Stanley Cooper Sr. Chapter #251 - Trout Unlimited

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Phil Mancini – Web Master

If you have any items for the website, please email them to Phil at: LoveTheArts@verizon.net

PAST EVENTS:

DECEMBER 8th - TUESDAY – MONTHLY MEETING - VFW, KINGSTON PA – Stanley Cooper Sr. Chapter’s annual “Fly Tying Round Table”. Thanks to Mike, Gary, and Phil for presenting their “whatchamacallit” patterns to the general public.

DECEMBER 1st – BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING – Board passed the 2009-2010 budget. The usual stuff was discussed: print advertising, holiday baskets for Bowman’s Creek landowners, youth programs grant, fly tying classes.

NOVEMBER 10th - MONTHLY MEETING - VFW, KINGSTON PA – Topic: “Natural Gas Development in the Marcellus Shale of Pennsylvania” Deborah Nardone, Coldwater Resource Specialist from the Coldwater Heritage Alliance and PA Council of Trout Unlimited gave a presentation on “The Challenges We Face” in
regulating and managing the explosive development of natural gas in PA. Deb thanks for the great program!

NOVEMBER - Many thanks to B&J Paving for the work they donated for the Bowman’s parking lot project. B & J Paving, Shavertown, PA, 477-1399 or 417-2727. Thanks to Joe Ackourey for chairing this project too!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

NEW!!! - JANUARY 5th – TUESDAY – BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING - VFW, KINGSTON, PA – 757 Wyoming Avenue. Meeting begins at 7:30 PM.

NEW!!! - JANUARY 12TH - MONTHLY MEETING - VFW, KINGSTON PA - 757 Wyoming Avenue. Meeting begins at 7:30 PM. Topic: “Prospecting for Trout: A Guide's Perspective” with TOM BRTALIK. Learn basic trout biology and behavior. Participants will learn to "think like a trout". This seminar is well received as it relates to fishing for trout during any season, anywhere in the world. Tom Brtalik is a full time licensed professional fly-fishing guide, lecturer and instructor with over 30 years of fly fishing experience, specializing in the legendary streams of Central Pennsylvania. For more see www.tomsflyfishing.com

JANUARY – BOWMANS CREEK PROJECT – Joe is setting up a tree planting project for late November. Call or email Joe Ackourey for details @ joeack12@cs.com or (570) 287-2999.

JANUARY – LEHIGH RIVER ACCESS PROJECT – COMMITTEE MEETING – We will be having a committee meeting this month on our current project. If anyone wants to volunteer please call committee chair Dave Cebrick @ cebrick298@epix.net or (570) 709-0131.

2010 EVENTS:

FEBRUARY 2nd – TUESDAY – BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING - VFW, KINGSTON, PA – 757 Wyoming Avenue. Meeting begins at 7:30 PM; all members are welcomed.

FEBRUARY 9th - TUESDAY – MONTHLY MEETING - VFW, KINGSTON PA – 757 Wyoming Avenue. Meeting begins at 7:30 PM. To be announced!
JANUARY/FEBRUARY – LEHIGH COLDWATER FISHERY ALLIANCE – PUBLIC FORUM MEETING - Date to be announced. www.thelehighriver.org

JANUARY/FEBRUARY/MARCH – FLY TYING CLASSES – Dave Cebrick will be chairing this event. Stay tuned for more details.

FEBRUARY 13, 2010 PENNSYLVANIA FLY TYING CHAMPIONSHIPS to be held at the Eastern Sports & Outdoor Show, Farm Show Complex, Harrisburg, PA. See: http://cvtu.homestead.com or http://www.easternsportsshow.com

APRIL 10 – SCTU 20TH ANNUAL CONSERVATION BANQUET – EAST MOUNTAIN INN & SUITES – 2400 East End Boulevard, SR 115, Wilkes-Barre, PA http://www.eastmountaininn.com. For more information or to volunteer for the Banquet Committee please contact Mike Romanowski at mroman498@aol.com.

TO BE ANNOUNCED – PROJECT HEALING WATERS

TO BE ANNOUNCED – YOUTH AND ADULT FLY FISHING CAMPS

TO BE ANNOUNCED – STREAM IMPROVEMENT

LEGISLATIVE UPDATES: http://www.sctu.org/Legislative.html

Yours truly,

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