



Cape Fear Flyfishers Meeting Minutes—January 17, 2024

<https://capefearff.com>

President Rick Hettenbach called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM at the St James Community Center. The meeting was preceded at 5:00 PM by another helpful casting clinic led by Rev. Jim White. although the sun had pretty much set on the event. Approximately 35 Members attended the meeting.



NEW MEMBERS/VISITORS:

The following gentlemen joined the club last night:

1. Joe Mrozek , Lifelong saltwater fly fisherman
2. Ernie Oppenheimer, (New to fly fishing)
3. John Dail (1 year of fly fishing)
4. Sam Andrus, (50 years of fly fishing experience)
5. Brandon McNeill, (6 years of fly fishing experience)
6. Cary Davidson, (former CFF member, 50 years of fly fishing experience)

FLY DRAWING:

Did not catch who won this

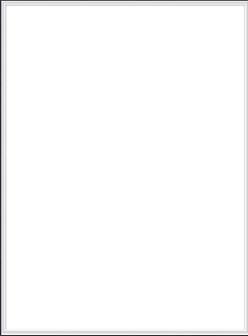
TREASURERS REPORT

Treasurer Doug Donaldson reported that the club' cash balance is \$3,660. We had six new members join.. Please see attached details.

PRESENTATION ON ZOOM BY INTERNATIONAL ANGLERS

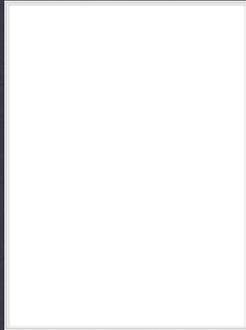
A zoom presentation was provided by International Anglers of Pittsburgh through zoom.



<p>ZAPATA, CUBA</p> <p>MAY 18-25, 2024 PERMIT, TARPON & BONEFISH GEORGIANA LIVE ABOARD 7N6D 1 SPOT AVAILABLE</p> 	 <p>ZAPATA CUBA</p>
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HOLSTON
RIVER LODGE,
TENNESSEE**

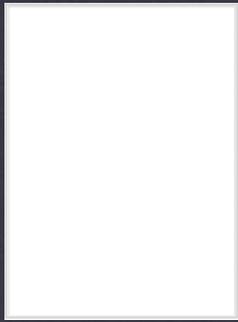
JUNE 9-12, 2024
BROWN TROUT, RAINBOW
TROUT
4N/3D



SOUTH HOLSTON
TENNESSEE

**THE MÝRARKVÍSL
LODGE,
ICELAND**

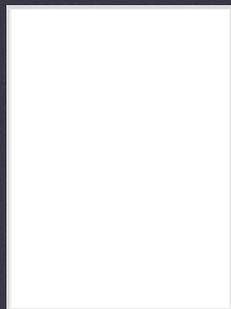
JUNE 16-20, 2024
BROWN TROUT
5N/4D
2 SPOTS



THE MÝRARKVÍSL LODGE
ICELAND

**ROYAL
BIGHORN
CLUB,
MONTANA**

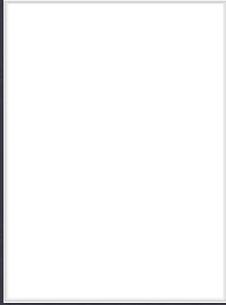
JULY 22-27, 2024
BROWN TROUT & RAINBOW
TROUT
5N/4D



ROYAL BIGHORN CLUB
MONTANA

**KAY FLY
LODGE,
MEXICO**

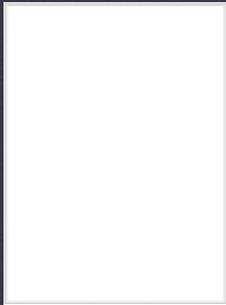
AUGUST 24-31, 2024
PERMIT, TARPON &
BONEFISH
7N6D



