THE “A” IN AUGUST STANDS FOR ALPINE...
While it’s hot and the flows are low on the Front Range, the mountains are full of blooming wildflowers and alpine lakes and streams that are teeming with hungry trout.

RECENT EVENTS
July Meeting Recap
The Section enjoyed a very informative presentation by Taylor Cavey and Travis Coe who have created Flyfishcast.com, a real time website for fishing information in Colorado.

Completed Trips and Clinics
Pablo Balan and Eric Esswein led a trip to Crested Butte July 13-15. Participants enjoyed fishing the East and Gunnison Rivers, as well as Spring and Brush Creeks.

Eric Esswein led a day trip to Gibson Lake July 21. Participants enjoyed beautiful vistas, wildflowers, good weather and lots of productive fishing.

Steve Wolf and Jorge Domínguez led a backpacking trip July 28-29 to Brady Lake. Participant’s enjoyed the weekend fishing this alpine lake at 11,000 ft.

AUGUST EVENTS
Fryingpan Camping Trip—Aug. 17-19

Mohawk Lake Day Trip – Aug 18
Hike in to this beautiful high mountain lake. https://www.cmc.org/EventDetails.aspx?ID=43891

RMNP, Wild basin Backpack – Sep 1-4
NEXT MEETING THURSDAY, August 16

Laurence Hoess, long-time section member, will be giving a talk on:

Preparing for your first saltwater fly fishing trip!

If you are ready to try your cast at saltwater fly fishing, this talk will help you get a head start on preparing for that trip. The presentation will cover what gear to bring, how to prepare for overseas travel, and how to prepare before you depart on your trip. Laurence will share his experience traveling to Mexico’s Yucatán peninsula over the past eight years and provide you with his insights gained on these trips.

Laurence completed the CMC Fly Fishing School in 2005, became an assistant instructor the following year and eventually a lead instructor. He was the Director of the Fly Fishing School from 2014-2016, and currently sits on the CMC Fly Fishing Section’s board of directors.

Wrigley’s Chicago Bar & Grill,
18200 West Colfax Ave. Golden
(Food & drink available for purchase)

Happy hour: 5:30 pm
Educational Open Forum: 6:30 pm
Speaker: 7:00 pm

This is open to everyone, so bring your friends and fishing buddies.

(post sign up on the CMC calendar or click here)

FLY OF THE MONTH – Stimulator

The Stimulator dry fly is a go-to attractor dry fly, particularly when you're dry fly fishing during a big stone fly hatch or salmon fly hatch. This dry fly sits up high in the water, even in faster water. Its "bugginess" also makes the Stimulator one of the very best dry flies to use as an attractor dry fly pattern "prospecting" for trout when there is no hatch. Sizes: 8, 10, 12, 14, 16. Reprinted from Orvis

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