

Would you like to . . .

- . . . learn to fly-fish?
- . . . learn to tie flies?
- . . . learn about fish and aquatic life?
- . . . find new places to fly-fish?
- . . . meet and talk to other fly-fishers?



Join the Forest City Flyfishing Club!

The Forest City Fly-Fishing Club is London's only club dedicated to fly-fishing. The club was formed in 1993 to promote fly-fishing by teaching and sharing all aspects of the sport.

All are welcome. Club members range from beginners to experts and from youth to seniors.

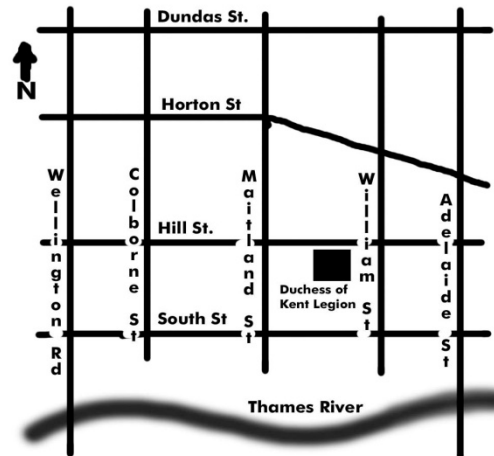
Through the club, members have access to lifetimes of fly-fishing knowledge and experience. Experienced members take pride in helping others to learn and enjoy the sport of fly-fishing, and the craft of fly-tying.

Club Meetings

The club holds general meetings on the first Wednesday of each month from September through June, at 7:00 p.m., at the Duchess of Kent Legion on Hill Street, 3rd. floor.

General meetings feature informative presentations and fly-tying demonstrations by guest speakers from around the province. All fly-tying materials are provided by the club for general meetings.

The club holds informal fly-tying nights on the third Wednesday of each month from September through June, except November. Informal fly-tying nights allow club members an opportunity to swap fly patterns and learn fly tying one-on-one. On tying nights, members must provide their own fly-tying materials.



Club Benefits

Newsletter

Each general meeting brings a new issue of *Fly-lines*, the club's newsletter of fishing tips, river reports, and the usual lies and exaggerations.

Library

The club has an extensive library of books, videos, DVD's and periodicals ranging from the technical to the inspirational. Borrowing is free for members.

Trips

The club organizes monthly day trips (weather permitting) to various fishing spots in southern Ontario. If you want to learn new places to fish, this is your chance.

Outings

The club organizes additional ad hoc outings to learn about aquatic insects or visit fly-fishing shows.

Casting Clinics

Each spring, the club holds a series of informal casting clinics. Either practise your stroke on your own, or work with a more experienced club member to improve your casting.

Summer Program

In July and August, club members meet informally for Wednesday night fishing outings on the Thames River, described by *Ontario Out of Doors* magazine as one of southern Ontario's most underrated smallmouth bass fisheries.

**Membership Application
For the
Forest City Flyfishing Club**

Fishing the Thames River

Did you know that the Thames River fishery is one of the most diverse in all of Canada?

Water levels are high in spring and the river can be dangerous, but by June, water levels drop and the river is easily waded.

Among the fish that fly-fishers can pursue are smallmouth bass, largemouth bass, white bass, rainbow trout (in spring and fall), walleye, northern pike, and an assortment of pan-fish.

For the inquisitive angler, alternative species include gar, carp, channel catfish and many species of suckers.

Most of the river is accessible to anglers, over a well-developed trail system.

During the summer, smallmouth bass are the river's main game fish. You can take them on a variety of crayfish-imitating flies, on large nymphs, and on Woolly Buggers. Later in the summer, bass begin concentrating on minnows, and silver or white streamers produce well. On summer evenings, surface poppers bring bass to the top for exciting top-water fishing.

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**FOREST CITY
FLYFISHING CLUB**



Welcomes
new members.

London's
only club dedicated
exclusively to fly fishing

The Forest City Flyfishing Club is open to anyone interested in the sport of fly-fishing, no matter what level or ability.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Prov: _____

Postal Code: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Please make cheque payable to:
Forest City Flyfishing Club

- \$30.00 Annual Family or Individual Membership (new members; includes crest)
- \$25.00 Annual Family Membership (returning members; no crest)
- \$5.00 Club Crest
of crests _____
- I wish to receive non fly shop endorsed info about fly-fishing deals via e-mail

Mail to:

Forest City Flyfishing Club
Duchess Of Kent Legion
499 Hill Street,
London, Ontario
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Or bring a completed form and fees to the next club meeting. See you there!