

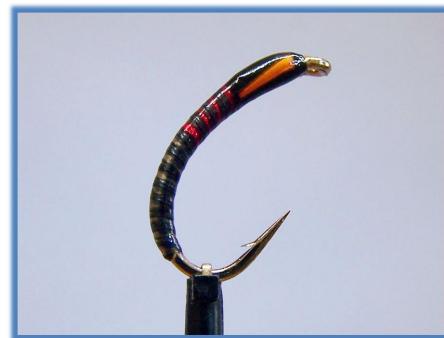
# Black Red Neck Buzzer

By Derek Young

*This is one of my favourite buzzer patterns - just letting the wind do the work when fished on a floating line under an indicator.*

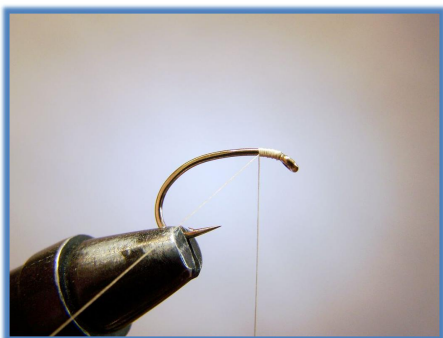
*Set the length of leader at the depth you wish to fish.*

*This fly comes into its own when used at the beginning and end of the season.*



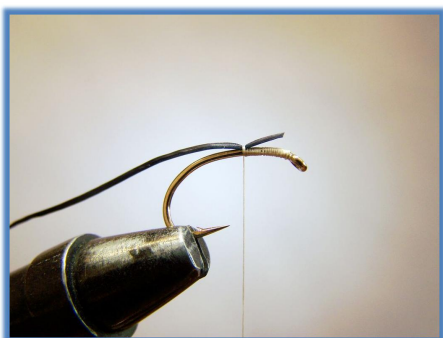
## Dressing

Hook	Heavyweight grub/buzzer hook size 8 to 12	Rib	Black Flexi Floss or Spanflex (tied maximum stretch to begin, then slackened off towards thorax)
Thread	Tan 8/0 (for the body) Black 8/0 ( for thorax and head)	Cheeks	Hot orange goose biots
Body	Rear - two-thirds Tan 8/0 UNI-Thread Front - one-third fine, red holographic tinsel	Breathers	White Antron yarn tied bow-tie style (optional)
Note	Coat whole fly with at least <b>two</b> coats of Sally Hanson's 'Hard As Nails' varnish.		



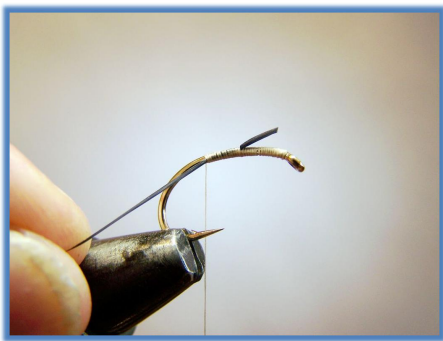
### Step 1

Set hook in vice (ping it) and catch on tying thread.



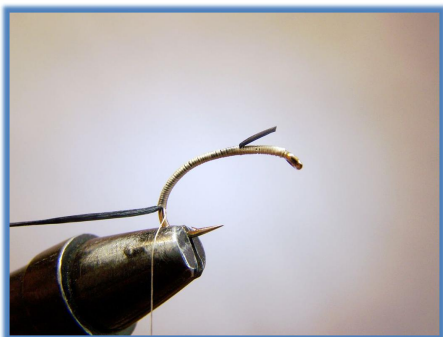
### Step 2

Remove waste tying thread and tie in one and a half inches of black Flexi Floss/Spanflex.



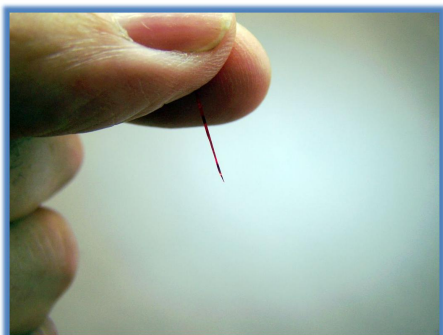
### Step 3

When secure, stretch the black Flexi Floss (to make it "thin") and ...



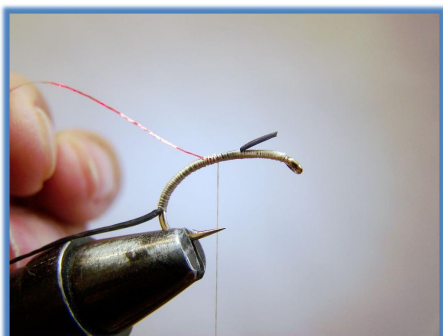
### Step 4

... using touching turns, bind the Flexi Floss onto the hook shank, down and around bend. Release the Flexi Floss and advance the tying thread two-thirds back up hook shank, towards the eye.



### Step 5

Prepare two and a half inches of red holographic tinsel, by cutting at an angle (right to left) and ...



### Step 6

... tie in onto hook shank.



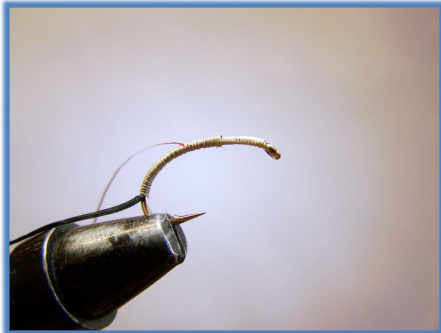
### Step 7

Wind the tying thread up the hook shank to the original tie in position of the Flexi Floss/Spanflex, whip finish and remove the Tan tying thread.



