

# Tasmanian Fly Tyers' Club

# NEWSLETTER

#### March 2012

### Notice of General Meeting

The next General Meeting will be held at the Lenah Valley RSL on March 19<sup>th</sup> starting at 7.30pm. The meeting will be followed by Tony Dell demonstrating tying of traditional patterns such as a split-wing Greenwell's Glory.

### Miena shack repairs

Tony Dell and Brian McCullagh have organised a group to repair the damage caused to the shack by a falling tree during clearing of a new parking area. This will take place on March 17<sup>th</sup>. Tony would like one more person to assist – please contact him if you are available.

## Annual Casting Day

This will now be held at the Salmon Ponds on Sunday April 1<sup>st</sup>, not the Nant Distillery as previously advertised (this is not an April Fools Day prank). Lunch of barbequed meat and potatoes will be cooked by the committee at a cost of \$10 an adult and \$5 a child. Bring your own salads and refreshments.

Competition for the Margaret Knight Dry Fly Trophy and the Hedley Griggs Wet Fly Trophy will be fierce, so be prepared.

Please come along with your rod, family and friends. Starting time is 11.00am.

For catering purposes, RSVP to the secretary by Wednesday March 28<sup>th</sup>.

## John Fowler Trophy

The response this year has been disappointing. So far only two teams have submitted scores for a round, although it seems some others have fished.

The committee believes this event is very worthwhile as a way of getting to know other members, and learning about new locations and techniques. So please make an effort to contact the two members you have drawn and go fishing! (if you can't remember who they are go to the website).

# **Snowy Ranges Family Day**

John Smith is organising this for Sunday June 3rd. It is sure to be a great day with lots of fish to be caught. Mark it on your calendar.

# Lenah Valley RSL Community Day Sunday March 18th

The RSL have invited all the groups who use their facilities to be present on this day. Brian West and John Spencer have volunteered to give tying demonstrations on our behalf. If you can spare half an hour please drop in to support them, and the club which provides us with a free meeting venue.

# Applications for membership

The Committee has received the following nominations. They will be considered at the committee meeting on April 4th.

Applicant	Stephen Luttrell	David Nicholson
Nominator	David O'Brien	Peter Murphy
Seconder	Malcolm Crosse	Doug Miller

Pete Murphy

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