



# 2021 Fish for Change Snapshot

**Our Mission is to use fly-fishing as a platform to make the world a better place by uniting a diverse group of students in wild fisheries where they engage in a variety of initiatives that promote CONNECTION, EDUCATION, CONSERVATION, EXPLORATION.**

# How are we making a difference?

Programs educational material is structured to develop a hands-on, outdoor learning experience that fosters community growth, character building, and environmental change. Confidence, empathy, leadership, openness, curiosity, and passion is challenged and grown throughout the course of the program. A generation of leaders in the fly fishing world is being cultivated.



# What do we need funding for?

By Donating to Fish for Change you are supporting our ongoing development as educators, more accessible programming, community initiatives, team building and scholarship opportunities.

## Operational

Building our team and our training builds out our start up organization to accomplish and surpass our goals.

## Scholarships

Our goal is to impact a life that will impact a million more throughout their lifetime. Let's create life changing experiences for people who will change lives.

## Impact Projects

We team up with local organizations to learn and work alongside communities on environmental change and education.

# Summer 2021 Highlights



Days are spent on boats with two anglers, but evenings everyone comes together to fish in the dock lights as a team. Everyone celebrates 14 year old Guanaja resident Arren with his first permit on fly.



Fridays are "Bring Your Kid to Work Day" where guides have a chance to showcase to their younger families how they spend their days and why they love what they do. Guide Kendall's nephews were goodluck charms this Friday.

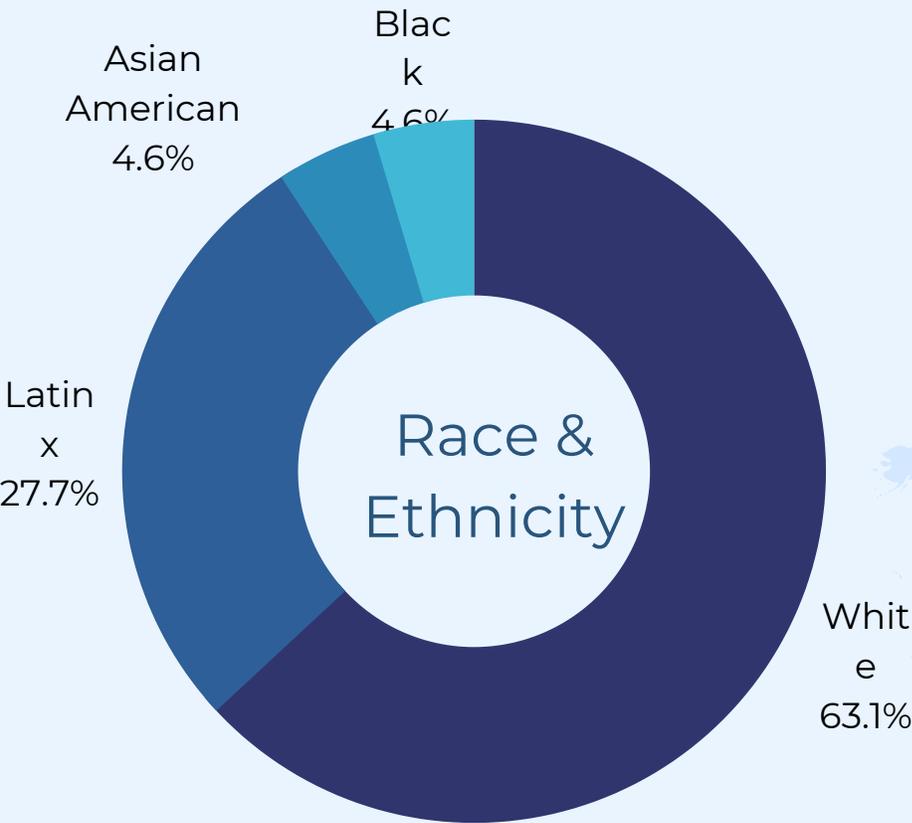


Abaco resident Junior has joined F4C the past two seasons as an ambassador of his home. Junior will be coming back again this year as a Trip Leader and is apprenticing to become a guide.



This season the first official Costa Rica roadtrip program alongside Release Fly Travel took place. Rainbow trout, machaca, and jungle river tarpon were pursued.

