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ASHOKAN-PEPACTON
WATERSHED CHAPTER

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Ashokan-Pepacton Watershed Chapter

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Fly fishing is our passion

Trout are our cause

Healthy waters are our goal

Anyone with the good fortune to fish our fabled Catskill streams does not soon forget the experience. Frequented by luminaries like Theodore Gordon, Lee Wulff and others, our waters have historical importance as the “Cradle of American Fly Fishing.” For more than 40 years, Trout Unlimited has played a leading role in protecting waters like these — the trout and salmon fisheries that are among America’s last great national treasures.

Nationally, with over 450 chapters, TU organizes stream restoration projects, directs conservation and environmental protection programs, and provides a voice for fish and coldwater resources.

Locally, TU is an invaluable personal and community resource. Members enjoy the benefits of a network of like-minded, knowledgeable anglers, participate in local stream conservation projects, lend a hand with rewarding education youth programs like “Trout in the Classroom,” and hone and improve their fishing and fly-tying skills through seminars, talks and demonstrations at our monthly meetings.

Meetings for the Ashokan-Pepacton Chapter are held on the fourth Thursday of the month at the Boiceville Inn on Route 28. Most meetings include fly-tying or other demonstrations, discussions of chapter business and local stream-related issues and a guest speaker, presentation or slide show.



MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

NATIONAL BENEFITS

- ◆ One-year subscription to our award winning quarterly TROUT magazine
- ◆ TU’s beautiful full color fly fishing calendar
- ◆ Travel discounts card

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Chapter programs

- ◆ Trout in the Classroom
- ◆ Stream Watch
- ◆ Public Access and Public Fishing Rights
- ◆ Student sponsorship at the DEC’s Camp DeBruce
- ◆ “Day on the Stream” – fishing the Esopus
- ◆ Annual Conservation Fund Banquet
- ◆ Catskill Clean Waters

Chapter Activities

- ◆ Stream clean ups
- ◆ Willow plantings, stream restoration and habitat enhancement projects
- ◆ Advisory committee for Broad Street Hollow, Stony Clove and Esopus Creek Stream Management Programs
- ◆ Legal actions to advocate for clean water and fisheries issues
- ◆ Fish and macro-invertebrate census
- ◆ Construction of stream passage structures on Birch Creek in Pine Hill
- ◆ Active involvement in environmental review process
- ◆ Conservation/stream restoration training
- ◆ Acid Deposition monitoring
- ◆ Angler diary program
- ◆ Monthly newsletter