

## OUR INSTRUCTIONAL LESSONS WILL TEACH YOU BETTER FISHING TECHNIQUES FOR THE SNOWY LAKES, RIVERS & STREAMS.

Bait fishing & lure spinning are commonly used land based methods for catching trout in the Snowy Mountains. Bait fishing is only permitted in the lakes & some pondage areas while lure spinning is allowed in both lakes & rivers. Here at Lakeside Lures & Tackle we'll teach you these methods & how to effectively use your fishing tackle to increase your chances at catching trout.

We conduct all our lessons in a child safe & family friendly environment. All fishing tackle & rods for your lesson are supplied by us. We'll start your lesson with a safety brief, followed by a detailed step by step skills lesson.

### LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

Our lessons are conducted in private groups up to 4 family members or friends. Over 25 years combined experience in customer service, we believe this is the best learning environment for children & adults alike.

### CHILDREN

Younger children are encouraged to cast lures & learn the correct techniques & skills needed to fish effectively. We recommend age 7+ for bait fishing & casting lures & age 10+ learning how rig up a rod for bait & learn stream-craft for river fishing.

### BEST TIMES

Early morning & evening are ideal fish feeding times, however they can come on the bite during the day. Depending on weather, first light & the following few hours is recommended.

### BE PREPARED

Weather conditions can change quickly in the Snowy Mountains, it's recommended to bring a broad brim hat or cap, sunblock, rain jacket or jumper depending on the forecast.

### CATCH GUARANTEE

Please be mindful that Snowy Trout are wild animals, we'll never predict how they'll behave on the day. Our average catch rate is one fish per hour, you can be lucky & catch more or in some cases catch nothing.

### PARENT OR GUARDIAN SUPERVISION

For lessons where up to 4 children are participating only, please ensure a parent or guardian is present for the lesson duration for emergencies & point of contact if needed.

### LESSON PRICES

1 HR	2 HR	3 HR + RIVER WALK
1 Person : \$100	1 Person : \$150	1 Person : \$200
2 Person : \$60ea.	2 Person : \$80ea.	2 Person : \$120ea.
3-4 Person : \$50ea.	3-4 Person : \$60ea.	3-4 Person : \$80ea.

## WHAT YOU NEED TO BRING

We will always check the weather before your fishing lesson as alpine weather can change very quickly. Please wear suitable clothing for fishing & trail walking if booking a river lesson. We advise wearing appropriate footwear & long comfy pants for river lessons, some of the river trails are slightly rocky in sections & amongst long grass during warmer seasons.

### WINTER MONTHS / COLD WEATHER

- ✓ Beanie
- ✓ Gloves
- ✓ Warm Jacket
- ✓ Polarised Sun Glasses (We can supply)
- ✓ Water Bottle
- ✓ Sneakers or Hiking Boots

### SUMMER MONTHS / WARM WEATHER

- ✓ Hat
- ✓ Sunscreen
- ✓ Polarised Sun Glasses (We can supply)
- ✓ Water Bottle
- ✓ Sneakers or Hiking Boots

## OUR SERVICE TO YOU

We supply all rods & tackle you need, we even have polarised sunglasses so you can see the fish better!

- ✓ Fully experienced fishing instructor
- ✓ Detailed explanation of fishing methods
- ✓ Rod, Reel & Tackle supplied
- ✓ No charge for lost tackle
- ✓ Keep any fish you catch of legal size
- ✓ You can release the fish to swim another day
- ✓ Discounts on tackle & Smoked Trout products purchased same day

## TAILORED LESSONS

We can customise a lesson to suit your needs, just let us know what type of fishing you would like to do & how many people will be in attendance (max. 4) & we will aim to provide it.

## LESSON LOCATION

Depending on lake levels, our lake locations are along the shore at Wollondibbly Inlet near Curiosity Rocks & accessible areas at Hatchery Bay. Our river location is Paddy's Corner on the Thredbo River near the Gaden Trout Hatchery. Toilets are located at the carpark entrance & undercover BBQ facilities & seating are located in the Hatchery grounds. If you wish to explore the river, there is an anglers access gate past the bike bridge.

## PAYMENT POLICY

A \$50 Deposit is required for all bookings. Full payment is required if your lesson is booked less than 2 days prior to lesson date. Cancellation fee of 20% applies if your lesson is cancelled within 1 day of lesson date. Lessons cancelled by us due to poor weather conditions will be issued a full refund.

## IMPORTANT

**PLEASE ARRIVE AT LAKESIDE LURES & TACKLE 10 MINUTES PRIOR TO YOUR LESSON.  
IF YOU TAKE MEDICATION PLEASE TELL YOUR INSTRUCTOR IN CASE OF EMERGENCY.**