

Western Whitewater Association Rapids

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CONFLUENCE RUN

SEPTEMBER 14, 15, 16, 2018

EVENT CHAIRS

Jim and Brandi Moore

Dave Dickerson and John Bryant

The Confluence Run for 2018 was great and the weather was beautiful. The campground was completely full, so some folks stayed at the dump station and some even stayed up at the Circle C. Saturday morning there were about 28 boats that went to the Confluence and they were joined by 12 Northwest River Runner boats from Lewiston. We were very glad they could join us. Several boats chose to go up river and fish, some boats only went as far as Cottonwood. In total we had 38 boats plus the group from Lewiston. A huge thank you to all the group leaders. There are no Silver Rock candidates, which is great! We cooked 80 steaks and served 64 pieces of chicken on Saturday. All side dishes were great thanks to everyone for their contribution. Great food, great conversation, and great people. There was a great turnout for the breakfast on Sunday. Thanks everyone that attended and learned new things about Hells Canyon.



President's Message

For me it's sure nice to see the changing of the season. Glad to see August go and welcome in September with the starting of fall.

Carey and I would like to say thanks to Clyde Durham and everyone else that stepped in while Carey and I took a wonderful three-month trip to Alaska. Not near as hot up there as we heard it was here this summer, fishing pretty good also.

With the coming of September also comes the WWA annual confluence runs at Pittsburgh Landing. The club had a great turn out with around 28 boats showing up. The confluences run was on Saturday. WWA members from Pittsburgh Landing ran down the Snake River to the Salmon River to meet up with around 12 Boats from Northwest River Runners from the Lewiston area. It was great to see so many boats and new faces; it made for a wonderful day on the beach. Thanks to all the trip leaders.

Thanks to Chairs Jim and Brandi Moore, Dave Dickerson, John and Carey for the help putting on a great trip, also thanks to the many club members who help with the steak feed Saturday night and the Sunday morning Breakfast. All your help is always appreciated, thanks again.

I would also like to give a special thanks to Dennis Marquet for taking all the time and effort to put on a 2-day Boating Class at Pittsburgh Landing.

From the participants that I talked to about the class they all stated they were very much appreciative of the class and time Dennis put into it for them. Thanks again Dennis.

Mark your calendars for the Hammer Creek fishing Derby Oct 27 at White Bird Idaho. Tom Roach is the Chair with a fishing derby, pot luck dinner to follow at Carl Norton's shop. Hope to see you all there.

October also brings the ramping up of the WWA Annual Banquet in February. There will be monthly Banquet meetings to come. This is a great opportunity to step up and participate in this process all help will be much appreciated. Feel free to contact any officer or Board member to participate.

Safe travels and Happy Boating

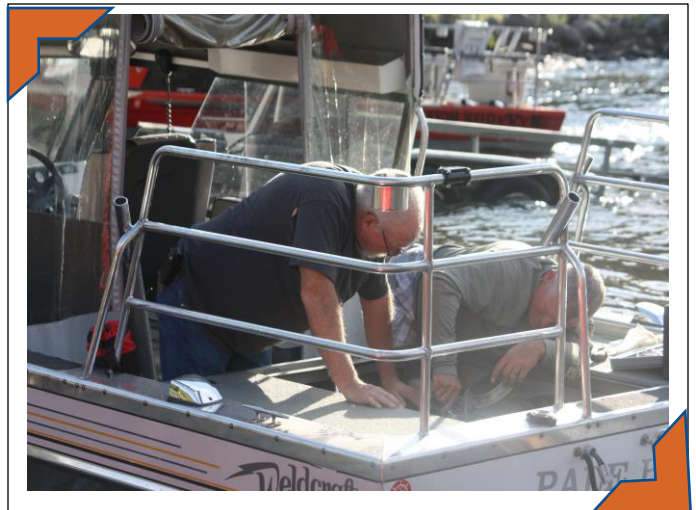
Catch you on the River
Sincerely Yours
John Bryant.

WWA Elections of Board and Officers

A committee from our present Board of Directors and Officers has been appointed to seek nominations for 3 board positions and a Vice President.

We encourage all members to consider running for office. Our club is only as good as the volunteers who make it work.

The committee according to our by-laws is Secretary Debbie Thorsen, Board Members Dave Horton and Dave Dickerson will be calling and e-mailing. Please consider running for a position on the board.



