



Old waders on the mend.™



THE MISSION

Put simply, the Recycled Waders mission is to maximize the usability of breathable wader materials and repurpose as many pairs of damaged breathable waders as possible. We believe this material creates very unique and attractive products, and has value potential – not just for us but for the consumer too.

THE BEGINNING



Recycled Waders, LLC, was founded on the principle of reusability, turning wasteful into functional, turning something old into something new. Recycled Waders is dedicated to repurposing breathable wader material into cool and functional products for many walks of life, but particularly for anglers. The idea of waders that actually “breathe” is interesting in and of itself considering most breathable waders end up “breathing” or leaking more than they do wading and resisting water. This is where Recycled Waders comes in...Recycled Waders products extend the function remaining in used breathable materials and reduce the impact angler waste has on our environment.

Breathable waders that are no longer able to keep anglers dry can serve any number of other purposes. By combining the inherent durability and uniqueness of the breathable wader material with a little ingenuity to create their product line, Recycled Waders products are made with utility in mind – simple, lightweight, durable, water resistant, and ready to use. The original Recycled Waders product was designed to chase king salmon (hence today’s name ‘Nook Sack) and weigh less than a fully loaded fishing vest. The original pack was neatly designed and was able to carry 2 large fly boxes, nippers, leader, fishing license, bug spray, hook file, and a pair of pliers. The ‘Nook Sack was designed to be a simple gear carrying device, and after a few sketches the prototype was created – and it was perfect.



The current product line includes the Messenger Creel, the ‘Nook Sack, the Greenback Wallet, the Recycled Koozie, and the Big Fanny Pack. Further product development continues as waders continue to wear out and inspire creativity.

THE COMPANY

After years of brainstorming and wearing out waders, Recycled Waders was formed in 2008. Based in Seattle, WA, the waters of Puget Sound serve as the company’s testing grounds. Recycled Waders is dedicated to keeping production domestic: all breathable products are currently manufactured in Seattle and all neoprene products are made in Boulder, CO. You may reach Recycled Waders at:



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FACT SHEET

WHO: Recycled Waders, LLC

WHAT: Recycled Waders utilizes the materials from leaky, worn out waders to manufacture new products such as wallets, fanny packs, sling packs, messenger bags, etc. The product line includes the Greenback Wallet, 'Nook Sack, Big Fanny Pack, Messenger Creel and Recycled Can Koozie. All breathable products are manufactured in Seattle, WA; all neoprene products are manufactured in Boulder, CO in conjunction with Ecologic Designs. Future products are currently under development.

WHEN: Recycled Waders, the vision of Pat Jenkins, Owner & Manager was founded in 2008. After gouging an enormous hole in his first pair of breathable waders that couldn't be repaired, Jenkins thought of another use for the waders that were unable to keep him dry; a new sling satchel. He enlisted his mom's sewing expertise to create a satchel from his damaged waders. The new satchel had to weigh less than his fully loaded vest and carry 2 large fly boxes, nippers, leader, fishing license, bug spray, hook file, and pliers. After a few rough sketches and several weeks later the prototype was done – and it was perfect.

Jenkins has put the original prototype pack (now the 'Nook Sack) to the test, using it on every king salmon and steelhead adventure he has been on since 2002. The prototype is going strong to this day and continues to be a conversation piece with many fishing partners on his adventures. Further product development continues as waders continue to wear out and inspire creativity.

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WHY: At Recycled Waders the ultimate goal is to reduce the volume of useable material being discarded after a single use lifetime. Waders that no longer keep you dry while fishing can serve an entirely new purpose through our products, and avoid the landfill for a few extra years.

Recycled Waders products are a reflection of our desire to simplify our approach to life and angling. They're water resistant, lightweight and durable - which makes them the perfect carry along for the many long, hard days of fishing ahead. Each creation is assembled by hand in Seattle, WA or Boulder, CO, guaranteeing its uniqueness. And before any of our products leave the shop, we make sure we'd be proud to call each one our own.

HOW: **1. Angler-to-Angler Recycling Program**

We will find function in leaky, worn out waders. You can recycle your waders by sending them to us. From their we can create items for you OR we can put them to good use for other anglers. It's the essence behind Recycled Waders.

2. Repurpose Your Waders: Send us your waders and have them repurposed into Recycled Waders products just for you.

3. Donate Your Waders: Choose to donate your waders and they will be repurposed and serve a new function for another angler.

4. Retail Opportunities: Recycled Waders, LLC is now seeking retail partnerships across the country. Retailers should contact Patrick Jenkins directly for further information.

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