



# Fly in my Email Dennis Stead



## The Casting Fly

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With my custom spin cast mold, I used it yesterday to pour some Hammer Heads and a Round Head. I then powder painted them and tied up some Bed Spread Flies to be used at the trout parks.



The jig is pretty unique. It doesn't get hung up as much as the normal jig because of the head. If the Hammer Head jig hits a branch on the top of its head, the hook is pushed down and does not get caught up on the branch.



If the Hammer Head jig hits a branch on the bottom of the head, the hook is pushed up and does not get caught up on the branch.



Unlike the round headed jig, the Hammer Head jig swims.

The weight of this Hammer head is 1/32 oz and I have tied on the famous Bed Spread Fly but you can tie on your favorite fly.



I also have a smaller Hammer Head jig and it is 1/64 oz.



And I tied another Bed Spread Fly. The color is rose blush and it is one of my favorite colors but light yellow, natural, natural and brown, chamois, and white work well also.



The original Bed Spread fly was tied on a 1/100 oz round head jig. This 1/32 oz round head jig will give the added weight for casting.



Some people have said to me that I am spending too much time on jig hooks. But by doing so, I have come up with a way the spin casting people, can now use a fly that the fly casting people have used for years. It is an effective fly that has caught a lot of fish.

If you want to check out how the Bed Spread Fly is tied, here is my YouTube link:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qBN12wDt1Yc>

If you would like to see how the spin cast mold is made, here is my YouTube link:

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h-ZIE6G5\\_6E&t=130s](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h-ZIE6G5_6E&t=130s)

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