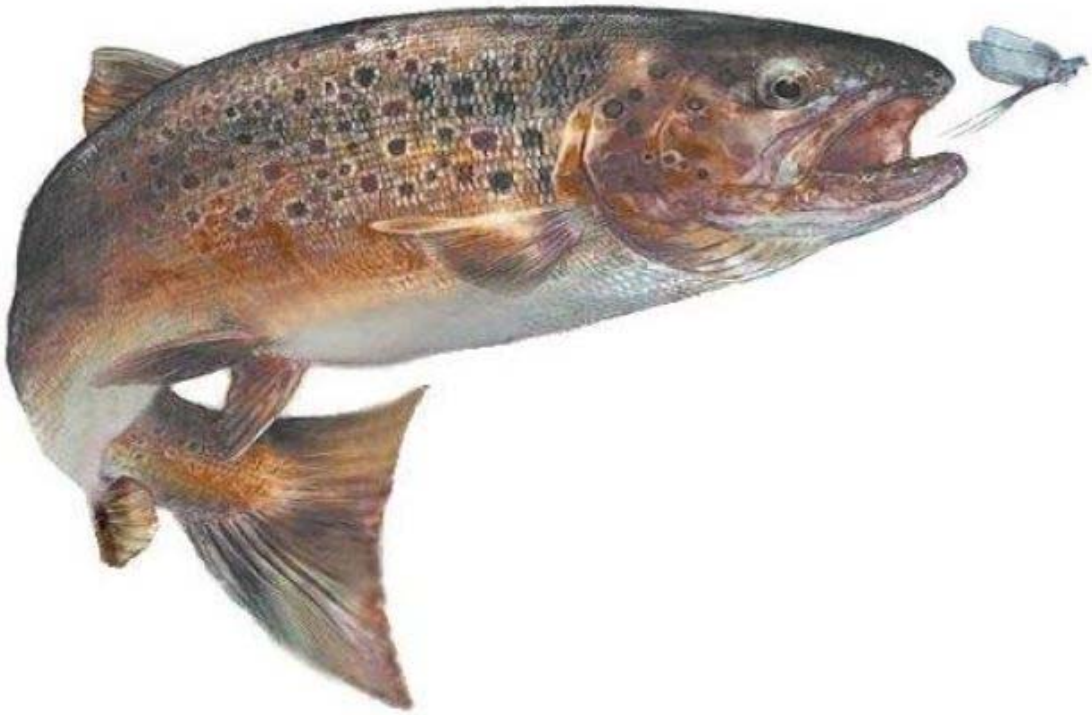
# YARRA VALLEY FLY FISHERS Inc.

**Founded 1972**



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# VIC SCHOOL TERM DATES 2017

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| First Term: | 01 February - 31 March |
| Second Term: | 18 April - 30 June |
| Third Term: | 17 July - 22 September |
| Fourth Term: | 09 October - 22 December |

# OTHER IMPORTANT DATES

**GENERAL MEETINGS** - 2ND THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 8PM AT THE CLUBROOMS.

**COMMITTEE MEETINGS** - LAST THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH.

FINAL CUT OFF DATE FOR **THE FLY LINE BY LINE** IS THE 20TH OF EACH MONTH.

**MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTIONS** ARE DUE AND PAYABLE ON THE 1ST OF SEPTEMBER OF EACH YEAR

**ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**, THURSDAY 12TH OCTOBER

# 2017 CLUB TRIPS

Dates/locations indicated are as nominated in February 2015, and maybe varied nearer the trip depending on more current information. Any changes will be advised through the Fly Line Byline /website/notice board in Bailey Room/word of mouth.