Hammer Creek Run

The Hammer Creek Run on the Salmon River will be on October 27, 2018 and will run from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (Mountain Standard Time) A small donation of \$10.00 is needed to defray the really cool prizes. This is our fall event and Tom Roach is the chair. If you want to participate in the derby you will want to see Tom at the Hammer Creek campground before 8:00 a.m. on the 27th (after that he's fishing). Turn in and weigh in time is at 4:00 p.m. at the campground. Fish must be a keeper and pictures don't count. (The fish must be caught on the 27th and it is a one fish limit)

Afterwards there is a wonderful Dutch-oven potluck at Carl Norton's shop on Bentz Lane 7:00 p.m.

Hope to see you all there.

WWA ANNUAL BANQUET COMING UP!

February 2, 2019

The WWA Board of Directors and Banquet Committee are already gearing up for the 2019 Annual Banquet. We are always looking for new ideas and members to help get the ball rolling. There is always a job for everyone. This is the only fundraiser the Western Whitewater does.

It is a really fun event and always attended well by our membership. We have a live and silent auction, many different games and a great raffle. Even if you cannot help-out maybe you would be willing to get donations for the banquet or if you have a suggestion to make things different or easier we always appreciate the input.

We have several board members you can contact for more information: Clyde Durham 208-250-1545, Jeff Higgins 208-250-3512, John Bryant 208-250-3512, Debbie Thorson 208-520-1274, or Jayne White 208-888-4278.

The next banquet meeting is on November 5, 2018 at Chet and Debbie Thorsen's shop, 1111 N. McDermott Rd.

Everyone is welcome. We always want new people with new ideas!

Calendar of Events

October 27, 2018 Hammer Creek Run (Chair Tom Roach)

November 12, 2018 - General Membership Meeting TNT Bar and Grill, Nampa, Idaho 7:00 p.m.

December 10, 2018 - General Membership Meeting TNT Bar and Grill, Nampa, Idaho

January 7, 2019 – 1st Quarter Board Meeting

January 14, 2019 – General Membership Meeting TNT Bar and Grill, Nampa, Idaho

February 2, 2019 – WWA Annual Banquet-Expo Building At the Fairgrounds in Garden City

March 11, 2019 -- General Membership Meeting TNT Bar and Grill, Nampa, Idaho

April 2nd Quarterly Board Meeting

April 8, 2019 -- General Membership Meeting TNT Bar and Grill, Nampa, Idaho

April 18 – 19 – Salmon River Run

April 19, 20, & 21 -- Salmon River Races

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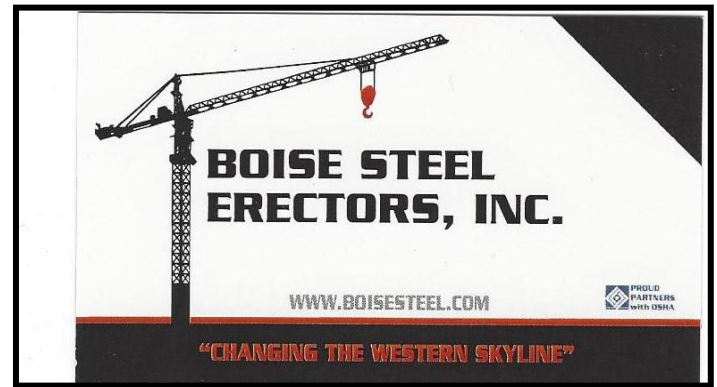
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Please fill in membership information completely and print plainly to update our records

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By checking below I am electing to have the following information EXCLUDED from the Club Membership
Directory

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This info is for club business and your info will not be shared with non-members or for solicitation.

Snake River Confluence Run September 15 - 16, 2018



These are a few of the pictures from the Confluence Run! Many thanks to everyone that attended. Watch for more pictures on our website.



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We are on the Web!

Internet Addresses

Idaho Current Streamflows: (New Address) 5-01

http://water.usgs.gov/id/nwis/current?type=flow&group_key=NONE&search_site_no_station_nm= (enter it once and bookmark it!)

Idaho Power Streamflow Information: (03-02)

<http://www.idahopower.com/h2o/idastream.cfm>

Riverflow Information:

<http://www.idwr.state.id.us/planpol/techserv/flows.htm>

Addresses and Telephone Numbers

Salmon River Reservations: Slate Creek Ranger Station:
208- 839-2211

Hells Canyon Power Boat Reservations: General
information: 509-758-0616

Reservations must be made online.

River & Reservoir Levels: Bureau of Reclamation: 208-334-
9134

Bliss Dam Outflows: Idaho Power (Call weekdays only) 208- 388-
2255