



TFC UPDATE

April 2019

Tarryall Fishing Club Website: www.tarryallfishingclub.net

ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE

**The TFC will hold its Annual Meeting followed by a Potluck Picnic
Saturday, May 4, 2019 -- 10 am**

Jefferson Community Center, Jefferson, Colorado

Come for the business meeting and election of officers. Stay for the picnic and meet your fellow TFC members. TFC will provide hot dogs, chips, and drinks – you're invited to bring a dish to share.

NOTICE OF TFC BOARD MEMBER ELECTION: An election for Tarryall Fishing Club, Inc. (TFC) board members will be held at the annual meeting. Nominations will be taken for two board positions for a three-year term and one vacancy. (The 3-year term has expired for Paul Grossnickle, Stu Knapp, and Dennis Sheeran.)

NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGE TO BYLAWS A change to TFC Bylaws part 8. b. Rate is should reflect the current dues amount of \$40. See page 2 for more information.

VOTE BY PROXY If you cannot attend the TFC meeting, you may vote by proxy. Fill out the form below and mail it or ask someone to bring it. Your proxy must be received prior to the meeting.

PROXY FORM FOR MEMBERS UNABLE TO ATTEND THE 2019 TFC ANNUAL MEETING

- ◇ This proxy form must be completed, signed, and dated by the lot owner.
- ◇ The form must be in possession of TFC no later than 10 a.m. Saturday, May 4, 2019

I will not be attending the 2019 TFC Annual Membership Meeting. For the purpose of voting on all issues which may come before the general membership at the 2019 TFC Annual Membership Meeting, I assign my voting rights to the following:

_____ from ☐ Stagesop ☐ Lost Park Ranch ☐ Other
(Name of person designated to vote on your behalf ↑)

Your Lot # _____ in ☐ SOA ☐ LPROA ☐ OTHER

Owner Name (printed): _____

Owner's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Mail or deliver proxy to:

Theresa Pugh
10133 W. Powers Ave
Littleton, CO 80127

Board Authentication:

