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Our Vision



Steelheaders work to improve fish habitat anglers to and provide fish for sage, side channe Projects include tree creation, acclimation improved culvert pasplanting, log sills, ponds, fin clipping catch.

even broodstock projects and volunteer hatcheries.



Protecting River Rights

Steelheaders fight for your right to access Oregon's rivers

Educating Anglers, Youth

tanks and participate in kids' fishing hundreds of classroom incubation Steelheaders provide and maintain events. Chapters present "how to" and during clinics and fish-alongs. fishing information at meetings threats to fish and fishing, chapter projects, includes articles about current places to fish, and tackle tips. Our legislative advocate represents anglers' interests before government agen-Northwest Steelheader



changes in precipitation, and ocean conditions will coldwater fisheries. Warming water temperatures, find solutions to global climate change impacts on Continue to conduct education and advocacy work to require new responses in fisheries management.

Our Successes

Steelhead Made a Gamefish

(1974). legislation to declare Steelheaders sponsored steelhead a gamefish

Ship Breaking Steelheaders blocked

Bay and helped pass legislation banning in water ship ship breaking in Yaquina breaking in Oregon (2007).

High Seas Drift Nets Banned

Steelheaders succeeded in getting drift nets banned in

Gill Nets Legislated out of Coos Bay 1991.

Steelheaders proposed legisla tion ending gill net take of striped bass in Coos Bay in 1973.

Access Oregon's Rivers Steelheaders Protect Anglers' Rights to

that anglers have access rights. The Sandy, John Day, Steelheaders initiated navigability studies to ensure and Rogue rivers declared navigable. Seven miles of vest (2008). Sandy River above Marmot opened to selective har-

Columbia Instream Flows Protected

Blocked "Oasis" and other water extraction bills (2009).

Klamath Dam Removal

Helped pass legislation to move toward recovery of our off-shore chinook sport fishery (2009)

Steelheaders Won Cormorant Legislation

and limited research take. Through legislation, won funding for cormorant hazing

Metolius Basin Habitat Protected

tion of salmon and steelhead. Prevented destination resorts, enabling reintroduc-

Protecting Fish for Fifty Years

created in April 1960 to protect sport fisheries. The Association of Northwest Steelheaders was

Current Projects

Steelheaders are continuing our efforts to move com-River. This protects upriver sport fishing and wild fish mercial fisheries harvest off the mainstem Columbia Columbia River Wild Fish and Sport Fishing plus hatchery fish in areas off the mainstem river. returns while allowing for commercial harvest of sur-



Columbia Management: Spill, Not Kill

ter than average returns of salmon and steelhead. for spill to aid downstream migration, resulting in betfor healthier runs. Steelheaders successfully lobbied Steelheaders have long fought for improved passage

Support Fish Runs and Fishing

against accelerated timber harvest, liquified natural Steelheaders and their legislative advocate speak out gas, and other threats to healthy runs of fish.

Habitat Enhancement

Improved habitat results in healthier runs of fish.

Better Angler Access

struct boat ramps Steelheaders conanglers by building make fishing possiand slides. They ble for disabled handicapped access. Members



containers and signs at access points. participate in river cleanups and installation of litter

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ing Programmatic Environmental Impact Statements to get concrete scientific answers regarding the impact of coal dust on the Columbia River before the proposed projects move forward.

Hatchery Reform

Steelheaders support hatchery reform while ensuring our hatcheries are funded and utilized to enhance sportfishing. Due to recent lawsuits, our hatcheries are at the most risk they have ever been. Steelheaders led the way in 2012 by providing comments on Hatchery Genetic Management Plans, and in 2013 we will institute a legal and public education campaign in an attempt to get favorable legal rulings.

Connecting Kids and Families with the Resource

In 2012, Steelheaders was once again a leader in connecting kids and families with the outdoors and salmon. We expanded our involvement in the Eggs to Fry Program by purchasing equipment to add schools in Eugene, and we are reaching the home stretch of our joint project with ODFW STEP to create a volunteer guide, videos, and materials to expand volunteer participation in the program. In addition, the Steelheaders supported numerous kids' fishing events, river cleanups, nutrient enhancement, tree plantings, and other volunteer activities to engage the younger generation. We also hosted two Pre Free Fishing Weekend events in 2012.

