



**FLY FISHERS**  
INTERNATIONAL  
Southwest Council

# SWC FLY FISHING FAIRE

## OCTOBER 5-6, 2019

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2019 | WOMEN'S PROGRAM SCHEDULE

#### WOMEN'S 1/2 -DAY FLY FISHING WORKSHOP FEATURING WENDY GUNN | 9:30-2:00 pm **\*\*off site**

**LOCATION:** Pasadena Casting Club Pond | 415 S Arroyo Blvd, Pasadena, CA 91105 **DATE:** SAT, OCT 5 | **TIME:** 9:30 am - 2:00 pm

**Cost includes lunch: \$75.00 for FFI members, \$80.00 for non-members. All other women's programs free with [Faire Admission](#)**

- ✦ It's unlikely that any woman in history has caught more fish, larger fish or more diverse fish than **Wendy Gunn**. She has set and still holds several IGFA World Records for the size of her catch – she was the first woman to land a striped marlin on a fly; and in fly-casting distance competition, twice she exceeded 100-feet with a 5-weight line.
- ✦ During the Women's Fly Fishing Workshop Wendy will offer personalized instruction in casting at the beautiful Pasadena Casting Club Pond. She will be joined by **Gretchen Yearous**, Certified Casting Instructor, **Kathy Kim**, Certified Casting Instructor, **Ann Bull**, Experienced Angler, and **Karen Hall**, SWC Women's Program Director. Instructors will share their insights on River Nymphing, Dry Fly Fishing, and Saltwater Fly fishing with discussions on Entomology, Rigging, Knots, Gear - whatever you need to know to get out on the water.
- ✦ Beginning to intermediate anglers will enjoy learning from these talented women and have a great time!

#### STAND-UP PADDLE BOARD FLY FISHING! | FEATURING MICHELLE WOO BOWMAN | 2:30-3:30 pm

**LOCATION:** Glendale Civic Auditorium | 1401 N Verdugo Rd, Glendale, CA 91208 | **DATE:** SAT, OCT 5 | **TIME:** 2:30-3:30 pm

- ✦ **Michelle Woo Bowman** is an accomplished surfer, angler, athlete and fly fishing guide. Her program will show you another way to fish the salt or lakes. She and her husband Captain Conway Bowman run Blue Water Guides & Outfitters in San Diego.

#### CALIFORNIA INLAND TROUT INITIATIVE | JESSICA STRICKLAND | 3:30-4:30 pm

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**Jessica Strickland**, a fly fisher and environmentalist will talk about Trout Unlimited's meadows, roads and aquatic organism passage work in Sequoia for Golden and Kern River Rainbow Trout.

#### ORVIS PASADENA "WOMEN'S OUTDOOR FASHION & GEAR SHOW" | 4:30 pm

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- ✦ Back at the Glendale Civic Auditorium, **Orvis Pasadena is sponsoring a Women's Outdoor Fashion & Gear Show** in the Main Hall featuring **Jennifer Holbrook, Michelle Viquez, Candice Meneghin, Marisol Moreno, Kimberly Tilton, Emily Carver**
- ✦ Special **Discounts** available on women's merchandise and gear at the Orvis Booth!

#### SCREENING OF "RIVER OF LIFE" A SHORT FILM ABOUT WOMEN AND FLY FISHING | 5:30 pm

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- ✦ **River of Life** documents the journey of three women anglers who found solace in fly fishing as they battled breast cancer by filmmaker Todd Moen, produced by Karen Hall. A Casting for Recovery representative will speak briefly after the film.

#### WOMEN CONNECT SOCIAL EVENT | BREWS & TAPAS | EVENING (TBD) | 6:00 pm **\*\*off site**

**LOCATION:** TAVERN ON BRAND | 231 N Brand Blvd, Glendale, CA 91203 | [Website](#) | **DATE:** SAT, OCT 5 | **TIME:** 6-7pm

| No host Bar "happy hour prices" on the patio

- ✦ Tapas provided by the SWCFFI!
- ✦ Fun time for the ladies to hang out, chat and share their love and passion for fly fishing!

*Women's Hospitality Booth \* Prizes \* Raffle - 9 wt Joan Wulff Rod,  
Orvis "Safe Passage" Carry Bag, So Cal WOTF clothing & more!*