

FLY OF THE MONTH – *Walt's Worm*



Many of you who attended last month's meeting enjoyed our own. Andrew Brown's excellent presentation. While Andrew described his competitive fly fishing activities he also showed us his techniques including his specific leader formulas and his favorite flies. As we all saw Andrew's productive fly selection is limited and in his limited is Walt's Worm. Walt's Worm was developed by Walt Young for the famous central Pennsylvania trout streams. I have tied and fished this simple pattern and suggest you give it a try.

Recipe

Hook: Tiemco 3969 sizes #12-#20

Head: Optional gold bead

Weight: .020" wire for #8-10, .015" wire for #12-16, .010" wire for # 18

Thread: 8/0 Uni-Thread

Body: Hares Ear Plus dubbing in tan, gray, olive or green

Tying Instructions:

1. Crush down bead tie-in the thread behind the bead.
2. Wrap the thread to the hook bend.
3. Dub the thread and wrap to the hook eye or bead.
4. Tie-off and trim the thread.
5. With Velcro or a brush, ruff the dubbed body to give it a "buggy" look.

Go Fishing! *The Fly of the Month is provided by Bob Foster. Bob can be contacted at bpfooster2@att.net*

