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San Diego Fly Fishers

December 2016 Cleaner Water, Brighter Streams, Better Fishing Volume 39 No.12

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I want to thank all the members of the San Diego Fly Fishers for you support of our Project Healing Waters San Diego program. Your continued support and volunteer hours have allowed us to reach out to hundreds of disabled veterans and service men and women for the past 7 years. I look forward to continuing our efforts for years to come.

On November 7th with your support we held our annual Project Healing Waters fundraiser at our SDFF monthly club meeting at the Southwestern Yacht Club. With the generous support of club members and veterans from our Project Healing Waters program we collect \$995.00 to support Project Healing Waters Fly Fishing programs across the nation. Last year through efforts from clubs like ours, Project Healing Waters was able to serve 7500 disabled veterans and service members. Thank everyone for helping keep this valuable program alive.

Art Reifman Project Healing Waters San Diego

Evening Tying Program 6:30 pm San Carlos Recreation Center December 7, 2016

Outings

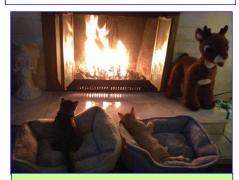
December 21, 2016 Fly Fishing - Santee Lakes 9:30 AM

Clean Out Your Closet IV

Christmas is just around the corner and time to fill your tackle box with gently used equipment. The guideline for this year's event will be the same as the past three years. There will be a silent auction with; custom built fly rod by our own Jack Duncan, custom built hardwood fly tving cabinet with multiple cedar lined drawers for materials, 1990 California Wild Trout Stamp Design print & stamp "Golden Trout" by Al Agnew, 9' 3pc 10 weight and 9' 3pc 9 weight rod both in excellent condition. **Raffle** with: flv reel, video's, misc tackle items, books, etc. And some fly lines and tons of flies donated by Dale Mazzarella. Items for Sale : misc items, fly tying materials, and tons of "great" books. Items for Donations,

Also, for Members only. **Swap Meet** where you can offer your personal items for sale.

A big thank you to **Lew Walsh** for organizing and running this fun event.



Merry Christmas to all and pleasant dreams

Don't Forget

Time to renew your membership with San Diego Fly Fishers for 2017. See Page 3 Special IFFF Promotion See Page 4

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Next Meeting Stroud Banquet Sunday, January 29, 2017

Sunday, January 29, 2017 Southwestern Yacht Club

PRESIDENT'S COLUMN: December 2016



Bruce Michael

Skip Price Memorial Amphitheater Volunteers in front of the sign. Great Job Everyone !

The whirlwind year of SDFF 2016 is winding down. As you, I wish I had wet a line a day or two more, attended one more Thursday night fly tying congress meeting and enjoyed breaking bread with a few more members. There is still time to join Bob Pharoah and the Bay Bunch or Gretchen and the CuyamacaTrout Chasers for a few more tugs and camaraderie.

Monday evening December 5, is always a fun event. Lew Walsh over the year assembles donations from members for our year end, swap meet/'get back on budget' fund raiser. Come early to enjoy a beverage and meal with friends and bring a few extra bucks for the raffle and to grab that one missing rod or reel to compliment your next trip.

Tickets for our January 29, Stroud Banquet will be available as well. In addition to honoring several of our members for their past year efforts, there will be food and some amazing door prizes including a 9', 4 wt, 4 piece Sage VXP rod and a custom wrapped Jack Duncan rod.

There is still time to nominate a 2016 Stroud recipient. You can either go online or pick up a nomination form at our December meeting. Nominees do not need to be SDFF members and require 2 SDFF members to endorse the nominee. Kindly turn your nomination forms into either myself, Alan Thompson or Jack Duncan by December 15.





Thank you for your support.

Bratwursts are available for purchase at COSTCO Ware-house stores.

For the second year in a row, Larry George provided the fresh hamburger meat and Bratwurst for our Casting Event held at Tidelands Park

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Membership Renewal by Mail
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O Change of Address or Email Address : New Address City State/Zip
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PRINT THIS PAGE then MAIL THIS FORM AND YOUR CHECK TO:
SAN DIEGO FLY FISHERS 10601-G Tierrasanta Blvd #327 San Diego, CA 92124
By using this form you save your club the expense of mailing a renewal form, can save you money if you renew in person at a club meeting, and this is the green alternative.
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Volunteer Opportunities

Casa Vieja Meadow in the

RECURING EVENTS

Every Sunday Morning at 9am

Lake Murray Casting Clinic

always use additional help as the number protect the fragile mountain meadow. The of students can vary greatly from week-to- second trip occurs in the fall to take down week. We are teaching two basic casts: the the barb wire fence to minimize witer roll cast and the overhead cast. Bring a storm damage. While in the meadows, comfortable hair, your winning personality, and we will supply at the equipment.

