



UPCOMING SEMINAR

Monday, February 26 at 7:00 PM

How to Select A Perfect Rod

Great info before attending the Saltwater Fishing Show!

featuring

Robert Andrade

and

Robert Murray



Bob Andrade has been striped bass fishing since 1966 when, after returning from his honeymoon, his dad took him to Black Point, Narragansett when he caught his first bass. He has been at it ever since.

Bob has been building rods since 1971 and still has the first rod he built, a 9' Lamiglas spinning rod. Since then

his knowledge and reputation has grown.

He operates Androd Custom Fishing Rods out of Seekonk.

The *Standard Times* did an article on him a few years ago, and he has the privilege to build a custom 9' Lamiglas **spinning rod for President Obama!** True story!

His specialty is to custom fit and build every rod to the customer, including colors, type, person's name, boat, etc.

He is proud of the fact that he enjoys teaching young people how to build rods, giving them a hobby that they can be proud of and keeps them out of trouble.

In this seminar he will show how to select a blank, assemble and build a custom rod.



Bob Murray has been freshwater and saltwater fishing all his life, and has fished for everything from winter flounder to giant bluefin tuna. Today he is both a recreational and commercial rod & reel fisherman.

He typically fishes 50-60 days per year from late April to early December.

He has been a RISAA member since 2004 and has served on the RISAA Board since 2014.

Bob makes all his own fishing rigs and he began building fishing rods for himself and friends in 1992. He has built more than 30 rods ranging from light rods for seabass and fluke up to 50 lb. class stand-up rods for tuna. He also made his own rod wrapping rig from common materials that can be found around most home shops and he hand-turns all of the rods he has built.

Bob's primary interest is in building and using relatively lightweight rods to maximize the fun in hooking and landing almost any gamefish found in local waters.

EVERY MEMBER WHO ATTENDS IS ELIGIBLE TO WIN THE NIGHT'S FREE DOOR PRIZE: A \$200 Gift Certificate To Any Member Tackle Shop (see page 22)

BRING A FRIEND!
RISAA members can bring a guest ONE TIME to the meeting at no charge so they can see what RISAA seminars are like

FOOD WILL BE SERVED* BETWEEN 5:30 - 6:30
TONIGHT'S MENU

- Tossed salad w/roll: \$3.50
- Baked meatloaf, mashed potatoes, corn: \$7.95
- Sausage w/peppers & onions sub: \$6.95

* Food is NOT included in admission and is provided by the Elks. Pay separately at the bar.

**Seminar is held at the West Warwick Elks
60 Clyde Street, West Warwick, RI**
Directions on page 22
Non-Members Welcome
NON-MEMBER ADMISSION: \$10 donation to RISAA's Scholarship Fund (RISAA members attend free)