



# Carsington Trout fishery

## Fishing Report 20<sup>th</sup> July 2015



3 nice fish caught by Mr Paterson on Friday, the largest 2lbs 8oz.

A slight increase in the rod average this week, helped by a fine day on Wednesday which produced some good returns.

The weed banks are now starting to appear on the margins, and the water levels have reduced a little, this means tactics might have to change over the coming weeks as the fish move out into the deeper water.

### Rod Average

The rod average for this week was **3.08** with 151 fish caught by 49 anglers.

### Best Rainbow/Brown

The heaviest rainbow was 3lbs 12oz caught by Mr Matthews on a daddy at Brown Ale point. There were no browns recorded this week but a few blues were caught.

### Top Spot

Popular areas this week have been brown ale bay, Upperfields bay, Watersports Island, Sailing Club Island and Millfields. Anglers are moving out into the deeper water as the water temperatures rise.

### Methods & Flies

The most successful patterns were small Black Buzzers, Hot Head Damsel, Cruncher, Damsel Nymph, Diawl Bach, Gold Head Montana, Bibio, Claret Hoppers, Black Spider, Ace of Spades, Cats whisker and Dries. Most anglers have used intermediate and floating lines.

### Catch Returns

Please help us by completing your catch return with as much information as possible. It's great to hear about the methods you are using, flies which have caught and the areas that you have fished. New anglers will be very grateful for this information.

### Please help us keep the boats clean

To help us keep the boats clean for the next angler please ensure all your rubbish is taken out of the boat and please clean your anchors before returning them to the boat. Thanks for your cooperation in advance, fishery staff.

### Carsington Open Competition

Our 2015 Autumn Open Competition is being held on the 10th October 2015. The last 2 competitions have been fully booked so book early to avoid disappointment! Bookings can be made online [here](#)

### Booking Online

It is now possible to book your days fishing online 24/7. It's a great way of making a booking out of hours and checking the availability of boats.

### Fishing Reports

Our weekly reports will be emailed out to those on our mailing list and will be available to view on our website. 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.

*Don't forget to book your boat in advance to avoid disappointment.*

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

**All boats are back to the jetty by 9.00pm**

**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.