Every Thursday Evening at 6:30 pm.

San Carlos Recreation Center

Meet a group of dedicated fly tyers that are giving instruction as to tying most of the popular flies. For more information contact Lucky Ketcham.

Advanced Fly Casting

Mission Bay Park- Ski Beach area

Join John Adanetz as he instructs fly casters in advanced casting techniques. This group meets the 1st and 3rd Sunday at 8am.

Lend-a-Rod Program

Chollas Lake Park (See Below) Join Paul Woolery every Sunday 11am-2pm as they help youngsters learn the basics of fishing and casting conventional rods. Another way to give back to the community. Contact Paul for more informatio-



Golden Trout Wilderness

Join SDFF members as they make two trips annually, one trip in early summer to repair Join Lee Anderson and his crew. We can and set up the cattle excursion fence to look for the elusive Golden Trout that can be found in the small streams.

Trout in the Classroom

This event will become a recurring event as we continue to build increase participation by local schools. There is the possibility to raise and release trout three times during the academic year. (see photo below and Page 14 for latest photos from training)



\$5 Discount on San Diego Fly Fishers (SDFF) Club Annual Membership Dues for New Members of International Federation of Fly Fishers (IFFF)

SDFF is an Affiliate Club of IFFF and recognizes the benefits that IFFF contributes to individual members as well as our sport as a whole. To support your involvement with IFFF, SDFF club members that join IFFF can receive a one time \$5 discount on their SDFF annual club dues when you renew your membership with San Diego Fly Fishers Club.

Why join International Federation of **Fly Fishers?**

The IFFF is an international non-profit organization dedicated to the betterment of the sport of fly fishing through Conservation, Restoration and Education. The organization and its Councils are the only organized advocate for fly fishers on a regional, national and international level. Our club benefits from IFFF through several programs such as casting, trout in the classroom, guest speakers at no charge, etc.

Additionally, each 12 new IFFF members are eligible to win a new Lefty Kreh TFO Fly Rod of their choice via raffle drawn during our monthly meetings.

How this works: Go to http:// www.fedflyfishers.org/Membership and join IFFF as an individual member. Provide your IFFF member number to Steve Vissers (Membership Chair) when you renew your SDFF membership and you will receive a \$5 discount of your SDFF annual club dues. Additionally, your name will be added to the SDFF members that are also new joins to IFFF. Each 12 new IFFF members are eligible for the new Lefty Kreh TFO Fly Rod raffle. Regrets, current members of IFFF are not eligible for the discount nor the new rod, although your support for our club and IFFF is always much appreciated! Questions, see John Adametz.

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Stroud Banquet

Recognizing the accomplishments of the club and individual members who have made a difference.



When: Sunday, January 29, 2017 from 1pm to 5 pm Where: Southwestern Yacht Club (see back page for map) Details:

- \$30 per person for a great dinner in a beautiful setting.
- Price includes a door prize ticket!
- Buy Tickets at
 - Stroud's Tackle

Mail check to:

San Diego Fly Fishers, Attn. Stroud Banquet 10601-G Tierrasanta Blvd., #327 San Diego, CA 92124

• Spouses and guests are welcome.





San Diego Fly Fishers Annual Stroud Award Nominee Application Form

Purpose: To recognize Individuals for life long achievement in the sport of fishing, or in conservation and environmental causes that benefit the sport of fishing.

Qualifications: Individuals qualify if they have made a significant contribution throughout their life or career to the sport of fishing, or to conservation and environmental causes that directly benefit the sport of fishing.

Nominees do not have to be a member of the Club to qualify, but all nominees must be sponsored by at least two members of the Club.

Due Date: Unless an extension is authorized by the Campaign Selection Committee, applications must be submitted to it by December 15th.

Procedure: The Selection Committee, made up of the current SDFF President and the two most recent past SDFF Presidents, will screen all nominees for eligibility and select the top five Candidates. The winner will be selected from the Candidates by a cumulative vote of all past SDFF Presidents.

