

THE LEADER

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Flycasters

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December Elections

We will be electing new officers and directors to our club in December. If you wish to be an officer or director, please nominate yourself. If you want to nominate someone, please seek their approval, then nominate them. We need to start thinking about this matter now so we will be prepared for the December elections.



Brindle Bug

Fly Of the Month

The Brindle Bug

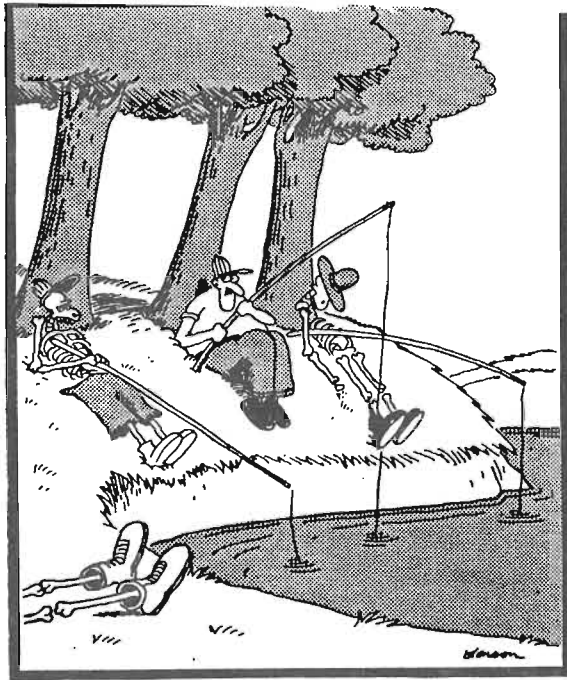
from *Steelhead Fly Fishing and Flies* By Trey Combs.

Tail: Natural brown hackle tips.

Body: Black and yellow variegated chenille wound with the first turn under the tail to turn it up.

Hackle: Natural brown.

Lloyd Silivius, a long time Eureka, Ca., professional fly tier and Eel River angler, developed the Brindle Bug in the 60's. It is a California favorite and has gained quite a following among anglers fishing the Klamath and Trinity rivers.



Unlucky fishing holes

Conservation Report

By Dave Terrill

At the board meeting on August 17th, we the board members discussed and passed a proposal submitted to the California Fish and Game Commission by the Siskiyou County Fly Fisher to initiate a punch card program for the Salmon and Steelhead fisheries of our state.

I wrote a letter to the California Fish and Game Commission, on behalf of the members of Granite Bay Flycasters, supporting this proposal:

- 1) Punch card for forty (40) fish limit per year. 20 salmon and 20 steelhead.
- 2) The card is to be divided into four (4) sections of ten (10) fish each.
- 3) A stamp would be required for each section.
- 4) The fee would be \$5.00 per section.
- 5) For purposes of definition, a steelhead would be any rainbow trout over 18 inches in length in streams containing runs of steelhead, while a salmon would be any salmon over 22 inches in length.
- 6) Revenues obtained by sales of these cards is to be used to finance enforcement and habitat improvement on our state's salmon and steelhead streams. DT

October Program

by Ken Winkleblack

One of our most avid club fisherman, Dave Howard, will be presenting his show on "Fishing Photography". When Dave is not fishing he is a professional photographer, taking pictures of real estate that is for sale in the greater Sacramento area. Dave quite often combines his profession and hobby and he has graciously agreed to share his techniques with us. Dave has always been one of our more exciting speakers talking on Steelhead and Shad and I am sure he will again give us a dose of his contagious enthusiasm. So buy a role of film and get ready because after the October 12th meeting I am sure you are going to want to snap some pictures (the professional way).

With any luck Ken Winkleblack will not have gotten eaten by a bear, or hopelessly lost in Alaska, or had all his cameras stolen, and will be prepared to give his show on the fishing you can find by roads edge in Alaska at our next meeting in November.

Calendar Of Events

- October 12, 1989- General Meeting at the clubhouse, 7:30 pm.
- October 14, 1989- Roseville Auction. Please bring items for the auction to the general meeting on the 12th.
- October 19, 1989- Board meeting, 7:00pm at the clubhouse.
- October 21 & 22, 1989- McCloud River fishout with Ken Winkleblack.
- November 18, 1989- Yuba or American River Steelhead fishing with Mike Glasson.
- December 9 & 10, 1989- Garcia River Steelhead fishing with Dave Howard.
- January 20, 1989 GBFC Annual Dinner.

New Members

We wish to welcome the following new members to our club.

Ken and Lau Johnson
3936 New York Ave.
Fair Oaks, Ca. 95628

David Heff
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Fair Oaks, Ca 95628

Fishing Reports

Tuolumne River Fishout Report

Bill Stobbe

September 22nd, 23rd, and 24th four of us went to the Tuolumne River at Lumsden. The road in had been closed during most of the summer due to fire danger, but had just opened the week before as a result of the recent rains. What awaited was a beautiful river with varied water conditions. Dave Terrill/ Mike Radoff, Ron English and his two sons, and I made the excursion. The weather was perfect, the water low for the Tuolumne (which is still pretty fast) due to an inoperable powerhouse upstream, and the company was good. Fishing was mixed. The Tuolumne is a designed Wild and Scenic River in what is known as the Tuolumne Canyon. On Saturday morning we drove east on the forestry road and hiked down to the river. At the bottom Dave, Ron and the boys went upstream while Mike and I immediately ran into a pool about fifty yards long with a hatch coming off. Large trout were feeding but we couldn't get them to take our flies. But that didn't stop Mike. He went on to catch 23 trout that day, most 8 to 10 inches. The river dropped rapidly forming large and small pools interspersed with white water. Later when we rendezvoused for the hike back out of the canyon, Dave said he had hooked into the biggest catch of the day, but it was too big to land! Turns out it was a beaver or muskrat or some such animal. Dave felt the tug and a few moments later the animal stuck his head up and gave Dave a strange look, as if to say, "What the heck are you up to?"

The next day we all fished closer to camp. Ron said the waters around camp look just like the Madison River; but without as much action. Water temperatures were pretty high so perhaps that was a part of it. In any case it was a great place to be and good company. Come to the next meeting and I'll show the slides I took. BS