, you want a straight line path of the rod tip.

You do not have to be a great caster to catch fish and my goal is to help you catch more. Lastly, let's not get too technical, fishing is fun! When all else fails, remember my two rules, (1) any day fishing is a good day, and (2) any fish caught is a good fish. Tight lines!

John Adametz is a freelance outdoors writer, fly fishing enthusiast and International Federation of Fly Fishers Certified Casting Instructor. He is affiliated with San Diego Fly Fishers, Golden State Flycasters, Mississippi Coast Fly Fishing Club, and Brotherhood of the Junglecock (Maryland Chapter). Any day fishing is a good day!

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## Advanced Casting Instruction

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with  
**John J. Adametz, IFFF Casting Instructor**  
**8 to 9AM, first and third Sundays**  
**Lake Murray**



I am offering Advanced Casting Instruction to any San Diego Fly Fishers or Golden State Flycasters club member on the first and third Sunday of each month from 8 – 9 AM starting January 3, 2016. If you are looking to improve your casting or are interested in preparing for and obtaining your International Federation of Fishers Certified Casting Instructor credential, I can help. Let's work together, have some fun, and learn some casting! Please contact me at [john.adametz@gmail.com](mailto:john.adametz@gmail.com) should you have any questions.

### Advance Casting Instruction Schedule

March 6	The Double Haul
March 20	Going the Distance
April	To be determined based on demand

**Special Note: Classes have been moved from Lake Murray to Ski Beach Park in Mission Bay Park off of Ingraham Street at Vacation Road.**

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# Fly of the Month



## Skittering Caddis

Submitted by Lucky Ketchem

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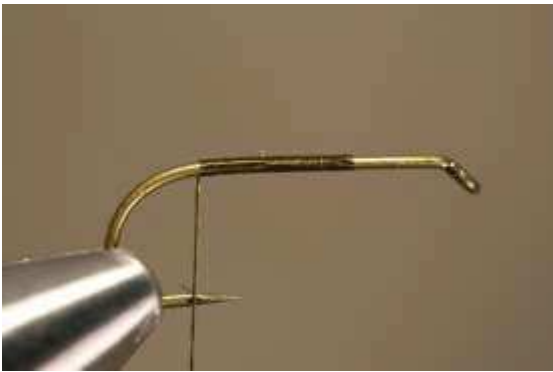
**Hook:** standard dry fly 10-18

**Body:** synthetic, color to match natural, peacock colored dubbing is a good choice

**Wing:** turkey or peacock treated with flex coat

**Hackle:** brown saddle hackle – use more hackle wraps for fast water and skittering.

**Feelers:** stripped hackle stems



Cover 2/3 hook shank with thread.



Dub the body – cigar shape

*Continued on next page*

## Fly of the Month *continued*



Fold a strip of treated wing material and tie in at front of body.



Strip the barbs of the stem of the saddle hackle and tie in, leaving a long antenna or feeler on one side. Then strip and tie in the saddle hackle for the second feeler. The long antennae help keep the fly on the surface when skittering the fly and they mimic one family of Caddisflies. Leptoceridae – long horned Caddisflies.



Wrap the brown saddle hackle making 8 to 9 turns. Use two neck hackle feathers if necessary to make the fly float and skitter better. The long saddle hackles make this fly easier to tie. Whip finish. Add silicon floatant to the fly, leader and two feet of the fly line.

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# DOUBLE HALL BALL

## SATURDAY, MARCH 12TH

A Special Saltwater  
Educational Series  
for Fly Anglers

LONG BEACH CASTING CLUB 9AM TO 4PM

Long Beach Casting Club - 5201 E 7th St, Long Beach, CA 90808



## LEARN TO FLYFISH THE SURF!

**\$5** *Donation at the door to help support* **ALGALITA**

*Capt. Charlie Moore* ([algalita.org](http://algalita.org)) will speak on the Plastic Ocean at 1pm  
All day fly casting Instruction & fly tying demos. Special musical performance by  
Par Avion at noon! Ocean inspired sea creatures for sale by CBK



