

Carsington Fishing Report

2nd June 2014

This week has seen a record number of larger fish being caught from 5lbs upwards. Carsington fly fishers have had another successful competition and over the weekend we have seen a number of new anglers fishing Carsington for the first time.



Steve Ibberson caught this 8lb 6oz rainbow on a cats whisker near Fishtail Creek

Rod Average

The rod average for this week was **7.60** with 920 fish caught by 121 anglers.

Best Rainbow/Brown

The heaviest rainbow this week was 8lbs 6oz caught on a cats whisker by Mr Ibberson. The heaviest brown caught was 2lbs 8oz caught by Mr Barker on a black spider. A number of blues were caught but weights were not recorded.

Top Spots

The most successful areas have been stones island, sailing club island, half moon, Millfields, Upperfields bay, and fishtail creek.

Methods & Flies

The most successful patterns are black spider, minky, hares ear, gold head montana, cats whisker, hot head damsels, black buzzers, zonkers and diawl bachs. Most fish have been caught on floating and intermediate lines, close to the margins.

Win a Prize!

River Gwash Trout Farm have kindly donated a tagged fish. This size able rainbow trout was released into Carsington Water on Wednesday. There is a prize of a bottle of whiskey for the first angler to catch the tagged fish. You will find the tag on the dorsal fin, marked by the red arrow on the photo. All you need to do is take a photo of the tag and fish or write down the code on the tag. The fish can be released as long as it is not damaged. Let the fishery warden know that you have caught the fish asap on the day. Good Luck!

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 9.30pm

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.