Estancia María Behety Lodge Fishing Report (February 01 - 08, 2025) by Genaro Molinolo – Head guide



Water Conditions

Water color and visibility: Low water, clear, perfect visibility. The level of water is normal for this time of the season. Water temperature: 7°C / 12°C

Weather Conditions

Air temperatures: 2/19°C Wind speed ranges from 11 to 60 km/h Rain during the week: 3.5 mm

Fishing Conditions

Condition of the river is very good. Fresh and colored fish caught all over the river beats.

Most productive flies:

EMB, nymphs, san juan worm, green machine, salmon flies, Rio Grande Queen, Leeches at dark.

Fly lines (tips, heads, lengths, densities, etc.) mostly used:Skagit heads (most used) : floating and multi density head (game changer, pickpocket, 3 D, FIST) Scandi Heads (less used due to windy conditions)Set of tips from 3 ips sink rate up to T20 MOW tips Floating tips type 3-6-8 etc.

Length and strength of tippet and tapered leaders: 9 to 12 feet(tapered). 12 to 20 pounds (tippet)

FOR SAFETY WE HIGLY RECOMMEND WEARING CLEAR GLASSES IN LOW LIGHT CONDITIONS.

STATISTICS:

TOTAL CATCHES OF THE WEEK: 104 FISH OVER 15 POUNDS: 32 TOP ROD: ROB H. (12) BIGGEST FISH: RICKY W. (22 POUNDS) | ALFRED K. (22 POUNDS) WEEK'S FISH AVERAGE WEIGHT: 10.1 POUNDS