

Fox's Springtime Poopah



Class: Nymph - Spring Caddis

Originator: Tim Fox

Source: Tie Your Own

Clay's Notes

This pattern has been my favorite on the Lower Sacramento for years during the Mother's Day Caddis hatch in April. It is a pattern that also has proven to perform on the Lower Yuba with the green bodied caddis. Fish it dead drifted under indicator and watch for subtle takes. Mark your calendar for April 1st and start calling The Fly Shop in Redding to see if the Mother's Day Caddis has started. If it has, make a point to get up to Redding and catch this hatch. I'll even use it as an attractor in the Spring. It's just plain fishy. It has found a place front and center in my "Lower Yuba Fly Box".

Fox's Springtime Poopah Tying Recipe

Hook: TFS 3769, sizes 14-16
Bead: Gold Bead Head, match to hook size
Thread: Pre-waxed 6/0 Thread, peacock
Rib: Ultra Wire, gold - size to match
Underbody: Uni 2-Sided Mylar, peacock
Abdomen: Vernille, yellow Abdomen
Mottling: Waterproof Markers, olive and black
Legs: Partridge, fibers Antennae: Bronze

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