

# Sweetwater welcomes you to Spring 2006!



SFG Vice President – Sharon Skelton

ponds and fed only naturally grown aquatic macroinvertebrates, the SFG salmonids have perfect fin structure and wild-fish like attributes. 2006 promises to be another terrific year for our naturally-grown trout, with great numbers and sizes of all the species available to supplement any pond or stream fishery. Give us a call for pricing and availability!

## Freshwater Shrimp

SFG's industry-exclusive macroinvertebrate rearing and introduction program has been evolving, with the addition of new forage species and expansion of our facilities. The keystone



*Gammarus Lacustris* during stocking

species we introduce remains the *Gammarus Lacustris* scud, with the incredible nutrient content that produces huge, gorgeous fish in the waters they inhabit. We had great success introducing our forage bases into lakes, ponds, streams and rivers in 2005, and look forward to enhancing the quality of many more fisheries in 2006 with this essential food source.

## Construction News

In 2005, with the completion of a multitude of projects, ranging from minor habitat enhancements to complete fisheries restorations, SFG has once again raised the bar in stream improvement and restoration. Through intensive studies and thorough designs, SFG has developed incredible fisheries on miles of Rocky Mountain streams and rivers. Our cutting edge pond designs constructed in 2005 are blossoming already in early 2006, with balanced structural and biological elements as the foundation of each system. Fresh and innovative habitat structures and techniques have been implemented with tremendous success, writing a new page in modern fisheries enhancement. 2006 will be another year of historical milestones in effective land preservation, and we look forward to forging new relationships and strengthening old ones through the common thread of fisheries value improvement.



Fall '05 Construction



'05 Construction Surveying

## Fisheries Enhancement

Almost every fishery could use some assistance to reach its full potential. Whether developing small, unused streams into recreational paradises or resetting the ecological balance of a large system, SFG's fully-scalable operation can aid any landowner or manager. We specialize in promoting and managing fisheries of all types and sizes, and in all stages of fisheries progression. Streams and pond fisheries take active stewardship to maintain, whether they are proposed, getting established, or historical. Ground-up fishery design and implementation is a great way to start, but effective management is crucial to maximizing the potential of any private water. Think your fishery is fine the way it is? Let the professionals at SFG assist you in developing greater angling opportunities.



SFG White River Project

## Fish



SFG Brown Trout

We are currently raising ten different strains of trout, whose unmatched strength, beauty and quality allow these fish to offer an unbeatable angling experience.

These fish have found homes in water ranging from Idaho and Montana to New Mexico, and are the talk of the angling world. Whether a monster 8 pound rainbow or a scrappy 12 incher, our fish continue to set the standard for quality and health in the fish culture industry. Being raised in earthen

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