

Fly Tying October 2014

Bert's Better Brush

This month we will work on an improved shaving brush.



Fly Materials:

Fly hook (10-14), preferably regular or lightweight (avoid heavy duty hooks).

Turned-down eyes work better than up-turned ones.

Natural deer hair

Brown or black thread (the thread can be used to substitute the lighter dubbing)

Dubbing – Rear : dark dubbing material

Front – brown

Ribbing – Copper wire

Tail – black hackle fibres (one hackle is more than enough for the night).

Club materials – The club has plenty of deer hair, probably has some dubbing, black hackle and lots of hooks.