

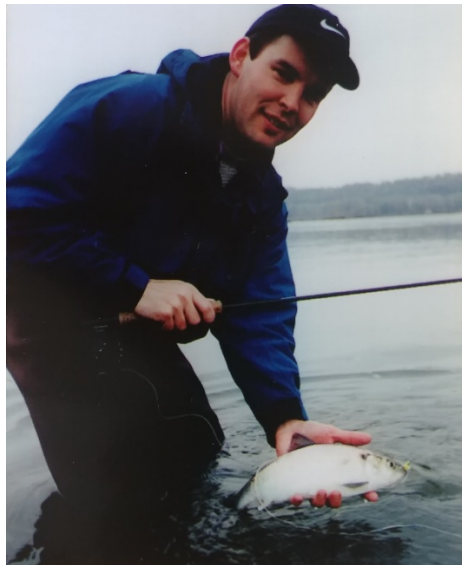


# Free State Fly Fishers Presents "Local Shad Fishing Opportunities and Techniques"

A Free Hands-on Session for Members and the Public  
by FSFF Member Tom Parham

SATURDAY, MARCH 15, 2025  
10 AM to 12 PM

Free State Fly Fishers' Clubhouse  
Davidsonville Family Recreation Center  
3789 Queen Anne Bridge Rd  
Davidsonville, Maryland



Tom with a Susquehanna Shad

Tom Parham will present seminar on shad fishing just in time for the spring migration of these remarkable fish in our local rivers. Shad have been aptly dubbed the "The Nation's Founding Fish" due to their importance as a food source for indigenous populations and the European settlers of our country. Tom will show members the gear and flies he uses to catch two species of shad – American and Hickory. And he will discuss the best techniques and locations to catch these remarkable fish. You won't want to miss this timely and informative Hands On session.

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