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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=](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:** Pat

Wurl: 509-758-0270

General information: 509-758-0616

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

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

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- General Meeting July 12  
Idaho Pizza Meridian
- Skills Day July 17
- General Meeting August 9  
*Fuddruckers, 3421 N Eagle Rd, Meridian*
- General Meeting September 13  
Fuddruckers Meridian
- Hell's Canyon Run September 17-18
- Board Meeting October 4  
Fuddruckers Meridian
- Hammer Creek October 23

**JULY  
2010**

# RAPIDS



## **Powerboat Skills Day July 17, 2010 below Brownlee Dam**

The Western Whitewater Association usually holds their annual skills day in June and as you can tell it is July already, well salmon fishing is winding down or if you have been at it for a while, the freezer is full. Fishing aside we will be rendezvousing on the Oregon side of the Snake River below Brownlee Dam on Saturday July 17, 2010 to brush up on safety and operational skills.

The WWA will host skill stations in such topics as anchoring-out (very useful in Hells Canyon camping), anchoring in a current, person overboard recovery, preparation and maintenance, go, no-go decision making, safety equipment, use of knots, trailer backing and communications.

Additionally, local officials will be available to conduct boat inspections.

The skills stations will open for action at 8:30 am and wrap up at 3:00 pm so those who want to get in a couple hours of fishing can do so. The WWA will host the main dish at supper on Saturday night. We ask that everyone bring a covered dish, salad or desert.

The skills day events will center around the heliport on the west end of the bridge below Brownlee Dam and the section of river adjacent to the bridge and the ramp at McCormick Park.

Please contact Bob Hays at 208-880-3522 or Jim McGarvin at 208-871-1734, for additional information and to RSVP to make sure we bring enough food for supper.

See you on the river. – Bob Hays

## **Club Member Comment**

This month's newsletter is much smaller than normal. There is not much to report, but we did want to let all of our members know about Skills Day and that starting in August our meetings will be held at Fuddruckers, 3421 N Eagle Rd, Meridian.

This is the Club's newsletter. I am always willing to run articles, pictures etc. submitted by club members. I am open to suggestions regarding content etc. If anyone has a suggestion, I can be reached at 208 454-1669 or email [shore2shore@heritagewifi.com](mailto:shore2shore@heritagewifi.com).

Thank You. Anita Shore



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