April 15, 2025 April Meeting Speaker





PACK wishes to thank Jim Matthew for joining us at our April 15, 2025 meeting as our guest speaker. Jim is the owner of Tackle Hut Rod & Reel Repair and Sales in Spring. Here are his recommendations:

1. Do not spray your reel with a hose or in the shower. Wipe down with a freshwater-wet micro fiber towel.
2. Have proper tools to disassemble without stripping the screw heads.
3. Use a tray or some system to keep track of small parts. Take photos and record reel location.
4. Not all screws are the same size.
5. Do not use WD-40, it will leave a gunky residue.

…recommendations continued

6. Clean parts as your remove them with Dawn dish soap or Simple Green. Dry and set aside in tray. Label each tray compartment.
7. Do not over grease, a little grease on the gears. A light coating on other parts is helpful.
8. Clean bearings with a lubricating cleaner. Wipe away excess.
9. Use clean Q-tips to remove sand and grit wherever found. Clean the affected parts.
10. Keep at small reel lube dispenser handy when on the kayak to lube up the main shaft under the spool.
11. Back off the drag when off the water to keep the drag washers from sticking to each other.

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Preferred lubricants

- CRC Power Lube Multi Purpose Lubricant
  No. 05005 Net Wt. 9 oz.
  www.crcindustries.com

- Super Lube Multi Purpose Synthetic Grea
  With Syncolon
  Part No. 41150 Net Wt. 14.1 oz.
  www.super-lube.com

Preferred cleaning liquids

- Dawn Dish Soap
  Removes grease and grime
  www.dawn-dish.com

- Simple Green All Purpose Cleaner
  Environmentally safe degreaser
  www.simplegreen.com





Call Jim at **832-465-2940** to clean your reels!



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