When: The Award will be presented to the winner at the SDFF Club's Stroud Banquet following the selection process.

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 Club Member/Sponsor:
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BISHOP RENDEZVOUS FEBRUARY 23-26, 2017 Fly Fishing in the Owens River System

SEE Alan Thompson OR E-MAIL :finnyfacts@gmail.com



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Volunteers at STAR/PAL Fishing Tournament









Top left picture– **Davis Collins** works to prepare fishing rods for the kids.

Top right- Lucky Ketchem, Bob Pharoah, Louie Zimm working on rods and reels, also.

Left– **Lew Walsh** with the volunteers in background in blue shirts from the probation department.

Below– **Barry Perchersky** and other volunteers working to get everything ready for the next day for the kids.

San Diego Fly Fishers under the leadership of Paul Woolery stepped up to support our local STAR/PAL chapter as they provide a healthy and fun outdoor activity, fishing. As usual, we had a large turnout on Friday as we put together nearly 400 rods and reels and have them ready for the kids oin Saturday morning (see photos).

On Saturday morning, we were ready to assist the young anglers by having repair stations to repair almost any problem, shore walkers to remove fish (and turtles) from hooks, and giving advice to eager fisherkids. **Great Job, Paul and all volunteers.**



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Skip Price Memorial Amphitheater in Pictures





The Project was a collaboration with San Diego Fly Fishers, Golden State Fly Casters, San Diego River Park Foundation.

Clockwise from top left-Bruce Bechard was the brain behind the project; Top right-Paul Woolery was hears to say," Where are my #*^@*\$! Keys!!!"; Lower right Bruce Michael and Sandi Jacobson sharing a humorous moment: Bottom-Five guys sitting on a bench (Sung to-"Five Monkeys Jumping on the Bed" Alan Thompson, Bruce Bechard, Paul Woolery, Gary Strawn, Bruce Michael Left-Bruce Michael, Sandi Jacob-

Bruce Michael, Sandi Jacobson, Tim Huny filling a base with concrete,







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Skip Price Memorial Amphitheater in Pictures



Clockwise from above– Teamwork made the work go fast : **Bruce Michael, Wayne Johnson,** and an unidentified helper erecting the sign post: **Paul Woolery, Gary Strawn** pose in front of the completed sign: The completed amphitheater showing the benches, the stage, and sign: **Wayne Johnson, Rob Hutsel, Mrs. Charlene Price, Gary Strawn** in front of the <u>Skip</u> **Price Memorial Amphitheater** sign. **GREAT JOB EVERYBODY!**









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Future Activities



CAST HOPE is excited to an-

steelhead tournament on the Trinity River. Working dian Creek

Lodge, they have put together an aweto just 26 fishermen. and others. Anglers attending the event will receive 3 nights lodging at Indian Creek Lodge and 2 days of guided steelhead fishing on the Trinity River with The Fly Shop. Each person will be receiving a door prize full of Simms Gear to keep you warm. Event details can be found online at: casthope.org.

This isn't your normal "competitive" fishing tournament. Rather, it's an important fundraising event benefiting a great organization that is working hard every day of the year to help introduce kids to the world of fly fishing: Cast Hope.

Cast Hope is a nonprofit organization providing kids with the gift of the great outdoors. It brings kids and mentors together in nature through the sport of nounce their fly fishing. In today's "plugged in" world, Cast Hope second annual strives to break that pattern by immersing young peofundraising ple into the environment through guided fly fishing trips, fishing clinics, fly tying events, camp outs, road trips, and conservation outings, creating a healthy hobby that kids can enjoy for the rest of their lives. with The Fly The goal is to empower these kids to make fly fishing Shop and In- a sport they can do on their own while conserving and sustaining our natural resources. Cast Hope partners with other non-profit youth organizations to help underserved kids, including Boys & Girls Club, Boy some event limited Scouts, CASA, Wilderness Experience, Youth 4 Change,

> When you love interacting in the outdoors, the best response is to give it away, to make it grow, and to protect it. So our desire is to Share the Adventure-to give kids something to look forward to, something to enjoy, something to look back on, something to care for, and something that will positively impact their lives.

If you are interested in attending this event, please email Ryan Johnston at info@casthope.org.

