

Ann's Stickfly



Recipe

Hook: Mustad #94840 Size: 10-12
Thread: Black, 6/0
Underbody: Yellow dubbing, natural or synthetic.
Overbody: Pale deer hair, which also forms the tail and the head which is trimmed to form a top-knot.
Rib: Crisscrossed thread.

Tying Tips: No special techniques needed. The body was originally tied with natural animal hair. It was also tied in gray, orange, green, red and black.

Fishing Tips: General purpose fly. Multipurpose since its silhouette represented a general insect pattern.

Historical Note: This original pattern is a creation of Ann Schweigert who opened her first fly shop in Luzerne, Michigan along with her husband Jack. Ann & Jack remained in business until Jack's death in 1985. This pattern was developed in the late 1930's. This effective pattern is so simple it's almost primitive.

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