



### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

President Bruce has been a little under the weather lately, so I took in on myself to go ahead and send a short message regarding what was decided a the board meeting last night (Tuesday, Jan. 4).

First, we have asked Al Sillonis to give his yearly fishing report. This has always been a good pulse of the fishing for the year—where it's good, what's working and what fish are being caught. As some of you know, Al keeps a very detailed record of his fishing activity for the year and frequency submit pictures and descriptions of his endeavors. I am sure if you ask questions as he gives his report, he will be more than happy to answer them.

The board also agreed to change the location of the Thursday Breakfast to Los Chipeños Restaurant on State St. (See next page for detail.)

Ray Perkins will lead the fly tying workshop at the Weiser Library a week from Tuesday. I don't think he has made up his mind as to what to tie, so he will be looking for suggestions at the membership meeting next Tuesday. If you would like to see a particular fly tied, be sure to let him know at the meeting.

Ray also suggested that we make sure you know of the Fly Tying Expo this week end. See below.

That is all I can think of for now. Hope to see you at the meeting next week.

Dick Garrett

PS. If there are errors above, blame Bruce.

The Western Idaho Fly Fishing Expo is coming up in early January. It will be occur on Friday January 7 and Saturday January 8, 2022.
On January 7 (Friday) the doors open at 12:00pm and close at 9:00pm.
On Saturday the doors open at 9:00am and close at 6:00pm. As in the past





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Remember: There will be fly tying at the Weiser Library this month. Ray Perkins will lead the group

Board meeting every first Tuesday of the month. Everybody is welcome at the Board meetings.

Regular meetings will always be at 7:00 at the Idaho Pizza on the Second Tuesday of the month

Dues do the Month:

- > Chris Clark
- Eileen Boots
- Denny Field
- Brent Forward
- Jack Keeler
- Bob Sieves
- Jack Wassard
- Jascha Zeitlin





The Thursday (previously Wednesday) Breakfast Fishers Club will meet for breakfast at the Los Chipeños Mexican-American Grill. This restaurant is next door to K-Hardware on State Street in Weiser.

As you may know, years ago several fishermen from IHFF decided to get together once a week to outline fishing plans and strategies for the coming week. It continues on during the winter to discuss whatever fishing is available. Actually it is just a weekly get together much of the time.

Anyway, everyones is invited to check out the latest attempt to provide breakfast to those in need. (It's really not a club. I just made that up.)



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#### THE CURRENT MENU

#### **Breakfast Quesadilla**

Chorizo, egg, and cheese choice of sausage or bacon stuffed in a flour tortilla, with a side of country gravy. 8.50

#### Chorizo con huevos & beans

2 eggs scrabbled with chorizo, topped with shredded cheese, side of beans and 2 flour tortillas. 6.00

#### 2 Huevos and beans

2 eggs served anyway you want, with beans and 2 flour tortillas. 6.00

#### **Breakfast Burrito**

Hashbrowns, eggs, beans, shredded cheese, and choice of bacon or sausage rolled in a tortilla and grilled. 10.00

#### Breakfast Enchiladas

Eggs, cheese, bacon, or sausage rolled in 2 corn tortillas and covered in enchilada sauce. Served with hashbrowns. 9.50

#### **Huevos Rancheros**

2 fried corn tortillas layered with beans, spicy red sauce, cheese, and choice of sausage or bacon topped with 2 eggs any way you want. 9.00

#### **Biscuits and Gravy**

Homemade country sausage gravy over biscuits.

Full - 6.50

Half - 4.50

#### **Eggs Benedict**

Homemade hollandaise sauce poured over 2 eggs, choice of ham, sausage patty or bacon on top of an English muffin and topped with avocado slices. Served with hashbrowns, 9.00

#### **Pancakes**

2 pancakes 4.50

4 pancakes 6.00

#### Crepes

1 Homemade batter cooked and filled with cottage cheese and strawberries rolled up topped with whipped cream. Served with hashbrowns. 9.00

#### **Omelets**

Made with 3 eggs, includes hash browns and choice of toast.

#### Denver

Onions, bell peppers, ham cheese. 9.50

#### **Spanish Omelet**

Chorizo, olives, onions, bell peppers, tomatoes, jalapenos, and cheese. Topped with cheese, pico and sour cream. 10.00

#### French Toast

Bread soaked in a sweet batter and cooked till golden brown and topped with powdered sugar.

(2) Full - 5.00

(1) Half - 3.00

<sup>&</sup>quot;Consuming raw or undercooked meats, poultry, seafood, shellfish, or eggs may increase your risk of foodborne illness."





### Al's 2021 Fishing Report

HO! HO! HO! Merry Christmas & A Happy and Prosperous 2022 from the Crazy

I know you have all been waiting. So here it is. The annual FISHING REPORT! My records are from Dec. 1, 2020 to Nov. 30, 2021

I fished 55 days and caught 886 fish which averaged 16 per day. I got skunked 4 days. Drove my pickup 8,439 miles. I also rode with other people a few times. I fished by myself 39 days. I like my own company. I fished 16 different locations and with 8 other people. I caught 9 species of fish. Small mouth and rainbow made up 82%.

574 fish were caught on a fly rod for 65%. 373 small mouth bass - 42% with some on flies but most on plastic. 356 rainbows - 40% all on flies. I caught 2 fish on bait.

Going through 14 years of my fishing journals, I have found that I catch very few fish in December, January, February and March, so I spent more time doing jigsaw puzzles than fishing. Besides, it's cold out there. This year we did 60 puzzles, mostly 1,000 piece ones. 53,000 total pieces.

Now with my fishing and our puzzles is that not Crazy!

The Crazy Man A





### On the Lighter Side

I just can't handle automatic doors.

IF YOU GET LOCKED OUT, TALK CALMLY. COMMUNICATIONS IS THE KEY.

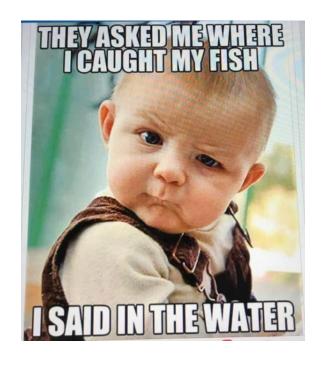
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Sweet dreams are made of cheese. Who am I to dis a brie?

If you believe in telekinesis, raise my hand.

Bigfoot saw me and no-one believes him.

And from the desk of Bruce Parsons:



Have you noticed that "THE" & "IRS" spell "theirs"?

I buy my guns from a guy named T-REX. He's a small arms dealer.

Editor's note: Since no one contributed jokes for inclusion in this month's *NewsCaster*, you are stuck with what I consider humorous. There is only one way to change that....