



## 2019 Introduction to Fly Fishing Class Additional Information

### When and Where

Class - April 13-14 9am-4pm, Amador Senior Center, Jackson

Outings – April 27-28 9am-1pm at a local pond Saturday and stream Sunday.

### Class Cost and Size

Class cost is \$45 for each student and is limited to 25 students. Students age 12 to 18 may attend if accompanied by a paying adult.

### Outing Details

Outings are included so you can practice what is learned in class. Because the techniques for stillwater and running water are different, two outings are provided to cover all the techniques. If you can't make it to one or either of the outings, we can pair you up with an experienced flyfisher at a later date, as the club has one or more outings every month. In class, a detailed list of what you will need for the outings will be provided. At a minimum you will need to supply personal items and a fishing license. Fly fishing items, such as a fly rod, can be provided if you haven't acquired one in time for the outings.

### Signing up

The first 25 applications with checks received will be in the class (See application form instructions about how to apply). After the first 25, applications will go on a waiting list. It has been our experience the class fills quickly. Also, we usually have several cancellations, hence the waiting list. All applicants will receive an email confirming the application has been received. Those on the waiting list will receive a full refund if they do not get into the class.

### Cancellation Policy

If an applicant sends an email cancelling 30 or more days before the class, a full refund will be issued. After that time, if there is a person on the waiting list that wants to attend, a full refund will be issued. If the seat cannot be filled, there will not be a refund.

### What to bring

To the class, bring a writing instrument and lunch, drink, and snacks. We have a lot to cover, so lunch will be about a half hour long. It will maximize your learning if you don't try to go out for lunch. A copy of a PowerPoint presentation will be provided with plenty of room for notetaking.

### Class Content

Saturday will consist of lecture with plenty of breaks and time for questions. There will also be videos interspersed as some things are better covered that way. During the breaks there will be demos of fly tying, float tubing, and various skills that useful in fly fishing. Sunday morning will start with some lecture mixed with more demos of various fly fishing techniques. At noon we will break for lunch and reassemble at a local grassy field to learn and practice casting a fly rod. If you don't have a fly rod, we will supply one for this event.

When people hear lecture, they worry about this course being boring and dull. We guarantee you won't get bored. There is a lot to learn, and it is presented a lively and interesting way!