

# NEWSLETTER

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We Support Catch and Release

November 2010



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## Next Meeting:

**November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2010**  
**AZ Game and Fish Office**  
2878 E. Highway 260  
Pinetop, AZ 85935  
(928) 367-4281

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5:30 PM – Social Hour  
6:30 PM - Meeting

## WMFFC Mission Statement

**The Mission Statement of the White Mountain Fly Fishing Club is: "To assist in the development and maintenance of fly fishing opportunities and to promote and participate in fly fishing in its many forms."**

**We support and practice Catch and Release. We support the use of Barb-less Hooks and harmless netting and release practices. Fish should never be held out of water for longer than you can hold your breath.**

## *Tight Loops*

This is the time of the year you have to go fishing. The temperature of the lakes has cooled down and the fishing is picking up!

### REMINDERS:

FIRST: Don't forget to bring your gear for the garage sale on November 17. It is going to be a fun event!

SECOND: Let's all remember to bring a can good or donation to the November meeting to help the "Love Kitchen". It will be appreciated.

THIRD: Be looking for the "ugliest holiday sweater" that you can find for the Holiday Party scheduled for December 11. . .it could get you a \$50.00 Bass Pro gift certificate!

Everyone should be marking their calendars for the 2011 outings. The committee has done an excellent job putting together a great schedule.

This next year looks like it is going to be a very busy one for our club. Project Healing Waters, youth camp, the annual banquet, fly-tying classes, Game and Fish, just to name a few!

In order to do these projects, we need more members to volunteer. Let any board member know if you are willing to serve. . .no experience needed; but WE DO NEED YOU!

See you on the water,



**Ken Wolf**  
President  
[WMFlyFishing.com](http://WMFlyFishing.com)

**Meeting Change** – This month's meeting place will be at the Game and Fish office conference room located off Hwy 260 in upper Pinetop for this month only. Wednesday, November 17<sup>th</sup>, 2010. If you have any questions, please contact a board member.

# 2010 WMFFC Board Members



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## November Monthly Meeting @ 6:30PM

**NOTE:** *AZ Game and Fish Office*

### Agenda:

- Social Hour -- (5:30PM)
- Call to Order -- (6:30PM)
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Introduction of Guests and New Members!
- Committee Reports
- Business
- Program – Garage Sale!
- Fish Tails
- Raffle
- The special presentation for this month will be: see below ...

**GERRY MYERS -- VP**



**November Presentation:** Club Garage/Swap Meet: Do we really need EBay? All of us have rods, reels, lines, vests, bags, rod carriers, float tubes, kick boats, waders, flies, camping gear we don't use. Put a value on them and bring it all to the November club meeting. Be willing to haggle and buy or sell a great deal for yourself. We will set up wares before the business meeting and commence trading upon its completion I am bringing a float tube I seldom use - Jerry Myers, Vice President

The meeting minutes will no longer be published in this newsletter. Anyone wishing a copy of the minutes should contact one of our board members.

## Upcoming Three Month Calendar



**November**

17<sup>th</sup>

20<sup>th</sup>

**December**

11<sup>th</sup>

**January – 2011**

19<sup>th</sup>

22<sup>nd</sup>

**2010**

Monthly Meeting

Becker Lake

Christmas Party

@ Licano's

No Outing in Dec.

Monthly Meeting

Outing TBA @ Meeting

# Outings, Club Projects and Upcoming Events

## Horseshoe Outing ...

Our October outing at Horseshoe Lake turned Out really good. The Weather was good and the number of members showing up was good.



With the Aspens in full color, what a perfect setting for our outing.

The fishing was good. It was just that the catching was somewhat a little slow. But just about everyone caught fish. I know of one large Brown that was caught, but most were Rainbows in the 10 to 14 inch range.

The flies that I remember being mentioned that caught fish were Black Woolly Bugger, Green and Black Woolly Bugger, Chartreuse Woolly Bugger, KP Bugger, Prince Nymph, Mickey Finn, Pheasant Tail and a Hare's Ear. I did not hear of or see of any top water action.

We had a nice set up for our lunch get together. We used one of our new sun shades for cover. For our potluck lunch we had four bean chili, tortilla wraps, hot dogs, potato salad, pumpkin pie and multi-flavored cheese cake. A pretty good spread, I think, and a pretty good outing.

Our next outing and last one for this year, will be at Becker Lake on the 20<sup>th</sup> of November. Come on out and we will end the year with a really good time.

Submitted by Ted Lambert, Outings Chairman

## Christmas Party ...



The annual Christmas/Holiday party will be on December 11<sup>th</sup> at Lucano's again this year. The time is 5:30 PM. Besides Having a White Elephant Gift exchange Ken has suggested an

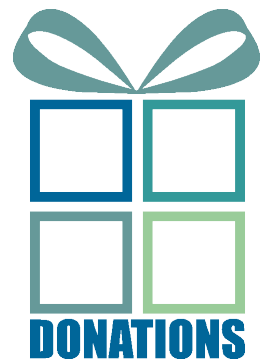
"Ugly Sweater" contest with a \$50.00 gift certificate

... from the Bass Pro Shop to the Ugliest Sweater wearer. You don't have to wear the sweater until the contest. But it must be worn to be judged. If you don't have an ugly Christmas sweater a great suggestion is to go to a thrift shop and/or a yard sale and pick one up cheap. Mark your calendar and call Ken at 928-367-0936 for reservations.

Submitted by Sparky Snyder, News Chair

## Club Donations ...

The club will be supporting The Love Kitchen in Pinetop this Thanksgiving. They need donations of **food and/or gift cards** from Safeway and Walmart. Bring some food items to the next meeting as they must be turned over to them following the meeting. Items they need include canned yams, corn, green beans, cranberries, boxes of stuffing, gravy packets and more. Please be generous as the Love Kitchen feeds many of the less fortunate. We will have boxes for your donation at the November meeting.



For the Christmas Season we will be collecting cash donations, which the club will match, to support C.A.S.A. (Court Appointed Special Advocates). Their mission is to advocate for the best interests of abused and neglected children who are involved in the juvenile courts. C.A.S.A promotes and supports community-based volunteers, certified by the Supreme Court, who provide quality advocacy to help assure each child a safe, permanent, nurturing home. On Sept. 30, 2009 there were 10,112 Arizona children in out-of-home care - in relative placement, foster homes, group homes, shelters or residential treatment centers. **Please bring your donations to the November meeting or the December Christmas Party or contact Ken Wolf at 928-367-0936.**

Submitted by Ken Wolf, President

Our club would like to extend our most sincere condolences to Doc and Jacqueline Dockendorf and their Family for the loss of their Daughter, Joy.



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**New Members** - Welcome to our newest members, Steve and Ellen Hofmann of Show Low, Rick Sneddon, of Vernon and Robert Worsham, of Show Low.

If you have an Ad or Article that you would like featured in the next Newsletter, please submit them by the 1<sup>st</sup> of the Month \*\*\* Sparky Snyder \*\*\* [sparkysnyder@cableone.net](mailto:sparkysnyder@cableone.net)

“There is a little something in this newsletter for everyone, even those who look for mistakes.”