



# Carsington Trout fishery

## Carsington Fishing Report

13<sup>th</sup> October 2014



The main news of the week has obviously been our 2014 Autumn Open competition. We had 29 anglers competing for their names on the winners board.

105 fish were caught through out the competition giving a competition rod average of 3.62 which certainly helped our weeks rod average of 3.63.

The earliest weigh in was Boat 35, Ian Ritchie & Ian Gaskill who arrived at the jetty with their 6 fish at 15:20, they were closely followed by boat 12, Brian Shields & Bob Fitzpatrick at 15:27. Both boats therefore gained a 1lbs bonus to add to their total bag weight.

All of the other boats weighed in at 17:15 and once the weights were recorded the winners were announced! See photos below for more details of the winners and [click here](#) for all the results.

A mention should go to young Ben Jacks (age 14) who used an 8'6" rod on a 5 weight line. Some of the best casting we have seen, a great young talent.

We hope to see you all fishing before the end of the season and we will be announcing the Spring Open date next week.

Thanks for all the support given to this years competitions and special thank you to Tony Higton & John Wilson for organising both competitions.



Autumn Open Winners  
Ian Ritchie & Ian Gaskill



Autumn Open  
Heaviest Individual Bag & Heaviest Fish  
Kevin Gaskill

### **Rod Average**

The rod average for this week was **3.63** with 254 fish caught by 70 anglers.

### **Best Rainbow/Brown**

The heaviest rainbow caught this week was 4lbs 14oz by Mr Saxton during the Autumn Open competition..  
The heaviest brown caught was 2lbs by Mr Webster.

### **Top Spots**

The most successful areas have been Millfields, Upperfields Bay, Fishtail creek, Buoy 4, 5, 7, 8, Watersports Island, North end, Brown ale bay and Tower bank.

### **Methods & Flies**

The most successful patterns were black fritz, minkie, white fritz, orange lure, daddy long legs, red booby, bibio, black & green lure, cats whisker, montana and orange blob.  
Most fish have been caught using floating and intermediate line on a fast retrieve.

### **Closing date for the 2014 season**

We are pleased to announce that we plan to stay open this season until Sunday 30th November 2014.  
The boat price during November will be £15.00 and £12.00 for single occupancy Monday to Thursday only. Fishing will be 8.30 am - 4.00pm each day.  
We will have a reduced number of boats during November so we would advise you to book in advance.

### **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](http://www.carsingtonwater.com/contact-us/info_2.html)

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

***Boats can leave the jetty from 8.30am***

***All boats are back to the jetty by 6.00pm***

***Please allow a few minutes 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.