



COLORADO

WOMEN

FLYFISHERS

A sociable club for women who flyfish

October 2015

OCTOBER MEETINGS

DENVER CLUB MEETING

October 6, 2015

5:30 – 6:30 SOCIAL HOUR

6:30 – 7:15 DINNER

7:15 – 7:30 ANNOUNCEMENTS

7:30 – 8:30 PROGRAM

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

October 13, 2015

Bass Pro: 6:30pm – 8:30pm

(Private Dining Room)

Calendar of Events

Oct 24 End of Season Party
(for all members)

Future Events

Nov 3 Business Meeting

TIME TO RENEW YOUR CWF MEMBERSHIP!

2016 Membership fees will be \$40 and you can submit them starting now!

You will have to sign the Risk form (required every year) before we can accept your membership fee payment – but you can do this online!

Have questions??? Contact Sue or Kris and they will be happy to help you out.

Thanks Kris for figuring out how to make this possible online!

DENVER CHAPTER MEETING PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENT:

By Chris Prelaz

I'm very excited that we will have Daniel Galhardo, founder of Tenkara USA as our speaker at our Tuesday night meeting.

If you've never heard of Tenkara, heard of it, don't know anything about it but would like to, know something about it and want to learn more, don't really care but need a good excuse to get away from the house - come and hear Daniel tell you all about it

What the heck is Tenkara?

What if someone told you that all you need for fly-fishing are a rod, line and fly? No reel. And that the rods telescope down to 20 inches; that is fits in a pack or your back pocket... in one piece?

That's Tenkara. A fly-fishing method from Japan that has created a revolution in the sport in the last few years (It's not a fad!)

Tenkara shines in mountain streams, where the long rod and light line provide the best possible fly presentation. Tenkara is also effective in a variety of waters, such as alpine lakes, or urban ponds for panfish and bass. Tenkara is the ideal setup for anyone looking for an intuitive and fun way to fly-fish, something to take along on a backpacking fishing trip or teaching kids the art of fly-fishing, without the complexities.

Intrigued?? Well head on down to Piccolo's on Tuesday evening! Hoping to see a great turnout to show Daniel how cool CWF is!



CWF TRIP SCHEDULE FOR 2015

(Trips - nearby towns are provided in parentheses – please keep in mind this is not to pinpoint the exact place but just to provide general idea of area. Also note that the exact location of meeting place CAN CHANGE or may not be identified until closer to the date) With ALL trips, **stay in touch** with CWF talk for any changes in trip info as things can change due to weather, water conditions or life in general.

DATE(s)	TRIP	AREA
October 17	GROUP REQUEST: WE ARE ASKING FOR SUGGESTIONS FOR POSSIBLY A NEW AREA TO FISH. SUBMIT A REQUEST TO SANDY WRIGHT (FLYFISHQUEEN@MSN.COM OR CHRIS PRELAZ (CMP97@HOTMAIL.COM))	



End-of-the-Season
CELEBRATION!!!

Saturday, October 24, 2015
5:30 PM – 8:30 PM

C B & Potts
1257 West 120th Avenue
Westminster, CO 80234
The Longs Peak Room
303.451.5767

CWF TRAVELING FLY BOX DRAWING

AND

CWF FAVORITE FLY GIFT EXCHANGE**

**** (Wrap four of your favorite flies and draw four of another's favorite flies!!!!)**

Social Hour	5:30 – 6:30
Dinner	6:30 – 7:30
Program	7:30 – 8:30

Dinner: \$22.00 Please make your check out to CWF and mail by **OCTOBER 17** to: CWF, P.O. Box 101137,
Denver, CO 80250

Questions: Sue Holton at sue.holton@comcast.net or 303.883.7127

Presidential Suite:

Submitted by: Amy Slaughter, President



My apologies for the late newsletter; vacation, work, and life seemed to get in the way. The good news is that we have a volunteer that will be taking over the newsletter soon – Thanks Julie Hegg!

Next month (November) is the yearly Business meeting so please try to attend in order to hear how the club has done this year, submit your vote for the BOD positions for the coming year (years), and to help set the direction of the club for 2016.

