

Streamside Asides



Event Schedule

February 13, 2019: Fly-Tying Round Robin KCEEC, 7 PM

March 13, 2019: General Membership Mtg. Brian Wagner; and Emily Rinaldi: **Climate Change and Our Pocono Waters.** KCEEC 7 PM

March 29, 2019: Annual Spring Banquet at Stroudsmoor Country Inn. **SAVE THE DATE!**

April 10, 2019: General Membership Mtg. with BWA at the Brodhead Creek Heritage Center: Dr. Diane Husic, Moravian College: (See Calendar on Page 7 for details!)

May 4, 2019: BTU Chapter Stream Clean-up.



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February 2019

The newsletter of the Brodhead Chapter #289 of Trout Unlimited

Something New: Our 2019 Print Reference Issue

We hope that you'll utilize this smaller, print edition of our monthly newsletter to assist you in participating in our many planned activities for 2019. Tack it to a cork board, use a magnet on the refrigerator, or simply tuck it in a safe place. We'll be back to the e-version of our newsletter next month and we look forward to seeing you soon!

Important Water Related Contacts

Below you will find contact phone numbers you may need if, as you hike, fish, or bike along our Pocono waters in Monroe County, you observe something of concern with the **waterway**. Save this page as a handy & quick reference and put the numbers in your contacts!

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Fishkill

Contact:

PA DEP at 570-826-2511

PA Fish & Boat at 570-477-5717

Brodhead Watershed Assoc. at 570-839-1120

Soil Erosion/Stormwater

Your Township or Borough Office

Monroe Cty. Cons. District at 570-629-3060

Brodhead Watershed Assoc. at 570-839-1120

Illegal dumping/activity

Your Township of Borough Police Dept.

Monroe Cty. Cons. District at 570-629-3060

PA Fish & Boat at 570-477-5717

Brodhead Watershed Assoc. at 570-839-1120

Filling a Wetland

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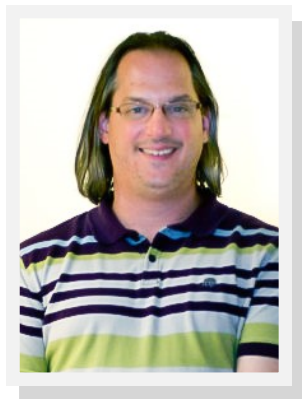
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Info Forthcoming



The Home Pool

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Greetings Members and Friends,

Hopefully everyone had a joyful holiday season and looking forward to making 2019 the best year ever. For those of you looking for another opportunity to tie flies, the Brodhead Fly Tyers will be meeting on January 21 at 6 PM at the Eastern Monroe Public Library.

We have a busy 2019 already planned with many opportunities for our members and friends to step up and be a part of the chapter. There is nearly a half mile of stream improvements on the Pocono and Cherry Creeks planned for 2019 with many opportunities for members to get their boots wet. We have our Introduction to Fly Tying Class underway and we will always accept additional help from experienced fly tyers to act as assistant instructors. We plan on teaching at least 3 Introduction to Fly Fishing Classes over the course of the next year and could always use additional help. On April 13 we will be assisting the Knights of Columbus with their annual Children's Fishing Contest at Brodhead Park. On the last Wednesday of the month, starting in April we will be assisting VALOR with their fishing experiences for our local veterans. We will be planning a trash clean-up along the Pocono Creek on May 4.

We are gearing up for our annual Introduction to Fly Tying classes, if you are an experienced tyer who would like to help feel free to reach out to me and I will help you be a part of the class. Also remember to save the date, March 29, 2019, will be our annual banquet and last year we nearly sold out so don't wait till the last minute once tickets become available.

As we move forward into 2019 please feel free to let me know how you think we can make our Chapter better. We are currently looking for volunteers to step into some leadership roles. We would like to fill our Events Coordinator position and Meetings Coordinator positions so if you would like to step up into a leadership role with the chapter here are some opportunities. There are also many committee roles that we are looking to fill if you might be interested please reach out to me or any of your Chapter Leaders to find out more.

For clean water and tight lines,
Eric Baird, President

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THANK YOU TO THE FOLLOWING PAST- DIRECTORS FOR THEIR RECENT SER- VICE:

Gerry Bortz
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Welcome New Members!

Brodhead TU welcomes our newest members: **Josiah Barnes, Jill Brong, Cheyenne Ott, Bob Poles, Paul Pruss, Patricia Seyford, Bob Skazenski, and Elmer Stucker.** We are glad to have you as part of our organization and we encourage you to reach out if you have any questions or need some information. Tight lines and clean waters!

