

## Trout Waters Facts

Trout Waters is **co-ed** for ages 13 through 17

Students are provided three meals a day, starting with dinner on Sunday evening, the first day of the program

Classes will be held both indoors and outdoors where applicable

Days are filled with fly-fishing, entomology, ecology, stream etiquette and conservation

Off-site trips will be used to compare and evaluate habitats

The program is fully insured

Trout Unlimited Chapters through out the state have donated their time, materials and scholarships to make the program a success

Guide trips are with licensed NYS guides

Applications must be post marked by April 15, 2011

A typical day at Trout Waters starts with optional fishing at Hale Eddy followed by a hearty breakfast at 8 am. Students attend classes and break for lunch. In the afternoon, students will spend their time learning about habitat and the ecosystem on the river. Dinner will be served at 5pm followed by time to fly-fish somewhere on the West Branch of the Delaware River. Lights out at 11pm. This is an intense week of learning and flyfishing that is sure to last a life time.

## Building Tomorrow's Conservationists



Friday May 13th  
To  
Sunday May 15th

2011

## New York State Council of TU Trout Waters Adult Program Fund Raiser

At Land of the Vikings Resort, near Hale Eddy, New York and the West Branch of the Delaware River.



This years camp is dedicated to  
Carl Newton  
[www.mac.nysctu.org](http://www.mac.nysctu.org)  
[web.mac.com/avkurt/Site2/TroutWaters](http://web.mac.com/avkurt/Site2/TroutWaters)

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# A Learning Experience of a Lifetime



## Land of the Vikings Resort

Land of the Vikings can accommodate more than 70 overnight guests. The rooms are simple but comfortable, and all have private baths. There is a dining room, a lounge area with a circular fireplace, a game room and a library/conference room. The property consists of 150 acres surrounded by 5000 acres of state game land. In addition to the main lodge, a large barn and several smaller buildings serve as a reminder of the property's former existence as a Dude Ranch. "The Viking Butikk" sells Norwegian sweaters, books, candy and other imported goods. Behind the main building is a rebuilt swimming pool, a small pond, two gazebos, a basketball court, and a viking ship playground. The hills surrounding the lodge are wooded and suitable for hiking in the summer and cross-country skiing in the winter. Logging trails crisscross the game land and a network of snowmobile trails covers the general area.

## Fly-Fishing

Every day students will learn the skills needed to be a successful fly fisher. We will cover fly casting and tying, equipment care, reading water, etiquette and most importantly, safety. Students will learn where trout live and why. They will learn how to become a successful fly fisher. Many of the principles taught in our indoor classes, (fly-tying, ecology and conservation) will be put into practical streamside use.



## Ecology & Conservation

Our indoor classes will cover the history of the NY City water supply system and fly fishing in NY, with other classes in fly tying, reading water and the life cycle of trout.

We will take several field trips to points of interest like the Cannonsville Dam, Catskill Fly Fishing Center, the Catskill Fish Hatchery and if the water is right we will fish near these sights. By the end of the week all the students will be true Catskill fly fishers, as the saying goes, "If you can catch a West Branch Trout you can catch one anywhere."



## Trout Waters Adult Weekend

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Weekend includes:

**Food** Friday Dinner

Saturday breakfast, lunch and dinner

Sunday brunch 9:00am

**Lodging** Friday and Saturday Night

Fly casting and tying lessons for beginners and on stream presentations for advanced Fly Fishers.

Contact :

Trout Waters

Attn: Kurt Nelson

727 Dimmock Hill Road

Binghamton, NY 13905

For more information contact:

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Cost is \$350 for a couple and \$175 for singles, singles may be paired up in rooms as space is limited. Rooms have two beds and private bath. No refunds two weeks prior to event.

Limited equipment is available like waders, rods and reels. If you need equipment please book early and specify sizes, we have limited numbers of waders and sizes but we will try our best.

All proceeds to help with cost of the 2011 TWYP