



Headquartered in Grants Pass, Oregon, the Middle Rogue Steelheaders operate as a non-profit, non-political, and non-sectarian organization that functions for charitable, educational, and scientific purposes. The primary goals are to conserve, protect and restore coldwater fisheries and their watersheds, while supporting sports fishing for members and the general public.

We have one of the largest Angler Education programs in the state. Each year we go to all the elementary schools in the Grants Pass area and teach classes to the fifth grade students on conservation, knot tying, casting, and boat safety. We then arrange for school buses to take the kids to Lake Selma for their graduation and help them catch fish.

5 years ago we started our Vet's fishing day at Lost Creek Lake. This year the event will be held on May 20th. We invite between 50 and 70 vets to a continental breakfast. Then club members, at their own expense, take the Vets for a day of fishing. We meet back at the Marina at 2 pm for a BBQ lunch and awards. Prizes are given for the three largest fish, and the oldest and youngest vet. Every vet receives a raffle prize for participating.

Our annual Salmon Derby dinner will be held on August 24th this year. It is our major fund raiser for our conservation and restoration projects in the Rogue Valley. The fishing derby will be held on Saturday August 26th. We spend about \$20,000 a year on many projects. We are always looking for sponsors for the dinner and derby.

Our club has adopted 18 miles of river between Graves Creek and Baker Park. We have two annual river clean-up days every year. In October members in drift boats and on shore spend the day cleaning up all the trash we can find. We then meet at Griffin Park and fill a couple of trailers with all the "treasures" of our efforts. We then enjoy a BBQ and each other's fishing stories. We also do a clean up at Turtle Lane on the Applegate each April.

We are a strong club, both financially and with an active membership.
Please support us with a donation this year

Sincerely,

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