



GRAND LAKE STREAMER

— News from WEATHERBY'S —

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Winter 2012

Dear Friend of Weatherby's,

2011 turned out to be just fine at Weatherby's. With the addition of our retired former client turned Lodge Manager, Frank Lepore and the return of BBQ master chef Jon St. Laurent there was rarely a dull moment in the kitchen or on the grounds of Weatherby's. Considering where the world economy is today, we feel very fortunate to be able to say our business is still growing. We owe this success to you, our loyal customers, who return year after year to fish and hunt with us, and to those of you that chose to visit us for the first time this year. We know you have many choices.

Thank You!

New rewards and incentive program (we heard you Emerson!):

We have always offered a nominal discount for extended stays but would like to change how we reward you for stays of a week or more and for your loyalty. New for 2012, we will offer a free night for every seven consecutive nights you stay. In addition to this change, we will be offering a free night for every 10 nights you accumulate in a season or 20 nights you accumulate year to year. Accumulated nights will be retroactive to include our 2011 season.



Enhanced Web Site:

We have just improved our web site by changing the format, adding fishing reports and enhancing how we communicate with our clients. Check in to see what we have done at www.weatherbys.com.

Hassle Free Fishing:

We want to make it easy for you to fish with us, whether experts or novice. Weatherby's will provide to you at no charge Orvis waders, fly rods and spinning rods to use while you are here so you don't need to worry about travelling with your gear or purchasing equipment for your visit to fish with us.



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Eastern Fly Fishing Magazine:

Well known outdoor writer **King Montgomery** has been up to fish with us a couple of times recently and he has composed an article about Grand Lake Stream that will be published in the January issue of Eastern Fly Fishing. Make sure you get out and buy it! We are also excited to have King returning in 2012, bringing with him is friend, fishing legend **Lefty Kreh**.

National Wild Turkey Federation Hunt and Filming:

In 2011, NWTF announced a new program within its organization encouraging land management practices that will enhance grouse and woodcock habitat. This year, NWTF will be filming a program about habitat and hunting upland game at Weatherby's. As soon as we know how the program will be distributed, we will let you know.



Ruffed Grouse Society NE Sponsors Hunt:

For several years, Weatherby's has hosted the RGS NE Sponsors Hunt and we will be doing so again in 2012. Contact us to learn how to participate and how you can **win a FREE hunt** at

Weatherby's in 2012.



We are holding the line on our lodging rates for 2012 however will be looking at some increases in guide fees for both hunting and fishing to stay in line with the industry. We still will be offering several special rates throughout the season that are outlined on our web site and our child rates will not change. We look forward to seeing you come ice-out or on the internet this winter. If you have never been to visit us in Grand Lake Stream, make 2012 the year to get here!

Warmly,

Beth

Jeff

Keaton

Carson



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2011 20" Club Hall of Fame

The 2011 fishing season brought another proverbial boat load of big fish to the net. Although no records were set, you should have seen the ones that got away! Remember the anglers listed below **only claim** to have caught these fish. Often times there are no photos nor witnesses. These are real fish stories told by real fishermen. All fish were released alive!

Date	Angler	Species	Size	Guide
5/14	Mike Muller	Salmon	20	
5/15	Mike Muller	Salmon	20	
5/16	Mike Muller	Sucker	20	
5/22	Greg Johnson	Salmon	21	
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5/23	Mike Langlois	Salmon	21	
5/23	Brian Steneri	Salmon	21	
5/24	Tom Stoker	Salmon	21	
5/25	Glen Urban	Salmon	20+	
5/25	Phil O'Connell	Salmon	20	
5/25	Lee Mauney	Pickerel	20	Sue
5/25	Lee Mauney	Pickerel	21	Sue
5/26	Russell Salisbury	Pickerel	20	Sue
5/26	Phil O'Connell	Salmon	20	
5/27	Bob Becker	Salmon	20	Jeff
5/27	Kevin Winsor	Salmon	21	
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5/27	Michael Wheeler	Salmon	20	
5/28	Edward Gildenhorn	Pickerel	21.5	Bill
5/28	Michael Gildenhorn	Smallmouth	20	Bill
5/29	Michael Wheeler	Salmon	21	
5/29	Roger Wheeler	Salmon	20	
5/30	Paul Skydell	Salmon	20.5	
6/1	Jim Miller	Salmon	22	
6/1	Gary Crago	Salmon	20	
6/1	Al Gardenhour	Salmon	20	JR
6/2	Jack Richter	Salmon	20	JR
6/3	Doug Kronn	Pickerel	21	John
6/3	John Oberman	Salmon	21	John
6/3	Gary Crago	Salmon	21	
6/3	Gary Crago	Salmon	21	
6/4	Gary Crago	Salmon	20	
6/4	Jim Miller	Salmon	22	
6/6	Connor O'Neill	Pickerel	24	
6/7	Connor O'Neill	Salmon	20	
6/4	Carlton Howard	Pickerel	20	Mac
6/4	John Maxwell	Salmon	21	
6/10	Bill Luther	Salmon	20	John
6/10	Tom Stoker	Salmon	22	Roland
6/10	Glen Urban	Salmon	21	Roland
6/10	Tom Stoker	Togue	25	Roland
6/13	Russ Schott	Salmon	20	
6/14	A.P. Auchus	Pickerel	20.5	John

Garry with a fine salmon



Kianu shows off a nice smallmouth



Ashley wins the prize



Which Techet fish is bigger?



