

# 36th ANNUAL RABUN RENDEZVOUS DONATIONS

as of Feb. 8, 2023

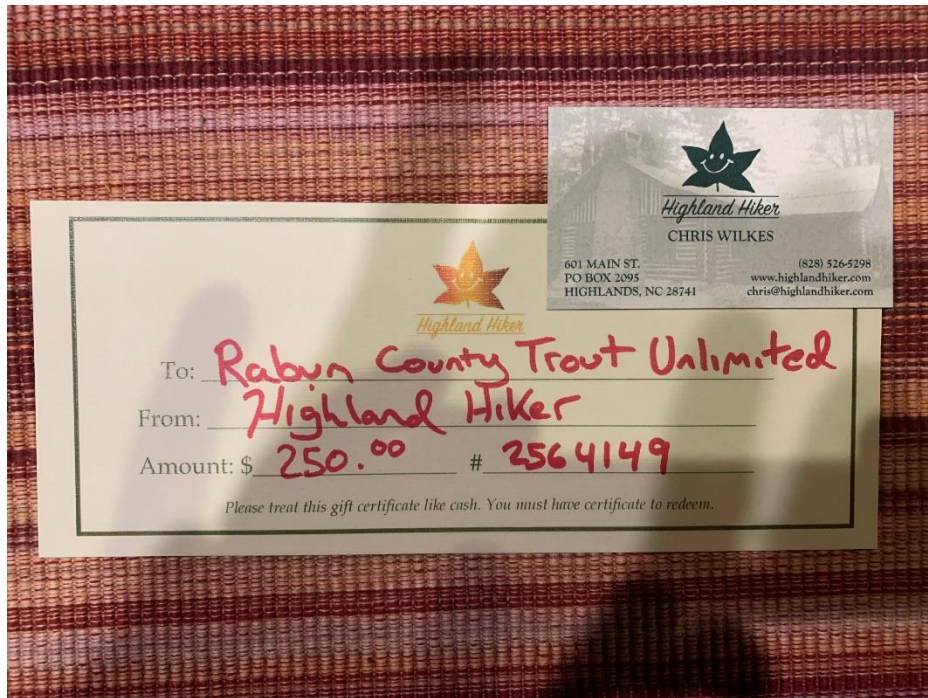
Please find below a “Partial Listing” of items donated  
for our 36<sup>th</sup> Rabun Rendezvous:

**\$100 Cabela’s Gift Card. Great opportunity to get what you want from Cabela’s! - Donated by Jeff Durniak, Rabunite.**

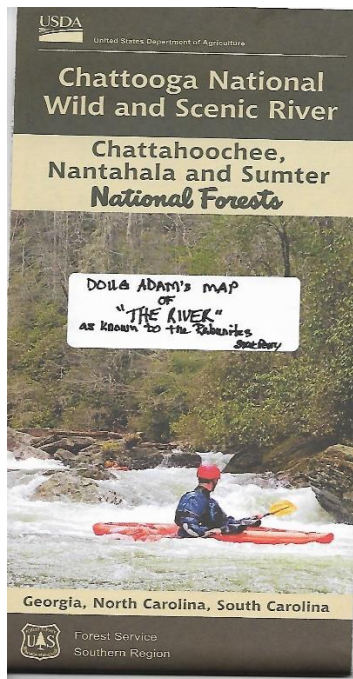
**\$250 Gift Card – Brookings Fly Shop. Great opportunity to get what you need to prepare for the upcoming fly fishing season! - Donated by Brookings Fly Shop (Cashiers or Highlands, NC).**



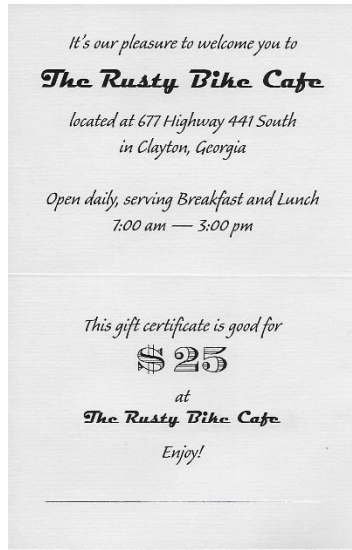
**\$250 Gift Card – Highland Hiker. Great opportunity to get what you need to prepare for the upcoming fly fishing, hiking or camping season! - Donated by Highland Hiker, Highlands, NC.**



