Central Iowa Fly Fishers

If you’re interested in the sport of fly fishing - whether beginner or experienced - the Central Iowa Fly Fishers (CIFF) is for you! With ability levels ranging from novice to seasoned veteran, CIFF members meet to learn more about the sport they love, and to share experiences, tips and techniques. Attend an upcoming meeting - it’s free!

Meeting Schedule
CIFF meets on the third Saturday of the month September - May.

2014
Saturday, 9-11:30 AM
Sept 20
Oct 18
Nov 15
Dec 20

2015
Saturday, 9-11:30 AM
Jan 17
Feb 21
Mar 21
Apr 18
May 16 (outing)

Meeting Location
Our Lady’s Immaculate Heart Church
510 E 1st St Ankeny, IA 50021

To Learn More...
Contact these local, state, and national organizations for resources and information on the sport of fly fishing.

Central Iowa Fly Fishers
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Hawkeye Fly Fishing Association
P.O. Box 8145
Cedar Rapids, IA 52408

Federation of Flyfishers Headquarters
215 E Lewis St.
Livingston, Montana 59047
Tel: 406-222-9369
Fax: 406-222-5823
www.fedflyfishers.org

Improving the sport of fly fishing through education and conservation
MAY WE INTRODUCE OURSELVES? For nearly 30 years, the members of Central Iowa Fly Fishers (CIFF) have fished the lakes, rivers, and streams of Iowa and beyond. Iowa entertains fly fishers with over 150 miles of cold water streams containing several species of trout, in addition to hundreds of lakes and ponds harboring panfish and bass. But CIFF members don’t limit their fishing to Iowa waters. They enjoy reeling in all kinds of fish from all kinds of water: bluegill and bass in warm water lakes and ponds; trout, steelhead, and salmon in cold water streams; and even sharks and bonefish in salt water oceans.

THERE’S MORE...
In addition to fishing, many members engage in flycasting instruction, fly tying, fly rod construction, and conservation efforts. CIFF members are generous in sharing their knowledge and expertise with other anglers. Club outings and clinics provide opportunities for new anglers to learn fly casting and fly tying from experienced members.

CABIN FEVER CAMARADERIE
During the annual Cabin Fever Retreat, CIFF members spend a January weekend at Springbrook State Park listening to member and park service presentations, swapping fish stories, tying flies, readying equipment for the spring fishing season, and enjoying good food and each others’ company. A popular event!

YOU’RE INVITED...
The Central Iowa Fly Fishers club draws members from across central Iowa. We invite all interested anglers in the region to join us as we learn from each other and work together to promote and preserve fly fishing in Iowa!

Hawkeye Fly Fishing Association (HFFA)
CIFF is one of five Iowa fly fishing clubs comprising the larger, state-wide Hawkeye Fly Fishing Association (HFFA).

Individuals may join HFFA for a nominal fee. HFFA membership benefits and activities include:
- The Flyline, HFFA’s bimonthly newsletter, featuring information on fishing destinations, fly tying, conservation efforts, and upcoming events, in addition to photos, book reviews and classified ads.
- HFFA Annual Meeting, a three-day fly fishing convention with guest speakers, clinics, vendors, silent auction, and more.
- Stream Improvement Projects
- Club Fishing Outings
- Fly Tying Lessons and Demonstrations
- Workdays with the Iowa DNR
- Promotion of watershed, stream, and lake conservation

Federation of Fly Fishers (FFF)
In turn, the HFFA is affiliated with the Federation of Fly Fishers (FFF), an international organization devoted to the promotion of all types of fly fishing and the protection of fly fishing waters and their inhabitants.

For more information about the HFFA or the FFF, refer to the contact information on the back panel of this brochure.