

# Attention Fly Fishing Enthusiasts!

The Winter 2024 Fly Fishing Program Classes, Sponsored by The Spring Creek Chapter of Trout Unlimited and Veterans Service Program

## Intro and Intermediate Fly Tying Instruction

Saturdays, February 3, 10, 17, 24 - 1:00 - 3:15 PM

### Intro to Fly Tying

1. Overview of fly tying equipment and tools
2. Fundamental tying techniques and methods
3. Common materials and their applications
4. Learn several patterns that are effective locally (Vises, equipment and materials will be provided.)

### Intermediate Fly Tying (adults only, limit 8)

1. Fly Tying Skill Exercise
2. Euro Nymph Patterns
3. Intermediate Techniques  
(Students must have their own vises and equipment. Materials will be provided)

## Fly Fishing 101

Saturdays, March 9, 16, 23, 30 - 1:00 - 3:15 PM (DATES MAY CHANGE)

### Fly Fishing 101

1. Describe how fly fishing is different from other types of fishing
2. Identify where to fish in the Centre Region
3. Learn to tie several common fly fishing knots
4. Review dry fly, nymphing and euro nymphing techniques
5. Identify a brook, brown, and rainbow trout
6. Describe some of the equipment necessary for fly fishing
7. Identify stream etiquette and how to handle fish safely to return to the stream
8. Recognize the common insects and the flies that imitate them.



All classes meet at the South Hills School of Business & Technology,  
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