Date/Time received _____

Board Member Signature _____

TFC Bylaws Change

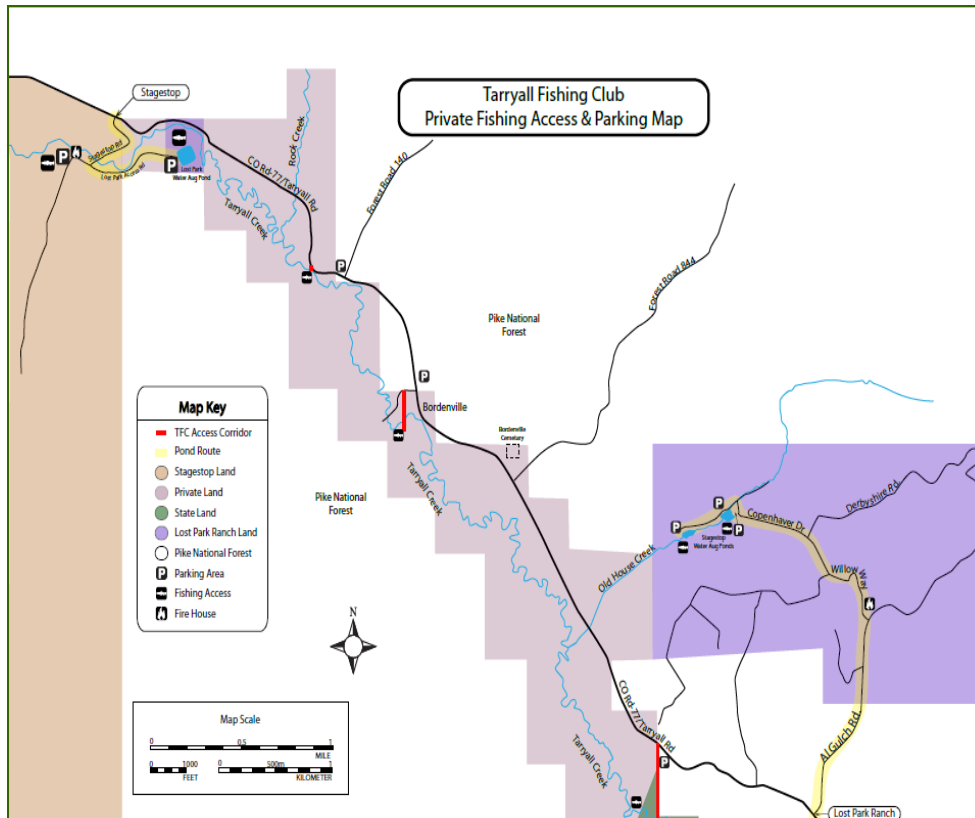


Due to the TFC dues increase proposal passing, our bylaws need to have the dues rate changed in section 8b.

The section currently reads: 8. b. Rate. Annual dues of \$27 per lot shall be payable on January 1 of each calendar year.***

TFC board asks you to change the section to read: 8. b. Rate. Annual dues of \$40 per lot shall be payable on January 1 of each calendar year.***

TFC Parking and Access Points



- TFC has designated access points for getting on and off the river. Please use these access points or you could be subject to trespass charges.
- Be courteous and considerate of riverside owners if you meet them. If you open a gate, close it. Even though a structure or bridge is within our access, please do not fish from it.
- The TFC home page (tarryallfishingclub.net) has a [map link](#) and written directions to find access points. There are also pictures in the [2012 Newsletter](#). For more details contact a board member.

Note: Place your TFC hang tag in your vehicle when you park along County Road 77 so it's not red-tagged by the Park County Sheriff.

New Picnic Tables at Ponds

The board replaced one deteriorated picnic table at the lower pond in Lost Park Ranch this year, thanks in great part to the effort of Stu Knapp. An additional table has been donated and will likely be placed at the Stagesop pond since the area sees heaviest use.



Annual Meeting Reminders!

SOA Annual Mtg June 22

LPPOA Annual Mtg Aug. 3



Thank you, Volunteers!



Thanks to all of you who volunteered your time to work on club projects such as mailing passes, running our dues election, patrolling, stocking fish, constructing tables, collecting suckers, maintaining the pump and other equipment, cleaning up around ponds, etc. You make the TFC great!!

Are You Willing to help? If you are, please contact a TFC board member. It can be a great way to meet fellow TFC members!



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A Message from President Gary Belk

The Tarryall Fishing Club Board of Directors wishes to thank our members for their approval of the TFC dues increase. By increasing the TFC revenue we can continue improving your fishing quality and experience within our leased waters. Your support of this endeavor is greatly appreciated.

Gary W. Belk, TFC President

Note: The dues increase proposal passed by a vote of 388 to 82.

CUTTHROATS COMING TO THE TFC by Steve Burns

Beginning this season, the Tarryall Fishing Club will be adding Cutthroat trout to our fishery. Don't let the name worry you. The 'cutthroat' term comes from the color marking on the fish. The trout's markings include black spots, an orange to red slash of color under their throat, and body colors ranging from olive to yellow. Cutthroats were originally named by William Clark on the Lewis and Clark Corps of Discovery Expedition.

Cutthroats are the most diverse trout species in North America. The historical distribution of cutthroat trout covers the broadest range of any stream dwelling trout in the Western Hemisphere. Many of these strains of trout are now managed as species of special concern. Some strains are even considered endangered species. In much of their historical range, loss of habitat has had a very negative impact on some populations. Some rare strains of cutthroats are found in only a single watershed drainage. Unfortunately, these trout are at extreme risk of disappearing altogether without proper protection and management.

The fish we will stock are Snakeriver Cutthroat trout. They have previously been established in the South Platte Headwaters, south of Spinney and at Elevenmile Reservoirs. In Colorado's lakes and streams most Cutthroats average 9 to 16 inches, with the occasional monster reaching over 20 inches and weighing in at over 6 pounds.