New Merchandise

We are super excited about our all new merchandise now available online at the Steelheaders "Shop" webpage. The new products include hoodies and long sleeve T-shirts with an original fish illustration on the back and "Steelheaders" down the sleeve, short sleeve T-shirts, polo shirts, "Chrome Dome" skull caps, and a wide variety of "50 Years Working for Fish" hats, including camo, ladies' pink camo, and trucker hats. Much of the merchandise is made in the USA. We also have some organic cotton selections. Be the first to own and show your Steelheaders pride by visiting http://www.nwsteelheaders.org/shop/ or calling 503-653-4176.

Now is not only a great time to be a Steelheader, but it's also a great time to get involved. Make your voice and actions count in 2013 for fish and fishing! Talk to your legislators, participate in volunteer events, join one of our many online forums and social media sites, come to a chapter meeting, and/or attend an event. However you decide to give back, please do so. Ask any Steelheader old-timer, and they will tell you that fishing is more fun when you know you've done something to give back to the resource you enjoy.

> Joe Domenico, President Russell Bassett, Executive Director

Step Up: Become a Budgeted Life Member

Support the continuing efforts of the Association of Northwest Steelheaders by becoming a Life Member through five equal annual payments of \$100 each. All proceeds from this program are put in an endowment fund and invested for the future. You are providing the Association with a stable membership to add your voice to our efforts to improve fishing and fish habitat, while adding to the endowment fund to ensure financial stability.

To become a Budgeted Life Member, fill out a membership form (see page 31), go to www.nwsteelheaders.org/support/membership/, or contact the Association Office, (503) 653-4176.

action. Another way to get children excited about fishing is to schedule a trip for salmon to an estuary or just offshore where you can switch to tossing out some crab pots or bottom fishing if the salmon aren't being cooperative. Be patient! Let the child play the fish, even if it means he or she may lose it—never grab the rod away from a child!

As much as he loves to fish, Bill loves to see others land fish even more. This means that he has an excellent relaxed attitude that's great for kids or people who've not done much fishing. Nothing is worse for someone just getting started than to have a guide who is so centered on landing fish that the newbie's errors are far too serious.

Years ago, Bill invited Marty and me to fish cutthroat with him on the Siletz, something that we'd never done much of. That one day changed the way we fish coastal rivers because Bill took the time to show us techniques that virtually guarantee landing cutts if they're present. We became addicted

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Bill with a Deschutes steelhead, taken during a guide's day off.





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to cutthroat fishing! Since then, we've often started out salmon or steelhead fishing with some cutthroat rods "just in case" and wound up handing our bait off to a bank angler or fellow boat angler so that we can concentrate on cutthroat. It's easy to see that Bill's casual manner would be a big hit with people new to fishing.

If you would like to plan a trip with Oregon River Trails, contact Bill by phone, 541-754-6411 or 541-602-0881, or via e-mail at bkremers@comcast.net. For more information, check out the website: oregonrivertrails.com.



Bill guided Sandy River Chapter members during the 2012 Buoy 10 fishery.



Bill and Russell Bassett in Washington, D.C. for the 2011 National Wildlife Federation lobbying effort, where Bill and Russ met with legislators, representing Steelheaders' interests.

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to us by agreeing to introduce a bill that will allow good regulation of woody debris in waterways (HB 2396). Rep. Holvey is another powerhouse who is working with us to educate the public while trying to address the growing problems of GMO "frankenfish," which is being done via HB 2530. Other important bills will involve such things as fine tuning state hatchery research operations, reducing stream pollution and agricultural run offs, improving water quality and overseeing new water storage proposals, increasing the protection of state lands and their river banks, maintaining various important government regulatory functions, increasing unique angling opportunities, etc.

There will also be bills that we need to oppose or amend as part of our defensive game at the legislature. The first example is SB 303, which would ban fishing in the lower half mile of all coastal rivers.

As you can see, it is sure to be a busy legislative sesion for the ANWS public policy team. We have worked hard at the state level to further improve our political relationships. You also need to be part of the equation. As ndividuals within your local communities and chapters it s important to follow key measures that are being proposed and then take the time to communicate with your own lawmakers. Please let ANWS government affairs chair Norm Ritchie or me know when you have comments or suggestions; and we would appreciate receiving copies or updates on your bill-related communications with legislators and other public officials. Working together we can contribute to the positive future of anglers and everyone else who would benefit from quality outdoor experiences.

