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Leader's Line

by John Hogg, GBF President



Did you know that the Club has over 20 fishouts scheduled between now and the end of the year! Wow, what a schedule, and it is thanks to the efforts of our Fishmasters, **Tony Jelenik** and **Doug Kytonen**, the many volunteer hosts, and not to be overlooked, our organizer extraordinaire, **Eric Palmer**.

We have a real treat in store at the June meeting with our speaker **Phil White**. Many of you know Phil as the Managing Member of <u>Fish Habit Outfitters</u>, which provides guide services for *Kiene's American Fly Fishing Co*. Phil is a great supporter of our club, with a generous donation every year at our annual dinner. He is one of the area's top fly fishing experts, and you don't want to miss his presentation.

Hats off to **Kim Lloyd**! In addition to his current role as Librarian, Kim has taken on the role as Photo Archivist, and will be shooting pictures at many of

our events for eventual and unforgotten posterity.

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Monthly Program

by Ed Lloyd, Monthly Program Chair



Phil White is a California native and an outdoor aficionado. His youth was spent in the outdoors fishing, hunting, hiking and, ever

the optimist, panning for gold. During his twenties, he quickly made his way up the ranks and into a career of fly fishing. Later, he formed his own independent fly fishing guide service, <u>Fish Habit</u> <u>Outfitters</u>, which partners

with *Kiene's Fly Shop*, and now operates as resident outfitter inside the shop, guiding guests throughout California and hosting travel worldwide.

His guiding focus is mainly on the American River and, since the spring-summer shad and striped bass run is just approaching its peak, this will be his program's especially timely topic. He'll be covering access, how to fish for and where to find fish, types of flies and best times. Basically, giving up nearly all of his secrets on the condition that, as loyal and trustworthy fly fishers, you promise not to tell anyone else!

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June is the final month of my term as President, and I want to express my deep thanks to the Board of Directors for their enthusiasm, and all the hard work that is necessary to implement the many activities and events that our Club offers its members. I also want to thank the members of the Dinner Committee for putting on a fabulous Dinner and Fundraiser this past March. Our net income was very substantial, and is allowing us to provide clinics, fishouts and workshops at no charge. It also pays for our monthly speakers, and last, and certainly not least, funds the many conservation activities that we support. Just think! Our annual dues of \$30 have not increased in over 25 years!

There are many, many individual members who also deserve praise, but I want to single out departing VP of Conservation, **Mel Odemar**. In the past two years, Mel has attended many government and NGO meetings concerning California's water resources. He has cemented strong relationships with different chapters of *Trout Unlimited*, has chaired the quarterly conservation committee meetings, and arranged for several dynamic conservationist speakers at those meetings. Mel has also overseen the Club's cash donations to worthy conservation causes. And with great regularity, he has published thoughtful and relevant articles in *The Leader* that address fish management conservation issues in California.

And thank you, members, for allowing me the opportunity to serve as your president. It has been a privilege and a pleasure.

Welcome to Our Newest Members!

by Don Whitecar, VP Membership

Please join me in welcoming new members who have joined us recently. Make sure you keep an eye out for them at our meetings and events so that we can make them feel that they are an important part of our club.

Dave Barker

Lance Gray and Company, Lake Almanor Stillwater 3-Day Campout/Clinic & Hexagenia Evening Hatch

Date: June 9, 10 and 11, 2017

Granite Bay Flycasters rate: \$60 a fly fisher per day, \$180 for the long weekend (maximum of 8 fly fishers).

"Hosted Camping and Fishing Trips": The trips will include rigging instruction, personalized workshops and handouts with equipment overviews. LGC takes care of lunches every day and our "meet-and-greet" dinner the first night. Campers will reserve and pay for their own camping site (LGC will assist in this process), breakfast and following dinners. Usually we recommend Pot Luck dinners with the group. Trips will take place on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Guest will arrive on Friday afternoon and leave Sunday afternoon.

Campsite: Lake Alamanor South Campground - \$18 a night for campsite

Motels and restaurants: There are a number of motels in Chester, which is just a short drive. Details will be in the sign-up packet you receive.

