



# SALE FLY FISHING CLUB INC.

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## OCTOBER 2025 NEWSLETTER OF THE SALE FLY FISHING CLUB INC.

All members and interested persons are invited to attend the next meeting of the Sale Fly Fishing Club Inc. **Meeting to be held on MONDAY 21 OCTOBER 2025 at *Sale Sporting Legends Club*, Commencing at 7.30pm.**

### Minutes of September 2025 meeting.

Date: - 15 September 2025

Meeting opened – 7:47PM

Attendance – 6 Members.

### Apologies –

The following members were not able to attend:  
Ray Throup and Mick O'Brien.

### Visitors:

Nil.

### Minutes of the previous meeting – As per emailed newsletter.

Moved: Dean Cousin, Seconded: Pete Neligen.

### Business arising from previous minutes:

Carried to general business.

### Inwards / Outwards correspondence:

All sent to members by email.

Moved by Mark Laurence, Seconded by Peter Neligen.

### Business arising from correspondence:

Carried forward to general business.

### Treasurer's report:

Total Income - \$860

Total Expenses – \$1034.50

Net Income - \$-174.50

Bendigo Bank A/c balance. \$3,558.57

Moved by: Dean Cousin, Seconded Mark Laurence.

### General Business:

1. The VFA held a forum at Loch Sport on Tuesday 9 September 2025. Several members attended. Lots of interesting info on local fish stocks and breeding cycles.
2. Loch Sport Fishing Club are holding a fishing clinic on 4 October 2025. Ray Clissold and Neil Morrison are intending to go and do fly fishing demo. Anybody else interested can also attend. Ray to work out details with LS President.
3. Licola Club Trip booked for 26-28 September 2025. Club to cover cost of main meal on Saturday evening. Camp oven roast to be supplied.
4. Further discussion on information from Hastings Fishing Club in New Zealand offering accommodation at their club house.
5. Proposed club trip to Bemm River again in February 2026.

## **Fishing reports:**

Ray Throup – Bemm River Club Trip. 30+ salmon to 48cm. 6 small trout in Icy Creek.

Neil Morrison – Bemm River. Salmon to 59cm.  
Club trip – salmon to 52cm.  
Merriman's Creek – 1 trout to 10cm

Dean Cousin – Wellington River. No fish

Ray Clissold – Bemm Club Trip. 25+ salmon to 54cm.

Stewie Batchellor – Bemm Club Trip. Heaps of salmon.

## **SHOW US YOUR FLY: for September 2025**

### **MRS SIMPSON**

First – Ray Clissold, second – Ray Throup

## **SUYF for October 2025**

### **FUZZY BUGGER**

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**HOOK:** Kamasan B175, sizes 10 - 14

**TREAD:** Red

**TAIL:** Black cock fibres

**BODY:** Dark pearl Lure Flash

**HACKLE:** Black cock hackle, tied palmered

**HEAD:** Red



Heaps of large Spiny Crayfish about this year but very few trout.



**Meeting closed 8.35pm**