

## BASIC RIGS

### Gust Buster

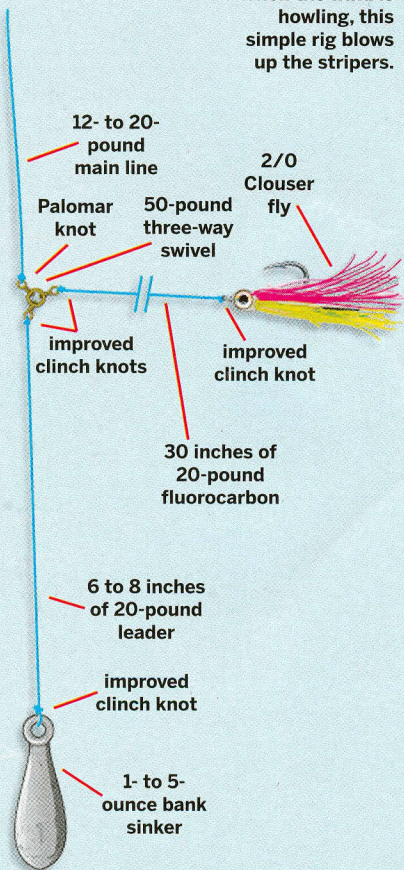
**THIS RIG SCORES STRIPERS NO MATTER HOW WINDY IT GETS.**

If you fish a lot of inlets, you know that many lures lose their action and can't get down when the current is ripping. Likewise, firing a plug into a headwind from a jetty isn't an easy task. This simple rig is designed to launch a mile even in a gale and use the current to its advantage. First, tie a three-way swivel to the main line. Connect a six- to eight-inch dropper with a bank sinker to one eye, while a 30-inch leader with a Clouser fly is connected to the other. Simply launch the rig upcurrent and let it drag across the bottom while keeping a tight line. As the weight moves it pulls the fly right into the zone of feeding bass and weakfish.

— Joe Scott

#### FLY AWAY:

When the wind is howling, this simple rig blows up the stripers.



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