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Anglers of Record

SUBJECT: 12th Annual Fishin' Mission

Well, here we go again. . .another week in the Sierra's fishing. You're probably asking yourself:

o Am I up to another trip with the boys?

o How can I think of a NEW excuse to get out of town?

o Will they bring up the same <u>DIRT</u> as they have before, year after year?

o Or will they bring up <u>NEW DIRT?</u> Of the likes never before shared with mankind (which does not even include the Fishin' Mission attendees?)

Although I am sick and tired of sending this letter year after year, inviting you to a Fishin' Mission you already know about and are planning on attending. . . Oh hell. . . one more year won't hurt!!

Let me try for a moment to wet your appetite, to raise your blood pressure, to force upon you a few quips from the past, which, when brought to mind. . .you know a "mental picture" (considering your weak mentality the picture will be blurred I'm sure) will be created, one which will bring on an attitude which makes you, jump up, rush to the window and shout "I've got to get out of here, I'm going crazy!!!.... No.... on second thought, I'm going fishing!

How about "speed limit"? Or maybe "Harley Davidson"? Does "The house dice are down"! mean anything to you? Or "Carson City"? Or "Lake Tahoe" for that matter! Do your palms sweat when you hear someone whisper "5 pound brown"? Or does you heart palpitate when someone says you're "transgressed"? Or done a "complete 190"! If any of this crap means anything to you - then WE WANT YOU!

The 12th Annual Fishin' Mission will be held as usual:

Mono Village/Twin Lakes
Friday May 31 to Sunday June 9
Be there!

All the usual activities will prevail - chili night (everyone bring chili), trip to Lake Tahoe, casino tent (BT will provide), poker, cribage, Carson City, Northstar, markers, B-Ball (Lewd, bring the net & ball), horseshoes (Lawing - bring 'em) and some fishin' - if we have time.

We do, however, have two surprises this year!

Surprise #1 - Folks, it is finally completed! Two years in development (what do you expect for a Bank employee?) - a 12th Annual Fishin' Mission commemorative belt buckle! Seriously, no April fools! (You guys are fools all year long). For \$10.00 - you can own one of 25 belt buckles in this limited offer. A copy of the buckle is attached (actual size) for your evaluation. Like I said, there is a limited offer. A copy of the buckle is attached (actual size) for your evaluation. Like I said, there is a limited quantity - First PAY - first served! Since the invoice will be waiting for me when I come home - no IOU's can be accepted for this one time offer! Rember to bring your favorite "FISHIN' BELT" to which you can attach the buckle. Due to differences in size (serious difference) it is appropriate for you to "BYOB" (Bring your own belt).

Surpise #2 - Steve Lawing talked proud during the "opening day" trip that he had constructed the Official Fishin' Mission Barbecue - we'll see! Just in case....bring your steaks, cornish game hens, burgers & charcoal to try it out!

Over the years we have had many motto's:

1979 Think Trout 1980 For Damn Sakes - See ya in Twin Lakes 1982 If You Ain't Ridin' a Harley -You Ain't in Bridgeport 1984 Out for Trout

In closing, may we all agree that the motto for 1985 - The 12th Annual - shall be:

If you're missin' the mission, then your missin the fishin'!

See you there!

Gary Chairman (refuctantly)

P.S. Who would like to volunteer to watch Lewd this year? Better yet - anyone vouch for his attendance last year? Do you recognize the handwriting on the attached notes?



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