

Reel Women Fly Fishing Adventures
You're invited! Fly fishing at it's very best.



Long Tall Sally

by Lori-Ann Murphy

*“Flies that float, flat bottom boats
They’ll make them go the way you want them to
Mend your line, make that strike
That’s the way Reel Women tell you what to do”*

—Reel Women Too Many Horses Dave Munsick

Hannah, a recent [RWFFA Guide School](#) Graduate bought her first drift last

weekend. She graduated our RWFFA Women's Guide School last July and off she goes! Drift boats are in demand – most companies are a year out from when you order a new one. Finding a used boat in decent shape for under \$8000 is considered a miracle. Hannah found hers up by Great Falls in perfect shape for a super deal. Now she has to take Eric Shores down the Madison for a guide test run. Eric is one of the greatest fly-fishing guides on the Madison River - his guide number is three hundred something, and now new guides licensed have numbers that are close to a hundred thousand! Eric is a long time Montana Outfitter - he and his wife Anni have their own outfitting business. Guides work for outfitters in Montana - there are no free agents (legally anyway). Eric will sign on Hannah as a fly-fishing guide if he thinks she has what it takes. I'm excited for Hannah. I do plan on spying on them at their river access tomorrow. I happen to be camping in the neighborhood. Anni arranged this as a final exam from graduating our RWFFA guide school.

We welcome Anni Shores as our new RWFFA Women's School Director in Montana!

Anni lead our Guide School this year and now we have big plans to expand the program for 2023 and beyond. She has been guiding for thirty years on the Madison River - her home. When I was guiding full time, we would laugh because our guide numbers were very close in the five thousand. This is something we both notice.

Anni has a strong, quiet way of getting necessary information to the rowing and fly-fishing student. Her stories and leadership are welcomed by participants. And there is no better test of respect from the local guide community than at the boat ramp - where everyone greets Anni with a big smile and fish story.

Anni and I will pow wow this weekend somewhere around the Madison. I think she might be going in the boat with Eric and Hannah - so I'll meet them at the take out. Our Guide School is the heart and soul of what Reel Women Fly Fishing Adventures is all about. Our philosophy and the amazing people who we surround ourselves with is shared - we gather a strong understanding of our place in a changing natural world and find our way. This is what we do. What we get back is knowing you and seeing you on our next Reel Women Fly

Fishing Adventure. We get to hear your stories, making our hearts strong.

I look forward to sharing a cast soon.

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Special thank you to the RWFFA Team and Graduates of RWFFA Women's Guide School 2022.

Team: Lynn Decker, Brenda Galey, Anni Shores, Eric Shores, RJ Cain, Jospeh Curtis, and Janet Murphy.

Graduates: Hannah, Katelyn, and Heather.

Reel Women Fly Fishing Adventures Guide School





Heather catches a beautiful rainbow as Anni looks on during Reel Women Fly Fishing Adventures 2022 Guide School.



Fly fishing guides RJ and Anni discuss drift boat safety and lessons learned at

the Reel Women Fly Fishing Adventures 2022 Guide School.

Join Us for RWFFA Guide School in 2023!



You're invited. Fly fishing fun with RWFFA!

Madison River Trips for 2023

Women's Madison River Fly Fishing Trip 2023 #1

7 nights lodging, 6 days fishing – 3 shared guided fishing days, 3 free fish clinic days.

Price: \$3,495 Single Occupancy or \$3,195 Double Occupancy

Dates: July 22-29 2023

Arrive: July 22

Lodging: July 22-28

Fish & Fish Clinics: July 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28

Depart: July 29

Women's Madison River Fly Fishing Trip 2023 #2

7 nights lodging, 6 days fishing – 3 shared guided fishing days, 3 free fish clinic days.

Price: \$3,495 Single Occupancy or \$3,195 Double Occupancy

Dates: July 8-14

Arrive: July 8

Lodging: July 8-13

Fish & Fish Clinics: 6 Days

Depart: July 14



Let's go fishing in Montana!



Reel Belize Bonefish School

Ghost of the Flats Bonefish School 2023 #1

Dates: December 3 – 7, 2022

4 nights, 3 days

Arrive: December 3, 2022

Depart: December 7, 2022

Price:

\$1,995 Double Occupancy

\$2,395 Single Occupancy

Ghost of the Flats Bonefish School 2023 #2

Dates: January 28 – February 1, 2023

4 nights, 3 days

Arrive: January 28, 2023

Depart: February 1, 2023

Price:

\$1,995 Double Occupancy

\$2,395 Single Occupancy



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