My top 10 flies – Keith Gilchrist



Yellow Hares Ear Nymph – particularly good when there are damsels about but can also catch when fish are on any olives.



Normal Hares Ear Nymph – will catch all year but best for Grafham shrimp feeders.



Red Diawl Bach – will catch all year



Pearly Cormorant – a good all-round fly to have if you are pulling



Buzzer (This is Al Owens version) – Would not be without one while the buzzers are in the water.



Muskin – Will again catch throughout the year but particularly good when fish are feeding on buzzer high in the water.



Red Cruncher – great summer pattern.



Hopper – pulled or fished slow another good summer pattern.



FAB – A must have for slowing the fall of other flies and takes fish all year itself.



Booby – for pulling or holding other flies up in the water all year, another must have. This colour combination is sunburst and hot coral with pink/purple eyes and was developed by Col Fairs for the RAF team many years ago. It is still the one I will use above all others.