Renewing Members

Thank you to the following members who have chosen to renew their membership with us. Your efforts in supporting our education, conservation, and advocacy are greatly

James	Bedford	Bill	Leonard
Tim	Bond	Glen	Lippincott
Glenn	Hessler	Robert	McGinness
Homer	Lee	Michael	Schwartz
Catherine	Folio	Robert	Stevens
D.	Giffels	Roy	Tolley
Michael	LaBarre	David	Youngster

Contributing Members

Thank you to our recent contributing members. Your continuing support of Brodhead TU's mission is gratefully acknowledged.

Brad	Ace
William	Cleffi
Carl	Faulkner
Christopher	Hartzler
Brian	Hewlings
Samuel	Newman
Marie	Ricker
Rodney	Stark



FISHING BUDDIES WANT YOU!

I's time to update our Fishing Buddies list for 2019. Over the years, we've discovered that the Pocono area can be a challenge to fish. Whether it is parking, access, stream conditions, patterns, or weather, it is beneficial if you have someone with you who is familiar with the area and the water. If you are interested in showing our members and friends some of our local streams, or if you are looking to share your knowledge and skills, or if you've realized you're no longer immortal and just want to tag along with someone and fish, please email salmofisher7@gmail.com with your intentions and put "Fishing Buddies" in the subject line. Here's the first of what we hope is an ever-growing list of persons looking to find a buddy and get out on our Pocono waters!

First, Last	Contact Phone	Contact email	Water(s)	Days-Times
Todd Burns	610-704-4549	salmofisher7@gmail.com	Brodhead and all smaller Pocono streams: Pocono, McMichaels, Devil's Hole, Cranberry, etc.	Almost any day or time
Eric Baird	570-355-0165	ericrobertbaird@gmail.com	Smaller wild trout streams - Devil's Hole, Cranberry Creek, Black Creek, Hickory Run or other small "blue lines."	Evenings after 6 PM and week-ends
Erik Broesicke	610-909-2652	ebroesicke@hotmail.com	Monocacy Creek, Little Lehigh, Saucon, Hokendauqua & other Lehigh Valley Streams	Weekdays between 9 AM and 3 PM
Chris Capurso	646-402-4888	chriscapurso7@gmail.com	Brodhead , Pocono, McMichaels, Devil's Hole, Cranberry, Hidden Lake. Not just trout! Artificials/flyes and C & R.	Availability varies.
James Connor		jfcnnr@gmail.com	Most local streams	Availability varies.
Eric Gusztaw	570-620-6322	egusztaw@gmail.com	Middle Brodhead, Pocono Creek, Tobyhanna Creek, Poplar Run, Cranberry Creek, Devil's Hole. Artificials/flyes and C & R.	Most weekends and evenings after 3 PM
Rich Staneski		Shadrock54@yahoo.com	Easy wading Pocono streams	Weekdays and weekends



BRODHEAD CHAPTER

Annual Banquet

Friday March 29, 2019



Ridgecrest at Stroudsmoor Country Inn
231 Stroudsmoor Road
Stroudsburg, PA 18360
N 40.96593°, W 075.20369°

Buffet
Dinner

Happy Hour with Cash Bar 5:30PM to 6:30PM
Dinner 6:30PM to 7:30PM
Conservation Program and Raffles 7:30 to 9:00PM

Great
Raffles

Tickets

Adults \$35.00

Children under 12 \$20.00

(payable in advance)

Tables of 8 to 10 may be reserved

For more information on the program see our website www.brodheadtu.org or contact our Secretary Eric R. Baird at 570-396-4677 or ericrobertbaird@gmail.com

To order tickets, fill out the form below and mail with your check to:

Eric R. Baird
267 3rd Street
Pocono Pines, PA 18350

Ordering dead-
line is March
22, 2019

Only
200 tickets
available

Make Checks Payable to: Brodhead Chapter Trout Unlimited

Complete and return this portion with your check payable to **Brodhead Chapter Trout Unlimited** to

Eric R. Baird, 267 3rd Street, Pocono Pines, PA 18350
Ticket Deadline is March 22, 2019

_____ Adult Tickets (\$35.00) + _____ Children Under 12 (\$20.00) = \$ _____ .00 Reserve Table ____ for _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____



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...Introduction to Fly-Tying: Winter 2019...



Calendar at a Glance

2/13/19 General Meeting
2/18/19 Brodhead Fly Tyers Meeting
3/13/19 General Meeting
3/16/19 Fly Fishing Workshop
3/18/19 Brodhead Fly Tyers Meeting
3/29/19 Annual Banquet
April 2019 TIC Release Day
4/10/19 General Meeting
4/13/19 KOC Children's Fishing Contest
4/15/19 Brodhead Fly Tyers Meeting
4/24/19 Veterans Service Program
4/28/19 Fly Fishing Workshop
5/4/19 Chapter Clean-up
5/8/19 General Meeting
5/20/19 Brodhead Fly Tyers Meeting
5/29/19 Veterans Service Program
6/8/19 Chapter Picnic
6/17/19 Brodhead Fly Tyers Meeting
6/26/19 Veterans Service Program
6/30/19 Fly Fishing Workshop
Summer 2019 Cherry Creek Project
Summer 2019 Pocono Creek Project
7/15/19 Brodhead Fly Tyers Meeting

CALENDAR

Fly Tying Round Robin

February 13, 2019 at 7:00 PM

**Kettle Creek Environmental Education Center
8050 Running Valley Road
Stroudsburg, PA**



Join the Brodhead Chapter for a night of fly tying and fraternization so bring your vice and catch up with old friends and make some new ones.

