

FDG Thames Valley Branch

Fly Tying Meetings re at 19:00 - 21:30 from the 1st Thursday of September until 1st Thursday of May. (Except around Christmas / New Year.)

At the Baskerville Arms pub, 7 Station Rd, Lower Shiplake, Henley-on-Thames. RG9 3NY

New Members / Beginners are always welcome. We can lend you the equipment & materials to get started.

Reservoir, Stillwater and River fishing trips will be announced when organised.

This programme can be easily adjusted to accommodate beginners or other FDG Awards.

DRAFT Programme 2025 - 2026 - For discussion during September 2025

Date	Trout & Grayling	Salmon & Sea Trout	FDG Awards	Notes
2025				
<i>Fri 22 / Sat 23 Aug: FDG John Watts Reservoir Boat Fishing Practice Day & Competition</i>				
Thu 4 Sep	Silver Daddy or other Daddy styles	Silver Daddy Muddler or Beadhead	FDG Bronze, Silver or Gold Award	Programmes start
Thu 25 Sep	Caddis	Stone Goat Muddler		
Thu 2 Oct	Shrimps / Shell Back Nymphs	Autumn Salmon tiny tubes		
Thu 30 Oct	Beaded nymphs	Red Francis tube		Peter W away on holiday
Thu 6 Nov	Grayling Flies	Dows Shrimp Feeler Conehead		
Thu 27 Nov	Grayling flies	Pot Belly Pig tube		
Thu 4 Dec	Grayling Flies	Grayling Flies		
<i>Thu 11 Dec: Mid winter dinner / social</i>				
2026				
<i>(No mtg on Thu 1st Jan - Public Holiday)</i>				
Thu 8 Jan	Trout & Grayling flies	Spring Salmon Tubes & Flies		
Thu 29 Jan	Programme to be discussed	Programme to be discussed decided		
Thu 5 Feb				
<i>Sat 7 / Sun 8 Feb: BFFI at Stafford - well worth a visit to watch the very skilled demonstrators. FDG AGM at 16:00 Sat</i>				
Thu 26 Feb				
Thu 5 Mar				
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Thu 2 Apr				Peter W away fishing
Thu 30 Apr		Summer Salmon tiny flies & tubes		
<i>Thu 7 May: End of 2025-26 Fly Tying season dinner / social</i>				
<i>Fri 22 / Sat 23 Aug: FDG John Watts Reservoir Boat Fishing Practice Day & Competition</i>				
Start of 2026-27 Fly Tying Season				
Thu 3 Sep	Trout flies	Sea Trout Loch Flies	FDG Bronze, Silver or Gold Award	Programmes start
Thu 24 Sep				
Thu 1 Oct				
Thu 29 Oct				
Thu 5 Nov				
Thu 26 Nov				
Thu 3 Dec	Grayling Flies	Grayling Flies		
<i>Thu 10 Dec: Mid winter dinner / social</i>				