



## SPRING NEWSLETTER 2013

**NEW CABIN ADDITION:** Old Kirby Place is proud to offer a new room option this year. The cabin has been recently renovated and is an ideal retreat for fisherman tired after a long day on the river, or couples looking for a scenic getaway.



### FISHING REPORT 2013

As we await the 2013 fishing season on the Madison, our thoughts recall the excitement of a fighting trout on the end of our line. The season is nearly upon us, and The Old Kirby Place is ready. We hope you are too.

**JUNE FISHING** – This is the time for spring runoff, which lasts only a couple of weeks and clears up as quickly as it starts. Wading on or near the shore where the water is more clear and there is less current is the most productive. After a long winter, the fish are hungry and big bugs are the best. Yellowstone Park fishing is the best this time of year. The animals are active and showing off their new family members. The nearby lakes are ice free and fishing well.

**JULY FISHING** – This month is synonymous with the famous Madison River Salmon Fly hatch. They usually arrive on the lower Madison in June and work their way up to The Old Kirby Place during July. The air and water temperatures are warming, the Madison is clear, and the hatches are in full swing. This is usually the busiest fishing month of the year due to the intensity of the hatches.

**AUGUST FISHING** – This is the month of the Caddis. Hatches are going off like crazy with clouds of bugs lasting into the late afternoon and evening. Because the days are long and the nights are short, bug activity is at its highest. The grass hoppers have started which result in great dry fly action. It is also time for ants and beetles.

**SEPTEMBER FISHING** – This month is more of the same. The hoppers are still active and the baetis are starting to appear for continued great dry fly action. Nymphing gets better as the month progresses. The big Browns are starting to move up river looking for spawning beds. This is truly the time of the year for the BIG one.

Fishing the Madison is simply the best and The Old Kirby Place is only a fly cast away!

Visit us this summer to enjoy the Madison River and The Old Kirby Place.

Tight Lines,

Bruce Alverson



## BOOK A TRIP

Please make your reservations as early as possible to ensure the dates and rooms of choice. Reservations can be made at our website at [www.OLDKIRBYPLACE.COM](http://www.OLDKIRBYPLACE.COM) by clicking on "Book A Trip" and providing the requested information, or send us an email at [info@oldkirbyplace.com](mailto:info@oldkirbyplace.com) with your desired reservation dates, number of people in your party and your contact information including email, telephone number and address.