KAY FLY LODGE
MEXICO

**ROYAL
COACHMAN
COPPER RIVER
LODGE,
ALASKA**

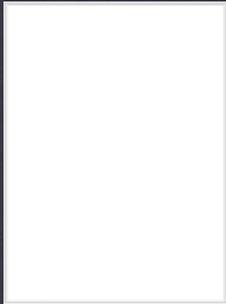
SEPTEMBER 22-29, 2024
RAINBOW TROUT, GRAYLING,
DOLLY VARDEN, COHO
SALMON & ARCTIC CHAR
7N6D
SPLIT TRIP - 2 LODGES
5 FLY CUTS



ROYAL COACHMAN/COPPER RIVER LODGE
ALASKA

**LITTLE ABACO
LODGE,
BAHAMAS**

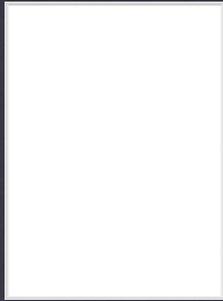
NOVEMBER 2-9, 2024
BONEFISH, BARAUDA
7N6D
2 SPOTS AVAILABLE



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BAHAMAS

**GOLDEN DORADO
EXPERIENCE,
ARGENTINA**

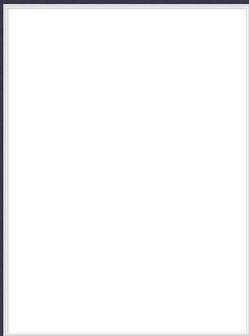
MARCH 18-25, 2025
GOLDEN DORADO, VAMPIRE
FISH, PIRANHA & PACU
SPLIT TRIP - 2 LODGES
7N/6D



GOLDEN DORADO EXPERIENCE
ARGENTINA

**CINCO RIOS/
ESTANCIA DEL
ZORRO
CHILE**

MARCH 2-9, 2024
BROWN TROUT
SPLIT TRIP - 2 LODGES
SPRING CREEKS AND FLOATS
2 SPOTS REMAINING



CINCO RIOS/ESTANCIA DEL ZORRO
CHILE

**CHILE CINCO,
CHILE**

2025 TBD
MIGRATORY BROWN TROUT
6N/5D



CHILE CINCO
CHILE

**MARS BAY
LODGE
BAHAMAS**

2025 TBD
BONEFISH & BARACUDA
7N/6D



MARS BAY LODGE
BAHAMAS

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:15 PM. Twenty members continued discussions at Paul’s on Oak Island.

Respectfully submitted,
Dennis Falkenstein

Treasurer's Report
1/17/24

Cape Fear Flyfishers

Beginning Cash Balance (1/1/2024)		\$2,409.83
(allows for for 2022 gift of \$2,500)		

Activity Since 1/1/2024

Dues Collected	\$1,804.00	\$1,804.00
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Subtotal:		\$4,213.83
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Less:		
Paid Balance Due on 2023 rent	-	\$381.75
Paid Zoom Subscription	-	\$111.93
Other payments (FFI, fees, postage)	-	\$58.31
		<u>-\$551.99</u>
<u>Ending Cash Balance (1/17/2024)</u>		\$3,661.84
<u>Less: Known F/Y 2024 Liabilities:</u>		
2024 SJCC Hall Rent - Bal. due	(Annual: \$1,137.25)	-\$853.25
FFI Dues (7/1/24)		<u>-\$690.00</u>
<u>Available Uncommitted Cash</u>		<u><u>\$2,118.59</u></u>

Membership Status

12/31/2023 - 75 Members
 19 Renewals
 3 new members
 2 not renewing

The officers for 2024 are:

Rick Hettenbach -President/Club Officer
 Al Roy-Vice President/Club Officer
 Doug Donaldson-Treasurer/Club Officer
 Dennis Falkenstein-Secretary/Club Officer
 Jim White
 Steve Moore

Board Member
 Board Member
 Board Member
 Board Member
 Director-Education
 Director-Webmaster/Conservation