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If fish are rising, try the tiniest (18 or smaller, preferably) parachute adams you can find, unless you see caddis. If there is caddis use a tan 16-18 tan elk hair caddis. Hoppers, ants and beetles work well in summer. Below surface, small generic nymphs work quite well, like PT, HE, caddis patterns and zebra midge. If you are going to use an indicator, try a foam one or something that doesn't disturb the water too much. Streamers work well when the waters up, even a little. You will see a lot of people crouching and crawling around which is a little overboard IMHO. Just move slowly and practice delicate casts and you will be fine. There are some really long glassy pools with highly visible fish that are very tempting. Whatever you do don't just try and wade out into them. Stepping a single boot into the edge of these pools will send ripples clear across to the other end spooking everything. When fish are active valley is a pleasure to fish. When the fish are not active... Good Luck!