

Capital City Fly Fishers



10th Anniversary Newsletter

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February 2015

From The Prez

As most of you are aware this has been a stressful and challenging time in my life. I want to thank everyone for the work that the club members have been doing with the Fly-tying and preparing for the Banquet. Don't forget Mike Jaegers and John Wwenzlick are accepting gifts for the Banquet.

On February 19 Bennett Springs will have their annual spring meeting. Shucks I wish I could go but this is a fly-tying night. I will get a report from my friend Skip on the meeting.

Thanks to all the members that went to St Thomas School for an afternoon of Fly-tying and casting sounds like everyone had a good time. Hope to see you at Tuesday's meeting.
-----John Walther

February Meeting

The February meeting will be at the First Baptist Church of Jefferson City on Jan. 10 at 7:00 pm.

We will have Clinton Carpenter as a speaker for the meeting. Clinton is a regional director for Project Healing Waters. Clinton is going talk about PHS and some of the good work that they do for veterans. He interested in combining our Teach a Veteran to Ty with the PHW program.

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.

John said that they had 28 people at the sessions last night. Sounds great.

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.

The schedule for future sessions will be:

Date	Tyer	Fly	Location
2/5	John Wenzlick	MVP Gingergade	HyVee
2/12	Wayne Simpson	Soft Hackle Glitter Nymph	HyVee
2/19	Melvin Schulenberg	Thread Midge	FBC
2/26	John WaltherGurgler		Hy-Vee

Growth

The International Federation of Fly Fishers has given the Club a TFO rod for increasing our membership in 2014. It is a TFO 9' 7wt and it will be one of the items raffled at the banquet. If you are not a member of the IFFF, you might want to consider joining. They even have a senior Membership.

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. The price of tickets is \$20/adult or \$10 for youth under 12. Melvin Schulenberg is handling the tickets. He will have them at Winter Fly Tying or at the next meeting. His phone # is 636-9953.

We are still working on donations to be given for the purpose of having auction items or bucket raffle items. John Wenzlick is collecting the items. His phone # is 821-1683. We need to have the items in John's hands by March 11 so that we can prepare them for presentation on the 13 th.

Remember: We have been asked by several of the ladies to provide items that will interest them instead all of these rods and reels that we usually have to bid on.

Club Shirts

John Walther and Mike Jaeger went looking for an embroider to get a price on club shirts. They found out that the best way to go was to buy you own shirt and bring it to them for having the logo put on the shirt. If we could get 18 shirts done at one time, the cost would be like \$7 for the embroidery work.

If you are interested in having the logo put on your shirt, please bring your shirt to John at the meeting on Tuesday. Be sure that you have your name securely on your shirt so that you can get it back.

Stream Team News

Part of the program that we presented to the kids at Saint Thomas when we were invited down was an introduction to the Missouri Stream Team Program and how they can be a part of one.

I received a Streamgram last week announcing a workshop on Mayflies, Stoneflies and Caddisflies to be held at Runge Nature Center on Feb.28. You must have a WQM Level 1 to be eligible.

I also got the Workshop Notice for the Introductory Level WQM Workshops for 2015. These one day workshops are held at various locations across the state. If you interested, check out Streamteam@dnr.mo.gov.

Calendar

February

- 5—Teach a Vet to Ty** 3:00pm at the Truman VA Hospital Rm. C202
- 5—Fly Tying at Hy-Vee** 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
- 20—Mid Mo Trout Unlimited Banquet**
- 26-- Fly Tying at HyVee** First Session @ 4:30pm and 2nd Session @ 6:00pm
- 28—EPT Workshop @ Runge Nature Center** 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

March

- 1—Opening day at Trout Parks**
- 5---Teach a Vet to Ty** 3:00pm at the Truman VA Hospital Rm. C202
- 10—CCFF January Meeting** BOD meeting @6:00pm and Membership @ 7:00 pm
- 14---CCFF Banquet at American Legion Post 5** Social hour 6:00 pm Dinner at 7:00 pm
- 19—Teach a Vet to Ty** 3:00pm at the Truman VA Hospital Rm. C202

Monthly Fly Pattern



Davy Wotton's Whitetail Midge

Material:

Hook: Tiemco 2457 size 14, 16 Or 18
Bead: Tungsten Silver 3/32, 5/64 or 1/16
Thread: UTC 70
Body: Spandex small
Thorax: SLF dubbing
Tail: Marabou
Ribbing: x Small silver wire

Instructions

1. Crimp the barb on the hook and place bead on the hook.
2. Place the hook in the vise.
3. Begin to wrap thread on the hook starting just behind the bead and covering the hook shank back until you start around the bend (see picture)
4. Wrap in a group of marabou. You can shorten later by pinching off the extra
5. Wrap in a piece of wire
6. Wrap in a piece of spandex
7. Move the thread to the front of the hook and stop one hook eye distance from the bead
8. Wrap the hook shank with a layer of the spandex. Secure with thread and remove excess
9. Wrap over the spandex with the wire ribbing. Secure with thread and remove excess
10. Place dubbing on the thread and build a thorax.
11. Whip finish the thread and secure with head cement,

12. Pinch off excess marabou with your fingernails. Don't cut with scissors

Davy has several websites where he talks about tying the midges as well as fishing them.

Check out these websites

www.youtube.com/watch?v=elox7MbLAE

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>