



March 29, 2010

Mr. Randy Johnson
San Gabriel Fly Fishers, Inc.
P. O. Box 1366
Georgetown, TX 78627

Dear Mr. Johnson and Members,

On behalf of all of us at Casting for Recovery, I thank you for your generous gift of \$1,000.00 for the Texas program. Contributions like yours make it possible for us to bring our retreats to more breast cancer survivors every year.

Please know that your support continues to make a difference in the lives of breast cancer survivors. Consider the words of a past participant:

“My body is tired but my spirit is renewed. I leave with memories of strong, beautiful women and a new experience to build on. I leave with information that will help me to continue on as a survivor...”

For your records, Casting for Recovery is a non-profit, tax-exempt organization. This organization did not provide any goods, services, or other privileges, in whole or in part for the contribution received. Please consult your tax advisor for the deductibility of this donation. Thank you again for your support.

With Warmest Regards,

Lori Simon
Executive Director

“I can’t think of a better word than a huge ‘Thank You’ from my most inner core for making this retreat a pivotal point in my life – words will not describe all the various feelings I encountered, even after 15 years of breast cancer treatment.”
CFR participant 2008



March 17, 2010

Randall Johnson, President
San Gabriel Flyfishers
P.O. Box 1366
Georgetown, TX 78627

Dear Randy and the members of the San Gabriel Flyfishers,

On behalf of our staff, volunteers and participants, I wish to thank you for your support of the Texas Casting for Recovery program. Your generous donation of \$1,000 will be used to sponsor a woman from Williamson County to attend our April retreat at Joshua Creek Ranch in Boerne.

Your funding support and willingness to share your love of fly-fishing with the women attending our retreats means a great deal to all of us. I'd like to share with you part of a letter I received from a survivor named Debbie who attended the Boerne retreat: "This was one of the most incredible weekends of my life and my face will light up thinking about everyone. I feel so incredibly blessed to have experienced something that is just beyond words."

I receive comments like this every year and it tells me our program is improving the lives of these women. The exhilaration of trying something new, the opportunity to make new friends, and the joy of being in a beautiful, relaxed setting are both healing and empowering.

As you may know, all of our staff (fly-fishing instructors, doctors, therapists, and coordinators) are volunteers. Without the support of folks like you, we would be unable to hold our retreats. Your generosity is making a real difference in the lives of Texas women battling breast cancer.

Again, thank you very much.

Sincerely,

Susan Gaetz, Volunteer Program Coordinator
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