

The Tyer's Vise

"All the news that's fit to be tied"



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**Annual Dinner Meeting
Plus Fabulous Auction**

Our December Dinner/Auction Meeting
Wednesday December 10th at Impossible Dream
Starting at 6:30PM

This coming meeting is on the second Wednesday of the month instead of the usual first Wednesday. We will start with our traditional dinner, catered by the West Valley Inn. We will have Chicken Marsala, meatballs and penne, sausage, peppers, potatoes and salad. There will be soft drinks, coffee and pastries.

Following the dinner we will have an auction. There have been many generous donations of items. Among them, just to mention a few, along with their donors:

One - 1/2 day Guided trip for two (2) anglers to Farmington River in CT in 2009 (SRP: \$210.00) Capt. David Porreca

100 Wood River Trout fly assortment in fly box (SRP: \$200.00)
River and Riptide Anglers

One - 1/2 day Guided "Rhody WORM HATCH" trip for two (2) anglers in 2009 (SRP: \$375.00) Capt. Bob Hines

One - 1/2 day trip for one (1) angler in Upper Narragansett Bay in 2009 (SRP: \$325.00) Capt. Ray Stachelek

One (1) Redington Rise fly reel - 7/8 wt (SRP: \$169.99) , Brad Gage
Redington rep

One (1) William Joseph (WJ) Equinox pack (SRP: \$89.99) ,
Peter Whelan WJ rep

One (1) Rivendell 9ft 6wt 4pc fly rod (SRP: \$199.99)
Peter Whelan Rivendell rep

In addition there will be several lines, fly assortments, reels, and many other items of interest to our members.

We'd like to thank our donors who include Capt. Dave Porreca and his shop River and Riptide Anglers, Capt. Bob Hines, Capt. Ray Stachelek, Brad Gage (who represents Reddington, Rio, Umpqua and others), Peter Whelan from William Joseph, Joe Carr, The Bear's Den and others who are donating and who will donate after this is being written.

Our hats are off to John Fischer for organizing the donations.

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MEETING INFORMATION

Each monthly meeting of UFTRI (generally the first Wednesday of the month) will begin with "doors opening" at the Meeting Hall, at 6:00 P.M. A short discussion of business begins at 6:30 P.M. Tying follows. The function room is set with tying tables and chairs. You might bring a small lamp. We will supply extension cords. At each table there will be a tying instructor who has volunteered to provide specific tying instructions on either a fresh or salt water fly. Flies to be tied each meeting will be outlined in this newsletter which is sent to all members. Each will include a description and, where possible, a picture. Each month there will be instruction for Beginner and Intermediate tyers with Advanced tying classes occasionally. For all Beginner classes, tying tools and materials will be provided by UFTRI. Intermediate and Advanced tyers should plan to bring their own tools. The club and/or its instructors will provide materials. On nights where there is a speaker fly tying instruction will typically end at approximately 8:00 P.M., followed by our guest speaker. Each monthly meeting of UFTRI is open to members only; non-member guests can attend two meetings. Many meetings will have a door raffle and several "bucket raffles."
 Annual Memberships- \$30
 Children age 15 and under are always admitted free.

DIRECTIONS TO MEETING: The Impossible Dream House

Take the route 117 exit from 95 (westbound). Take the second right turn (there should be a sign there.) This will lead you to the Impossible Dream, about two hundred yards on your left.

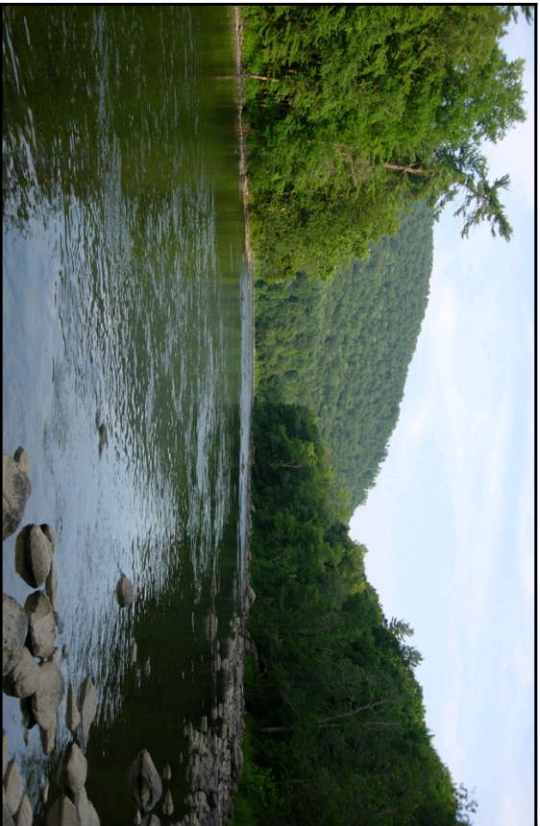


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OUR NEXT MEETING

December 10th at Impossible Dream
Our annual dinner plus a fabulous auction
of trips, rods, reels, tackle, flies, clothes, and more!

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