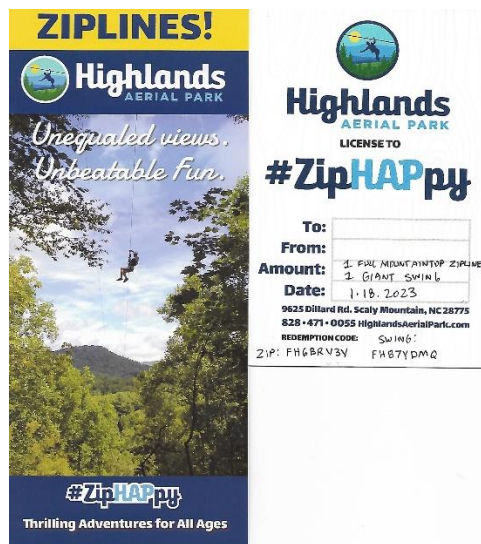
**Own a piece of “Rabunite History” – The Map of “The River” as known to the Rabunites. This map documents key places on the Chattooga for fishing as identified by our Rabun County TU Chapter Founder, the Late Doug Adams! - Donated by The Estate of Doug Adams. Map drawn by Steve Perry, Rabunite.**



**\$25 Gift Certificate – The Rusty Bike Café. Enjoy some GREAT Food! - Donated by The Rusty Bike Café, Clayton, GA.**



**Two (2) Gift Certificates for Full Mountaintop Zipline Tour and Giant Swing (Combo events on each certificate). Great fun for the family! - Donated by Highlands Aerial Park, Scaly Mountain, NC.**





**Half Day Guided Fly-Fishing Trip for Two Anglers on I.D.B.I.S. “stream”. Beginner to expert welcome! All gear provided. Donated by Hatch Camp & Art Farm, Scott Low, Rabunite, of Clayton, GA.**



**Ceramic Trout Sculpture. Great addition to add to your desktop or display cabinet / shelf in the den or the cabin. - Donated by Susan Russel, Rabunite.**



**Snowbee Fly Fishing Vest / Backpack, Dark Green. Four (4) large zippered pockets on front, two (2) zippered slash pockets on front, covered zingers and two zippered pockets on the backpack (one is expandable for larger carrying capacity). Great carryall bag for the outdoors. Donated by Reeves Fly Shop, Clayton, GA.**



**RISING (Made in Utah, USA) Anodized Frame Net with Rubber Ghost Mesh Bag. Handle can function as dry storage or as a “Flask. Donated by Reeves Fly Shop, Clayton, GA.**



**Fishpond Sushi Roll – Large, Black / Green. Now you can make great “Sushi” rolls! Donated by Reeves Fly Shop, Clayton, GA.**



**SAGE Thermo 3D Double Wall Vacuum, 20 Oz. Tumbler with Lid. Stainless Steel construction and BPA Free. Donated by Reeves Fly Shop, Clayton, GA.**



**“REP Your Water” Cap – “SASQUATCH” Fly Fisher, Dark Blue. Donated by Reeves Fly Shop, Clayton, GA.**



**Degrees of Freedom Heated Plush Foot Throw. Great for a cool winter evening or in your camper. Donated by Mike Fuller, Rabunite.**