The campground is located just 250 yards or so from Lake Almanor, and is equipped with vaulted toilets, but also has flushing toilets in certain areas of the campground. The campsites can hold travel trailers, RV's and tent camping. Some sites can be reserved, others are first-come, first-served. This is a Stillwater float tube/pontoon boat event. We will plan this campout around the **Hexagenia Hatch evening hatch at Lake Almanor**. We will also explore other close high mountain lakes. Dry fly, nymphs and streamer fishing will be tactics on this trip. Instruction on using float tubes and pontoon will be covered. If you need a float tube, LGC has four Outcast Fatcats U Boats to use. Lincoln Gray will join us for a night of fishing the Hex Hatch

Please Contact **Doug Kytonen** at (916) 772-6564, or e-mail <u>travelmaster@surewest.net</u> to receive your sign-up packet; or, Lance Gray at <u>lancegrayandcompany@yahoo.com</u>.

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To place a classified ad, you must be a member in good standing of the Granite Bay Flycasters. Classified ads will run for only one issue of The Leader, unless the seller requests it to run longer. Submit your listing to:editor@gbflycasters.org with subject line: "GBF: Classified." All ads must be submitted by the 15th of the month to be included in the following month's Leader.



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2017 GBF Annual President's Day Picnic

Where: Rancho Seco Recreation Area, 14440 Twin Cities Road, Herald, CA 95638

Who: Members, Families and invited Guest

When: June 17, 2017, 11:00 AM

AMENITIES: Shaded grass picnic area, paddle boating, beach, swimming, wind surfing, wildlife refuge, hiking trail, with overnight camping available. If you plan to camp, reservations should be made soon.

This will be our second year at Rancho Seco Lake.

We will continue to do as we have done in past years, incorporate games, fly tying and casting for accuracy. Fishing is for the kids on this day, so bring a youngster to fish.

There is a beach, so bring your beach chairs; there will be surfboards and paddle boats. There are hiking trails and over-night camping is available. The park Entry fee is \$10.00 per car for adults, and \$8.00 for seniors.

Food will continue to be yummy and abundant. This year our menu includes tri tip, chicken, hot dogs and all the side dishes. The Club will provide ALL food and non-alcohol drinks, so come and plan to have fun.

Our picnic will start @11:00 AM; food will be served from 12:00 PM and until everyone goes home, or we run out of food. You are not being asked to bring any of the food items, as we have you covered.

A sign-up sheet will be at the June meeting, or you can email Wendell with your <u>name</u> and <u>headcount</u>. All are welcome, but we need to know your choice of meats and how many to prepare for.

Contact: wendelledwards@mac.com • 916-508-7000

Thank you, Wendell



The Leader

Virginia Lakes Fishout July 18 - 23, 2017

Flycasters, it is time for the annual Virginia Lakes trip. We are looking at the 18th to the 23rd of July. We will be going up on July 18th and coming home on July 23rd. We will have a taco dinner on Saturday the 22nd that we will provide for all who attend.

For those of you unfamiliar with Virginia Lakes, they are on the eastern slope of the Sierra just past Bridgeport, and before you drop down to Mono Lake. The scenery is "eastern side incredible." We will be staying at Trumble Lake campground at 9,700 feet. If you are concerned about the elevation, you might consider staying a night at Twin Lakes or the Tahoe area on the way. Drink plenty of water on the way up! This is a nice campground with water and exceptionally nice pit toilets. Reservations can be made on line, but we usually are able to secure sites without them. There is also unimproved camping a short distance down the road by the creek (Road 139). These are also very beautiful, and right next to a main stream, and free. The two Virginia Lakes are easy walking distance from the campground, which sits right next to Trumble Lake. There is excellent wet and dry fly fishing at all three lakes as well as in the multiple lakes up the trail. There are plenty of opportunities for stream and river lovers as well; these include Virginia Creek, Green Creek and the West and East Walker Rivers just down the road. There is a store at Little Virginia with high priced goods, a little restaurant (very nice breakfasts and lunches), and hot showers. They also rent cabins (usually for a week) but will do a weekend at the last minute if they aren't rented: http://www.virginialakesresort.com. Bridgeport is a 30-to-45-minute drive, and there are motels if camping is not your thing.

