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Re: NW PA Stocking Over Wild Trout Survey Results

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Quote:

albatross wrote:

I know Tannery Hollow Run. Its across the street from my Dad's house. I caught a few brookies in there this January.

Its clearly a good sign that it qualifies to be added to the class A list, but I fear the added publicity won't do it any good.

Any thoughts? What has happened to other streams when they make the list?

From what I've seen adding a stream to the Class A list doesn't add much fishing pressure, and the few people it does attract are the C&R flyfisher type.

That doesn't mean there is no harvest on these streams. The people who harvest on those streams didn't learn about the streams on the internet. These guys usually hit the streams very early in the season. Opening day is when these streams get the most harvest-oriented fishing pressure. Just like the stocked streams.

It's interesting to go to several of these streams on opening day and see. If you do this several years in a row you start to get some sense of the level of harvest going on unstocked wild trout streams.