



**Annual Technical Conference
June 7 – 10, 2026
Renaissance Downtown, Asheville NC**

***Fly Fishing for Trout in the Mountains of Western North Carolina
with Southern Appalachian Anglers(SAA)***

June 8, 2026

-Expert guides specialize in putting total beginners on fish, even in a 4 hour timeslot. The entire group is given a fly-fishing demonstration at the start of every trip. The guides are very experienced at teaching complete novices how to fly fish. NO experience is needed!

-Each fisherman-angler will be fitted with their own fly rod, tackle, and wading equipment for the day from our stock here at SAA, height, weight, and shoe size will need to be provided.

-Anglers will receive instructions on the basics of fly fishing for trout and will be accommodated for any questions they may have about the subject. Feel free to ask the guides about fishing, history, ecology, or anything they want to know about the region. They are knowledgeable about the land and the water they guide on.

-The river we will be fishing on is a tributary of the French Broad River, the third oldest river in the world.

-Each angler will need the 10 day inland fishing license at minimum, do not purchase the 3 day because it does not cover you for our potential fishing spots. (\$28 for out of state \$11 for in-state for the 10 day inland license). Licenses can be found on gooutdoorsnorthcarolina.com, a printed license is not necessary, a screenshot of a copy of your license is valid. Please do not purchase the fishing license until the trip is reconfirmed!

-Excursion is limited to 10 fishermen! Per person cost is \$185 plus license! Lunch and drinks are provided! Register online at the SSCT Website www.ssct.org

-If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out at ssctorg@gmail.com