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Re: Muskie in swatara behind hersheypark

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jkilroy wrote:

I've always wanted to catch a muskie on the fly but I hate to do all that blind casting and go home with nothing but a sore arm flinging around a 10wt all day long. .

Hey - this is the nature of muskie fishing with either fly or spin gear. No pain, no gain - live it, learn it, love it (and any other relevant cliches) 😊

Anyway, with that said - by all means try that section. Muskie guys are tight lipped about their favorite spots, but what you describe sounds good and river muskies bite year round, although I wouldn't bother if the river is icy. The Swatara was (and is) stocked with tigers. Prospecting with spin gear is a good idea and will allow you to cover more water. Just remember, if you always wanted to catch one on a fly.....  
Just be prepared to pay your dues. Nothing wrong with a sore shoulder.