Bloom Times, Budburst, Bird Migration and Bugs: What are these Events Telling Us?

April 10, 2019 at 7:00 PM

**Brodhead Creek Heritage Center
1539 Cherry Lane Rd
East Stroudsburg, PA**



Join the Brodhead Chapter and the Brodhead Watershed Association for a presentation on the effects of Climate Change. Dr. Diane Husic is the Dean, School of Natural and Health Sciences and Professor of Biological Sciences at Moravian College. Dr. Husic will speak on tracking the impacts of climate change using phenology or the change in the seasonal timing of events such flower blooms or insect emergence.



Climate Change and Our Pocono Waters

March 13, 2019 at 7:00 PM

**Kettle Creek Environmental Education Center
8050 Running Valley Road
Stroudsburg, PA**



Join the Brodhead Chapter for a double feature. Brian Wagner, the Climate Change Workgroup Chair for Trout Unlimited will be presenting on how Trout Unlimited is addressing the climate change issue. Emily Rinaldi is the Northeast PA Campaign Manager for PennFuture. Emily will be speaking about the "Our Pocono Waters Campaign" and how it is being used to educate the public and local leaders about the importance of protecting the existing condition of local waterways.



Meeting on the Brodhead an Evening of Fishing

May 8, 2019 at 6:30 PM

**Brodhead Creek Heritage Center
1539 Cherry Lane Rd
East Stroudsburg, PA**



Join the Brodhead Chapter for an evening of fishing on the historic Brodhead Creek. Join up for some laughs with some old friends and meet some new fishing buddies while you are at it. A brief business meeting will follow after dark.

CALENDAR

Calendar at a Glance

7/25/19 Fly Fishing Program Conser. Camp
7/31/19 Veterans Service Program
8/19/19 Brodhead Fly Tyers
8/28/19 Veteran Service Program
9/11/19 General Meeting
9/16/19 Brodhead Fly Tyers
9/25/19 Veteran Service Program
October 2019 TIC eggs arrive
10/9/19 General Meeting
10/21/19 Brodhead Fly Tyers
11/13/19 General Meeting
11/18/19 Brodhead Fly Tyers
12/11/19 General Meeting
12/16/19 Brodhead Fly Tyers

Annual Members Picnic

June 8, 2019 at 3:00 PM
Brodhead Creek Heritage Center
1539 Cherry Lane Rd
East Stroudsburg, PA

Bring your family and a covered dish or desert and join the Brodhead Chapter for an afternoon of fellowship along Brodhead Creek. There will be a casting contest and other activities for young and old alike.



Brodhead Fly Tyers Club

3rd Monday of the Month at 6:00 PM
Eastern Pocono Public Library
1002 PA-611
Stroudsburg, PA



The Brodhead Fly Tyers Club is a fly tying social club. This is a free evening of fly tying. This is a great opportunity for experienced and beginner tyers to learn from each other. These meetings will be held the third Monday of each month. Specialized topics or tying styles may be promoted on a monthly basis along with presentations by "celebrity" tyers.

Veterans Service Program

Last Wednesday of the Month from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM
Location To Be Determined



The Brodhead Chapter has partnered with VALOR's (Veteran's Assisted Living and OutReach) Major Paul Syverson Veterans Sanctuary located in Kunkletown, PA. The chapter provides guidance and instruction to the veterans at fishing events during warm weather months, and utilizes the Brodhead Fly Tyers Club to provide tying instruction during the winter months. If you are interested in learning more please contact our Veteran's Service Coordinator, Glen Lippencott, at glipp@ptd.net.

Fly Fishing Workshops

Multiple Events Held through the Year
Location Vary

The Brodhead Chapter has developed an introductory program on the art of fly fishing that it provides and runs for various other organizations throughout the year. The Chapter provides this service free of charge to the organization, though the organization may charge a fee. The program consists of an overview of the equipment, an introductory lesson of basic on the water knots, casting instruction, a hands on entomology lesson, an introduction to flies and fly tying, a lesson on reading the water, and program on where to fish locally.



A sincere thank you is extended to the following supporters of our Chapter as we work to preserve and protect the cold-water resources in the Poconos.

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