

January 2015

From The Prez

Thanks to all our members for a great 2014. We had many great outings and programs. With teamwork I am looking forward to 2015

We started our fly tying last Thursday with a good turn our and some new people joined our club. We had two families with three generations. Steve Griggs was with his son and grandson and Mike Taggert was with his son and grandson. It is really good to see the art of fly tying passing to the next generation. I know Mike Taggert's dad and if he would come they would have four generations.

Jeff Trigg will have a good program next meeting, Jerry will tell you the details

The Banquet is just a few weeks away, if you have time please volunteer to help with the arrangements so we can have a good Banquet. Jerry will have more on the Banquet later in this newsletter.

Hope to see you at the next meeting -----John Walther

January Meeting

The January meeting will be at the First Baptist Church of Jefferson City on Jan. 13 at 7:00 pm.

We will have Bill Butts as a speaker for the meeting. Bill's talk will be on the subject of fly fishing for the Temperate Basses. He has fly fished across the US and Canada for many species including trout, largemouth and

smallmouth bass, crappie, perch, salmon, musky, northern pike, walleye, and his favorites—the temperate basses, which includes striped, hybrid striped and the white bass.

Bill has written a book titled "Fly Fishing for Temperate Basses" and has contributed several web articles on fly fishing for TBs on fly shop websites including Fly Masters of Indianapolis and the Mt. River Fly Shop of Arkansas. Bill also did a podcast for Ask About Fly Fishing with D Roger Maves.

Bill lives in Springfield, MO.

2015 Fly Tying Sessions

The Winter Fly Tying Sessions begun last Thursday night at Hy Vee and will meet every Thursday thru February 26. Due to prior schedules at Hy Vee we will have to meet on Jan 22 and February 19 at the First Baptist Church in our usual meeting room.

We will have 2 sessions each Thursday night. One will start at 4:30pm and run until 5:30 pm. The second session will start at 6:00pm and run until 7:00pm.

Jerry Forck did a very good job demonstrating how to ty the Jerry Forck Special last Thursday night. He also let us know how he was successful with the pattern on both trout and largemouth bass.

We had 36 tyers on Thursday night. There were 18 at each session.

The schedule for future sessions will be:

Date	Tyer Fly	Location
1/15	Jim Farthing Bully S	Spider HyVee
1/22	Jerry Kemple Brimin	ator FBC
1/29	Chris Gates Guides	Hackle HyVee
2/5	John Wenzlick	
	MVP Gingerga	ade HyVee
2/12	Wayne Simpson	
	Soft Hackle Glitter N	ymph HyVee
2/19	Melvin Schulenberg	
	Thread Midge	FBC
2/26	John Walther Gurgle	r HyVee

Banquet

The date for our annual Banquet has been set for March 14, 2015. The location will be the American Legion Post 5 at 1423 Tanner Bridge Road. Set up for the banquet will begin at 4:00 pm, Social Hour will begin at 6:00 pm and dinner will be served at 7:00 pm.

Remember "A successful banquet takes the whole Club to put on". Ron Klatt is mentoring Mike Jaegers who agreed to chair the event this year. They are asking for your participation. This is what we call our big banquet. We don't pester our donors every year, only every other year. This is the year to go after them all.

Recently the ladies of the club have requested that we work on items that they can bid on. One lady told me that she had all of the rods that she needed. She wanted something else to bid on so I am going to the message parlor for a free massage for the banquet. Let Mike Jaegers know what you have been able to get donated for a live auction, a silent auction or the bucket raffles. It will all sell.

We will have tickets available at the Jan. 15 Fly Tying Session.

Calendar

January

- **8—Teach a Vet to Ty** 3:00pm at the Truman VA Hospital Rm. C202
- **8—Fly Tying at HyVee** First Session @ 4:30pm and 2nd Session @ 6:00pm
- **13—CCFF January Meeting** BOD meeting @6:00pm and Membership @7:00 pm
- **15-- Fly Tying at HyVee** First Session @ 4:30pm and 2nd Session @ 6:00pm
- **22-- Teach a Vet to Ty** 3:00pm at the Truman VA Hospital Rm. C202
- 22-- Fly Tying at the First Baptist Church First Session @ 4:30pm and 2nd Session @ 6:00pm
- **29-- Fly Tying at HyVee** First Session @ 4:30pm and 2nd Session @ 6:00pm

February

- 5---Teach a Vet to Ty 3:00pm at the Truman VA Hospital Rm. C202
- **5---Fly Tying at HyVee** First Session @ 4:30pm and 2nd Session @ 6:00pm
- **10—CCFF January Meeting** BOD meeting @6:00pm and Membership @ 7:00 pm
- **12—Fly Tying at HyVee** First Session @ 4:30pm and 2nd Session @ 6:00pm
- **19—Teach a Vet to Ty** 3:00pm at the Truman VA Hospital Rm. C202
- 19—Fly Tying at the First Baptist Church First Session @ 4:30pm and 2nd Session @ 6:00pm
- **26---Fly Tying at HyVee** First Session @ 4:30pm and 2nd Session @ 6:00pm

Monthly Fly Pattern



Jerry Forck Special

Dan Bernskoetter has found a Website that shows the braid that Jerry Forck uses for his bodies for the fly. It is http://www.123stitch.com/cgi-perl/abcSearch/search.cgi?keyword=015+braid.

Material:

Hook: Dai Riki dry fly hook size 10-26

Thread: Brown size 8/0 Ribbing: Fine gold wire

Body: Kreinik Metallic # 8 braid Shell back: Peacock herls

Hackle: Light olive over size dry fly hackle

Tying Instructions:

- **1.** Crimp the barb and place the hook in the vise.
- **2**. Start the thread just behind the eye and wrap back to the curve of the hook.
- 3. Secure in a piece of copper wire.
- 4. Secure in the hackle feather.
- **5.** Secure in the peacock herls.
- **6.** Secure in the body braid.
- **7.** Wrap the thread to just behind the eye of the hook.
- **8.** Wrap the body, secure it and trim off the excess.
- **9.** Lay the peacock herls over the top of the body to form the shell back and secure it at the front of the fly. Trim the excess.
- **10.** Wrap the hackle feather to the front of the hook, secure and trim off the excess.
- **11.** Reverse wrap the rib and secure the wire at the front of the hook. Trim off the excess.
- **12.** Create a head and whip finish.

Jerry Forck demonstrated how he tys this fly at the WTS last Thursday night. He fishes this fly as a wet fly using either a sink tip line or a sink tip leader and drifts it most of the time. I have had luck with just a slow sink tip leader and stripping the fly down on Taney like an emerger when the trout were sipping the surface early I the morning.

Jerry has also caught a very nice bass with this fly on the Norfork.

Check out these websites

www.thetyingbench.com

http://www.flyflinger.com/midge.php

www.askaboutflyfishers.com

www.flyandguides.com

www.flytying123.com

www.thargrove.com

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2_e7djaYzyg

http://www.123stitch.com/cgiperl/abcSearch/search.cgi?keyword=015+braid