

# Fly Line

A Monthly Newsletter

June 2015

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Meetings at East Side Arvest Bank at 7 P.M.  
First Tuesday of the Month



sixth grade class from Cherryvale, KS.

Larry Johnson, Richard Cain, Ed Hinton, and Riley



## Cherryvale 6th Grade

The GCF went to Big Hill Resavior to demonstrate casting and fly tying to the



Osborn were there to represent the club and did a great job with the kids.

They got a free lunch and an invitation to come back next year.



### PRESIDENT'S CORNER

I may be the president but with out everyone's help and participation the picnic and all the projects that we do would not be the success that they are. So thank you to all.

I thought we had a great picnic this year, we even beat the rain. Congratulation to Ed for winning the fly tying contest. We had more entry's this time, I hope that this continues. We auction off the flies at the Christmas party. So keep tying, any the fly could have been the winner.

I will be bringing map of the M.J.Lee lake for those who want them. We will be talking about the outing at Mined Lands also.

Ken Richards from Back Woods Outfitters will be our speaker and he will be talking about Small Mouth Bass.

Last we will be raffling off a TFO, 8wt, 9', 4pc rod at the meeting so if you do not come you can not win. So tie a fly to bring and I will see you there.

I am sorry about last months letter, when I looked at it I had a hard time figuring out what I was. talking about. I will try to do better. There is always hope. Ivan

## Mined Lands

The club will have an outing Saturday June 6 at the Mined Lands in KS. There will be folks camping both Friday and Saturday night and a fish fry on Saturday about 1 pm. Larry Johnson is the coordinator for this outing, and the NE OK club and the Oklahoma club will be joining us on Saturday.

Directions to the Mined Lands are North on Hwy 75 to Hwy 166 at Caney. East on Hwy 166 to Hwy 59 about 20 miles east of Coffeyville. North on Hwy 59 to Oswago to meet Hwy 160. East on Hwy 160. There will be pink ribbon at the turn to the north from Hwy 160 to road 100. Go north to the next pink ribbon at road Central Star and turn right. In about 1/2 mile turn into area 24 on the left and the camping area is about 100 yds. ahead. This is a good spot for campers and tents.

There is no water or electric at the camping site so come prepared. There are toilets at Trout Lake which is a mile north and a mile west of the camping area. There is a map of the mined lands area on the web site in the newsletter page.

It is not easy to fish from the banks of the pits, so bring a tube or other float device. A number of the pits have boat ramps if you have a boat.

### Board Meeting 5/18/2015

Service hours were discussed. In addition to the service hours reported previously we have the following: Fly Fishing School six members at three classes for 6 hours for a total of 144

hours; Ivan time in getting materials for the fish habitat 10 hours; Kellyville Fly Tying 12 members at 6 hours for 72 hours; Tackle Show 60 hours; Reel Recovery Fishing buddies Ivan and Ken Taylor 24 hours; Heeling Waters, Ivan and Ken 24 hours; Home Extension show 24 hours

Picnic was good. Next year we should cut back on the meat and encourage members to bring their own drinks.

There was a motion to raise dues next year to \$20 per family starting with next year. Motion was seconded and passed. However, this is an item that may be presented to the total membership.

Ivan mentioned a proposal for a by-laws change submitted by Dennis Kidd. He did not have it with him and said he would send it to Riley for distribution to the board. Riley has done this and asked for their input. Since there is disagreement among board members as to the need for such a change we will need to have further discussions before presenting to general membership.

Ken Richards will be the speaker at the next meeting. Ivan will contact him since Riley will be out of town.

The tying competition at the picnic was very successful with 11 entries. Ed Hinton was the winner beating out some very good tiers.

Bruce Keen has a 8wt rod he would like to submit to the club for a raffle. The raffle will be a playing card raffle. Wes will supply the deck of cards. We will have the drawing as soon as the 52 cards are sold. The club will reimburse Bruce \$75 for the rod.



## The President Wins For Third Time

**Ivan won the tying contest at the SMR for the third time this year. Each contestant is given a bag with a hook and a small collection of tying materials. The contest test is to create a fly in 20 minutes or less. The flies are judged on appearance, creativity and fishability. This year was the 14th year for the contest.**

**Congratulations Ivan!**



**Bartlesville Green Country Flyfishers dues are \$16, and most of our members pay in December and January. You can pay at the meeting or mail to Gary Kilpatrick, 1230 Dogwood Court, Bartlesville, OK. 74006.**

## **Calander of Coming Events**

**June 2**

**Regular Meeting at Arvest Bank  
starting at 7 pm**

**June 6**

**Outing at Mined Lands with  
camping Friday and Saturday.**

**June 18**

**Tying at Arvest Bank from 7 to 9**



**Time spent fishing is time well spent**