

Coming Events

Tuesday May 21

Monthly chapter meeting – cookout at RGNS.

Saturday June 8

'Kids Fishing Day' on Tallulah River.

Tuesday June 18

Monthly chapter meeting at the Rock House.

Tuesday & Wednesday June 25 - 26

Georgia Council Project, Shocking on the Chattooga.

Friday & Saturday July 12-13

Campout and work project on West Fork.

No chapter meeting in July

Tuesday August 20

Cookout at Kelly's place.

Tuesday September 17

Monthly chapter meeting at the Rock House.

Friday & Saturday September 20-21

Campout and work project on Hicks Creek.

Tuesday October 15

Monthly chapter meeting at the Rock House.

Tuesday November 19

Monthly chapter meeting at the Rock House.

Tuesday December 17

Christmas Party at the Dillard House.

Chapter meets the third Tuesday of each month at the Rock House in Clayton. Fellowship at 6:30, meeting at 7:00 PM.

Speaker for Rendezvous 2003!

Wanda Taylor, a fly fishing instructor with over eighteen years experience, will be our speaker at The Rabun Rendezvous on January 25, 2003. Wanda was the first woman Orvis Endorsed guide in the southeast and the first woman certified as a Master Certified Casting Instructor by the International Federation of Fly Fishers. She is a contributing author to several publications and has appeared on numerous fishing shows on television. Wanda will add to an already outstanding event. Don't miss it!!!



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**TIGHT LINE
Rabun Chapter of
Trout Unlimited
May 2002**



Beginner Fly Fishing School

When: Saturday morning, May 25.

What: A 4+ hour course that includes casting, knots, entomology, and equipment needed for beginners.

Cost: \$25 per person

Where: North Georgia Tech

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nce our last news letter, a lot has happened. At our April meeting Kyle Burrell, local boy turned Atlanta guide, delivered an interesting and informative presentation on fishing the big old Chattahoochee down below the Buford Dam. Then the Forest Service folks briefed us on the work project on Hicks Creek. A good meeting!

On Friday April 26 several of us gathered at Hicks Creek and enjoyed a good camp fire and wonderful supper prepared by Bill Kelly.

After several hours of story telling a few departed and the rest of us crawled into tents and campers for the night.

The next morning we awoke to the smell of Bill's coffee and again he fed us well. A few more Rabunites showed up, a couple of folks from the Chattahoochee Chapter joined us and, with the arrival of the Forest Service gang, we went to work. By early afternoon the brook trout in Hicks Creek had better living conditions, the sides of the road had seed and straw, several bags of trash had been hauled out and...you guessed it..... Kelly fed us again.

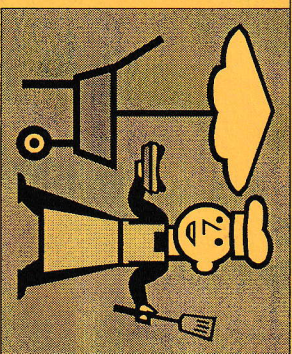
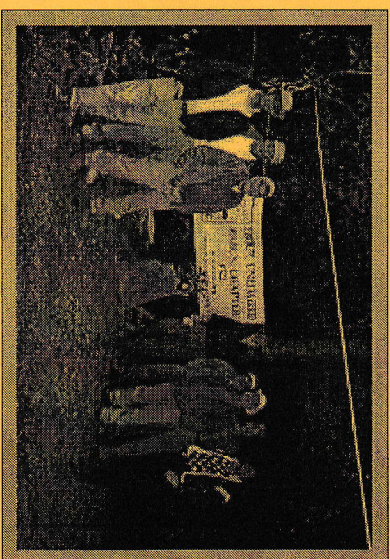
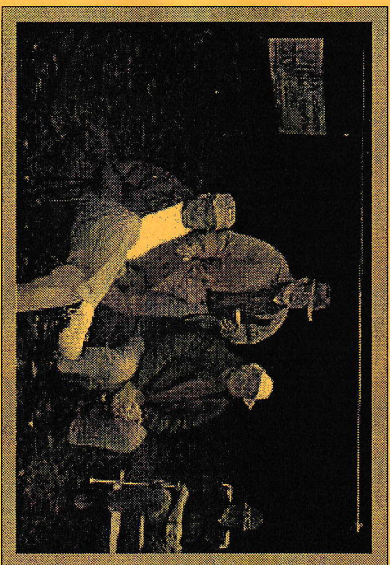
Thanks to everyone and especially Bill Kelly. You don't have to believe this if you don't want to but...he's a darn good cook!

Newsletter editor - Kathy Sparks

Charlie

Chapter News

The working men at the Hicks Creek project.



COOKOUT AT RABUN GAP MAY 21ST 6:30 pm

Directions: North on 441 past Mountain City. Just past Osa Produce stand turn left on Wyatt Road (gravel). Follow road about one mile until you reach the lake. Folks need to bring following:

Charlie and Terry—All the meats

Kathy—All buns and fixings

Maria—Paper products—plates, napkins and forks and serving spoons.

As for the rest of you.....

SIDE DISH:

Last name begins with **A thru F**

CHIPS:

Last name begins with **G thru L**

DRINKS:

Last name begins with **M thru R**

DESSERT:

Last name begins with **S thru Z**

If this list differs from the one planned at the last meeting, please follow this plan.

NOTE...UNFORTUNATELY THE WATER IN THE LAKE WILL BE DOWN, MAYBE EVEN COMPLETELY GONE. A DAM LEAK!!!