What You Can Do

Communicate with your local legislators. Cultivating political relationships at the local level helps combat the excessive political contributions and influence marshalled by certain powerful special interest groups. Educate and work with legislators from both parties.

Become aware of the issues by checking the Association's website, www.nwsteelheaders.org. Go to the drop-down menu for Conservation to view all of the current topics that may require action from you.

Become involved during the legislative session. Contact your legislator, be present or testify at hearings for key bills.

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River Ambassador Program Seeks Tackle Donations

Every veteran who participates in the River Ambassador Program Eis sent home with a rod, reel, line, and tackle, to enable him or her to continue fishing wherever the journey of life of takes them. Participants in the first program, which took place in September, 2012, are shown below. Our next RAP event will be May 17-19, 2013, on the Deschutes.

If you have quality used tackle you would be willing to donate to the program, please contact the Steelheaders at 503-653-4176 or via e-mail at office@anws.org. You may also send tackle to Association of Northwest Steelheaders, 6641 SE Lake Road, Milwaukie, OR 97222-2161.

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Len Clarke and George Buckingham of the North Coast Chapter started using their 2013 licenses and tags in a big way January 1.



Sandy River Chapter member Alex Morrison with an unusual three-salt hatchery steelhead—read about it on page 18 in the Sandy River Chapter report.



Columbia River Chapter member Kristin Dunn landed a steelie on Washington's Humptulips River. Kristin Dunn photo.



Guide David Johnson was guest speaker for the December North Coast Chapter meeting.

Sandy River Chapter Launches New Website

I norporating the Sandy River fish logo and the Association tri-state logo into rocky shores and deeper water background, the Sandy River Chapter has launched a new, more user friendly website.

Under the tutelage of Past President John Hydorn, the new website moved from concept to interactive reality. In his pre-retirement life, John performed similar website responsibilities with US Bank. John was assisted by Victor



Laurence, a developer, and his wife, Kerin, a graphic designer, both Sandy River Chapter members.

The web address is www.sandysteelheaders.org. The initial menu includes Home, News, Events, Articles, Newsletters and Links. E-mail notice is sent out to the membership that the newsletter is uploaded and can be viewed in full color, on-line, which is



John Hydorn, left, and Victor Laurence, above, created a great new website for the Sandy Chapter.

faster and less expensive than printing and mailing.

The Home drop-down menu includes a tab for About the Chapter, the Board, Contact and our Privacy Statement. The News tab expands to Recent or Archive; you can view Current, Upcoming and Archive activities from the Events tab.

The Article tab opens up to a group of articles and the Newsletters in chronological order by year. The Link selection provides access to various links within several groups. The Links area will expand to include links to local chapter member guides and other area specific information.

But, wait, we're not done yet!!!! Future additions include tackle shop listings, river level information, and shuttle service locations and contacts. The most exciting pending area is a "Members Only" section that will provide very detailed "My Favorite Fishing Hole" maps and narratives, special pricing opportunities from premier vendors, and invitations to unique chapter activities, where you are rewarded for being a member.

Three-Salt Hatchery Steelhead By Doug Briggs, Sandy River Chapter President

December 27, Alex Morrison climbed aboard Ed Fast's three-man, 14' pontoon boat at Revenue Bridge and floated to Dodge Park on the Sandy River. Regulations on this stretch of the Sandy River require fishing from the river or the bank and not from a boat. Most of the float is through Class 2 water with an occasional Class 3 stretch.

The first half hour is a boat ride until the raft drops below Cedar Creek and it's possible to get out and start fishing. Fishing from the bank requires observing the law and staying below the ordinary high water mark, which many interpret as the vegetation line. At the hole called the Piling Hole, just north of the end of Marsh Road, Alex threw out his bait, although the eggs on his bobber and eggs setup were starting to show wear. He was fishing eggs cured with Nate's Baits Dry Cure and had an immediate takedown. The fish was a three-salt fish pushing 16 pounds, ready and willing to fight. (Turn back to page 17 to see a photo of Alex's steelhead.)

Ed indicated that there are a large number of early winter run hatchery three-salt (three years in the ocean) steelhead returning to the Sandy. He attributes these fish to the broodstock program, which has been suspended by legal challenges.

Coastal Multi-Species Plan

Guest speaker at the January 16 Executive Committee meeting was Tom Stahl, ODFW Assistant Conservation and Recovery Program Manager. He discussed progress of the Coastal Multi-Species Conservation Plan to date.