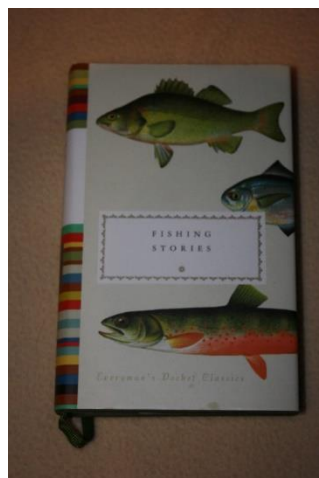
**MINIMAX “BIG GREEN EGG” with Nest, Package – Big Green Egg, Carrier, Portable Nest, Mates, Charcoal, Ash Tool, Grid Gripper & Speed Light Starters - Donated by The Big Green Egg, Inc. Atlanta, GA (Special Thanks to Maria Rodeghiero, Rabunite).**



**”Be GOOD to YOURSELF BASKET” – Basket of Bath & Beauty Products, e.g., Soaps, Body Scrub, Bath Salts, Hand Creams, Eye & Face Masks & “MORE” - Donated by Nanette O’Hara, Rabunite and Carrie Herd.**



**Book – “Fishing Stories”, Everyman’s Pocket Classics. Revisit some great fishing stories by renowned authors, e.g., Washington Irving, Rudyard Kipling, Zane Grey, Ernest Hemingway, Nick Lyons, Norman Maclean, Thomas McGuane. - Donated by Mark and Shawn Whitney.**



**Ceramic Salmon sculpture. Great addition to add to your wall in the den or the cabin. - Donated by Mark and Shawn Whitney.**



**SIMMS Freestone Sling Pack – “Like New Condition – Used only once”. Great sling pack to lighten/consolidate your fly gear on the stream! - Donated by Peter Croes, Rabunite.**



**Cabela's Green/Black Gear Bag (small - 12" x8" x8", app.). Great carryall bag for the outdoors. Donated by Peter Croes, Rabunite.**



**Small paddle with Trout Painting. Great addition to add to your wall in the den or the cabin. - Donated by Mark and Shawn Whitney.**





**Fishpond Waterdance Guide Pack (New) Sundance / Copper. Wear it either as a lumbar or chest pack. Drop down fly bench, generous pockets and waterbottle carriers. Great for a light, quick day out on the stream.  
- Donated by Peter Croes, Rabunite.**



**ORVIS Sling Pack (Olive) – Large main pocket with two mesh lined pockets and zippered full-length internal pocket; large external zip pocket with small outer pouch and water bottle holder. Great Condition! Great sling pack to lighten/consolidate your fly gear on the stream! - Donated by Rick O’Hara, Rabunite.**



**Book – “America’s Favorite Flies”. Large format, 655 page filled with full color photos (full page) of well-known flies, essays by royalty of the fly fishing industry, and interviews with countless fly-fishing legends results in a fabulous read and reference book. Got to have this one in your library! - Donated by Jeff Durniak, Rabunite.**



**“Gone Fishing” brand fish cleaning kit. Packed in a sturdy plastic case you will find a cutting board, cleaning gloves, sharpening tool, cutters and three different fillet knives, one of which is serrated. Great package to keep in your truck or boat. - Donated by Jeff Durniak, Rabunite.**



**Creek Company Float Tube Fins – One Size Fits All. These fins have an adjustable heel strap and vented fin blade for maximum efficiency. Great to pair up with your float tube (great reason to get a float tube if you don't have one - Donated by Jessica Musselwhite.**

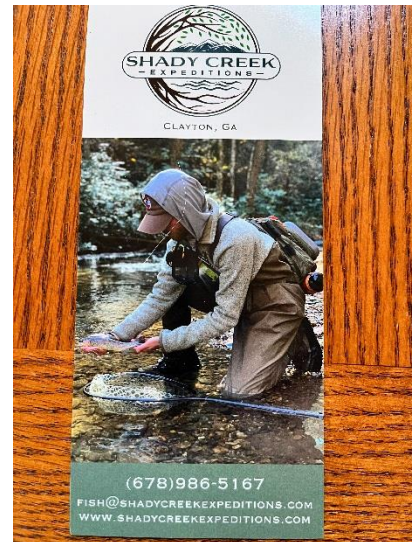


**Fly Tying Travel Kit – travel vise (pedastel and clamp), bobbins, hackle pliers, scissors, tweezers and other items all packed in a nice wooden case. This would be a great way to allow you to take your fly tying on the road. - Donated by Mark and Shawn Whitney.**





