

**A NOTE FROM: Lorie Hagen**

### Missouri River Ice Out



There is no better time than ice out on the Missouri River to catch some nice Northern Pike. All you need to do is find a nice bay that is open and tie a few of Lorie's Pike fly from last months newsletter.



Northern Pike are one of my favorite fish to catch on a fly. If the Pike are there you are guaranteed to catch one with Lorie's pike fly. They just can't resist that fly. It's almost like the angel hair makes the pike mad and they just go into attack mode and the fight is on. They will take your line down to the backing before you can turn them around. Then just when you think they are tired they will do it again. If you like to catch big fish with attitude or if you have never tried it you will be hooked after your first one.

If you have never tried it you really need to add this to your bucket list!

Here are a couple of photos of Pike on a fly

Enjoy

