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1. A new month, another rig, and some more exclusive coverage of Korda's new toys. This month you'll need: silicone, shrink tube, wide gape hooks, Micro Braid and a hooklink material of your choice.



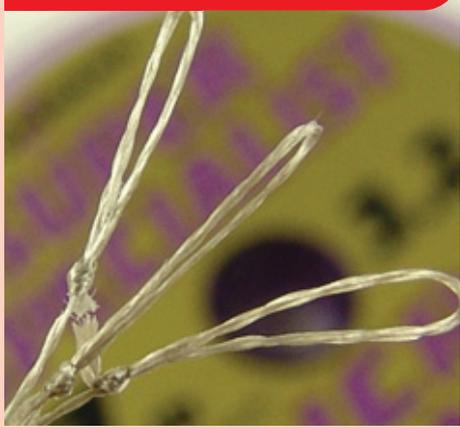
2. Here's something new from Korda – The Rig Toolz Stripper. This handy gadget removes the outer-coating off coated hooklinks.



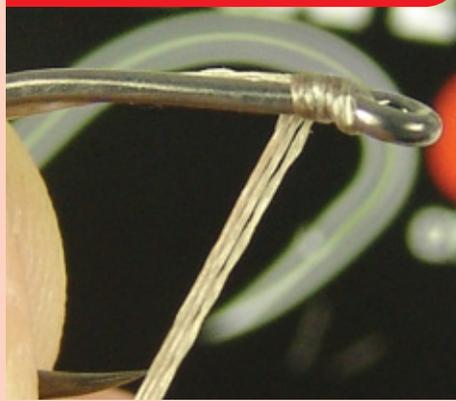
3. It's dead easy to us. Simply put the hooklink material through the gate and pull back. Voila! If you can't get your hands on one yet, then simply use your teeth or fingernails.



4. Cue Micro Braid. Take three lengths of it – each somewhere in the region of 10cms – and tie a Hair loop at the end of each of them.



5. Take the three Hair lengths and pass them through the end of the hook and wrap around the shank of the hook a couple of times as if you were tying a Knotless Knot.



6. Once you've whipped around the shank, pass the ends through the eye of the hook as shown.



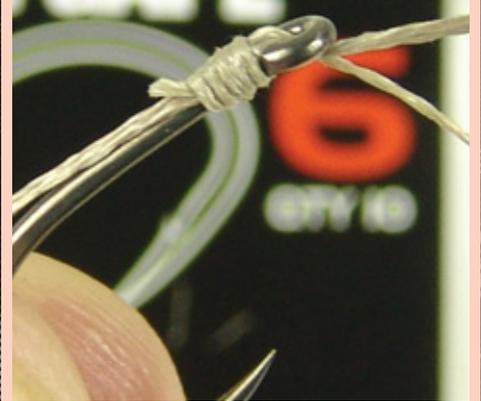
7. Now take your chosen hooklink material and strip back a length of the outer-coating and pass the uncoated section through the eye of the hook.



8. Again, whip the hooklink material around the shank of the hook and over the Hair braid in the same manner you would if you were tying a Knotless Knot.



9. With the knot now secure, take a pair of scissors and take off the remaining hooklink material from the Hair end – as shown.



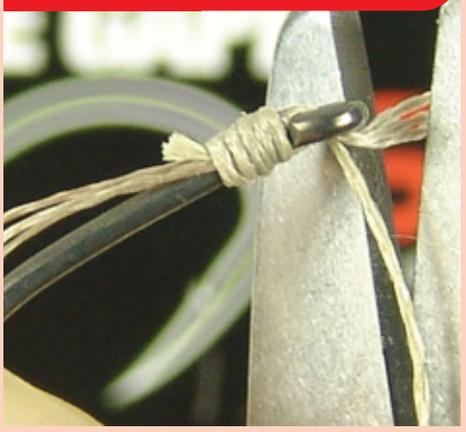


THE MINISTRY MULTI HAIR RIG

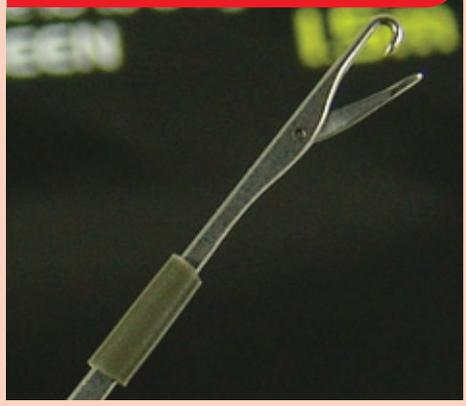
COLD WEATHER'S HERE SO YOU MIGHT NOT CATCH MUCH USING THAT 'BOG STANDARD RIG'. SO... GIVE THIS A TRY. A RIG THAT'LL DAZZLE EVEN THE BRAINIEST OF CARP – HEATHER, YOU'VE HAD IT! NOW ALL YOU'RE LEFT TO DO – GULP – IS GET OUT THERE... PLUS OVER THE PAGE ARE SIX STYLISH GADGETS TO IMPROVE YOUR RESULTS.



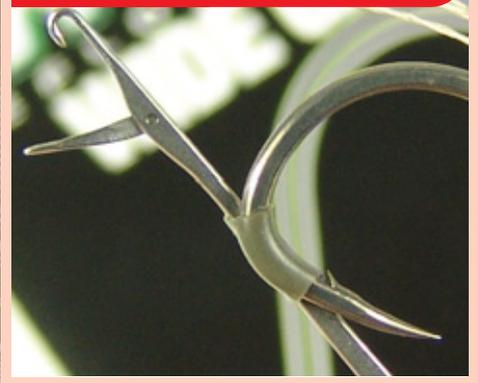
10. Tidy up time! Take the scissors again and trim back the Hair braid – obviously there are three in total.



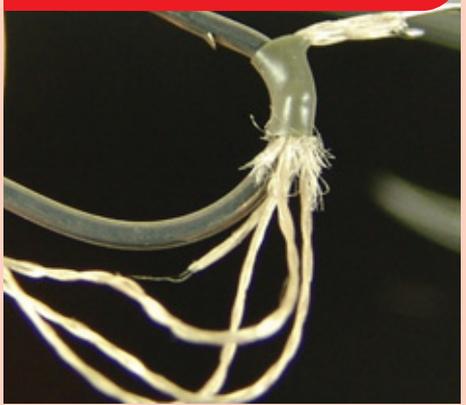
11. Next cut yourself a piece of silicone tubing and pass it on to a splicing needle. This is a 'very crafty' way getting a piece of silicone on to the hook...



12. Push the hook point through the silicone, making sure you, one: don't blunt the hook by rubbing it against the splicing needle. Two: make sure you don't push the hook point through the side of the tubing.



13. Get all the Hair loops and lock them into the gate on the splicing needle. Next pull the needle so you pull all three Hairs through the silicone tubing.



14. Voila! A genius way of doing it and a lot less hassle than the normal route.



15. To make it all look neat and fully secure, cut a length of shrink tube.



16. Thread that down the hooklink and over the eye of the hook. Next boil a kettle and shrink it down so it 'beds' down around the eye of the hook.



17. Hookbait choice! We've decided on tiger nuts, but use whatever you like.



18. The finished product. Three baits to one hook! Not only seriously appealing, but a serious mouthful. Good luck, Mr. Carp!