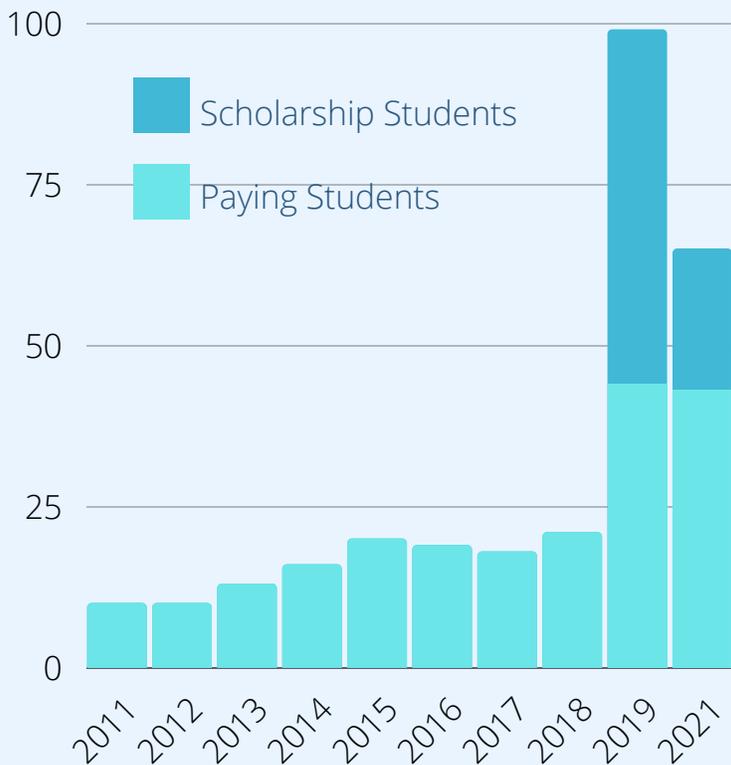
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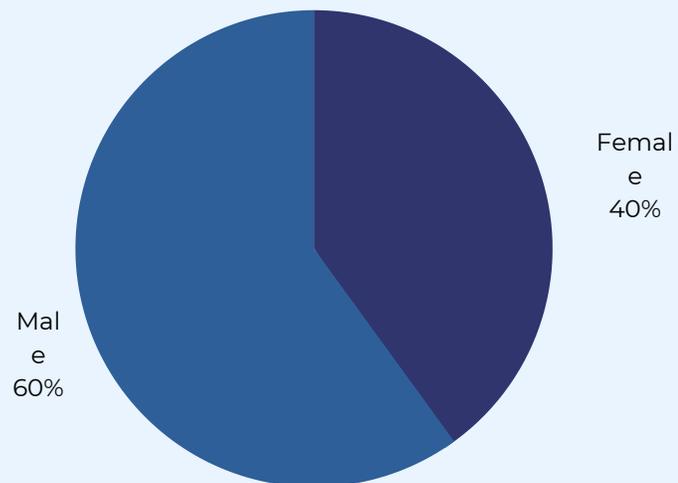
## Hometowns

- Guanaja
- Abaco
- Campeche
- Colorado
- Costa Rica
- Montana
- Virginia
- California
- Colorado
- SC
- Texas
- NY
- NJ
- Florida
- Michigan
- NC
- Oregon
- Johannesburg
- Alaska
- Hawaii

## Enrollment



## Gender



Followers: 5,008



# Past Donors

\$5,000 and up

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# Testimonials

"My two weeks in Guanaja ended up being much more about forming life-long friendships and learning about the history of this beautiful island than fly fishing for Permit. What I'm looking forward to going back, isn't Permit. It's the guides and their kids that feel like family to me, and it's the friends I met that I can't wait to be with again. So, if I could say it all in one sentence: Come for the fish, and stay for the people." Stevie Kim, NYC, 15 years old

"Hopefully we will get to have a reunion soon with the students from my week. Fish for Change has change my life in many different ways. It's made me grow as a person and as an angler." John Pintard, 18 years old, Abaco, Bahamas

"Well, I think that we fly fish to be reminded of who we are. fly fish to live as humbly as the people of Guanaja. We fly fish to ground ourselves. We fly fish to learn that though we may not control the powerful play of life, we must be grateful to have this invaluable chance to contribute a verse." - Oliver Abar, South Carolina, 17

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