



PRESS RELEASE

EVENT 10th Annual, NORTH UMPQUA FLY TYING and FISHING FESTIVAL

WHEN September 8, 2018 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

WHERE Glide Community Center, North Umpqua Highway 138

ADMISSION FREE, We will collect donated non-perishable food for the GLIDE FOOD BANK

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ACTIVITIES 25 + TYERS from around the Northwest will be demonstrating their favorite patterns; from classic salmon fly dressings to trout, steelhead, bass and all water recipes.

CASTING POND is on site where you get a few tips from our expert line-up of casters including legendary Frank Moore, World War II veteran and early owner/operator of the famous Steamboat Inn. All skill levels encouraged to stop by and throw a little line. Get some tips and learn some tricks!

VENDORS of art and crafts, fly tying supplies and bamboo rods will be attendance

FOOD is available from the kitchen on site and will be staffed by UVFF members

RAFFLES On-going raffles through the day will be providing wonderful opportunities to WIN baskets of exciting prizes and equipment. A silent auction table will also provide some guided trips, equipment and sporting art for bidding upon.

WHAT'S IT ALL ABOUT

Fly Tying and fly fishing is a fast growing outdoor activity with deep roots in the Pacific Northwest. Many of the famous tyers and fishers in this sport grew to recognition in and around Oregon, Washington and California waters.

There will be just a wonderful collection of experts at the show spinning fur and feathers into artful creations ready to be tested on your favorite waters. Watch, learn and converse up close with these folks!

Fly fishing has suffered in the past with misconceptions of it being a sport for "elites"... nothing is further from the truth. So many new to the sport are learning how much personal satisfaction can be derived as they pick up a fly rod and discover how easy and fun it is to learn this fascinating outdoor activity.

Local clubs abound around our state and are full of men and women eager to help you get started. In Roseburg, The Umpqua Valley Fly Fishers sponsor and run this annual event. Joining them in our area are chapters of HEALING WATERS for Veterans, and CASTING FOR RECOVERY which targets assistance and opportunity for cancer survivors.