

Epeorus Nymph



Class: Mayfly Nymph
Matches: Epeorus "Pinkies" mayfly nymph
Originator: Unknown
Source: Pattern from Schwiebert's "Matching the Hatch" See Tying recipe

Clay's Notes

The Epeorus is the most important mayfly emergence on the Madison River below Quake Lake. The nymphs are clingers, hanging tightly to the bottom of rocks in the heaviest flows of the river. As they migrate into shore to emerge, they become available to trout.

Epeorus Nymph Tying Recipe – (From Schwiebert's Matching the Hatch)

Abdomen: Rabbit and red fox fur mixed
Thorax: Beaver dubbing
Wing case: Brown mottled turkey feather
Legs: Brown partridge hackle fibers
Tails: Two wood-duck flank fibers (I use more)
Ribbing: Trimmed brown saddle hackle trimmed off on belly and back
Silk: Black

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