Why Your Club Should Be Associated with FFI

Since 1964, Fly Fishers International (FFI) has been an organized voice for fly fishers. We represent all aspects of fly fishing from the art of casting instruction, fly tying and general fly fishing education, to the protection of our fresh and salt water fisheries. Fly Fishers International and its Councils are the only organized advocate for fly fishers on a national and regional level.

FFI currently has two types of clubs for those that are being associated with FFI. These are Charter and Affiliated Clubs. Each club has the opportunity of taking advantage of both FFI national and regional council programs and events.

PROGRAMS/Additional Information

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<td>Eligible for FFI liability insurance at reduced rate</td>
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- All FFI members are eligible to participate in the following
  - Casting certification (single handed and two handed)
  - Fly tying award program (Bronze, Silver & Gold levels)
- Regional fund raising and educational support will vary by regional council

EVENTS

- Regional gatherings and conclaves
- National meetings

QUESTIONS

Website: www.flyfishersinternational.org

Email: clubs@flyfishersinternational.org

Phone: 406-222-9369
Requirements

Charter Club

If you have interested in becoming a Charter Club please contact the Operations Manager at the National HQ at 406-222-9369. A packet of information will be provided upon request.

Affiliate Club

One officer of the club must be a member of FFI. In addition, affiliate clubs are required to pay a yearly fee based on the number of the total members in the club. The fees are as follows:

- 1-49 total members - $200
- 50-99 total members - $350
- 100+ total members - $500
- College/University (regardless of number of members) - $150

The club will receive one free membership in FFI that can be given to any club member.

Club Name: _____________________________________________________________

Number of Total Members: _____________________________________________

Club Contact Name & Phone_____________________________________________

Street or PO Box: _____________________________________________________

City: __________________________ State_____ Zip___________
(We strongly suggest you set up a PO Box so that the address does not change year to year due to club officer changes)

Please Specify What Information You Want Displayed On Our Web Site:
________________________________________________________________________

Email Address (Cannot be a personal email—MUST be unique to club):
________________________________________________________________________

Club Web Site Address: _________________________________________________

Club Facebook/Twitter: _________________________________

Contact Information:
Club President: __________________________________________ FFI Member:_____ Y or N
Email: __________________________ Phone __________________________

Club Treasurer: __________________________________________ FFI Member:_____ Y or N
Email: __________________________ Phone __________________________

Club News Editor: __________________________________________ FFI Member:_____ Y or N
Email: __________________________ Phone __________________________

If President or Treasurer not an FFI member, name of officer who is an FFI member.
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Return form and check to: FFI – 5237 US Hwy 89 S, Ste 11, Livingston, MT 59047

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