The lake fishing is generally float tube with sinking line (intermediate - fast). Catching twenty fish in a day is not extraordinary, and I will be available to help anyone who desires it. Flies will be plentiful, as I will bring my tying stuff, as will others. There will be extra equipment available for anyone to use. Rods from 3-6 wt. are the norm.

This is a great family outing, as there are a variety of things to do besides fishing. The hiking is excellent, with relatively short distances between lakes. Just down the road there is horseback riding, and the old gold ghost-town of Bodie is within 45 minutes. The city of Mammoth is less than an hour away, as is the entrance to Yosemite.

Please call me if you have any questions, and let me know if you are planning to come so I can get enough camp sites and bring enough taco fixin's.

Michael Kaul mikedkaul@gmail.com (530)677-8022 or cell (916)337-5468



Upper Sacramento River Fishout Dunsmuir: July 6 - 9, 2017

by Tony Jelinek

What has traditionally (does 4 years establish a tradition?) been a spring Upper Sac fishout, has become an early summer fishout, thanks to 200+% above normal snowfall on Mt. Shasta, which will be melting, and predicted to keep flows higher until the end of June. July will offer plenty of hours of daylight to hunt fish on the Upper Sac, with the promise of late evening hatches, when the air can become thick with caddis and stoneflies, and the water a mass of rising fish. The days will be mostly spent short-line nymphing. If hot, you have your own natural cooling system—wet-wading the cool waters of the river.

If you are new to the river, you will be paired with a fellow angler familiar with the Upper Sacramento. If you are new to short-line nymphing, you will have the opportunity to learn. This is a great fishout for anglers of all capabilities. Come up for all four days, or just overnight, to enjoy the great fishing for rainbow trout on the 35 miles of fishable water from just above Lake Shasta to Lake Siskiyou!

For more information, please check-out the posting on the <u>GBF website</u>, or contact me at <u>jelinea@me.com</u>.

Annual Election Notice

The annual election of officers and directors takes place at the June general meeting. Below is a list of the positions to be voted on, and the members who have offered to serve and been nominated:

Position

<u>Nominated</u>

President Vice President, Membership Vice President, Conservation Secretary Treasurer Director, 2 year term Director, 3 year term Director, 3 year term Director-at-Large, 1 year term Wendell Edwards Don Whitecar Dave Fujiyama David Bennett Mike Howes – term extension with Board approval Ed Lloyd Dale Spear Ron Fay Carol Tevlin

Conservation Corner

by Mel Odemar, VP Conservation

On May 18, Sam Sadillo of *Trout Unlimited* gave a presentation on the Truckee River Fish Habitat Enhancement Project to the Conservation Committee. GBF is partnering with other organizations on the project. A description



of the project is given in the May 2017 issue of *The Leader*. Funding support for this project was authorized by the Conservation Committee at their March meeting, and this is the third year the club has supported TU stream improvement projects. Previous projects were on the Little Truckee River and Putah Creek. This is also the third year the club has partnered with the TU sponsored Sierra Trout Camp, a camp for 10-12 year olds to learn the art and ethics of fly fishing. Present were: **Dale Spears, Ron Fay**,

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Gorden Tornberg, Ted Way, John Carroz, John Hogg, Wendell Edwards, Barre and Sue Norman, Clyd and Chris Campbell, and Kim Lloyd. Pizza and good fellowship was enjoyed by all.

The Conservation Committee is not a standing committee, and all GBF members are invited to attend and participate in the club's support of conservation efforts. Presentations on topical conservation issues are also given. The meetings are held quarterly and are well announced in advance. The next meeting will be chaired by a new VP Conservation, and I plan on staying involved.

