



Catch A Special Thrill

Catch A Special Thill (CAST) is scheduled for August 20 this year at Black Canyon Reservoir.

This event is designed to give handicapped children a chance to learn to fish—have a day on the lake. It is so rewarding to see the excitement on their faces.

Arrive between 7 and 9 A.M. Drivers meeting is at 8:30 A.M. Fish from 9 to 12 A.M. BBQ is at noon.

If you have never participated in this, you are missing a very rewarding experience. For more information, attend the next WWA meet-

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We are looking for someone to tow the BBQ to the Confluence Run. If you are planning to go and are not towing a boat up, we would really appreciate it if you could tow the BBQ. The run is scheduled for September 17.

THANK YOU

BY ANITA SHORE

In 2014, the members of the WWA voted to donate \$1500.00 to the Idaho Fish and Game for help with a restoration project, the Mackay Bar Patrol Cabin Expansion Project. The concept for this projected started in 2013, work started in August 2015 and is to be completed this summer.

The cabin on the Salmon River has many uses and will be more user friendly with the improvements.

The Fish and Game plan to

install a plaque in the cabin acknowledging all the donors.

The WWA received a very nice "Thank You" letter from the Fish & Game expressing their appreciation of our "generous donation". They, also, included pictures of the project. Some on in this newsletter and the rest are at Anita Shore's office. Anyone wishing to see these photos, please let Anita know. Her number is 208 454-1669.



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I hope everyone is having a great summer fishing and camping with family and friends. We have been on the river a couple of times for some fun afternoons.

The Confluence Run is coming up on the weekend of September 17th and I would like to thank the members that are organizing it this year...John Bryant, Dave Dickerson, and Jeff Higgins. Brandi Moore has volunteered to be in charge of the food. I hope as many of you as possible can attend. It is a great time to learn Hells Canyon and get together with all of the other club members.

I realize it is summer and many of you are vacationing but our next meeting will be August 8th at Canyon Creek in Nampa. Last meeting, we had the Forest Service and Idaho Parks and Rec share some important information regarding Hells Canyon and registering your boats. The Forest Service has extended the comment period for the fee proposal for another 30 days. If you have not expressed your comments on the fee proposal, I encourage you do so online or by sending in your comment card. If you need more information, please contact me.

Have a great August. See you on the river.

ALCOHOL TEST #2

The following test can be performed to determine the presence of alcohol in gasoline, 1. On a test tube or vial—make a permanent line about two inches from the bottom. 2. Fill with water to the line, then fill the tube to the top with gasoline. 3. Cover the tube, agitate it then let it stand.

Alcohol mixes with water and the two will separate out together. Therefore, if after mixing the water and the fuel, the water level appears to increase, then the fuel contains alcohol and should not be used.

Less than 5% ethanol will sometimes be indicated by a slight decrease in the water level. Therefore any deviation in the water line should be viewed as a basis for rejecting the fuel.

Alcohol increases the volatility of fuel, and hence the possibility of vapor lock also increases.

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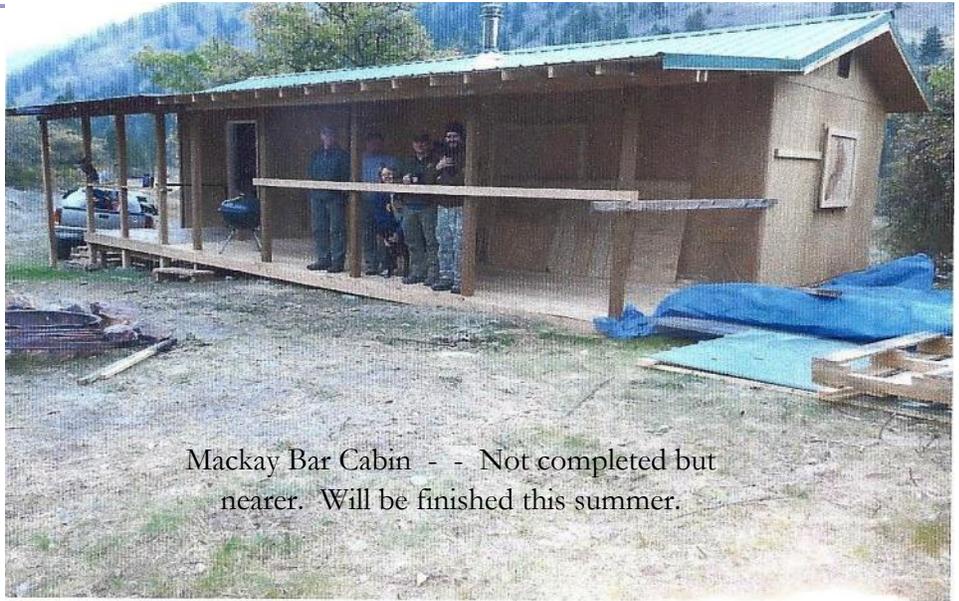
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“The latest news on Human Waste Management”

Excerpt from an early 1995 issue of the “Rapids”

“For years, boaters have been carrying out the human waste from their trips on many western rivers. Even before regulations requiring carry out, environmentally conscious boaters believed this was the “right thing to do” to protect the land adjacent to popular rivers. We found it easy to line rocket boxes with plastic bags to contain the waste which would later be thrown away with other garbage generated by the trip. On protected rivers, managing agencies provided “honey wagons” at take-outs where the bags of waste could be deposited and transported to landfills.”

I am inserting this to remind everyone - this is a regulations in Hells Canyon. The 4th of July we were in the canyon and stopped at Cottonwood to rest. I was appalled at the condition of the campsite. We need to be good stewards of this area we all love so much.



Mackay Bar Cabin - - Not completed but nearer. Will be finished this summer.



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Internet Addresses

Idaho Current Streamflows: (New Address) 5-01

http://water.usgs.gov/id/nwis/current?type=flow&group_key=NONE&search_site_no_station_nm=
(enter it once and bookmark it!)

Idaho Power Streamflow Information: (03-02)

<http://www.idahopower.com/h2o/idastream.cfm>

Riverflow Information:

<http://www.idwr.state.id.us/planpol/techserv/flows.htm>

Addresses and Telephone Numbers

Salmon River Reservations: Slate Creek Ranger Station:
208-839-2211

Hells Canyon Power Boat Reservations: Reservations
must be made online. <https://ww.recreation.gov/>

River & Reservoir Levels: Bureau of Reclamation: 208-
334-9134

Bliss Dam Outflows: Idaho Power (Call weekdays only)
208-388-2255

Calendar of Events.

AUGUST 8, 2016 *General Membership meeting—Canyon
Creek Restaurant, Nampa*

SEPTEMBER 12, 2016 *General Membership meeting—
Canyon Creek Restaurant, Nampa*

SEPT 17, 2016 *Confluence Run*

OCTOBER 3, 2016 *Board meeting—to be announced*

OCTOBER 10, 2016 *General Membership meeting—
Canyon Creek Restaurant, Nampa*

OCT 22, 2016 *Hammer Creek Run*

*All dates are subject to change. In the event of a change,
we will notify ASAP.*

General Meetings are the second Monday of
the Month at Canyon Creek Restaurant Nampa ID