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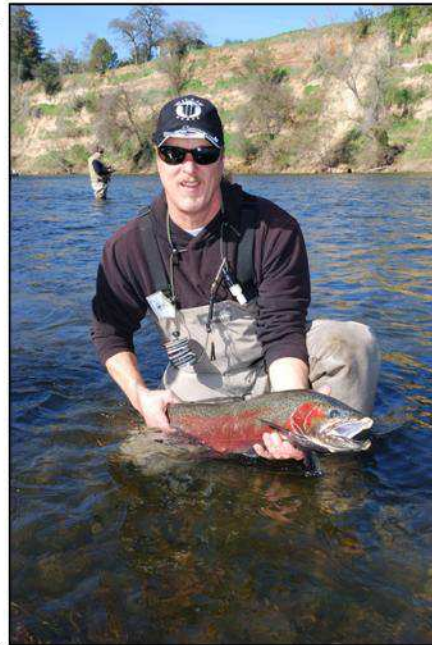


## American River Steelhead

### Trophy Steelhead under the palms

Northern California's American River is one of the southern most reliable trophy Steelhead fisheries in the northern hemisphere. The size of the fish are large and they return each winter like clockwork. The American also hosts annual runs of "half-pounder Steelhead" and good runs of American Shad and Stripped Bass. All of this in one of the most densely populated cities in the state.

The presentation consists of over a hundred photos taken over the past ten years to illustrate the stories I've written for major fly fishing and outdoor magazines. The tour begins at the most downstream access point and then continues upstream with visits to each of the other popular spots upstream to Nimbus Hatchery near the dam. We discuss fly patterns and techniques and I've included lots of maps to provide orientation as we proceed. This is a great introduction to those who have never fished the American and it will also provide some good information to regular visitors that have not had a chance to explore the whole fishery. Presentation runs about 1 hr.



## Future Events

### Boy Scout Fair

Mark your calendar for Saturday, April 16, 2016 for this year's Scout Fair at Qualcomm Stadium parking lot. As in the past, **Bob Pharoah, Lucky Ketchem, and Richard DeBusk** are the coordinators for both the San Diego Fly Fishers and Golden State Flycasters.

Your help is greatly appreciated as the young boys embark on an effort to earn a Fly Fishing Merit Badge. We will focus on knots, fly tying, and casting.

This is a rewarding experience for both the Scout and the adult mentor who is guiding him. The event starts at approximately 9am, but we arrive earlier to set up stations where the Scouts will work and share some coffee, doughnuts, and stories.



### 2016 WOMEN'S ANNUAL FLY FISHING CLINIC

Ladies:

Come join us for the Women's Annual Fly Fishing Clinic.

This clinic covers all the basics of fly fishing: casting, reading the water, entomology, equipment selection, fly tying, knots, landing and releasing fish. Whether you are a neophyte or simply want to hone your fly fishing skills, this is a fun and engaging clinic that will teach you everything you need to know to embark on a lifetime of angling adventures.

**Space is limited so register early!**

\*All net proceeds from this event will be donated to Casting For Recovery.

**When:** April 30th, 2016, 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM  
**Where:** The Pasadena Casting Clubhouse and Pool.  
**For directions:** visit [www.pasadenacastingclub.org](http://www.pasadenacastingclub.org)  
**Cost:** \$95 (Lunch included!)  
**To register:** Contact Leigh Ann Swanson  
**Phone:** 310.741.7645  
**Email:** [lacraven22@hotmail.com](mailto:lacraven22@hotmail.com)



\*Casting for Recovery is a nationally recognized not for profit program established in 1996. It provides an opportunity for women whose lives have been profoundly affected by breast cancer to experience physical, emotional, and spiritual healing through retreats in a beautiful natural setting, and learn the art of flyfishing, a sport for life!

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# DAY AT THE DOCKS

It's Fun! It's Free!

SUNDAY APRIL 17th 2016  
POINT LOMA 9am-5pm

- Fishing Tackle
- Cooking Demos
- Seminars
- FREE Kids Fishing

- Bay Boat Rides
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- Great Prizes
- Diving & Nature Trips

For The Latest Updates

Sunday, April 17th, 2016 9 AM -- 5 PM Sportfishing Landings in Point Loma



# Eastern Sierra Report from Tom Loe of Sierra Drifters

## Quick look fish report 2/14/16

It feels more like April than February in the Sierra. Well above average air temps predicted for the remainder of the month. Forecast calling for a small storm to roll through mid-week, then another extended warm period to settle in. Fishing has been very good on the Middle & Upper Owens Rivers. Strong mayfly hatches triggering consistent action in the wild trout section of the Middle Owens. Excellent river/weather conditions on our drift boat trips keeping clients rods bendo using streamers and nymphs. Roads drying out on the Upper Owens, Crowley Steelhead still here in good numbers. Hot Creek in good shape, warm weather making the fish more active. Pleasant Valley Reservoir fun for planted rainbows around the inlet and into the short river section below the powerhouse. The Gorge has been very good for those who do some hiking. Mayflies, and midge clusters will get you surface action. East Walker still running at low flows. You can find active fish in the limited deeper pools.