Pure strains of Cutthroat trout may crossbreed with rainbow trout during their shared spawning season. These fish are called 'cutbows' and are large aggressive bug eaters. By adding these fish to our stocking program, Tarryall Creek will provide these magnificent trout another home in Colorado. Additionally, they will provide our members with yet another exciting fishing experience. It's a win-win-win for the fish, our fishery, and our fisherfolk.

(Anglers note: They are especially fond of dry flies, terrestrials, and bushy attractor flies being the most effective cuttie patterns.)

Anyone interested in learning more about Colorado native Cutthroat Trout should check the Colorado Division of Parks and Wildlife website at <http://cpw.state.co.us/cutthroat-trout> or for information on the Snake River Cutthroat see the USGS website <https://nas.er.usgs.gov/queries/factsheet.aspx?SpeciesID=892>.

(These websites were used as sources for this article.)



Snakeriver Finespot Cutthroat

Need More Guest Passes or Hangtags?



TFC members may purchase additional guest passes or hangtags by contacting a board member or by using the "Guest Passes" link on the TFC website (tarryallfishingclub.net).

- 1-day guest pass—\$10
- Vehicle hangtag—\$5

Note: As decided by vote at the 2018 Annual Membership Meeting, there will be a discount sale of guest passes at our Annual Membership Meeting where the cost will be 8 dollars each.

TFC Board Members - May 2018-2019

President - Gary Belk 303-777-2100
or ... 719-836-9272

Vice Pres.- Paul Grossnickle ... 303-841-5206

Secretary - Cathy Burns..... 303-816-5015

Treasurer - Theresa Pugh 303-979-6269

Members-at-Large –

Stu Knapp 720-209-8359

Dennis Sheeran 719-836-1458

Steve Burns..... 303-816-5015

2019 Fish Stocking & No-Fishing Dates

Fish Stocking days are no-fishing days. Please refrain from fishing on stocking days to give the fish a chance to recover from transport.

The TFC website, www.tarryallfishingclub.net will list stocking dates as soon as known. Fish stocking is done on a weekday as near the middle of the week as can be arranged. First stocking is planned for mid-May.

Suckers in our Ponds

The traps TFC built have been very effective in catching suckers. We now realize that there is a fairly significant population on the lower pond in Lost Park Ranch so we will deploy some of the traps over there this year as well as at the pond by Stagestop. **Your cooperation in this effort is key.**

Here is how you can continue to help:

1. Leave the traps in the pond.
2. If you catch a sucker, please do not put it back in the pond.

Colorado Fishing License Fees Increase

As you probably know, anyone who fishes in the TFC ponds or on the stream is required to have a Colorado fishing license in addition to a TFC membership card or a guest pass. This year, with the passage of Senate Bill 18-143 the fees will increase for all classes of Colorado fishing licenses, including seniors. You can get more information on the Colorado Park and Wildlife website at <https://cpw.state.co.us/thingstodo/Pages/Fishing.aspx>

Membership Patrolling

Although TFC Board members and volunteers patrol periodically, members are encouraged to self-patrol—introduce yourself, show your membership card, then ask to see passes of other members and their guests while out fishing. Be courteous and report any violations to the TFC board for follow-up.

Owners, be aware that you are responsible for your guests. If your guest are in violation of the rules, you could be fined. When you provide a guest pass to someone, please make sure they complete the pass with ink and know the rules.

TFC Rules Violation Policy

TFC Rules include a "Warning" section which reads as follows:

Warning - Violations of rules may be grounds for suspension. Failure of members or their guests to follow TFC Rules and Policies will result in the issuance of a "TFC Rules and Policies Violation Letter" to the sponsoring member(s). In any consecutive 2-year period, the penalties for violations are as follows:

- First Violation: Warning Letter
- Second Violation: \$50.00 Fine
- Third & Subsequent Violations: \$100.00 Fine (each occurrence)

Failure to pay a fine as outlined in the issued "TFC Rules and Policies Violation Letter" may result in temporary suspension of the member's fishing rights. During temporary suspension, a member or his/her guests continuing to fish the TFC Leased Waters as well as the LPR pond or the SS ponds will be considered "Trespassing" and subject to civil trespassing charges.