# 2017 Club Trips for Championship (CC) points:

February: 17th – 19th Bright – Porepunkah
March: 10th – 13th Mitta – Dartmouth (Mitta Mitta)
April: 7th – 9th Howqua – Jamieson (Headwater rivers flowing INTO Eildon Reservoir & Eildon Reservoir only & King River)
May: 19th – 21st Eildon Tail waters Goulburn River and its tributaries and Eildon Pondage
June: 9th – 12th Toolondo Reservoir (to be confirmed)
July: 14th – 16th Lakes Bullen Merri, Purrumbete, Deep and Tooliorook
August: 4th 6th Creswick lakes area.
September: 10th Tumbling Waters - Thornton
October: 6th – 8th Fly In – Lake Fyans – Competition
October: 13th – 15th Wastell Trophy (Creswick Area)
November: 3rd – 7th Omeo – Mitta
November: 26th Tri Club – with Southern & Red Tag FFCs

# 2017 Social Trips

Last weekend of each month – to be advised
July: 28th – 30th Salt Water Inverloch.
August: 27th Saltwater Fishing Kilcunda
September: 1st – 2nd Trout opening Eildon Pondage.
December: 3rd Yarra. Dave Jenkins Day.

# 2017 Important Events

August 18th – 20th 4x4 & Fishing Show Volunteers required
September: 21st - 23rd Lillydale Lake Kids Day Volunteers required
(includes set-up Thurs 21st & Scope Day Fri 22nd

# FEBRUARY

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|---|---|---|
| WEDNESDAY | 1 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 2 | |
| FRIDAY | 3 | |
| SATURDAY | 4 | |
| SUNDAY | 5 | Casting Tuition |
| MONDAY | 6 | |
| TUESDAY | 7 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 8 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 9 | **General Meeting** |
| FRIDAY | 10 | |
| SATURDAY | 11 | **F.M.** |
| SUNDAY | 12 | Casting Tuition |
| MONDAY | 13 | |
| TUESDAY | 14 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 15 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 16 | |
| FRIDAY | 17 | **Club Trip** Bright/Porepunkah |
| SATURDAY | 18 | **Club Trip** Bright/Porepunkah |
| SUNDAY | 19 | **Club Trip** Bright/Porepunkah / Casting Tuition |
| MONDAY | 20 | |
| TUESDAY | 21 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 22 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 23 | **Committee meeting** |
| FRIDAY | 24 | |
| SATURDAY | 25 | |
| SUNDAY | 26 | Casting Tuition |
| MONDAY | 27 | **N.M.** |
| TUESDAY | 28 | |

F.M. Full Moon
N.M. New Moon

# MARCH

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|---|---|---|
| WEDNESDAY | 1 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 2 | |
| FRIDAY | 3 | |
| SATURDAY | 4 | |
| SUNDAY | 5 | Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 6 | |
| TUESDAY | 7 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 8 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 9 | **General Meeting.** |
| FRIDAY | 10 | **Club Trip** Mitta - Dartmouth |
| SATURDAY | 11 | **Club Trip** Mitta - Dartmouth |
| SUNDAY | 12 | **Club Trip** Mitta - Dartmouth **/** Casting Tuition |
| **MONDAY** | 13 | **F.M. Labour Day**. **Club Trip** Mitta - Dartmouth |
| TUESDAY | 14 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 15 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 16 | |
| FRIDAY | 17 | |
| SATURDAY | 18 | |
| SUNDAY | 19 | Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 20 | |
| TUESDAY | 21 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 22 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 23 | |
| FRIDAY | 24 | **End of Month - Thornton**– All rivers |
| SATURDAY | 25 | **End of Month - Thornton** – All rivers |
| SUNDAY | 26 | Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 27 | |
| TUESDAY | 28 | **N.M.** |
| WEDNESDAY | 29 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 30 | **Committee meeting** |
| FRIDAY | 31 | **End of term 1** |