## Upper Owens River 2/14/16

DISCLAIMER. I must formally warn you that the fish we are currently catching on the Upper Owens are “highly addictive” and may cause behavioral issues when not fishing for them—even for short durations. I have started a local chapter called “snow bows anonymous” S.B.A for short. Give us a call if you experience severe mood swings, or depression when around water that does not have trophy rainbow trout swimming in it. We can provide relief for those of you experiencing Upper Owens withdrawal syndrome. The bizarre weather pattern that has settled in this February is forecast to remain for a while. It truly feels more like April here as of late. Most of the snow is completely gone, and access has improved. Fishing for Crowley Steelhead has been very good; with double digit days on twenty inchers common. The warming water temps have allowed the migratory rainbows to stage up on the gravel beds in short water. Scouting out a section of river to spot where the fish

are holding is wise. During colder periods the fish move back into the pools seeking the insulation properties that deeper water provides. Water flows have dropped, and even the sections below Hot Creeks inlets have good water clarity. First generation BWO's, & small midges are triggering feeding activity from the resident trout on the warmer days. Most popular attractor patterns will get you looks from the bigs. SJ worms, crystal Vanderleeches, crystal soft eggs, Assassins, and Agent Orange patterns have got us into them while nymphing below an Under-cator. Size 16/18 adult Blue Winged Olive patterns, & small parachute midges will replicate the hatches. Flashback pheasant tails, & Assassins are spot on replicas for the nymph stage of this cold water mayfly. Use #18-22 gillies, crystal chironomid pupa, broken back midges, crystal tiger, & zebra midges for nymphs that imitate midge larva or emergers. Caddis larva are present on the stream bed pumice rocks now. Olive crystal caddis imitations can be a good call for the resident fish grubbing the bottom during warmer periods. Parachute adult midges will get you looks when the fish are feeding on the “clusters” late afternoons. Please don't squeeze the egg laden hens near the belly. That will cause the roe to discharge prematurely. Look for oval depressions that appear brighter, or scraped clean on the riffles below pools. These are active spawning nests; or “redds” and you must avoid stepping on them.

