

Carsington Fishing Report

24th March 2014

Despite another tough week with cold windy conditions many anglers have caught large numbers of fish with many catch returns recording double figures. It's been great to see a number of brown trout also being caught. Let's hope for some warmer weather for the next few weeks and some great fishing.



[Will your float vest float? See our article below](#)

Rod Average

The rod average for this week was **4.80** with 246 fish caught by 48 anglers.

Best Rainbow/Brown

The heaviest rainbow this week was 3lbs 8oz caught on a viva near the island by Mr R Crompton.
The heaviest brown was 2lbs 4oz caught on a cats whisker near Tower bank by Mr P Allison.

Top Spots

The most successful areas have been at Shiningford creek, Watersports island, Sheepwash and some caught in the middle of the reservoir.

Methods & Flies

The most successful patterns are black & orange montana, orange fritz, green Montana, cats whisker and orange booby. Most fish have been caught on intermediate and sinking lines.

Will your float vest float?

All gas inflate lifejackets and float vests rely on a simple gas cylinder to fire should you ever fall into the water either from a boat or the bank. Every year we vigorously test our lifejackets and check the firing system to ensure all our customers are safe when afloat. In the pictures above you can see an example of a customer's float vest where the firing system is out of date - this means there is no guarantee the gas will deploy when needed. Please check the expiry date on your float vest prior to your next fishing trip and replace if needed.

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 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.