





CATCHMORE WORKSHOPS

On March 23rd at 8:30 AM *Pleasant River Fish & Game Conservation Association* is offering a one-day fun-filled informative day of Fishing Knowledge!!! Registered Maine Guides, IF&W experts, and those that know how to CATCH MORE FISH will offer workshops on the following topics:

Fly Fishing, Where to Fish, Fly Tying, Maine Blade Runners, What Fish Is That, Chat with a Maine Game Warden

Free Fishing Equipment -First come first served to kids 14 or under until gone. This equipment was donated by PRF&G members.

Family Friendly Atmosphere – Bring the whole family for a day of educational fun. With workshops suitable for all ages, everyone can participate and deepen their understanding of the fascinating world of fishing.

Cost for full day - \$25 (Adult) With Lunch \$30 Under age 15 Free – (Lunch \$5) Cost for morning or afternoon session - \$15 With Lunch \$20



Pleasant River Fish & Game Conservation Association 1507 Tibbettstown Rd., Columbia, ME

PRF&GCA CATCHMORE WORKSHOPS - MARCH 23, 2024

Mark your calendars for an exciting day of educational fishing workshops on March 23, 2024, 8:30AM! Join us at Pleasant River Fish& GCA, 1597 Tibbettstown Rd, Columbia Falls, ME 04623 for a unique opportunity to immerse yourself in the world of angling with a series of hands-on and informative sessions designed for all ages Free Tackle Giveaway for Kids: As kids (age up to 14) arrive they will each receive complimentary fishing tackle (until its gone), sparking the joy of angling early on. Equip your young ones with the essentials for their fishing adventures, courtesy of our generous sponsors.

Diverse Workshop Lineup: Choose from six engaging workshops tailored to cater to various aspects of the angling experience:

9:00 AM - Al West, Registered Maine Guide, Fly Fishing – Learn the history behind fly fishing. Gear description, rods, reels & lines & their specific uses & much more. 10:00 AM- Jacob Scoville, IF & W Biologist, Species Abundance: Explore the abundance and distribution of fish species in our region.

11:00 AM – Mike Elkavitch, Master Fly Tyer - Fly Tying: Learn the craft of creating your own custom flies.

12:00 Noon – Lunch Break

1:00PM - Josh Look, Maine Blade Runners - Spin Fishing: Learn more about this exciting Downeast Bass Fishing Club.

2:00 PM – Mike Manning, Fisheries Biologist, Species Identification: Understand the diverse aquatic life inhabiting our waters & learn how to identify between species

3:00 PM - Jake Scott - Maine Game Warden Insights: Gain valuable insights into wildlife conservation and responsible fishing practices.

<u>Expert Instruction</u>: Our knowledgeable instructors bring a wealth of experience to each workshop, ensuring that participants receive valuable insights and hands-on guidance. Whether you're a beginner or an experienced angler, there's always something new to discover.

<u>Family-Friendly Atmosphere</u>: Bring the whole family for a day of educational fun. With workshops suitable for all ages, everyone can participate and deepen their understanding of the fascinating world of fishing.

<u>Networking Opportunities</u>: Connect with fellow fishing enthusiasts, workshop instructors, and industry professionals. Forge lasting connections and share your passion for angling with like-minded individuals.

Secure your spot at Catchmore: Fishing Workshops. There's always something new to discover in the world of fishing. Don't miss this opportunity to cast your line towards a more fulfilling angling experience! For an enriching day filled with education, camaraderie, and the thrill of the catch, whether you're a seasoned pro or a beginner, there's always something new to discover in the world of fishing. Don't miss this opportunity to cast your line towards a more fulfilling angling experience!

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS PRESENT AT THE EVENT

Downeast Salmon Fed.
Downeast Trout Unlimited
Healing Waters
IF&W
Downeast Blade Runners

Event cost:

Age 15 – Adult Full Day – 6 workshops with Lunch - \$30 No Lunch - \$25 Age 15 – Adult ½ Day - 3 workshops with Lunch - \$20 No Lunch - \$15

Under age 15 – Lunch \$5