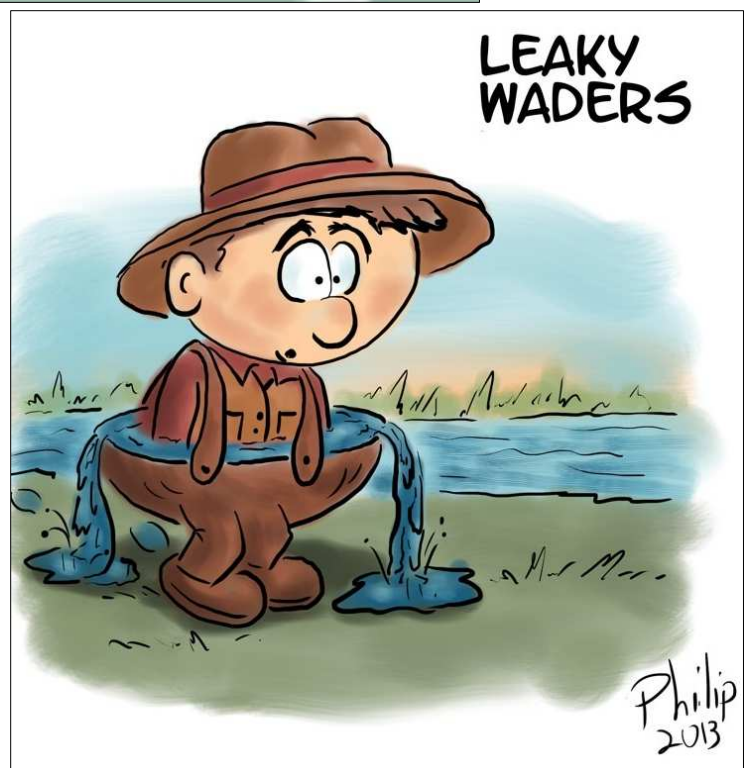
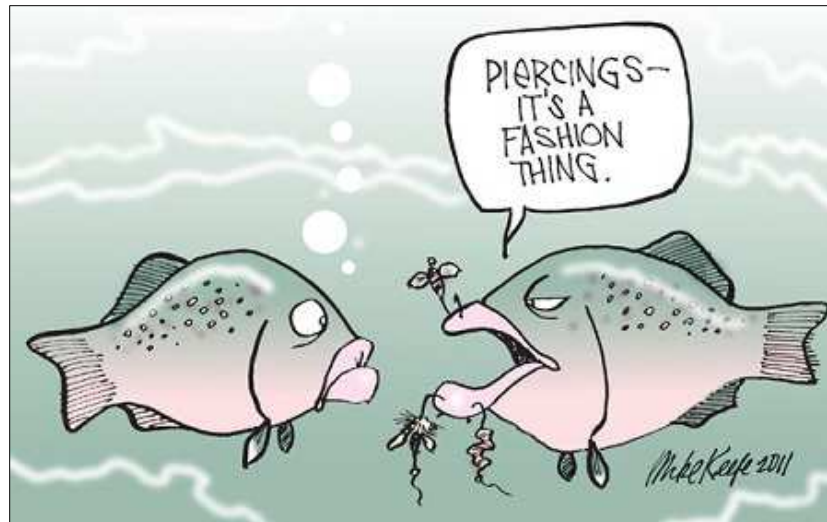
## Middle Owens River (Bishop area) 2/14/16

Spring weather has arrived early in the Owens Valley. In my humble opinion the very best time of year to fish the Middle Owens is upon us. The cold water mayfly called the “blue winged olive” thrives on the MO, & it's emergence peaks in late winter through early spring. When air temps are above freezing at daybreak, look for a significant hatch to begin late morning. It can last as long as 4 hours; but typically peaks after 90 minutes around mid-day this time of year. The wild trout really focus on this cycle, and fly fishers

who consistently get into double digit numbers in the wild trout section have BWO adult profiles in the #16/18 range, with nymphs like Assassins, flashback pheasant tails, & birds nest patterns for the periods before, & after the hatch. Small crystal olive larva patterns, #20/22 gillies or crystal midge pupa/emergers imitations, & #18 broken back tiger or zebra midges are good calls for colder days. Have some parachute midge adult profiles when it gets cold, the fish will look for midge clusters if the BWO's don't come off. Flows continue at low releases; but are already trending upwards and are at 100cfs. now. I predict March will be very different this year compared to the last several springs. Flows may be blown out as Crowley is very full, and the winter snowpack above average. Drift boat trips have been good with numbers of planted rainbows, and a few wild browns in the counts. The fish are smaller this year on average, with trophy sized fish MIA so far. The drought had a huge impact on the MO as well as other fisheries, & I believe we had fish kills last summer as water temps and low flows combined to make for lethal conditions for trout on the lower sections of the river around Bishop. The stocking of larger fish from the CDFW, & tourism entities in this area is not occurring thus far either. Guided drift boat trips are a great way to get into secluded sections of the river, & get into good numbers of rainbows. We fish streamers, casting sinking tip lines with a unique, user friendly method called the “dip & strip”. I strongly suggest this program for novices, and those wishing to learn how to fish streamers. Hot flies this week are smaller Punk Perch, Loebergs, & Spruce-A-Bu's if it gets cold.



