

# The Tyer's Vise

*"All the news that's fit to be tied"*



## United Fly Tyers of Rhode Island

Meeting: Wednesday, February 1st, 2012, 6:30 PM, at the Warwick Knights of Columbus

<http://www.uftri.org/directions.html>

## Fly Tying

**Steve Cook**



**Bob Popovics' Hollow Fleye  
Saltwater Advanced Tyers**

The "Hollow Fleye" is formed by a series of reverse-tied, flared cones. Water flows through them to impart lifelike movement. The fly requires mastering two difficult techniques: reverse tying and controlling the cone.



At the November International Fly Tying Symposium in Somerset, NJ., Popovics gave a slide show on "Bait Profiles," about designing flies based on the most prominent features of a bait fish. He also told us that, while there are many good synthetics on the market, nothing looks better in the water than bucktail because of its natural taper.

**John McCall**



## A Variety of Squid Flies Saltwater Intermediate

*John O'Meara*



### Muddler Minnow Freshwater Intermediate

*Hook:* Streamer 3x or 4x long, size 16

*Thread:* Brown or gray

*Tail:* Mottled turkey quill sections

*Body:* Flat gold tinsel

*Wing:* Gray squirrel tail over which are mottled turkey wing quill sections

*Head and Collar:* Natural body deer hair, spun and clipped as shown

The original Muddler Minnow was actually a very simple affair. Minnesota angler Don Gapen invented in 1937 to tempt the big brookies of Ontario's Nipigon River. It evolved since then to a complicated but very effective fly.

*Dave Porecca*



## Soft Hackle Flies or Trout and Steelhead Intermediate

*Dick Pearce*



### Caddis Dry Fly & Variants Beginners Table

*Hook:* Standard dry fly size 10-18

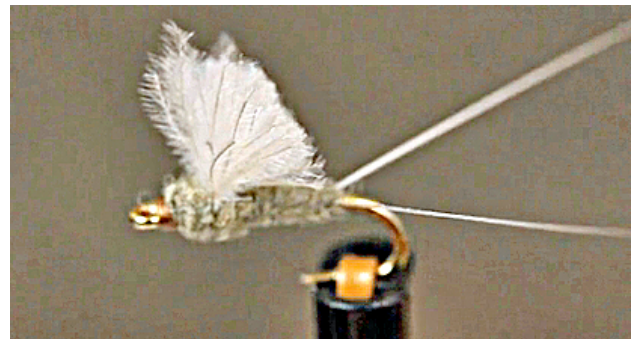
*Thread:* Tan 6/0 or 8/0

*Ribbing:* Fine gold wire or thread

*Body:* Tan, green, or gray dubbing. Long CDC tied in at tip and palmered

*Hackle:* Brown or Ginger palmered, or long CDC tied in at tip and palmered

*Wing:* Elk body or hock hair or coastal deer hair or poly yarn.



The RS2 can be fished as either a nymph or emerger and can be tied in many forms. Created by Rim Chung, it derives its name from "Rim's Semblance 2." The [video](#) in the latest *Midcurrent* shows how to tie this fly. It also has a helpful hint for tying perfect microfibbet tails.

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