FM Full Moon
NM New Moon

# APRIL

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|---|---|---|
| SATURDAY | 1 | |
| SUNDAY | 2 | Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 3 | |
| TUESDAY | 4 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 5 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 6 | |
| FRIDAY | 7 | **Club trip** Howqua – Jamieson |
| SATURDAY | 8 | **Club trip** Howqua – Jamieson |
| SUNDAY | 9 | **Club trip** Howqua – Jamieson Casting Tuition |
| MONDAY | 10 | |
| TUESDAY | 11 | **Full Moon** |
| WEDNESDAY | 12 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 13 | **General Meeting.** |
| **FRIDAY** | 14 | **GOOD FRIDAY** |
| SATURDAY | 15 | **EASTER SATURDAY** |
| **SUNDAY** | 16 | Casting Tuition. **EASTER SUNDAY** |
| **MONDAY** | 17 | **EASTER MONDAY** |
| TUESDAY | 18 | **Term 2 begins.** |
| WEDNESDAY | 19 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 20 | |
| FRIDAY | 21 | |
| SATURDAY | 22 | |
| SUNDAY | 23 | Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 24 | |
| **TUESDAY** | 25 | **Anzac Day** |
| WEDNESDAY | 26 | **New Moon** Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 27 | **Committee Meeting.** |
| FRIDAY | 28 | **End of Month - Thornton**– All rivers |
| SATURDAY | 29 | **End of Month - Thornton** – All rivers |
| SUNDAY | 30 | Casting Tuition. |

F.M. Full Moon
N.M. New Moon

# MAY

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|---|---|---|
| MONDAY | 1 | Casting Tuition |
| TUESDAY | 2 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 3 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 4 | |
| FRIDAY | 5 | |
| SATURDAY | 6 | |
| SUNDAY | 7 | Casting Tuition |
| MONDAY | 8 | |
| TUESDAY | 9 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 10 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 11 | **F.M. General Meeting.** |
| FRIDAY | 12 | |
| SATURDAY | 13 | |
| SUNDAY | 14 | Casting Tuition. Mother's Day |
| MONDAY | 15 | |
| TUESDAY | 16 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 17 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 18 | |
| FRIDAY | 19 | **Club trip - Eildon** |
| SATURDAY | 20 | **Club trip - Eildon** |
| SUNDAY | 21 | **Club trip - Eildon** / Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 22 | |
| TUESDAY | 23 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 24 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 25 | **Committee Meeting** |
| FRIDAY | 26 | **N.M. - End of Month - Thornton**– All rivers |
| SATURDAY | 27 | **End of Month - Thornton** – All rivers |
| SUNDAY | 28 | Casting Tuition |
| MONDAY | 29 | |
| TUESDAY | 30 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 31 | Fly Tying Tuition. |

F.M. Full Moon
N.M. New Moon

# JUNE

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| THURSDAY | 1 | |
| FRIDAY | 2 | |
| SATURDAY | 3 | |
| SUNDAY | 4 | Fly Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 5 | |
| TUESDAY | 6 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 7 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 8 | **General Meeting.** |
| FRIDAY | 9 | **F.M. Club Trip** Toolondo Reservoir **- TBC** |
| SATURDAY | 10 | **Club Trip** Toolondo Reservoir **- TBC** |
| SUNDAY | 11 | **Club Trip** Toolondo Reservoir **- TBC**. Casting Tuition. |
| **MONDAY** | 12 | **Queen's birthday.**<br>**Salmonids season closes (Midnight)** |
| TUESDAY | 13 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 14 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 15 | |
| FRIDAY | 16 | |
| SATURDAY | 17 | |
| SUNDAY | 18 | Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 19 | |
| TUESDAY | 20 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 21 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 22 | |
| FRIDAY | 23 | **Flowerdale** -Tranquil Rises |
| SATURDAY | 24 | **N.M. Flowerdale** -Tranquil Rises` |
| SUNDAY | 25 | Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 26 | |
| TUESDAY | 27 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 28 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 29 | **Committee Meeting.** |
| FRIDAY | 30 | **School Term 2 finishes** |