Check out this short video about Cast Hope:

https://youtu.be/QLZic297wGM

L H E E 5 D T R N N Includes 3 nights Lodging at Indian Creek Lodge and 2 days of guided fishing with The Fly Shop All meals & wine/beer Door Package Simms Dry Bag Simms Jacket Fly Line And Other Great Items Entry

\$4,000 per team of 2 anglers or \$2,500 per individual 2 days guided fishing on Trinity River

For Reservations Contact: 619-540-9259 info@casthope.org www.casthope.org

> 800-669-3474 www.theflyshop.com

Fly Tying Congress Every Thursday 6:30-8:30 PM

Join the San Diego Fly Fishers at San Carlos Recreation Center at 6445 Lake Badin Ave. in San Diego. Instruction to create your own fly is available. Bring your own equipment or use the club equipment, available from one of the instructors.

DIRECTIONS--From Interstate 8 take the Lake Murray off-ramp and drive toward Lake Murphy. Travel on Lake Murray Blvd. for 1.6 miles and turn left at Lake Adlon Drive (1st corner past Jackson Drive). Go three blocks and the Recreation Center will be on you right.

California Waterfowl Association

Owens River Annual Clean Up Bishop, California Saturday, February 11, 2017



Meet @ 8AM Pleasant Valley Campground Bring gloves and be prepared to help clean up as much of the Owens River as we can. Wear waders if you own them. Bring family and friends! The more people, the cleaner the river! Coffee and baked good provided for all volunteers at 8AM & Lunch will be provided for all volunteers at 12PM @ Pleasant Valley Campground. 2017 Sponsors include: California Waterfowl Association - Bishop Caltrout - Sierra Headwaters Region Eastern Sierra Fishing Guides Association Preferred Septic and Disposal - Bishop Inyo Recycling and Waste Management - Bishop Silver Lake Resort - June Lake Trout Unlimited - Eastern Sierra Field Office International Federation of Fly Fishers - Southwest Council Talk it up. Bring family and friends. This is our chance to annually clean up Bishop's blue ribbon moving water fishery. For information on sponsoring or general information call Chris Leonard, 818,288,3271.

Instructional Classes offered by SDFF

Congratulations to the following SDFF Members for achieving Bronze Certification in the SDFF Casting Challenge Program

<u>Michael Flores</u>

<u>Tim DeWitt</u>

Advanced Casting Instruction with John J. Adametz, IFFF Casting Instructor 8 to 9AM, first and third Sundays Ski Beach Park Mission Bay Park

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 <u>john.adametz@gmail.com</u> should you have any questions.

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!

FREE CASTING LESSONS EVERY SUNDAY starting at 9 AM

Join the San Diego Fly Fishers at Lake Murray to cast or improve your skills. Free instruction is available. Bring your own equipment or use the club equipment, available from one of the instructors. DIRECTIONS--Take Interstate 8 to Lake Murray Boulevard. Go north on Lake Murray Boulevard to Kiowa Drive. Make a left and continue to the parking lot next to the boat dock. We are to the immediate right of docks under the large cabana. See you there!

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Ordering Clothing from Cabelas With our Club LOGO

CABELA'S EMBROIDERED CLOTHING

Our Club logo is available to be applied to items purchased at Cabela's. Here is the information you will need.

Step 1: Decide what article of clothing you want the club logo to be placed on and write down the number and color you want to purchase. There are good deals on the Corporate Sales book found online. Then choose the logo you will use. Blue lettering LOGO is for light-colored item (LOGO number 30016093) or gold lettering LOGO for dark colored items (LOGO number 30015627).

Step 2: Contact Cabelas Embroidery at (877) 892-4424 (Telephone), or facsimile at (800) 237-4401. or on-line at embroidery~cabelas.com

Step 3. When connected to the Embroidery Department, Give them the SDFF Customer Club Number when placing an order. This number is **40479874.** You may receive a 0-10% discount by using the Club Number. However, for almost all items there is an embroidery charge of **\$5.00.**

Step 4: Finalize the order and use a credit card to secure your purchase by phone. If you are ordering by FAX or e-mail, do not include a credit card number. For security reasons, Cabelas will call you for that information.

Step 5: Check your product when it arrives.

The Official San Diego Fly Fishers Shirt which is displayed on the right. You can own this special shirt which guaranties that you will stand out in a crowd.

Order from Cabelas (see above) Item #<u>1K-904591</u> Color-<u>Vivid Blue</u>

Get Yours Today !