Meredith's whopper



Techet Youngin'

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6/14	D.P. Viets	Salmon	20	Roland
6/14	D.P. Viets	Salmon	20	Roland
6/14	D.P. Viets	Salmon	20	Roland
6/15	D.P. Viets	Pickerel	20+	Roland
6/15	D.P. Viets	Pickerel	21	Roland
6/15	D.P. Viets	Pickerel	22	Roland
6/18	Connor O'Neill	Salmon	20	
6/18	Chuck Hollen	Pickerel	20.5	Mac
6/18	Courtney Hollen	Pickerel	24	Mac
6/24	Graham Skeats	Pickerel	21	Sue
6/24	Lawrence Skeats	Pickerel	21	Sue
6/27	Dennis Miller	Pickerel	22	Sue
7/12	Tony Kilbridge	Pickerel	22	John
7/20	Chris Pendergast	Pickerel	24	Jeff
7/21	Carl DiPiero	Pickerel	20	JR
7/20	Tony Luzin	Pickerel	22	John
7/23	Steve Ronnel	Pickerel	22	Mac
7/23	Steve Ronnel	Pickerel	22.5	Mac
7/23	Steve Ronnel	Pickerel	23	Mac
7/27	Keaton McEvoy	Pickerel	20	Jeff
7/29	Valarie Dye	Pickerel	21	Mac
8/5	Sandy Wiss	Smallmouth	21.25	Bill
8/6	Alex Wiss	Smallmouth	20.5	Bill
8/6	Sandy Wiss	Smallmouth	20.25	Bill
8/8	Chris Nakamura	Pickerel	21	Mac
8/16	Keaton McEvoy	Pickerel	20	Jeff
8/18	Max Graham	Smallmouth	20.25	Ray
8/19	Louis Unger	Pickerel	23	Sue
6/19	Phil Mason	Smallmouth	20+	Jeff
8/24	Gary Reitzas	Smallmouth	20.25	Ray
9/23	Doug Fosdick	Salmon	21	
9/24	Rom Alphin	Pickerel	24.5	Ray
9/25	Rom Alphin	Pickerel	27	Ray
9/30	Matthew Labri	Salmon	21	Roland
10/2	Mary Ellen Cordier	Salmon	20	Dick
10/3	Ken Cordier	Salmon	22	Dick
10/7	Keith Prorock	Salmon	20+	
10/14	Frank Cuttone	Salmon	21	
10/17	Mike Muller	Salmon	20	
10/17	Garry Crago	Salmon	21	
10/19	Mike Muller	Salmon	21	
10/19	Mike Muller	Salmon	20	
10/20	Kevin Winsor	Salmon	21	
10/20	Steve McGrath	Salmon	20	



Jean with a nice spring salmon



Teamwork helped land this one



Carson and Molly with a nice smallie

PROJECT HEALING WATERS FLY FISHING

Project Healing Waters is dedicated to the physical and emotional rehabilitation of disabled active duty military personnel and veterans through fly fishing and fly tying education and outings. In May 2011, Weatherby's hosted its third annual group of wounded Maine Vets on Grand Lake Stream and our lakes for several days of fishing - and it was a resounding success! It was our way of saying "Thank You" to a few of our soldiers that have given so much for our great country. The 2012 Project Healing Waters trip is already on the books for late May. We are honored to give back to these great warriors. It is the least we can do. To learn more about Project Healing Waters and how you can help, visit www.projecthealingwaters.org.



Weatherby's Hassle Free Fishing

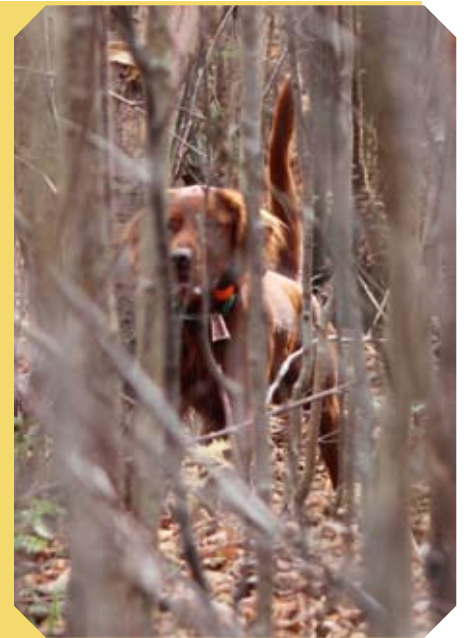
Picking up a new activity such as fishing or fly fishing in particular, can be very daunting to newcomers. The sheer amount of equipment available on the market can be very intimidating. In addition, those of you that already have the equipment struggle with air travel, baggage fees and lost luggage. At Weatherby's, we want planning a trip to fish with us to be as simple as possible. Whether you are new to fishing and don't have equipment or a seasoned veteran with a quiver of rods and waders, you can travel to fish with us and not worry about lugging your gear or needing to purchase equipment. We will supply you with fly or spinning rods and waders for no cost and our guides can provide flies, tackle and bait. We also have a full service Orvis shop on site with all the flies and terminal tackle you could want. All you need to do is catch the fish!