F.M. Full Moon
N.M. New Moon

# JULY

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|---|---|---|
| SATURDAY | 1 | |
| SUNDAY | 2 | Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 3 | |
| TUESDAY | 4 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 5 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 6 | |
| FRIDAY | 7 | |
| SATURDAY | 8 | |
| SUNDAY | 9 | **F.M.** Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 10 | |
| TUESDAY | 11 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 12 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 13 | **General Meeting.** |
| FRIDAY | 14 | **Club Trip** Camperdown |
| SATURDAY | 15 | **Club Trip** Camperdown |
| SUNDAY | 16 | **Club Trip** Camperdown Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 17 | **School Term 3 begins** |
| TUESDAY | 18 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 19 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 20 | |
| FRIDAY | 21 | |
| SATURDAY | 22 | |
| SUNDAY | 23 | **N.M.** Casting Tuition |
| MONDAY | 24 | |
| TUESDAY | 25 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 26 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 27 | **Committee meeting** |
| FRIDAY | 28 | **Club Trip** Inverloch. |
| SATURDAY | 29 | **Club Trip** Inverloch. |
| SUNDAY | 30 | **Club Trip** Inverloch**.** Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 31 | |

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# AUGUST

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| TUESDAY | 1 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 2 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 3 | |
| FRIDAY | 4 | **Club Trip** Creswick Lakes area |
| SATURDAY | 5 | **Club Trip** Creswick Lakes area |
| SUNDAY | 6 | **Club Trip** Creswick Lakes area Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 7 | |
| TUESDAY | 8 | **F.M.** |
| WEDNESDAY | 9 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 10 | **General Meeting.** |
| FRIDAY | 11 | |
| SATURDAY | 12 | |
| SUNDAY | 13 | Casting Tuition |
| MONDAY | 14 | |
| TUESDAY | 15 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 16 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 17 | |
| FRIDAY | 18 | |
| SATURDAY | 19 | |
| SUNDAY | 20 | Casting Tuition |
| MONDAY | 21 | |
| TUESDAY | 22 | **N.M**. |
| WEDNESDAY | 23 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 24 | |
| FRIDAY | 25 | **Last weekend trip** - TBA |
| SATURDAY | 26 | **Flowerdale Tranquil** rises |
| SUNDAY | 27 | **Club Trip** Kilcunda Casting Tuition |
| MONDAY | 28 | |
| TUESDAY | 29 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 30 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 31 | **Committee Meeting.** |

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# SEPTEMBER

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| | | **SUBSCRIPTIONS DUE** |
| FRIDAY | 1 | **Salmonids season opens (Midnight)** |
| SATURDAY | 2 | |
| SUNDAY | 3 | Casting Tuition Father's Day |
| MONDAY | 4 | |
| TUESDAY | 5 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 6 | **F.M.** Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 7 | |
| FRIDAY | 8 | |
| SATURDAY | 9 | |
| SUNDAY | 10 | **Club Trip** Tumbling waters Casting Tuition |
| MONDAY | 11 | |
| TUESDAY | 12 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 13 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 14 | **General Meeting.** |
| FRIDAY | 15 | |
| SATURDAY | 16 | |
| SUNDAY | 17 | Casting Tuition |
| MONDAY | 18 | |
| TUESDAY | 19 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 20 | **N.M.** Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 21 | Set up Scope & kids come try day |
| FRIDAY | 22 | **School Term 3 ends - Scope day** |
| SATURDAY | 23 | **Kids come try day** |
| SUNDAY | 24 | Casting Tuition |
| MONDAY | 25 | |
| TUESDAY | 26 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 27 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 28 | **Committee meeting** |
| FRIDAY | 29 | **End of Month - Thornton**– All rivers |
| SATURDAY | 30 | **End of Month - Thornton** – All rivers |

