



NEWSLETTER

PRAIRIE FLY FISHERS

MARCH 2006



www.prairieflyfishers.org

Federation of Fly Fishers

Meeting ~ Tuesday, March 21, 7:00 pm
Camp Dakani (1/2 mile west of I-35 on Hefner)

GUESTS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME



Fly fishing in northern Canada for pike, lake trout and arctic grayling is the subject of this month's program. Lewis Rockwood will tell us about his adventures on Nuelton Lake in northern Manitoba during the summer of 2004. In recent years fly fishing for pike has gained a renewed interest among anglers especially in England and Europe. Early fishing literature suggests that both pike as well as trout were taken with artificial flies several hundred years ago. Canada has always been a destination for pike, and the popularity of fly fishing has naturally carried over to pike. These predator fish strike hard then put up a mighty fight, and you must be very careful retrieving your fly from a mouth full of sharp teeth.

Fly Tying Club ~ Tuesday March 28, at 7:00 pm
Backwoods (122nd St. at N. May)

With spring upon us it's time to think about fly rodding for bass. This month Lewis Rockwood will be the guest instructor and he will show us how to tie foam bodied yellow bass poppers. Not only will we use foam, but also epoxy and rubber legs with various other trimmings on the bass popper. If you want to get an advantage for this bass fishing, be sure to join the group this month at Backwoods and learn more about tying flies for bass. I wonder what Ken Meyers used to catch this nice bass at our annual picnic and fishing outing last May?



More News

If you haven't paid your current dues they are PAST DUE and are DUE NOW! Club dues are only \$15, the same as they've been for many years - what a bargain. Make you check to Prairie Fly Fishers and bring it to the next meeting or mail to: Glen Garton, 4040 Spyglass Rd, OKC, OK 73120. The club's annual assessment to the Federation of Fly Fishers is also due so we need to get your payments in now.