**Step 8**

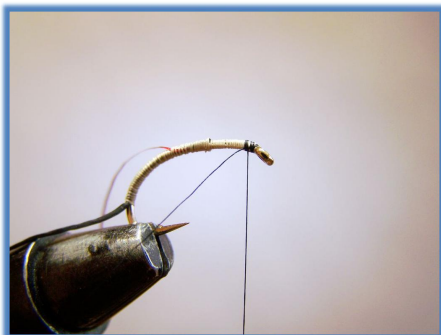
Stretch the waste tag of Flexi Floss (at thorax) and ...



**Step 9**

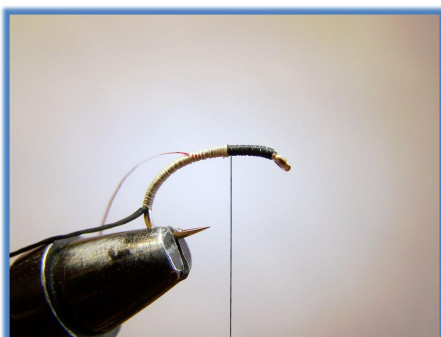
... remove the waste Flexi Floss with tips of scissors (or a scalpel blade).

*Note: The end should disappear under the wraps.*



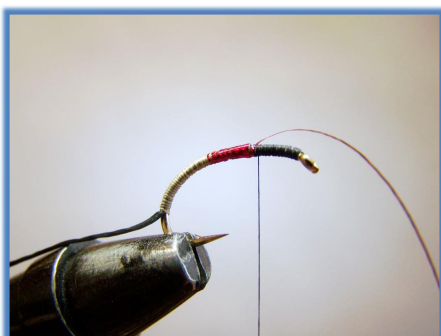
**Step 10**

Catch on the Black 8/0 tying thread.



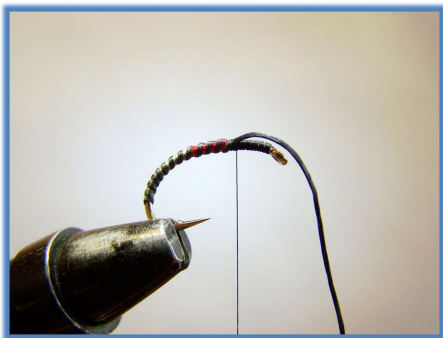
**Step 11**

Remove the waste tag of tying thread and wind the thread, in touching turns, down to the point where you removed the black Flexi Floss.



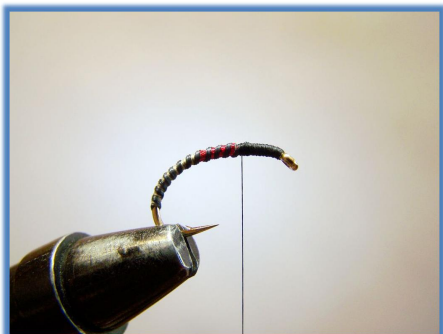
**Step 12**

Wind the red holographic tinsel, in touching/overlapping turns, up to the tying thread and secure.



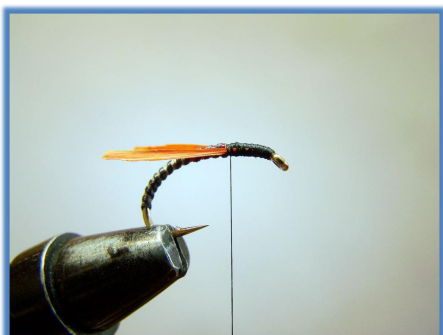
### Step 13

Remove the excess red tinsel and under tension, to start with, wind the black Flexi Floss, in open turns, up hook shank to the tying thread, gradually loosening the tension on Flexi Floss as you go.



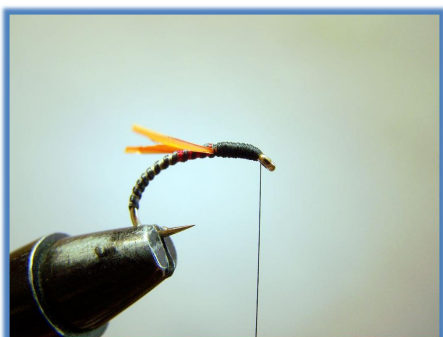
### Step 14

Secure the Flexi Floss, remove waste and build up the thorax slightly with the black tying thread.



### Step 15

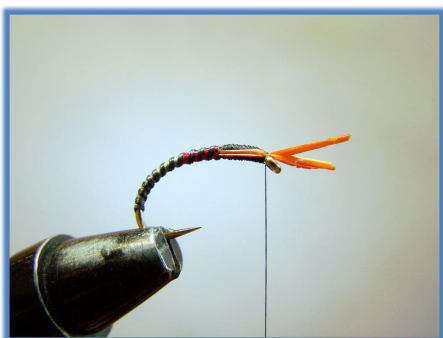
Tie in the hot orange goose biots by their tips, one on either side, with them pointing backwards and ...



### Step 16

... build up the thorax area once more with the black tying thread, leaving the tying thread at the eye.

*Note: If tying in the bow-tie style breathers tie in across the hook shank at this stage.*



### Step 17

Fold both goose biots forward to the eye and secure.



### Step 18

Remove the goose biot waste tags, whip finish and remove the tying thread.



### The Finished Fly

Coat the entire fly with at least **two** coats of Sally Hanson's 'Hard As Nails' varnish.



### The Other Side

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