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# OCTOBER

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| SUNDAY | 1 | Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 2 | |
| TUESDAY | 3 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 4 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 5 | . |
| FRIDAY | 6 | **F.M.** |
| SATURDAY | 7 | |
| SUNDAY | 8 | |
| MONDAY | 9 | **School Term 4 starts** |
| TUESDAY | 10 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 11 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 12 | **General Meeting & AGM.** |
| FRIDAY | 13 | **Club Trip** Fly In @ Lake Fyans |
| SATURDAY | 14 | **Club Trip** Fly In @ Lake Fyans |
| SUNDAY | 15 | **Club Trip** Fly In @ Lake Fyans Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 16 | |
| TUESDAY | 17 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 18 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 19 | |
| FRIDAY | 20 | **N.M. Club Trip** Wastell Trophy - Ballarat Fly Fishing Club (TBC) |
| SATURDAY | 21 | **Club Trip** Wastell Trophy - BFFC (TBC) |
| SUNDAY | 22 | **Club Trip** Wastell Trophy - BFFC (TBC)<br>Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 23 | |
| TUESDAY | 24 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 25 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 26 | **Committee Meeting.** |
| FRIDAY | 27 | **End of Month - Thornton**– All rivers |
| SATURDAY | 28 | **End of Month - Thornton** – All rivers |
| SUNDAY | 29 | Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 30 | |
| TUESDAY | 31 | |

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# NOVEMBER

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|---|---|---|
| WEDNESDAY | 1 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 2 | |
| FRIDAY | 3 | **Club trip** Omeo /Mitta |
| SATURDAY | 4 | **F.M.** **Club trip** Omeo /Mitta |
| SUNDAY | 5 | **Club trip** Omeo /Mitta Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 6 | **Club trip** Omeo /Mitta |
| **TUESDAY** | 7 | **Club trip** Omeo /Mitta **Melbourne cup** |
| WEDNESDAY | 8 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 9 | **General Meeting.** |
| FRIDAY | 10 | |
| SATURDAY | 11 | |
| SUNDAY | 12 | Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 13 | |
| TUESDAY | 14 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 15 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 16 | |
| FRIDAY | 17 | |
| SATURDAY | 18 | **N.M.** |
| SUNDAY | 19 | Casting Tuition |
| MONDAY | 20 | |
| TUESDAY | 21 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 22 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 23 | |
| FRIDAY | 24 | **End of Month - Thornton**– All rivers |
| SATURDAY | 25 | **End of Month - Thornton** – All rivers |
| SUNDAY | 26 | **Tri club** Southern, Red Tag Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 27 | |
| TUESDAY | 28 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 29 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 30 | **Committee Meeting.** |

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# DECEMBER

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|---|---|---|
| FRIDAY | 1 | |
| SATURDAY | 2 | |
| SUNDAY | 3 | **Dave Jenkin's Day. Yarra River** Casting Tuition |
| MONDAY | 4 | **F.M.** |
| TUESDAY | 5 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 6 | Fly Tying Tuition. |
| THURSDAY | 7 | **Christmas Breakup.** |
| FRIDAY | 8 | |
| SATURDAY | 9 | |
| SUNDAY | 10 | Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 11 | |
| TUESDAY | 12 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 13 | Fly Tying Tuition |
| THURSDAY | 14 | |
| FRIDAY | 15 | |
| SATURDAY | 16 | |
| SUNDAY | 17 | Casting Tuition. |
| MONDAY | 18 | **N.M.** |
| TUESDAY | 19 | |
| WEDNESDAY | 20 | |
| THURSDAY | 21 | |
| FRIDAY | 22 | **End of Month - Thornton**– All rivers<br>**End school term 3** |
| SATURDAY | 23 | **End of Month - Thornton** – All rivers |
| SUNDAY | 24 | |
| **MONDAY** | **25** | **Christmas Day** |
| **TUESDAY** | **26** | **Boxing Day** |
| WEDNESDAY | 27 | |
| THURSDAY | 28 | |
| FRIDAY | 29 | |
| SATURDAY | 30 | |
| SUNDAY | 31 | |

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## GENERAL MEETINGS

Second Thursday of each month. 7.45pm. at the Clubrooms.

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Last Tuesday of each Month. 7:45 pm at the Clubrooms.

## FLY TYING CLASSES

Every Wednesday night 8pm. at the Clubrooms.

## CASTING TUITION

Each Sunday 10am.-12.00 Noon at the Clubrooms.

## CLUB TRIPS

Every month to gazetted locations.