



## PFFMA Newsletter

The 29th issue email newsletter for the Pennsylvania Fly Fishing Museum Association

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### Registration Open Annual Museum Banquet Saturday, November 4, 2023

Registration officially opened for the 2023 Pennsylvania Fly Fishing Museum Association annual banquet scheduled for Saturday, November 4.

The banquet will take place again this year at the Masonic Lodge, 1236 Holly Pike, in Carlisle, PA and will include both silent and live auction items, raffles and more.

2023 Inductee Gary Borger

Note -- The banquet will take place between 5:00 - 9:00 pm and will be casual this year. Please mark 11/4/23 on your calendar and we look forward to seeing everyone again in-person. You can register below.

[Banquet Registration](#)

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#### Mark Antolosky, Pastime for a Lifetime, PA Licensed Fishing Guide and Fly Fishing Instructor

We regretfully announce the loss of Mark Antolosky, of State College, PA who passed away at his home on Tuesday, April 18th. Mark (pictured with Joe Humphreys) was well known throughout Pennsylvania for his contributions to Fly Fishing and was a good friend to many museum members - he will be missed.



***About the Museum:***

*The **Pennsylvania Fly Fishing Museum Association** promotes and preserves the history and heritage of fly fishing in Pennsylvania. It is a federally recognized non-profit and all-volunteer organization.*

*The Association is dedicated to preserving the rich heritage of fly fishing in all of Pennsylvania and to educating the public about the rivers, streams, and lakes of Pennsylvania and the importance of the aquatic life within them. PFFMA meets its goals through collecting, preserving, and curating fly fishing artifacts and developing educational exhibits.*

*The museum is looking to expand its reach within the state - please forward the newsletter to anyone in your respective fishing networks and encourage them to sign up (with link below). If you have a story to share about any of the current museum inductees I would love to [learn more](#). -- Mike Smoyer, PFFMA Board Member, State College, PA*

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## Become a PFFMA Member

**By becoming a member and supporting the museum association, you will be providing valuable assistance in us reaching our goals by:**

- Significantly expanding the displays throughout the Pennsylvania Fly Fishing Museum,
- Funding research for exhibits, oral histories and video projects, building a research library to discover and document more of the Pennsylvania fly fishing influence and history,
- Providing environmental exhibits and programs that educate the public about the significance of the health of Pennsylvania rivers, streams, and lakes
- And much much more.

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