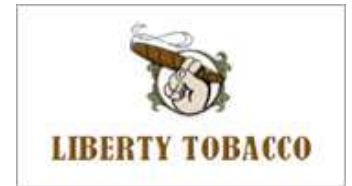
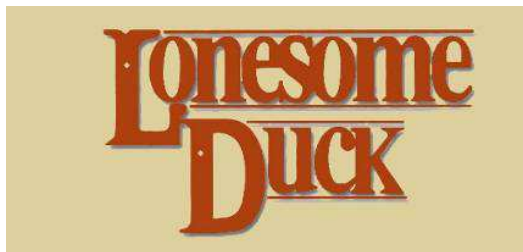
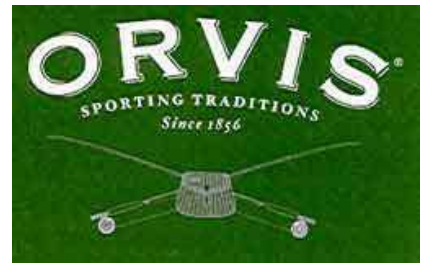
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Mike Rivkin.....	2007
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Bob Fletcher.....	2011
Bill and Eileen Stroud.....	2012
Paul Woolery.....	2014
Louie Zimm.....	2015

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1993-Bill & Eileen Stroud	2006-John Kasten
1994-Ed Velton	2007-Lucky Ketcham
1995-Bob Wisner	2008-Louie Zimm
1996-Gary Hilbers	2009-Warren Lew
1997-Jack Bentley	2010- Paul Woolery
1998-Gordie Zimm	2011-Gary Strawn
1999-Gretchen Yearous	2012-Lee McElravy
2000-Tom Smith	2013-David Collins
2001-Rose & Roger Yamasaki	2014- Lee Anderson
2002-Larry Sorensen	2015- Jack Duncan
2003-Jim Tenuto	

Cut-off date for **April Finny Facts** is Friday-  
March 18, 2016

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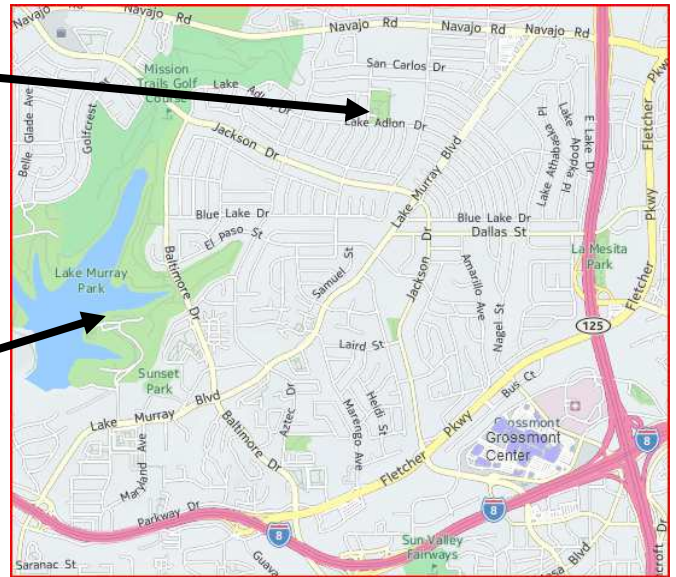
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First Monday  
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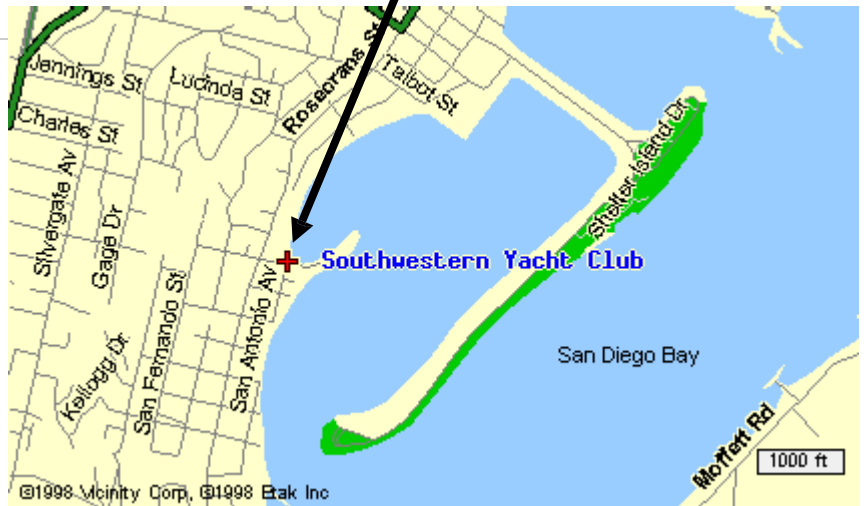


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