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Re: Overrated Trout Streams
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Quote:

> PennKev wrote:
> #1 Spruce Creek- For no other reason than it is an overstocked joke. With all the private water and pay-to-fish stretches it's just too phony IMO. Yeah, the trout are big and healthy but there is no challenge, spook or miss one pig and all you need to do is walk a couple feet and find another. The public section is OK, but I can't get excited about a few hundred yeards of mostly shallow, braided stream. (Even though it is loaded with little wild trout).
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> #2 Yellow Breeches - I have no reason to drive all day and pass by Spring, Penns, etc. to got to something I already have within an hour of home. I have special regulations stocked trout on 5 streams in my local area so YB just doesn't excite me.
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> #3 Cool Spring Creek - I just don't get it. Compared to nearby Neshannock, Oil, Slippery Rock, and Little Sandy, this creek sucks. The DHALO is undewhelming even with significant work done by the local TU. Just mostly shallow crummy water except for a few nice pools. Lots of mud and silt. The area is practically a swamp so you can get torn up by the bugs once the weather is warm.
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> Kev

I don't think that makes any of these creeks overrated...they are exactly what everyone I talk to says they are.

Spruce: is that supposed to be a revelation...it is exactly as you describe it and I have never heard anyone say different.

YB: I haven't fished that enough to be fair. Its more of a turnpike break for me. But I can catch fish in the short hour or so I get to try...

Cool Spring..sorry never heard of it..I guess that means its definitely overrated.

I'm sure there are days when you say everything is perfect and you still don't catch fish. I know why some of you would blame the stream but that's another story.