Embroidery is available locally at **TCB Embroidery** located at 8924 Carlton Hills Blvd. Santee, CA 92071 Phone- (619)-562-2320 Fax (619-562-3510 tcbembroidery.com

Eastern Sierra Report from Tom Loe of Sierra Drifters

Ouick look fish report 11/21/16

Mostly cooler temps with a slight chance of Numbers of rainbows have increased re- Water conditions are fair, with decent snow on 11/23. Cold morning air temps in cently. No snow or ice, access is fine. You flows thanks to October rains the upper elevations. Upper Owens has can fish year around above the Benton snow. some bigs. Migratory rainbows have Bridge with special angling restrictions. with thousands of sub-catchable rainbows moved up from Crowley Lake. The UO is The sections below Hot Creeks inlets have and browns. Thanks to the CDFW, and open year around upstream from significant aquatic weed that makes passionate volunteers for their efforts to get the Benton Bridge with special regula- nymphing difficult. The fish are spread out, fish planted in Hot Creek. Many 8-10 inch tions. Weather much nicer around Bishop. & Middle Owens bite has been slow; still your stream side approaches quietly, & on have just been put into HC. If we can just producing some quality rainbows on drift their tails. Keeping a low profile is neces- get some help from mother nature on the trips. Flows are low, 75cfs. in the wild sary to avoid spooking them. Most of the water part...HC will comeback strong next trout section. East Walker flows down to browns are lying under the cut banks dur- summer. These are very small fish, and will winter releases at 28cfs. The catching has ing higher sun periods. Flows have have a long winter to face. Please take it been slow. Pleasant Valley Reservoir fair/ dropped considerably; with current levels easy on them if you choose to fish HC at poor. Inlet, and river section spotty. Tubing being 50cfs. Attractor patterns, & streamers all. best around launch ramp towards inlet. Hot are good calls for migratory trout. Drifters planted. Drifters guide Doug Rodricks Creek has been planted with small rain- Crawlers, crystal eggs, bows, & browns. Water conditions fair. Worms, crystal leeches, & Assassins are The Gorge is open year around, and is fish- my go to nymphs below an Under-Cator. ing fair/good during warmer periods. Work being done in Lower Gorge. Dry/dropper rigs work well here. General trout season is now closed.

Middle Owens River (Bishop area)

Small mayflies, midges, & the last generation of caddis are still emerging daily. Hivis para mayflies, & caddis adults used as vour upper fly; with dropper bead head nymphs like Assassins, flashback PT's, olive dubbed crystal caddis, & tiger midges can be effective in the deeper tailouts, and brush lined slots. The bulk of the fish are holding in the deeper pits during the cooler periods of the day, so add some weight, & attach an Under-Cator to your nymph rigs to get down to the trout lying in these holes. We have had a consistent run of large rainbows this fall using streamer patterns like Spruce-A-Bu's, Loebergs, & Seal Buggers. Light sinking tip lines are ade- Orange, Spruce-A-Bu's, & Punk Perch will quate to get your imitations down to these rascals that are staging up in the tailouts of the larger pools. Numbers have been down on recent drift boat trips due to a lack of fish stocking. Flows have dropped to 75cfs. forcing the trout to migrate into the deeper pools.

Upper Owens River

spooky.

Pleasant Valley Reservoir

Fishing has been slow due to lack of stocking. The reservoir level is up close to the tree line, making access difficult in the transition section. The small river section can kick out fair numbers of hold over trout using dry/dropper rigs, & streamers. Flows have dropped, & this fertile little river can be really fun if you work the harder to reach brush areas accessible when the powerhouse is not generating. I like dry/dropper combos like Stimulators, hivis mayfly, or caddis as the upper. Use smaller Assassins, FB PT's, or crystal tiger midges as the nymphs. Tubers can get into some fish around the boat launch ramp towards the inlet. Use full sinking: or heavy sink tips to get down ten feet quickly. Loebergs, Crystal Leeches, Agent get you grabs.

