



## The Flydressers' Guild - Sussex Branch

# Programme 2017-18

Please note that fly-tying and speakers' evenings are held every Thursday evening starting from 7.30 pm at Patcham Community Centre, Ladies Mile Road, Brighton, BN1 8TA

### ALL ARE WELCOME TO SPEAKERS' EVENINGS AND AUCTIONS

<u>MONTH</u>	<u>DATE &amp; DAY</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>ORGANISER</u>
<u>August</u>	19 <sup>th</sup> (Saturday)	Carp on the Fly – Falkenvil Fishery	Bill Smith
	26 <sup>th</sup> (Saturday)	John Watt Competition – Grafham Water	Chris Nunn
<u>September</u>	7 <sup>th</sup> (Thursday)	Speaker – John Plowman will give a light-hearted talk on the science of fly fishing	
	14 <sup>th</sup> (Thursday)	Fly Tying Commences	
	17 <sup>th</sup> (Sunday)	Hurstpierpoint Festival - Demonstrating	
<u>Sept/Oct</u>	30 <sup>th</sup> Sep/1 <sup>st</sup> Oct (Sat/Sun)	South of England Game Fair & Autumn Show - Demonstrating	
<u>October</u>	5 <sup>th</sup> (Thursday)	<b>SIMON COOPER</b> of Fishing Breaks will be presenting his new book 'Otters, Friend or Foe' and bringing copies of his book to purchase and sign.	
	8 <sup>th</sup> (Sunday)	Charity Pairs Competition – Bewl Water	Ray Love
	15 <sup>th</sup> (Sunday)	Grayling fishing on the Test - Wherwell	Roy Gurney
	19 <sup>th</sup> (Thursday)	AUCTION of fly-tying materials & tools, tackle, books, etc	
	29 <sup>th</sup> (Sunday)	Branch Trophy Day – Duncton Mill	Peter Winder
<u>November</u>	2 <sup>nd</sup> (Thursday)	SPEAKER - T.B.A.	
	19 <sup>th</sup> (Sunday)	iFISH 2017 Fly Fair – South of England Showground, Ardingly – <u>THE</u> fly and tackle fair of the South – come and support your Branch!	
<u>December</u>	3 <sup>rd</sup> (Sunday)	Branch Christmas outing and lunch – Brick Farm	Peter Winder
	7 <sup>th</sup> (Thursday)	A welcome return of <b>JUSTIN ANWYL</b> with more on Bass fishing, especially with the fly.	
	21 <sup>st</sup> (Thursday)	Still tying! But with mince pies too!	
<u>January 2018</u>	4 <sup>th</sup> (Thursday)	A.G.M. – followed by quiz and refreshments	
	11 <sup>th</sup> (Thursday)	Fly-tying recommences	
<u>February</u>	1 <sup>st</sup> (Thursday)	We welcome back <b>CHARLES JARDINE</b> – presenting: “50..not out”: a virtual life long association of fishing, falling in and wandering along the southern chalk streams (plus Fishing 4 Schools, too, of course).	

<u>Feb/March</u>	T.B.A.	Brass Monkeys - Hazelcosp	Wayne Duerden & Bill Smith
<u>March</u>	1 <sup>st</sup> (Thursday)	Speaker – T.B.A.	
<u>April</u>	5 <sup>th</sup> (Thursday)	Speaker – T.B.A	
	7 <sup>th</sup> (Saturday)	Match v. Hastings F F – Powdermill Reservoir	Bill Smith
	12 <sup>th</sup> (Thursday)	End of Season Social, Rod Raffle Draw and trophy presentations	
	15 <sup>th</sup> (Sunday) T.B.C.	Frank Darrah Pairs – Bewl Water	
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	21 <sup>st</sup> (Saturday)	Match v. Sussex S&TA, Duncton Mill	Roy Gurney
<u>May</u>	6 <sup>th</sup> (Sunday) T.B.C.	Match v. Eastbourne F F - Arlington Reservoir	
	17 <sup>th</sup> (Thursday)	Casting Clinic – Stanmer Park - 6.30	
	25 <sup>th</sup> (Thursday) T.B.C.	Branch evening at Arlington Reservoir	
<u>June</u>	7 <sup>th</sup> /8 <sup>th</sup> /9 <sup>th</sup> (Thur/Sat)	South of England Show, Ardingly - Demonstrating	
<u>July</u>	8 <sup>th</sup> (Sunday)	HOG ROAST – bring the family to Clayton!	Bill Smith
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