**Half Day Guided Fly-Fishing Trip for One Angler on I.D.B.I.S. “stream”. Donated by Shady Creek Expeditions, Trey McFalls, Rabunite, of Clayton, GA.**



**Certificate for two nights camping at Black Rock State Park, in Mountain City, GA. Donated by Black Rock State Park (Georgia State Parks).**

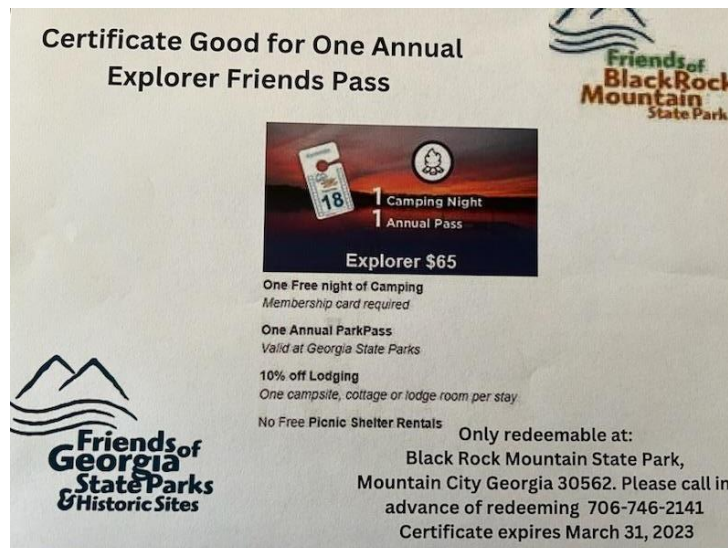




**Breadman Automatic Bread Making Machine – I bet you can smell the fresh bread in the kitchen?? Donated by Brooks and Amanda Adams, Rabunites.**



**Certificate for One Annual Explorer Friends Pass Park, in Mountain City, GA. Donated by Black Rock State Park (Valid at Georgia State Parks).**



**Print titled "Robins". Donated by Eedee Adams, Rabunite**



**Great Outdoor Shirt, Spruce Color, Size XL (New).  
Donated by Eedee Adams, Rabunite.**



**How about this? A 3-day / 2-night stay at the “Brookie” Cabin in Bryson City, NC. Donated by Holly and Derek Maddox.**

## **The Brookie Cabin – Bryson City, NC**



Winner of this auction is cordially invited to enjoy a 2-night stay at The Brookie Cabin located just 2 miles from downtown Bryson City.

We love fly fishing, hiking, camping and the outdoors in general. We were lucky enough to claim this little gem in February 2021 to fuel those passions and provide a break from corporate life. The Brookie Cabin is ideally located for all your mental health needs. 10 minutes to Deep Creek in Great Smokey Mtn National Park, 15 minutes to The Road to Nowhere, 20 Minutes to Nantahala Outdoor Center, 25 minutes to Sylva, 30 minutes to Cherokee and about an hour to Asheville.

The Brookie Cabin has 2 bedrooms (queen beds), 2 full bathrooms, full size washer and dryer, a fully equipped kitchen and a charcoal grill. Rather than TV's and hot tubs, you'll find books, maps, rocking chairs and a fire ring for enjoying a sunrise or sunset.

After claiming this prize we will work with you to find your ideal dates. Additional days/nights can be made available if you wish. We do use the cabin ourselves and rent on a limited basis so a few days are already claimed. Respectfully, The Brookie Cabin is smoke and pet free.

**Starting Bid \$150 (a \$325 value)**





**Custom Made Knife and leather sheath. Fantastic Work!** Donated by Whiskey Creek Customs, Clayton, GA, Dean English, Rabunite.



**Local Sourwood Honey – FANTASTIC! Six One (1) pound squeeze jars.** Produced and Donated by Pat Hopton, Rabunite.





# Full Day Unguided Fly Fishing Trip for Two Anglers at Nacoochee Bend on the Chattahoochee River in Helen, GA. Donated by Unicoi Outfitters, Jake Darling, of Helen, GA.