Sly Park Fishout Report, May 9, 2017

by Doug Kytonen

Tuesday, May 9th started off as a warm morning leaving Roseville about 6:30 AM. **Joe Cammarrano** and I headed to Sly Park (Jenkinson Lake) in Pollock Pines, about an hour drive from home, to meet up with GBF members to fish for small mouth bass and maybe some trout. Upon arriving at the Chimney's day camp parking lot, about 3 miles back around the left side of the lake, many of the members were already there and getting their tubes inflated and waders on. Sorry to say, they were a little disappointed that I did not have Starbucks and donuts for this trip, but we all made it through the morning anyway.

John and **Sturmer** greeted us and said they were going up the road to the Peninsula Campground area and try the rocky points and wall there, and we would meet back for lunch about noon. Everyone else launched their tubes there, or over at the Stonebreaker boat ramp. Guys started to catch fish as soon as they got out into some open water. **Joe** and **Ray Ito**, I think, were the first to get smallies on their flies. For **Berry** and a couple of the other guys, this was their first time to the lake, or their first outing on a flout tube.

You could not have asked for a better day to be out fishing, as the lake was like glass in the early part of the day, about 70 degrees, and water temp was about 63, depending how deep the water was that you were floating in. We kicked around back to the creek inlet at the east end of the bay, having some luck, while others worked across to the creek on the south side of the bay to fish. Before you knew it, it was lunch time. So, we kicked to shore and had good conversation with good friends, and talked about our successes and failures of the morning while we ate. After lunch, many of the members decided to head down the hill to beat the work traffic home. The rest of us went

back out to conquer some more bass.

For myself, I had a very slow fishless morning, so I kicked across the bay to the south side to try my luck. By this time, the afternoon sierra breeze came up and put a nice chop on the water. As I kicked and trolled with my black wiggle tail parallel to the shore in about 12 feet of water, BAM, my rod bent and I knew I had a nice smallmouth on a tight line. I reached around and grabbed my net ready to land this guy, but first had to lay it down on my left pontoon so I could gain control of the fish because he was making another run for it. Well, when I was ready to give it another try to net it, I reached for my net and it was gone. Oh no! I looked over and was startled to see it slowly sinking about 10 feet from my tube; so, I leaned back into



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the seat kicking as fast as I could and raising my rod high to keep a tight line on this beauty. As I got closer to the net, the faster it seemed to sink, so I leaned way over reaching down in the water up to my armpit, just grabbing the end of the cord, saving it from the deep abyss of the lake.

I regrouped myself in the seat of my tube, and landed this beautiful bronze back of a fish. She was about 15-16 inches long lying from one end to the other end in the bottom of my net. She was so thick I barely could reach my hand around her to pick her up and retrieve my wiggle tail, and then let her go. That made my day. I hope everyone had as much fun and a great day as I did. Thanks for the memories for a fun fishout.

Pyramid Lake Fishout Report

by Eric Palmer

Over the weekend of May 5-7, we held our 3rd annual Pyramid Lake fishout and big fish extravaganza. We had a total of 17 participants, some arriving Thursday afternoon, others Friday AM, and a few trickling in Saturday morning. We had great weather Thursday and Friday, and the promised bad weather with rain for mid Saturday mostly fizzled beyond a heavy wind with light rain late in the day that did put a damper on proceedings for all but the most intrepid. The catching for many was disappointing on Saturday, then picked up some Sunday.

Kim Lloyd, who's yet to encounter fishing conditions he considers difficult, pressed on late Saturday through the heavy wind and light rain till near dark, while the rest of us retired early to cozy trailers or cabins for a cold brew and some well-deserved R&R after a hard day of casting into the wind.

Most of us found lodging on the lake either in rental cabins or trailers at Crosby's, or in personal RVs at the much improved Pelican Bay camp ground. This afforded us ample opportunity to loiter at various trailers for happy hour at day's end, or for a mid-day break from casting, to get caught-up on what was working and what was not.

> On the fish catching front,



Camaraderie: a vital part of every fishout

results were pretty decent for most, and very decent for a small handful who, along with more than a little skill, either had the benefit of great timing (very early or late in the day) and/or managed to somehow divine the perfect honey hole. At the top of her game, with 13 to the net, was Michelle Davidson, who late Thursday just below their trailer at Pelican C.G., landed the massive cutthroat in the photo on a chartreuse/white Popcorn beetle with white tail, which is considered a pollywog, although there is no critter in Pyramid Lake matching those actual colors. Estimates are that this beast was in the 32-36 inch range.