We have had a few ladies step up to volunteer to either sit on the board or help with the club activities. We have also been a little creative in order to fill the President and Vice President positions; Rheana has convinced me to put my name down for one more year as the President and then she will take over in 2017. Rheana will put her name down for the Vice President position for 2016 and then we will find a replacement for her when she steps up to the President position in 2017. This plan works for me, it allows Rheana to see what the President does so she can figure out how she wants to lead in 2017, and we hope this will be good for the club!

A special voting form will be sent out to the club this month for the Board of Directors open positions. Please make your selections and return your ballot to us on, or before, the November 3, 2015 Business meeting. The votes will be tallied and the Board of Directors will be announced during the meeting.

The Board of Directors is in the middle of reviewing the planned vs. actual budget for this year and it appears we have done a pretty nice job of managing the club funds. We are also working to develop the budget for 2016 and will be finishing our work at the Board meeting in October. If you want to hear firsthand about the 2015 and 2016 budgets, then plan on attending the November 3, 2015 meeting at Piccolo's!

CWF Arkansas River Trip Report
Sandy Wright & Chris Prelaz
Trip Coordinators

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CWF TRIPS –LODGING, FLYSHOPS

NOTE: Most camping reservations for state campgrounds can be made through <http://recreation.gov> OR <http://reserveamerica.com> but not for private campgrounds

DAY USE OR ENTRANCE FEES MAY APPLY TO SOME AREAS – PLEASE CHECK BEFORE YOU GO OR MAKE SURE YOU HAVE SOME MOOLAH WITH YOU

Arkansas River Salida or Buena Vista CO

Fly Shop/ Guides

Arkanglers 7500 W US Hwy 50 Salida, CO 719-539-3473 www.arkanglers.com
Contact: Greg Felt

Lodging

Super 8 Motel** 719-539-6689
719-539-7018 (Mention you are with CWF)
www.salidasuper8.com

Camping

- **4 Seasons RV Park** 719-539-309 **
Discount for CWF members. Please wear CWF clothing when visiting.
- Primitive camping east of Four Seasons.

No. Platte R., Grey Reef Alcova or Casper WY

Fly Shop/ Guides

-*The North Platte River Fly Shop* (307-237-5997)
www.northplatteflyfishing.com/seasons.php
-*Grey Reef Fly Shop*
22222 Grey Reef Rd, Alcova WY
307-2329138
-*Ugly Bug Fly Shop* (307-234-6905)
Coloradoskies, in Parker, CO
www.coloradoskiesoutfitters.com

North Platte River Fly Shop to reserve boats 307-277-6282

LODGING:

The Inn at Alcova- 307-234-2066
Cabins/cottages-
<http://northplattelodge.com>

Red Butte Inn – B&B

<http://www.redbutteranchlodging.com/>
(307) 472-3784 or (307) 277-1003

Camping (Grey Reef): BLM camping at both Grey Reef and Alcova Reservoirs. Also camping at the KOA Campground in Bar Nunn, (www.koakampgrounds.com/where/wy/50155/index.html) about 34 mi from the reef and at the Fort Casper Campground between Casper and Grey Reef, (www.ftcasparcamp.org) about 30 miles upstream of Grey Reef, there camping along the Miracle Mile section of the North Platte.

-Check recreation.gov or reserveamerica.com

Yampa River Steamboat CO

Flyshops:

-*Steamboat Flyfisher* 970-879-6552
<http://www.steamboatflyfisher.com/>
-*Bucking Rainbow Outfitters*
888-810-8747
<http://www.buckingrainbow.com/>

Camping/Lodging Steamboat Campground

<http://steamboatcampground.com/>
3603 Lincoln Ave. Steamboat Springs, CO 80487; (970) 879 – 0273
<http://steamboat-chamber.com> -other lodging, camping

Frying Pan – Basalt or Aspen CO

Flyshops

-*Frying Pan Anglers-* 970-927-3441
<http://www.fryingpananglers.com/>
-*Taylor Creek Fly Shop* – (970) 927 4374
<http://www.taylorcreek.com/>

Camping

-*Little Maud
<http://www.recreation.gov>
-Mollie B -<http://www.recreation.gov>

Eleven Mile Canyon Lake George, or Woodland Park, CO

Lodging

Eleven Mile Canyon Lodging Option
VRBO.com (South Central Colorado, Lake George area.)

