



## **SOUTHERN LINES**

### **TROUT UNLIMITED RAYNEIRLE SOUTH JERSEY CHAPTER NEWSLETTER MARCH 2009**

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### **LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT MARCH 2009**

February's Meeting: Cathy Mainardi did a great job with her presentation on the Deer Creek shad run. Cathy's relaxed demeanor and knowledge of the topic made it a great presentation. Also the following week Steve Moody covered shad flies in the advanced fly tying session.

March 25<sup>th</sup> Meeting: Craig Hull will be sharing some fly tying techniques with us. As you may recall from last year Craig also brings along his cache of flies to offer at quite a reasonable price.

A special thanks to Craig Hull for his support. Craig travels from Camp Hill, PA which is just outside of Carlisle, just to do our meeting and then travels home again in the same day. He does all of this for a free dinner and gas money. Please support him by purchasing lots of flies.

**Fly of the Month:** A dozen flies from Craig's collection

**Fly Tying Classes:** I would like to thank the tiers that have helped out at the Advanced Table. Ken Odasz did the wet flies, Steve Moody with the shad flies and Bob Bott with the epoxy saltwater flies and Jim Nash for the dry flies. The number of tiers has increased to around 10.

The Beginner's Table has also been well attended with Ed Braun as the lead tier with Jerry Martina and John Peters helping out.

Banquet: **Did you get your mailing?** The banquet will be held March 27<sup>th</sup> at Lucien's Manor again this year. Come out and join in the camaraderie. There will be a number of great items in the Bottle Auction and this year's big item is a Winston Boron II MX 4 piece 5wt. 9 footer with a Lamson Guru 1.5 reel and a TU National Life Membership. Jim Nash has provided another great watercolor. Please contact Carl Wyckoff or me if you need more information. Also there is a rumor that a mystery guest and his spouse from Myrtle Beach, SC will be attending.

Fly Tying Demo: Steve Moody, Howard Brooks, Ben Read and I were at The Sporting Gentleman on Saturday March 14<sup>th</sup> for a fly tying demo. Ben and I were on from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. then Steve and Howard took over until 5 p.m. .It was a very enjoyable day. The staff are great people and there was good customer traffic. It was great exposure for our chapter and Barry and Christine are very supportive. They have offered a gift certificate and a painting done by a local artist for our banquet. They are selling raffle tickets for the painting in the store and will bring the painting to the banquet for members to purchase tickets before the drawing. The Sporting Gentleman is located in Media, PA. [www.sportinggentleman.com](http://www.sportinggentleman.com) I would like to thank Steve Moody for setting up the fly tying demo.

Visit our website [www.sitrou.org](http://www.sitrou.org) for a picture of Steve and Howard.

Spring Fishing Trips: We worked on establishing our agenda for the fishing trips this year. There are some new locations added to this year's list. It should be interesting with trips to Ridley Creek, Deer Creek (Maryland for shad) and Ken Lockwood Gorge.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Where</u>	<u>Coordinator</u>
March 21 <sup>st</sup>	French Creek	Jerry Martina
March 29 <sup>th</sup>	Ridley Creek	Steve Moody
April 4 <sup>th</sup>	Little Lehigh	Bob Powell
April TBA	Salmon River- 4 days	Tim Egan
April TBA	Deer Creek	Steve Moody
May 9 <sup>th</sup>	Tully	Bill Ceravolo
May 23 <sup>rd</sup>	White Clay Cr.	Carl Wyckoff
May 8 <sup>th</sup> -15 <sup>th</sup>	Situk River, Alaska	Alex Sinelnik
June 6 <sup>th</sup>	Ken Lockwood	Steve Moody

Activities Fees: The 2009 activities fees are due. We will be collecting the \$15.00 at the meeting or you may mail them directly to:

Bill Ceravolo  
107 N. Monroe Ave.  
Wenonah, NJ 08090

Checks should be made payable to **Trout Unlimited SJ Chapter**

Keep in mind you should also be a member of the National TU. The web address is:

<https://secure.tu.org/site/apps/ka/rq/register.asp?c=kkLRJ7MSKtH&b=3441435&en=9sJHJUMzE8LQK4OCi7KNJ1MNKsLWJOMKJnLVI7NKKfLOK6MYF>

Annual Awards: Haven't had any suggestions yet. Keep in mind some of the categories: who traveled the farthest to fish, who bought the most gear, who carries the most flies but the same guy would win that every year. Of course there are the more serious awards like who best supports the sport of fly-fishing or who has best supported the Chapter this year. Remember the awards are our way of acknowledging our fellow fly fishers. Email me your ideas [rjp-sep@comcast.net](mailto:rjp-sep@comcast.net)

Stream Clean-up Day: Still looking for volunteers for April 18<sup>th</sup> for the Musconetcong and the South Branch of the Raritan.

Hope to see you at the meeting March 25<sup>th</sup> and the banquet March 27th.

Bob Powell



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