

Capital City Fly Fishers



10th Anniversary Newsletter

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September 2015

From The Prez

On August 14 CCFF had a booth at the Missouri State fair showing the public the art of fly tying and giving casting lessons. The booth was sponsored by the Dept. of Natural Resources promoting the state parks. Nine volunteer's from our club participated and really had a great day. We even helped a young man with his Boy Scout Merit Badge. Thanks to all of the volunteers and we are looking forward to next year.

Mike Jaegers has volunteered to head the nominating committee. Mike will be looking for volunteers for several positions in our club. If you are interested please let Mike know. 573- 291- 8231 If we all work together it will make things easy for everyone.

Hope to see you at the next Meeting---- John Walther.

Teaching a Vet to Ty

Each of the sessions in August went off very well. Thanks to the great group of volunteers that make the trip to Columbia each month, we are able to have a July had at least 4 Vets in the class who tied. The new schedule of meeting on Mondays is much more productive since we are meeting with a group that are there for another session that begins at 2:00pm

Stream Team Update



Ozark Lake Mussels

It is bad when Zebra Mussels invade our water, but when they go for beer and tools, we have to stop them. I found the can floating and the wrench in 10 feet of water at the lake. It is a reminder they can spread, so we want to be sure our boots and boats are free of invasives.

If you take a boat west of Missouri be prepared to have your boat inspected for mussels and have it treated if it may have mussels on the boat.

Jeff Holzem,
Stream Team Coordinator

August meeting

We will meet at the First Baptist Church on September 8 at 7:00 pm. There will be a BOD meeting at 6:00pm.

We will have Donna Richards of the Conservation Heritage Fund as our meeting speaker. Donna is the Communications Director of (MCHF).

CCFF Annual Dues

The annual dues of \$15 for the member and his immediate family are due September 1. Bill will take cash.

Southern Council Fair

The deadline for the early registration for the Southern Council Fair is September 15. The annual Southern Council of the Federation of Fly Fishers Fair is coming up. It is scheduled for October 2-3 Southern Council Fly Fishing Fair, Mountain Home, Arkansas at the Baxter County Fair Grounds. Featured presenters are Lawrence Finney, Jason Randall, Michael George and Pat Cohen. Lawrence is one of the top fly tyers and instructors from Northern Ireland. Jason Randall is an author of three fly fishing books and frequent contributor to American Angler. Michael George and Pat Cohen are two of the best deer hair tyers anyone will ever encounter. Mike has won 11 medals from the International Mustad Competition and FFF Tyer of the Year. Pat is a commercial tyer and was recently featured in Outdoor Life showcasing his intricate deer hair creations. Local guides will give programs on fishing the local waters. Visit our Facebook page Southern Council Fly Fishing Fair. Registration information is at <http://iffsoc.org/index.php/fair>

MDC Proposed Changes to Fishing Regs

The Missouri Department of Conservation is seeking public input as they plan to change the regs concerning small mouth bass and rock bass. The Department is inviting anglers to open houses between 6:00 and 8:00pm at various locations and dates over the state. The closest one is scheduled for the MDC

Central Regional Office at 3500 E Gans Road in Columbia on October 19. There are several other location in the state if this one is a conflict.

Calendar

September

- 8---**CCFF Meeting** at First Baptist Church BOD@6:00pm Members meeting @ 7:00pm
- 14--- **Teach a Vet to Ty** 1:00pm at the Truman VA Hospital Rm. 202
- 28--- **Teach a Vet to Ty** 1:00pm at the Truman VA Hospital Rm. C202

October

- 12--- **Teach a Vet to Ty** 1:00pm at the Truman VA Hospital Rm. 202
- 12-16 **Ringo's Class@ Binder** 8:00am each morning.
- 13-- **CCFF Meeting** at First Baptist Church BOD@6:00pm Members meeting @ 7:00pm
- 19—**MDC Small Mouth Bass Regs Review** MDC Central Office, Columbia, 6:00 to 8:00 pm.
- 23-25 **CCFF Trip to Arkansas**
- 26--- **Teach a Vet to Ty** 1:00pm at the Truman VA Hospital Rm. 202

Monthly Fly Pattern



Russell Fly

I found this fly at the website www.southerntrout.com. It was posted by Don Kirk. Don says that the fly is a creation by Russell Walls who he refers to as, “The Master of Bennett Springs”. Russell strips this fly to let it do its magic.

Hook: Mustad – 9672 size 8—14

Thread: 8/0 Olive

Hackle: Olive Saddle Hackle

Body: Kreinik Fine (#8) Gold Braid

- 1. Crimp the barb down on the hook before you place it in the vise.**
- 2. Start your thread just behind the eye and wrap back to the curve.**
- 3. Secure the hackle feather and the body braid.**
- 4. Wrap the thread and the body braid. Secure the braid and remove excess.**
- 5. Wrap the hackle and secure it.**
- 6. Remove the excess feather and whip finish.**

Some of the folks are having good luck drifting the fly under the bridge while others drift it into the pool behind the dam at Bennett. Try it and let us know how it works.

Websites

The next time that you get ready to clean up your tying bench, check out the website Flyfishingtheozarks.com, and ty up a couple of the flies. You may not have to put much of the material away because most of it will be in the flies. Don't forget that you will have to cast that thing if you are going to catch any fish.

<http://www.west-fly-fishing.com/fly-pattern-recipe/fly-pattern-recipe.shtml>

www.youtube.com/watch?v=elox7MbLAE
www.The

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/cgi-perl/abcSearch/search.cgi?keyword=015+braid>