Friday morning Michelle went on to land fish after fish, all on midges under an indicator. I was next to her most of the time Friday, fruitlessly stripping my brains out with every streamer in my box that "should work," and did not start hooking up till I finally caved and went to an indicator

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Michelle's Whopper

better areas, soon to be packed tight with ladders so close together to you can't fit in without incurring an icy stare from either side. One way to judge the desirability of an area from the parking lot, if you arrive late, is to note how the spacing between ladders decreases where the catching increases. John landed a good fish on his very first cast that morning with an olive streamer, then nothing till noonish, at which time it turned on hard, but only with all black for both streamer and beetle. Experimentation convinced John that even if they did not take the beetle, it was critical as an attention getter for the streamer which hooked all his fish.

David Jones landed this excellent specimen on a brown Wiggle Tail, but had most of his success on the Mahalo Nymph, which produced 4 fish to the net.

with midges. Meanwhile, Michelle continued to out-fish the ladders on either side of her 3 to 1, perhaps with benefit of some sort of magic mojo she'd summoned that day, and on into Saturday AM. **Ron Davidson**, with 8 to the net over the weekend, at one point Friday while fishing a couple ladders away, waded over to where his wife was landing yet another very nice fish, and with visible frustration remarked, "I thought I'd come over and offer some pointers." It's always good to see a hubby supporting his spouse.

With 12 to the net and one lost, **John Hogg** was in the same ball park as Michelle, with total fish after getting a 6:30 AM start Friday at the south end of Pelican near the boat ramp. Here the fish seemed much more accommodating compared to the north end (unless your name was Michelle). An early start allows you to nail down your spot

in the





David's fine catch

The fly that fooled the big one

Top honors, however, must go to still-water angler extraordinaire, **Bob Macy**, who landed an astonishing **30 fish** over the three days. While Bob says he much prefers kicking around in his float tube on smaller lakes to fishing from a ladder, he apparently has no difficulty translating his small pond catching skills to Pyramid. His single fly of choice was the **Midnight Cowboy**, which Bob pimped out with a blue sequin just behind the eye. His intent with the sequin was to influence movement during the retrieve, but it did not produce the desired effect. It apparently did, however, have a powerful effect in attracting eager customers.

So there you have it. Another successful Pyramid Lake fishout behind us with enough great memories and stories to last many years.

If you missed it this time, you'll have another chance, probably sometime in March or early April, 2018. Or, if you can't wait, watch the message board later in the year; perhaps some of us may be going up in November/December, also great months for Pyramid, but it will be cold.

Bill Carnazzo Fly Tyer's Corner (Taken from the Article Written in June 2008)

Fly Patterns - Burk's Hare's Ear Bottom Roller



Materials:

| Hook: | Daiichi 1130 (or Tiemco 2457) scud hook, size 8 |
|--------------------|---|
| Thread: | Tan monochord or similar thread |
| Bead: | 3.3 mm gold tungsten bead |
| Abdomen: | Arizona Peacock Synthetic Dubbing—Hare's Ear color |
| Ribbing: | Monofilament tying thread, or a piece of 5x tippet material |
| Wing case: | Pearl "Sili-skin" |
| Thorax: Weight: | Arizona Peacock Synthetic Dubbing—Peacock color .025 lead, wrapped from mid-bend to behind bead |
| Weight: | .025 lead, wrapped from mid-bend to behind bead |

Burk's Hare's Ear Bottom Roller

Description

Last year Andy Burk treated 6 Granite Bay Flycasters members to a clinic on "Czech Nymphing," which is very similar to the short line method that I teach in my clinics and during guide gigs. Once properly learned, these methods are extremely productive. Learning the proper drift technique takes time and patience, but it pays significant, real dividends in the long run.

