



Fishing Report 6th June 2022

The first half of the week saw showery weather with patches of blustery changeable winds, this eased in the latter half of the week with just the odd shower at times. Our rod average has risen slightly to just above 2, and although the fish are proving harder to catch, those that are caught are strong, fighting fish with a good number of anglers catching rainbows from 3lb through to 4lb 8oz. There's definitely some good sport to be had out on the water!

On Monday John and Ben Forde had a great day landing ten to the boat between them, great work in less than ideal weather.

Tuesday saw Peter Maguire and Colin Dimond land eight rainbows to the boat, with a combined bag weight of 18lb 10oz. They were fishing as part of the Fly Fishers Lodge 'Cornwallis Cup' competition, and found fishing diawl bachs on a floating line around Upperfields Bay worked well for them.

John Bond joined us on Thursday where he caught and bagged four rainbows, the heaviest weighing in at 4lb 8oz. He fished around buoy 4, fishing deep using black and green lures, a cracking day on the water.

On Friday, Phil Harding just pipped Mr Bond to the post for heaviest rainbow, landing four to the boat with the heaviest weighing in at 4lb 9oz, well done Phil!

Please note we are almost fully booked on this Tuesday. Saturday 11th and Sunday 12th are now completely fully booked.

As always, we thank you for fishing here at Carsington, and we're pleased to share your fantastic results with the rest of our anglers.



Rod Average

The rod average for this week was 2.05 with 115 fish caught by 56 anglers.

Best Rainbow/Brown

The heaviest Rainbow was 4lbs 9oz caught by Phil Harding.

The heaviest Browns were 2lb 8oz caught by Nigel Nixon, Philip Pinder and Ken Hardy.

Top Spot

The most popular spots have been the North End, Upperfields, Millfields and out between the buoys in the main bay.

Methods & Flies

Fish have been caught using a mixture of intermediate and slow sinking lines. Several anglers have also found success fishing a floating line with a midge tip.

The most successful flies were nymphs, diawl bachs, hoppers, cats whiskers, boobies, orange lures, black snakes and black & green lures.

Casting Tuition for Beginners

Our beginner's casting tuition has restarted for the 2022 season.

This is a great opportunity to learn the basics of casting, knots and entomology under the guidance of a qualified instructor. Our qualified instructor will provide all equipment for the course - you are welcome to bring your own. The cost is £40 per person, minimum age 12 years. Booking is essential as places are limited, please visit our website to book your place.

How to Make a Booking for Carsington Water

The best way to make a booking is via our website – www.carsingtonwater.com.

We have two time options for booking a day boat, 8.30 - 17.30 or 9.00 - 18.00. We are also now pleased to be offering a half day 8.30 - 2pm boat option.

If you have purchased multiple permits from us at the beginning of the season then please just book your boat and follow the instructions on the booking page.

Derbyshire County Angling Club - **DCAC** customers also have the same time options.

If you have any problems then please do give us a call.

Pictures

It's good to be able to feature those great catches on our weekly reports. We have already received some great shots, thanks to those who have emailed in.

Please don't hesitate to email photos of your catch to flyfishing@carsingtonwater.com. Remember to note your name, weight of fish, fly used and area caught. We always have a camera in the fishery lodge so let us know if your catch is worth a snap!

Safety Information

Please can we remind our anglers:

- Always wear your killcord whilst the engine is running
- Do not stand up whilst the boat is moving either as driver or passenger
- Wear your lifejacket on top of all other clothing
- Carry a mobile phone

Fishing Reports

Our weekly fishing reports will be emailed out to those on our mailing list and will be available to view on our website: <http://www.carsingtonwater.com/Fishing-Reports.html>.

If you would like to be on our email mailing list then please let us have your details.

http://www.carsingtonwater.com/contact-us/info_2.html

You can also help us with our reports by filling in the fishing catch return forms and putting them in the returns box by the warden's office, plus any pictures are always useful.

We look forward to seeing you throughout the 2022 season.
Don't forget to book your boat in advance to avoid disappointment.

Boats will leave the jetty at either 8.30 or 9am and must be back to the jetty by 5.30 or 6pm respectively.

Please allow sufficient time to return from your fishing spot

Please note that Carsington is a boat fishing water only. It is advisable that boat bookings are made in advance to avoid disappointment. Discounts are available for bookings of 5 or more boats.