Camping (Eleven Mile)

www.recreation.gov
-**Spillway Campground main campground*
-*Springer Gulch Campground*
-*Riverside Campground*
-*Blue Mountain*
(1.5 miles south of Lake George on Rd. 61)

Rocky Mountain National Park Estes Park, CO

Fly Shop/ Guides

-*Kirks Fly shop*, kirksflyshop.com 877-669-1859 /Toll free 970-557-0790

-*Scotts Sporting Goods*

<http://www.scotssportinggoods.com/>

(970) 586-2877 **Winter** (October-April): (970) 443-4932

-*Estes Angler*

<http://www.estesangler.com/>
800-586-2110 or 970-586-2110

Lodging

Lodging Estes Park Colorado
www.estesparkcvb.com/lodging.cfm

Camping

Mary's Lake Campground

Rocky Mountain National Park

<http://www.nps.gov/romo>

Follow link to *Plan Your Visit* or *Fees and Reservations* for camp info

Check for reservations or to find other campgrounds in area

www.recreation.gov or
www.reserveamerica.com

1-877-444-6777

Estes Park KOA, estesparkkoa.com
(800) 562-1887.

CWF TRIPS – LODGING, FLYSHOPS CONTINUED

Jefferson Lake Jefferson CO

General Info Link:

<http://www.anglerscovey.com/where-to-fish/colorado-lakes-and-reservoirs/jefferson-lake>

Camping

-Jefferson Creek – **main campground**
-Lodgepole
-Aspen
All of these are VERY close in proximity to each other
Reserve through state campground links

Castle Mountain Recreation at Wellington Lake Baily or Pine CO

General Info – rates, directions, camping etc

<http://www.castlemountainrec.com/>

*SAVE THIS AREA
FOR ADDITIONAL
OR FUTURE
LODGING,
CAMPING, &
FLY SHOP
INFORMATION*

Colorado Women Flyfishers 2015 Board of Directors

Colorado Women Flyfishers – 2015 Board of Directors	Position
Amy Slaughter	President
OPEN	Vice President
Kimberly Travis	Secretary
Jolene Pilcher	Treasurer
Rheana Gavagan	Education Director
Jane Retherford (assist from Mary Manka)	Fundraising Director
Sue Holton & Penny Dietrich	Membership Director(s) (Co-Director's)
OPEN	Newsletter Director
Ann Howell	Public Events Director
OPEN	Special Projects Director
Deb Nelson & Kris Trierweiler	Technology Director(s)
OPEN	Outreach Director
Chris Prelaz & Sandy Wright	Trip Director(s)

2016 Board of Directors that will be open as well as positions currently open – we need volunteers soon. Please give it some thought and look at the position descriptions below. Co-Directors make the work half as much effort but twice as much fun! Find a friend and volunteer!

Available Officer Positions (and their duties):

President: Presides over all meetings of the membership and the Board, serves as a exofficio member of all standing committees, and, subject to the direction and supervision of the Board, acts as official spokeswoman and representative of the Club.

Vice President: Assists the President, organizes programs for the Denver member meetings, monitors compliance with the by-laws, and, in the absence of the President, acts as President.

Available Director Positions (and their duties):

Education Director: Plans and coordinates any educational and skill-improvement activities that may be undertaken by the Club.

Newsletter Director: Produces Club newsletter and maintains newsletter mailing list.

Outreach Director: Plans and coordinates community outreach activities undertaken by the Club.

Public Events Director: Plans, coordinates, and staffs volunteers and conducts a raffle, if appropriate, at shows and events as approved by the board. Co-sponsors the annual holiday party fundraising with the Fundraising/Raffle Director.

Special Projects Director: Plans and coordinates special projects, including any social, conservation or charitable activities that may be undertaken by the Club.

Trip Director: Plans and coordinates fly fishing outings for the Club.