



SALE FLY FISHING CLUB INC.

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MARCH 2008 NEWSLETTER OF THE SALE FLY FISHING CLUB INC.

All members and interested persons are invited to attend the next meeting of the Sale Fly Fishing Club Inc.
This will be held on **Monday 17th March 2008** at the Sale Community Sports Club Meeting Room.
The Meeting will begin at 7:30PM

Minutes of the Previous Meeting:

Date: - 18th February 2008
Meeting Opened: - 8:00 PM

Attendance: - 9 Members present
0 Visitors

Apologies: -

The Following Members Were Unable To Attend:
Steve Allen, Mick O'Brien, James Tourtoulas Jnr,
Neil Morrison and Peter Murray.

Minutes of the Previous Meeting:

The minutes of the previous meeting were accepted and confirmed as per the Newsletter, this was moved by James Tourtoulas and seconded by Gavin Sculley.

Inward Correspondence Tabled:

Nil as Secretary away.

Promotional Material:

Nil

Treasurer's Report:

Year to Date: - July 07 – Jan 08.

Total Income: \$430.00

Total Expense: \$781.84

Net income: -\$351.84

General account Balance of \$781.77

GSI Investment Accounts \$1253.79

GSI Investment Account \$1243.42

Total Amount in Accounts is \$3,278.98

The treasurer's report and Accounts for payment were moved by Dean Cousin, second by Jack Groenewald and Carried.

General Business

Club shirts.

John Utan is still looking at this item and will report back soon with a sample.

Club Trip to Eucumbene – 7 members have put their names forward to attend the March long weekend trip.

Fisheries meeting at Traralgon in March – John, Jack and Brack have indicated that they will attend. Discussion was held on items to be brought forward at the meeting including few or no numbers of fish in the Wellington River area following a fish report provided by John Valentine after his visit to the area recently where no fish were even sighted.

It was decided that we should bring up the subject of stocking proposals for the Macalister Catchment area.

The motion to renew our insurance this year with CVFFC was tabled by Dean Cousin and seconded by Ian Brideson. The motion was carried.

Discussion was held on the late payments of club annual fees. Anyone not currently paid up, could you please pay ASAP. A note will be included in your newsletter for anyone still not paid up.

Fish Reports

Dean and son Tom fished Merrimans creek seeing three fish and catching one.

Jack Groenewald fished the Macalister and found it to be too dirty. He also visited the Wellington and found it low and warm.

Ian Brideson fished the Macalister at Basin Flat and found the river had a good flow and was clean. For a couple of hours fishing he had one follow, one take and one miss.

John and Ray fished Blue Rock Dam with only John landing one small redfin.

John and Mick fished the Tanjil with mick landing one fish to 30 cm.

John and Mick also fished Icey Creek for 22 fish to 32cm.

Club Videos will now be held by Peter Murray

Club DVD's will be held by Ray Clissold.

Club Books will be held by Mick O'Brien.

Fly tying nights will still go ahead on Wednesday evenings the week after meeting week. Next night to be at Peter Nelligen's place.

Meeting Closed: - 9:15PM

Show us you're Fly for February was an:

Orange Spinner, James Tourtoulas won First place with his presentation, this was very closely contended by Ian Brideson, there were six flies in total to be judged and all were very well tied.

"SAGE Rods For Sale"

Sage 2, 690 – 4-piece rod with cover - no tube. \$250.

Sage 3e SLT, 590 – 4-piece with cover and tube \$450.

If you are interested contact John Utan on 5145 6106

Or on Mobile 0409 356 893

The Fly to Tie for the March 2008 Meeting is:

Parachute Hackle Dun

(Australia's Best Trout Flies Page 55)



Parachute Hackle Dun

HOOK: Daiichi 1130, or Kamasan B100, # 12 or 14

TREAD: Brown

TAIL: Brown hackle fibres

BODY: Dubbed hare's ear fur

WING POST: Deer hair (white Hi-Vis can be substituted)

HACKLE: Stiff grizzly



For those of you that missed it, this is Rick's big trout from last years Jindabyne trip.

"CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE NEWSLETTER"

Contributions to the newsletter would be appreciated.

Be creative, write a few notes and take a couple of pictures on your next trip, then send it in to share with others members.

All articles, stories, recipes, fly tying instructions, patterns or any humorous cartoons etc. will be published.

"Submissions close two weeks before the meeting"

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Apart from the normal snail mail, we now have Newsletters on the website, for those of you who have requested their newsletter by e-mail; you will receive an e-mail notification each month when the newsletter is available for downloading. Check out this

feature by logging onto our website at: www.sffc.org.au and follow the link to Newsletters

COMING EVENTS

(Coming Events are regularly updated on the website to keep you informed)

- March. 4 – DPI Meeting at 71 Hotham Street Traralgon (March 5 on their website)
- March 7/8/9th Eucumbene
- March 17th – General Meeting
- 30th May – 6th June. Jindabyne
- Oct 10/11/12th Licola
- Nov 16th Lake Tyers.
- Nov 29th Annual Dinner
- Nov 15th 20th Anniversary celebrations.