Andy's rig differs somewhat from the rig that I use; actually, I like his rig so much that I've modified my own in a few respects to include some of Andy's concepts. I've learned a lot from watching Andy tie and talking to him about fly construction. Above all, he is a practical tyer — meaning that he ties flies that do indeed catch fish, and are not overly difficult to tie. His "bottom roller" series certainly meets those criteria. The flies are very heavy; consequently they sink quickly and stay down when drifted properly. One of my favorites among the various rock roller patterns is the Hare's Ear Bottom Roller. That's the one we'll tie for this month's fly. If you want to watch Andy tie this fly, check out his UTube video at http://video.aol.com/video-detail/andy-burk-burks-bottom-roller/1094338183

Tying Instructions

For best viewing: (1) Maximize your Computer Screen Window. (2) Type "Ctrl + or -" to enlarge or contract the photograph display. (3) Use the Horizontal and Vertical Scroll Bars to scroll right and up/down to display larger photos on your screen.

- 1. Smash the hook barb unless you are using a barbless version of the scud hook. .025 lead wire from the middle of the hook bend to the bead. Push the bead and lead back from the eye slightly, because the fly will be tied off in front of the bead. Apply a thin layer of Flexament to the bead and lead.
- 2. Tie the thread on in front of the bead and build up a small bump there to keep the bead from sliding forward. Jump the bead with the thread and cover the shank/lead with thread.



Steps 1 & 2

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Steps 3 & 4

- 3. Cut a piece of Sili-Skin approximately ¼" wide and 1" long. Cut the end to a point, but leave the backing on for now. Peel the backing back slightly from the point you just cut, and tie that point in, sticky side up. It should be tied in on the lead wraps, and stretched rearward while wrapping the thread over it to the rear. Continue to leave the backing on for now, and let the Sili-Skin hang there out of the way.
- 4. Tie in the monofilament ribbing at the rear end of the abdomen and place it in your material clip for now.
- 5. Dub a nicely tapered abdomen with the Hare's Ear color dubbing material. End the abdomen approximately 1/8" behind the bead.
- 6. Dub a collar (thorax) of the Peacock color dubbing material.







8. Wrap the mono ribbing forward, making sure that the Sili-Skin does not move to the far side of the hook as you wrap. Tie the ribbing off in front of the bead and whip finish the fly.

Steps 7 & 8

9. Using a small wire brush or other dubbing teaser tool, rough up the bottom of the fly somewhat to create a fuzzy look



Step 9

Tying Tips

- 1. When you are ribbing the fly, start with close wraps at the rear, widening the gaps as you go forward. If you look at a living nymph's segments, you will see this pattern.
- 2. Visit the following web site for some color ideas for Czech nymphs, which are very similar to Andy's Bottom Roller flies:

http://www.czechnymph.com/en/index.php?show_page=gallery&g1section=1.&g1archive=0&g1current_item=30

Fish bottom rollers in pocket water, using short line techniques. Go rip a few lips, and....see ya on the creek!

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Granite Bay Flycasters

Mission: The organization is dedicated to conservation of fish habitat, advancement of the art of Fly Fishing, and good sportsmanship.

Meetings: General club meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month at the Granite Bay Activities Center on the shores of Folsom Lake. For directions, check http://gbflycasters.org.

Doors open between 6:00 P.M. and 6:30 P.M for socializing and fly tying demonstrations. The business portion of the meeting begins at 7:00 P.M. The main program gets underway after a short refreshment break and usually involves a guest speaker and slide show, or other presentation. All meetings are open to the public and visitors are encouraged to attend.

Membership: Applications are available on-line at **http://gbflycasters.org** and at general meetings. Single membership: \$30; Family memberships: \$35; and youth (under 18): \$10. There is also an \$8 name badge charge for all new members. Membership is prorated throughout the year. For membership information, contact Don Whitecar at 916-804-5384, or visit the website at **http://gbflycasters.org**.

The Leader: To send articles, photos, ads and other materials, please e-mail to: Frank Stolten at **editor@gbflycasters.org**. Please put **GBF Leader** in the subject line. Deadline for materials is the 15th of each month. Please notify if address change

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