



Fishing Report 20th March 2017

With strong winds anglers were certainly tested over our opening weekend unfortunately resulting in lower catch returns on Sunday. After a good opening day with a rod average of 8.8 only 10 fish were caught on Sunday and most of those by a young England International.

Lets hope the sunshine forecast for Tuesday brings more favourable conditions.

Rod Average

The rod average for this week was **6.9** with 160 fish caught by 23 anglers.

Best Rainbow/Brown

The heaviest Rainbow was 3lb caught by Ben Fox & Paul Pearce.

The heaviest Browns were 3lb caught by Pete Eville.

Top Spot

The most popular spots have been around Tower bank, Shinningford Creek, North End, Hall wood and the Back of Islands.

Methods & Flies

The most successful patterns were both wet and dry flies including Boobies, cats whisker, dabble and yellow damsels

Intermediate and sinking lines have all been used this week.

Fly Fishing Triathlon

Great to be supporting Ben Fox with the last leg of his Fly Fishing Triathlon in May. Ben will fish the bank at Kilnsey Park, fish the river Colne and then finish by boat fishing on Carsington Water.

See more details by following the link, he's raising money for a great charity, Young Minds.

Ben's goal was to raise £500 for the charity, he has already reached his goal and has raised over £800. Let's help him to double his goal and raise £1000!

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundrais.../flyfishingforyoungminds>

Spring Open Competition 2017

Our Open Competitions have proved so popular we have released the Spring Open Date early. This is a great competition for all abilities and is fished from boats in known pairs. The 2017 Spring Open Competition will be held on Saturday 6th May. Bookings are currently being taken on the link below - [click 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 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 2017 season.
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 5.30pm

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.