This plan will affect all species of fish along the coast, so it is very important to everyone who fishes coastal rivers. There will be changes in numbers of hatchery fish released and where fish are released. In spite of a lack of good data, there are proposals for a limited harvest of wild steelhead. ODFW plans to monitor wild steelhead on those streams *after* harvest has begun. Many anglers have suggested that there should be monitoring *before* harvest is allowed. All in all, this is a plan that all anglers should watch as it is developed over the next few months. Final adoption by the Commission is planned for sometime in the fall; there will be opportunities to comment on the plan during the next few months. If you're passionate about coastal species, you should be ready to comment on the plan.



Starting the Year Off Right By Doug Briggs, Sandy River Chapter President

Larry Palmer, past Association President, John Hydorn, past Sandy River Chapter President, and Norm Ritchie, Association Oregon Government Affairs Director, took advantage of ideal Sandy River water conditions on Monday, January 7, and made a pre-dawn launch at the boat ramp at Dabney State Park. The park opens at 6:00; they were apparently very early as they had to wait quite a while to be able to see their gear and the navigation aids (rocks) in the river before they could begin their float to Lewis and Clark Park.

Once the light gathered, they jumped into Larry's 16' x 52" ClackaCraft drift boat and hit the water with their best tackle. John got an almost immediate "bobber down" on a dried prawn as they passed under the Stark Street Bridge along the eastern edge. The fish was either a small metalhead, a scavenger, or a poor hook-up. The fish, needless to say, threw the hook, ate the offering, and moved on up river. John thought it was a small fish because the action was not that typical of the waterclearing aerial jumps and line-ripping runs of a tough-fighting species.

Larry and Norm put out plugs just past the bridge in the infamous "wall of death" exactly 65 feet off the rod tip, as indicated by the bobber stop put on the line. Coincidentally, 65' is the exact distance from Larry's garage to the pole in the street. Norm had on a metallic pink Wiggle Wart with a black bill.

Norm's rod had a hard strike and started losing line to a hard-charging fish. John cleared the rods, while Larry moved the boat into the slack water on the west bank, just below the Riverview Restaurant. While John and Larry were busy with rods and tiller, Norm held onto the rod tightly, keeping pressure on the fish. Norm was given a spectacular aerial display by the dime-bright steelhead. One of the leaps cleared the water by a full two feet! When the fish calmed down, they confirmed the lack of an adipose



Norm got it right: your first fish of the year should run like crazy and be downright spectacular. Doesn't hurt if it's extra large, too!

fin, worked it into Larry's net, and brought it into the boat, where it was immediately tagged. Photos had to wait while the three hunted for more fish ready to strike any of their offerings.

After that great start, they fished the balance of the float without another fish. Despite some early light showers and weak to calm winds, it was a great day to be on the water.

Larry and John had an early afternoon meeting with ODFW biologist Dave Stewart and Chapter President Doug Briggs at Buck Creek, a Sandy tributary, so had to be off the water by 1:00. (See the chapter report on page 18 for more about the Sandy Chapter's next stream project, which they saw that afternoon.)

Business Members

These people have business memberships, which means that they are supporting Northwest Steelheaders on a regular basis by paying \$100 annually (instead of a \$30 regular membership). They deserve your support in return.

Swiftwater Resources, LLC, Springfield, Oregon; Doug Caven
Northern Resource Consulting, Inc., Longview, Washington; Brian Perleberg
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CALENDAR

February 6-10 Pacific Northwest Sportsmen's Show[®], Expo Center, Portland Wednesday-Friday, 11:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.; Saturday, 10:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.; Sunday, 10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

February 16 Quarterly Board Meeting, Chehalem Senior Center, 101 West Foothills Drive, Newberg

- March 1-3 Eugene Sportsman's Show, Lane County Fairgrounds and Convention Center Friday 12:00-9:00; Saturday 9:00-8:00; Sunday 9:00-3:00
- March 20 Ex Com Meeting, Association Office, 6:30 p.m.
- March 23 Sandy River Chapter Frostbite Follies, contact Jeff Stoeger, 503-704-7920
- April 17 Ex Com Meeting, Association Office, 6:30 p.m.
- April 20 Salmon Quest, all day event with awards dinner at the Portland Airport Holiday Inn

Molalla River Cleanup, Feyrer Park, 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

- April 24 Raffle Drawing, North to Alaska, Association Office, Noon
 - May 1 Raffle Drawing, ClackaCraft Drift Boat, Association Office, Noon
- May 15 Ex Com Meeting, Association Office, 6:30 p.m.

