

June Fly of the Month: Blake Boyd's Puff Daddy

With the chapter trip to the South Holston coming up, we repeat the recipe and tying instructions for this very effective low water sulphur imitation. Tie some up in size #16 and if you do not tie, the fly is available at the South Holston Fly Shop.

Recipe:

Hook: TMC 100 size #16

Thread: Light Yellow 8/0

Body: Superfine sulphur dubbing

Wing: Bown CDC

Tying Instructions:

1. Crush down the hook barb and place hook in your tying vise.
2. Beginning at the hook eye wrap the tying thread in tight wraps to the hook bend.
3. Dub a thin body and wrap up to behind the hook eye.
4. Tie-in the CDC feather by the tip behind the hook eye curved side down and trim.
5. Lift the feather and take one turn of thread behind.
6. Make four or five wraps in place and tie down. Make a small neat head and whip finish and trim.
7. Pull feather fibers rearward and trim length even with the back of the hook.

Pretreat the fly with Dry Magic and treat stream side with Frogs Fanny.

Go fishing