You can pick up my flies & Under-cators at Reagan's Sports in Bishop, the Crowley General Store (not at the lake), Ricks Sport Center in Mammoth (limited selection), Bridgeport Reservoir RV Park (currently closed for winter). Stroud Tackle in San

Diego, & Malibu Fish'n Tackle in Thou-

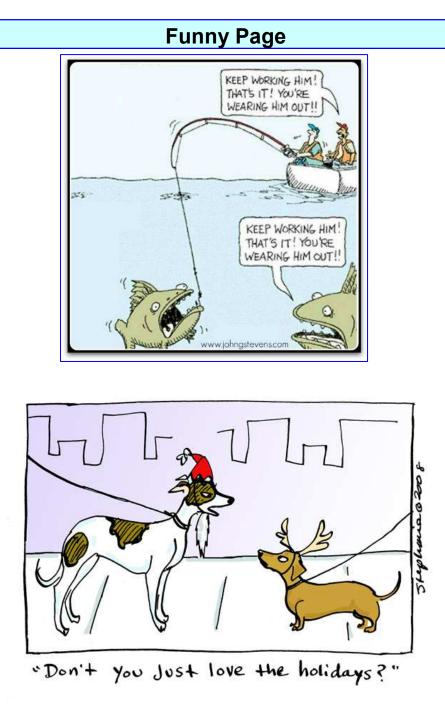
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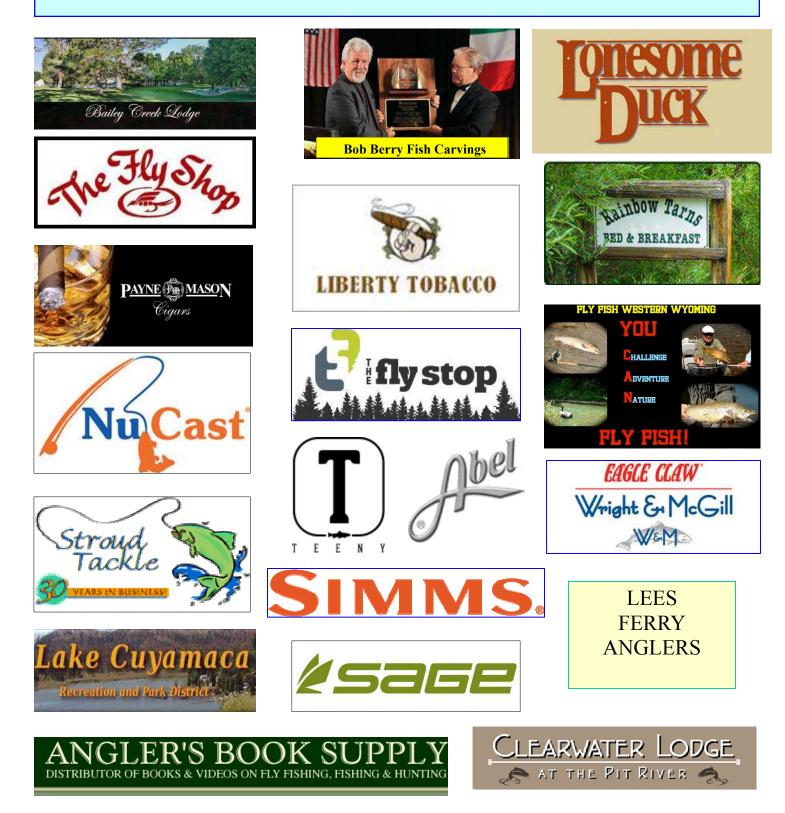
and HC has been recently planted Make rainbows, & thousands of 4 inch browns Several public sections were San Juan toting fish transport buckets.

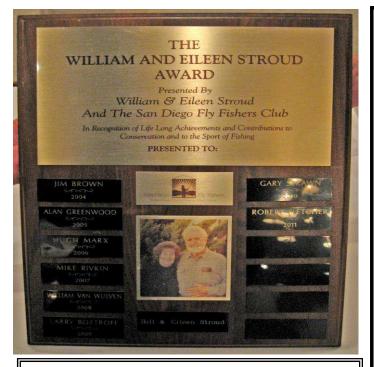


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2016 Fundraiser Sponsors Thank You





Recipients of the **STROUD AWARD**

STROOD AWARD	
Jim Brown	2004
Allen Greenwood	2005
Hugh Marx	2006
Mike Rivkin	2007
Bill Van Wulven	2008
Larry Bottroff	2009
Gary Strawn	2010
Bob Fletcher	2011
Bill and Eileen Stroud	2012
Paul Woolery	2014
Louie Zimm.	2015

Cut-off date for **January** *Finny Facts* is Friday-December 23 ,2016

<u>Send articles to:</u> <u>Alan Thompson at</u> <u>finnyfacts@gmail.com</u>

Send change of address information, or Club membership renewal to:

Sandiegoflyfishers.com

Also, Visit our club's website today for new pictures, articles, and other useful information. *WEB Address at bottom of this page.*

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