View from the Uplands

Visit our web site for 2012 Cast & Blast packages

Without a doubt, 2011 provided the best upland gunning we have seen in quite a few years. It didn't matter where you were in the north country, the grouse and woodcock were there. When Jeff and his spaniels weren't in the woods with clients, he was in the woods with his kids, Keaton and Carson focussing on getting the kids shots at birds over the dogs. A father's dream come true! Both Keaton and Carson managed to each bag a couple of grouse as well as a duck or two. Keaton was also able to catch up to 4 woodcock on the wing. Quite an accomplishment for a 13 year old!



Brody on point in the thick

Youth Hunting and Introduction to Hunting for Adults

We often see individuals or families with kids that are interested in shooting sports but don't know how to get involved. Let Weatherby's help! We have introduced many people to the sport of hunting and can teach you and your kids too. Join us for an introduction to hunting course where

we will teach you firearms safety, shooting, hunting edicate and actually take you hunting. No experience necessary! Come late September through October to have your time in the woods and learn a skill and tradition that will provide years of enjoyment into the future. Give Jeff a call to discuss options. Make 2012 the year you learn to hunt.

During the fall of 2008 and 2010 Weatherby's hosted the Northeast

Sponsor's Hunt for the Ruffed Grouse Society. We had such great hunts that we are doing it again in **2012, October 25-28**. Save the date and reserve your space as you will want to be here for the 2012 RGS Hunt. Great hunting, great food, great company in a classic venue. Please join us. **Call Tripp Way at the RGS to reserve your space - 607-743-0760 and learn how you can win a free trip.**



Molly after a fine hunt



Andy and Bridget



Mel with a brace



2012 Rates

American Plan

Breakfast, Lunch & Dinner / Day / Person

Adult \$169.00 May 21 - June 30 and October 1-close

\$149 May 1-May 20 and July 1-September 30

Children 10-15 yrs, \$75.00

Children 4-9 yrs, \$55.00

Guide service- \$275/day/one or two people fish

\$475/day/one or two-person upland hunt with dogs

\$375/day/one or two-person upland hunt no dogs

Boat & Motor Rental - \$75.00 per day

Fishing/Hunting licenses - sold at camp

Dog Charge \$15/day (except Oct/Nov)

Food & Lodging Tax -7%

Service charge - 15%

Canoe/Kayak - No Charge

Fly or Spinning Rod -No Charge

Orvis Waders - No Charge

Airport shuttle available from Princeton or Bangor

Housekeeping

Cabin only, no meals

\$50/adult, \$25/child under 16, under 4 free : Minimum nightly charge \$150

Personal Checks preferred VISA/MC/Discover Accepted



For more information and package pricing visit us online at

www.weatherbys.com

Joy during the Hendrickson hatch



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Learn about how to get your kids to stay FREE, Ice-Out deals, the Folk Art Festival and our fall Cast and Blast specials on our web site or give us a call at 877-796-5558! Let Weatherby's help make lasting memories for you and your family.



Peter on the Croix

Molly is Having Puppies!



Molly in the duck blind

Many of you have come to know Molly, our English cocker spaniel the past two summers and I know a couple of you have already gone out and got your own "Molly." Molly can best be described as a highly motivated hunter and a spirited companion. She is a 50 pound dog in a 22 pound body, fired up and always ready to go, although amazingly calm indoors and loyal to a fault. She is from a line of field trial dogs in New York state with many proven success' in her family. Her sister is a 5 time Maine State Champion and she won the National title in 2009. The prospective sire named Scottie is a proven dog here in Maine, owned and trialed by Patrick Kelleher with several field champions in his blood. The breeding should produce first rate trial and field dogs as well a good all around companions. If you are interested in one of Molly's pups, please contact us as soon as possible to get on the waiting list. The pups are sure to go fast! Don't miss out. Pick up date is up to Molly but it is anticipated that it will be early to mid-summer 2012.



Scottie

Learn to Fly Fish at Weatherby's

Have you always wanted to learn to fly fish like the pros but didn't know where to start? Come to Weatherby's and learn from the best! Our professional guides and instructors can teach you all you need to know to get started in the sport or teach you the skills you need to progress to the next level. We offer fixed dates for group schools and offer private instruction to individuals, couples and groups when it is most convenient for you. Call us to discuss options so we can plan a few days that will teach you what you need most.



Four nights of meals and lodging and three full days of instruction/guided fishing:

\$1649 for single, \$1088 per

person double. Includes all meals and lodging for four days, use of equipment, instruction for three days, tax and gratuity on food and lodging. Does not include license, beer/wine, guide gratuity. We offer a one time 20% discount on any Orvis product to all fishing school participants.



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