

SALE FLY FISHING CLUB INC.

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APRIL 2026 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 20 APRIL 2026 at **SALE SPORTING LEGENDS CLUB, Commencing at 7.30pm.****

Minutes of March 2026 meeting.

Date: - 16 March 2026
Meeting opened – 7:50 PM
Attendance – 6 Members.

Apologies –

The following members were not able to attend.
Mark Laurence, Ray Throup and Jack Growenewald.

Visitors:

Nil

Minutes of the previous meeting – As per emailed newsletter.

Moved: Dean Cousin, Seconded: Mick O'Brien.

Business arising from previous minutes:

Carried to general business.

Inwards / Outwards correspondence:

All sent to members by email.

Moved by Peter Nelligan, Seconded by Mick O'Brien.

Business arising from correspondence:

Nil

Treasurer's report:

Total Income - \$605.00
Total Expenses – \$891.00
Net Income - \$-286.00

Bendigo Bank A/c balance. \$3,116.57

Moved by: Dean Cousin, Seconded by Mick O'Brien

General Business:

Dean – Insurance details to be confirmed with Insurer – Account to be received later.

Trip to Tamboon in May, will need to discuss and organise at the April Meeting. Ray Throup to check on accommodation.

Licola club trip in September. To be worked out later in year.

Fishing reports:

Max Simmons – Tasmania.

Brady's Lake – Redfin

Tyeena – 9 fish to 35cm.

Eucumbene – 2.5lb Brown.

Dean – Eucumbene. 5 members attended but only 2 fish landed.

Peter Murray – Eucumbene – 2.2lb

Ray Clissold – Eucumbene – 2lb Rainbow.

Neil Morrison – 1 x 37cm and 1 x 38cm Bass.

Meeting closed – 8.40pm

SHOW US YOUR FLY: For March 2026

Cherry Spinner

Carried forward to April Meeting.

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ACE OF SPADES

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HOOK: Size 6 – 12

THREAD: Black

TAIL: None

BODY: Black chenille.

RIB: Oval silver tinsel.

HACKLE: Guinea fowl hackle fibres.

WING: Tied matuka style with four black cock hackles, with bronze mallard over.

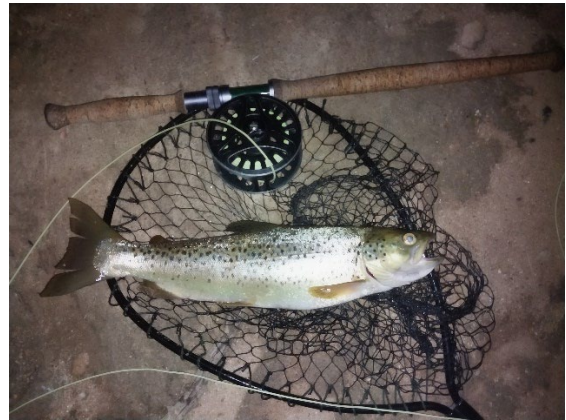
Ace of Spades



Eucumbene Club Trip.

4 members and Thomo attended this trip over the March labour day long weekend, a lot of effort was applied but the fish were not willing to take part, there were 2 fish landed, a 1kg Brown caught by Peter Murray on the first evening and a 900g Rainbow caught by Ray Clissold on the last evening of the trip.

The fishing was not the best during this trip, it was still great to get away from the norm, and spend the weekend fishing with friends.

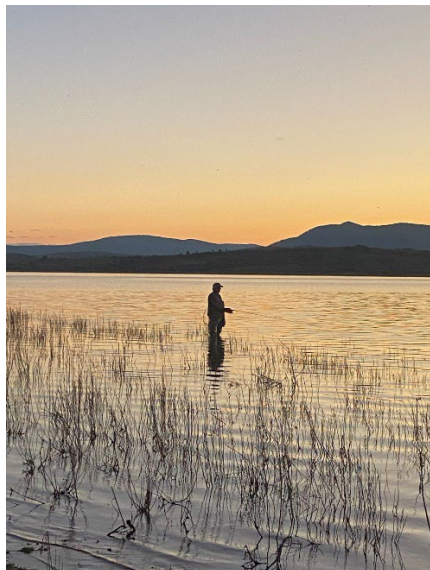


Pete's 1 kg Brown



The Crew enjoying some drinks and camaraderie over an evening meal of Lasagna.

On another note, Neil and I went down to Seacome on the evening of Easter Monday where we came across a school of Dewies. Not on fly, Neil hooked 4 and managed to land 2 to 60cm and I caught one at 62cm on light tackle



A lone fisherman at sunset

