



SALE FLY FISHING CLUB INC.

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APRIL 2009 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 20th April 2009** at the Sale Community Sports Club Meeting Room commencing at 7.30pm.

Minutes of March Meeting.

Date: - 16th March 2009
Meeting Opened: - 8:00 PM
Attendance: - 9 Members present
1 Visitor (Simon Gloster)

Apologies: -

The Following Members Were Unable To Attend:
James Tourtoulas, John Utan and Gavin Sculley.

Minutes of the Previous Meeting:

The minutes of the previous meeting were confirmed as per the Newsletter, moved by Jack Groenewald and seconded by Dean Cousin.

Business from last Minutes.

GACA affiliation – carried over until April meeting.

Inward Correspondence Tabled:

B'dale Fly Fishers Newsletter
Southern Fly Fishers Newsletter
Fish-e-fax
GACA minutes Feb
GSI investment info
DPI Angling club meeting confirmation
Wellington Shire fund raiser day invite
Coverland boat bits promo
DPI changes to Vic Fish Regs
VR Fish March report

General Business

DPI/Clubs meeting –

Bass stocking –Genetic testing ongoing with a view to being able to stock non local fish,
Futurefish confirmed that stocking of Barra will go ahead in Hazelwood pondage
Avon River stocking – last stocked in 1995 and confirmed as no stocking in future.
Licola – still stocking rainbow trout.
Bass in Glenmaggie are being caught between 38-40cm.

Fish Reports

Ray Clissold gave a report on the club trip to Eucumbene on the long weekend in March. Eight members and two friends made the trip with the best fish going to Ian Brideson of a 3lb Brown. Many fish were caught and lots more lost with a fun trip had by all those that attended. (More below)

Jack – Macalister Rvr – Lost a good one below the weir

Outwards Correspondence

Nil

Treasurer's Report:

Year to Date: – Nov – 08 to Feb 09

Total Income: \$800

Total Expense: \$586.05

Net loss: -\$213.95

General account Balance of \$1024.13

GSI Investment Accounts \$1335.5

GSI Investment Account \$1324.07

Moved by Dean Cousin, seconded by Ray Clissold.

- . Brack – Macalister – another good one lost same area.
- . Brack/Steve – Moroka – more than 40 fish to 32cm

Meeting Closed: - 8.45pm

Show us your Fly for February won by – Ian Brideson 1st – Dean Cousin 2nd.
The Fly to Tie for the March 2009 Meeting is:

- Little Pine Dun

Little Pine Dun
(Australia's Best Trout Flies Page 60)
HOOK: Mustard Special Limerick 9578B, # 10-12
TREAD: Uni-Thread 8/0, dark green
TAIL: Furnace brown fibres
BODY: Green silk
WING: Blackbird wing
HACKLE: Hoffman furnace brown



Subs are due from now on for the 2009-year.

Fees are set at \$50 for 12 months

COMING EVENTS

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

- . Jindabyne – 29th May to 5th June 2009
- . McLoughlins Beach – 3rd May.

Eucumbene – March Club Trip



Tying up the secret weapon for the nights fishing



“The secret is out”

The Woolly worm shown here fished very well on the March Club trip, it was the undoing of many a fine rainbow and a few browns. Really though I think that there were a lot of fish along the stretch of bank we fished that you could have fished any fly in your box and still got good results.

There was around 85 fish caught between the 10 fly fishermen that went on this trip, these were mostly Rainbows between 1½ to 2½lbs and a few Browns. Some members ventured to 3 mile for a few small Rainbows, also there were some fish caught in the Eucumbene River. During this trip the days were warm and the nights did not get too cold, there were plenty of fish and that all makes this trip very pleasant indeed.

For anyone of you who might have a chance to get away, Lake Eucumbene is still fishing well, a friend, Gerry Petruska was there during the last week of March and he caught over 20 fish for the week, most of these were on fly.

Ray Clissold