Note: You may participate in meetings via teleconferencing; check meeting agendas or call the office, 503-653-4176.

To have your chapter's events included in the calender, provide the date, time, and location when you are prompted for chapter news prior to each issue.

Volunteer Opportunities

One of the main strengths of the Northwest Steelheaders is the many dedicated volunteers who make the organization successful. There are many ways to get involved at both the chapter and Association level. Here are some suggestions for volunteering:

- Office and clerical support suited to your skills and interests in the Association's Milwaukie office. Contact Russell Bassett at 503-653-4176, executivedirector@ anws.org.
- Help count steelhead and their redds and monitor temperatures on the Salmonberry River during April and May. Contact Ian Fergusson at 503-957-8875, ian.fergusson@comcast.net.
- Help organize the 2013 Salmon Quest tournament. Contact Norm Ritchie at 503-807-7729, normritchie@q.com.
- Help staff the Steelheaders' two booths at the Pacific Northwest Sportsmen's Show®, Expo Center, Portland, February 6-10.
- Help your local chapter organize river clean-ups, habitat restoration projects, kids' fishing events, environmental education activities, fundraisers, and other events.
- · Participate in Association and/or chapter events and work parties.
- Volunteer to become a director or officer for your chapter, or for the Association.

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The Silent Auction offered a wide selection of things anglers would love to have, and there was a Super Silent area, dubbed the "Tripapalooza." Live auction items were displayed in the main banquet room.

Proceeds from the 2012 event were 30 percent more than the previous year and more than any of the last five years. Thanks so much to everyone who attended, volunteered or donated to the event.



Left, President Joe Domenico handing off the President's Supporter of the Year award to Frank Amato, owner of Frank Amato Publications.







The Heads or Tails game proved to be popular with those present.

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Regional Director Bill Hedlund, billh@ifish.net

Newberg Second Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. Chehalem Senior Center, 101 Foothills Drive, Newberg Contact President Kevin Hula at 503-781-9378, kevinhula@aol.com

North Coast

Fourth Thursday, 7:00 p.m. ODFW Tillamook Office, 4907 3rd St., Tillamook Contact President Bill Hedlund at 503-815-2737, billh@ifish.net

Tualatin Valley

Second Thursday, 7:00 p.m. Aloha American Legion Hall, 20325 SW Alexander, Aloha Contact President Mark Hutchinson at 503-649-1028, hutchisfishin@gmail.com

Central Region

Deschutes Basin

Quarterly meetings; dates set by chapter Contact President Yancy Lind at 541-788-5514, yancy_lind@ml.com

Emerald Empire

First Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. Veterans' Memorial Building, 1626 Willamette St., Eugene Contact President Bill Robbins at 541-689-5075, suznbill@comcast.net

Mid-Valley

First Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. Albany Senior Citizens Center, 489 Water Ave. NW, Albany Contact Bill Nyara at 541-401-9559, nyara@heritagenw.com

Salem

Third Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. City of Keizer Community Center (at City Hall), 930 Chemawa Rd. NE, Keizer Contact President Jim Zelenka at 503-371-4063, jzelenka@comcast.net

Columbia River Region

Regional Director Tom Smoot, tho_smo@comcast.net

Columbia River (Vancouver)

Second Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. Pied Piper Pizza, 12300 NE Fourth Plain Rd., Vancouver Contact President Keith Hyde at 360-772-0996, dunerider84@aol.com

McLoughlin

Second Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. Denny's, 15815 SE 82nd Drive, Clackamas Contact President Carol Clark at 503-522-9613, clclark@bctonline.com

Molalla River

Third Thursday, 6:30 p.m. Farmstead Restaurant, 28313 S. Highway 213, Molalla Contact President Sam Wurdinger at 503-932-8386, dingerjigs@yahoo.com

Sandy River

First Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. Glenn Otto Park, 1208 Historic Columbia River Hwy., Troutdale Contact President Doug Briggs at 503-729-2023, doug@leewens.com

Tom McCall

Third Wednesday, 11:30 a.m. Old Spaghetti Factory, 0715 SW Bancroft St., Portland Contact President Dave Reggiani at 503-657-5379, dsreggiani@comcast.net

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