

TIGHT LINES

NEWSLETTER OF THE RABUN CHAPTER

TROUT UNLIMITED

SEPT. 1990

RABUN CHAPTER MEETING ON SEPTEMBER 18, 1990.

The Rabun Chapter will hold its regular Monthly Meeting at the Rabun County Library in Clayton on Tuesday Sept. 18 beginning at 7:00 p m. Come at 6:30 with your boots on for some story swappin'.

AUGUST MEETING HAS GREAT TURNOUT!

While a head count is not handy the Library meeting room was just about full on Tuesday August 21st. We were joined by a large group of U S Forest Service personnel, who, along with Jeff Durniak had been out SHOCKING the Chattooga River all day. Several sites were covered and according to Monte Seehorn, some very large trout were brought up. Will have a more complete recap of the results at a later date.

Several visitors were on hand including one observer who is heading up an effort to establish a T U Chapter in Toccoa. This could be a big help for Panther Creek and the several streams in the Russell W M A.

The August Meeting centered on Project Planning with the following action taken:

1. REED CREEK: Need more work at the headwaters to reduce sedimentation of Heddon and Ridley. It is suggested that we also work on lower Reed Creek to improve it as a Sanctuary.
2. CAMPGROUND AT RIDLEY: Needs a lot of work!
3. DARNELL CREEK: Committee appointed to survey and see if timber cutting activity is creating the silt problems or if it comes from another source.
4. CHARLIE'S CREEK: No immediate work needs to be done by T U.

SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

DATE	DESCRIPTION
Cancelled	Summerville Hatchery Fin Clipping/Campout
Oct 5,6,7	Campout/Fishing /Work Project/Fishing on Reed Creek. Our objectives are to build a stream structure or two, and do some major renovation on Double Bit Camp. If you can make it, get in touch with Doug Adams 746-5311 or Jim Nixon 746-5311 or myself,754-9202. Since the 5th is on the first weekend of October there will not be another newsletter reminder. WE NEED YOU...so mark it on your calendar.



MEMBERSHIP REPORT:

NEW MEMBERS: WELCOME!!!!!!!

Steve Mccall	---	Wiley, Ga.
Bob Singleton	---	Gainesville, Ga.
John Singleton	---	Nickolson, Ga.
Bill Woodward	---	Dunwoody, Ga.

RENEWALS: THANKS!!!!!!!

Fritz Vinson	---	Dillard, Ga.
Doug and Brooks Adams	---	Rabun Gap, Ga.
Jim and Tom Nixon	---	Clayton, Ga.
Ned Wetherill	---	Clayton, Ga.

(EXPIRED....NEED TO RENEW)

Chris Atkinson	James Gunter
Benny Burdette	Carlton Jones Jr.
Clifford Callender	Lawrence Ross
Ken Carter	Tom Shirley
Arnold Deitz	Todd Turner
John Ditmore	Bruce Wilson
Bill Enloe	

FINANCIAL REPORT

Current \$ Balance in Treasury: \$1917.49

This includes a net gain of \$54.77 from the Wyoming Trip.

STRUCTURE WORK AT SARAH'S CREEK:

Wanted to mention a special THANKS to those of you who were able to turn out for the work project on SARAH'S CREEK back in July. Hope even more HOGS will be able to participate at the RIDLEY BASH (Oct 5)



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