Bearer is entitled to one Full-Day of Unguided Trophy Trout Fly Fishing for Two anglers  
at

## Nacoochee Bend

On the Chattahoochee River in Helen, Georgia

Compliments of:



In Support Of:

## 2023 Rabun Rendezvous

1/5/2023

Date

Jake Darling

Unicoi Outfitters

For reservations call Unicoi Outfitters at 706-879-3083. Please schedule complimentary trips Monday – Friday.

[www.unicoioutfitters.com](http://www.unicoioutfitters.com)



**Guided Full Day Wade Fishing Trip for up to 2 Anglers on the Private Waters of Dukes Creek in beautiful White County, GA. Donated by The Adams Family and the Pat and Tammy Hopton, Rabunites.**

## CERTIFICATE

A full day of catch and release fly fishing for two people on private waters of Dukes Creek in beautiful White County, GA!



You will be accompanied on the creek by Rabunites Pat and Tammy Hopton. This would be a great opportunity for a woman to fish accompanied by Tammy! A streamside lunch is provided.

This trip is donated by the Adams Family and the Hopton's.

To redeem this certificate and book your trip:

contact Pat Hopton  
Cell phone 706 982 1314  
Home phone 706 782 4978  
[rabunbald@gmail.com](mailto:rabunbald@gmail.com)

**Catch, Release and Relax! Enjoy a one-night stay in a 3-bedroom cottage at Smithgall Woods State Park. Enjoy catch and release fishing on the day of arrival and the day of departure (Section One (1) only). Donated by Smithgall Woods, Will Wagner, General Manager.**



## Hand-Knitted Dishrags

2 packages, each containing 3 cotton dishrags and 3 dishrags knitted with “Scrubby Sparkle” material. Made and donated by Eedee Adams, Rabun Chapter. 2 draws.



4 CD set with accompanying book of western songs, cowboy poetry, and trips down memory lane. Donated by the estate of Phillip Tankersley, late brother of Tammy Hopton, Vice President, Rabun Chapter.





**Custom Made Knife with Sheath. Handle is made from Elk Antler. Made and donated by Bob Pickens, Rabunite. \$225 Minimum Bid.**



**Custom Made Trout Knife with Sheath. Blade is Black Damascus Steel (needs to be sharpened) and custom-made leather sheath. Made and donated by Terry Rivers, Rabunite. \$225 Minimum Bid.**



**Enjoy a 2-night stay in a lodge room and complimentary breakfast for two at the Unicoi State Park and Lodge. Donated by Unicoi State Park and Lodge, Bill Mish, General Manager.**



## Hand-Knitted Caps, Headband, and Scarf

2 knitted caps, 1 knitted headband with matching scarf, and 1 knitted headband. You have to see this fine knit work to truly appreciate the talent and skill. Great for the cool weather. Made and donated by Eedee Adams, Rabun Chapter. 4 draws.





**Thirty (30) Hand Tied Flies and Fly Box, Dry Flies, Terrestrials.** This will make a great addition to your fly vest for the late spring and early summer. Made and donated by Terry Rivers, Rabunite.



**Trout Motif Blanket – Made by Rabunites Broderick and Michele Crawford, Crawford Art Gallery, Clayton, GA.** This is a great blanket to take the chill off those winter evenings! Donated by Rabun Chapter – TU.





**Here's another Thirty (30) Hand Tied Flies and Fly Box, San Juan Worms, Terrestrials. This will make a great addition to your fly vest for the late spring and early summer. Made and donated by Terry Rivers, Rabunite.**



**Custom Made Knife with Sheath. Handle is TroutSkin. Made and donated by Bob Pickens, Rabunite. \$225 Minimum Bid.**



## Custom-Made Fly Tying Bench with Case and Tools

Custom fly tying bench, made from middle eastern olive wood. Comes with a carrying case and tools.

Made by and donated by Mack Martin, Atlanta Fly Fishing School.

