

Free State Fly Fishers

Morgan Run Outing

When: Tuesday, March 16, 2021

Where: Morgan Run, Carroll County near Eldersburg, MD

Outing Coordinator: Gary Grey, garygrey74@gmail.com, 443.795.1953.

Meeting Time/Location: We will meet at Noon in the Fisherman's parking lot where Klees Mill Rd crosses Morgan Run. This location is searchable in Google Maps as "Morgan Run Boulders". Due to cold water, this will be an afternoon fishing trip. It is about a one hour drive from Annapolis to the meeting place on Morgan Run.

Species of Interest: This is a stocked, Catch and Return trout stream. Last stocking was March 3, 2021.

Access: This stream can be fished from the bank, but is much more easily fished, especially fly fished, by wading with waders.

Rods: 4wt to 6wt

Recommended Flies: Trout flies, especially nymphs and streamers such as Pheasant Tail #16-20, Bead Head Zebra Midge #18-22, GloBug (Egg Pattern) #14-16, Caddis #16-18, Adams Parachute #14-20, Mop Fly #12-16, Green Weenie #14-18, Squirmy Wormy #12-16, Woolly or Crystal Bugger #12-14.

Timeline: We will meet at Noon in the Fisherman's parking lot at the intersection of Klees Mill Rd. and Morgan Run. We'll probably fish 3 to 4 hours.

Lunch: Lunch in times of Covid 19 is challenging, however, I am comfortable bringing a picnic lunch and a chair and having a "Liar's lunch" in the field next to the parking lot while social distancing six feet apart. We will obviously be outside. Anyone comfortable with that is welcome to join in. Given we're meeting at Noon, we'll start out with lunch on site and then go fishing.

Photos: As with all FSFF events, participants are encouraged to take pictures during the outing to share with other club members via our website and Facebook page.

SAFETY: Safety is a paramount concern on all FSFF sponsored outings. On all FSFF sponsored outings, please be safe out there as it is your responsibility to stay within your capabilities and practice water safety at all time. Check with the above listed outing coordinator for more information on the fishing conditions if you have any concerns or questions. If boating, always wear your PFD and if water temperatures are below 60 degrees F, have a plan to protect yourself from cold water immersion hazards should you fall in. Most importantly, enjoy the fellowship of your fellow members through fly fishing and tight lines!

COVID 19: Please observe all CDC and Maryland recommended precautions for controlling risks of transmitting Covid 19.

On all FSFF sponsored outings, we ask that our members and guests Pick up Five pieces of trash you run across wading the river or kayaking the pond—small trash bags to be provided.