

Fishing Report 3rd July 2017

Another difficult week for some whilst those who did find the fish managed to catch their bag limit and more. Fish have been found across most of the reservoir with varying methods and techniques used successfully.

Don't forget that we still have our tagged fish competition running, details can be found further down the page.

Remember to show our rangers the fish with tag attached, or a photo showing the tagged fish and angler, on the day so we can verify the catch! There are 12 left to catch by the end of the season!

Rod Average

The rod average for this week was 3.44 with 179 fish caught by 52 anglers.

Best Rainbow/Brown

The heaviest Rainbow was 5lbs 4oz caught by J Matthews.

The heaviest Brown was 3lbs 1oz caught by David Hilton Barber.

Top Spot

The most popular spots have been around Fishtail, Sailing club & Watersports Island however the main basin is also showing results.

Methods & Flies

The most successful patterns were both wet and dry flies including nymphs, damsel, snakes, black & green lure, orange blobs, black buzzer and hoppers.

The main method this week has been sinking lines and sinktips.

25 Year Anniversary Tagged Fish Competition

To mark Carsington Water's 25th Anniversary we have launched a tagged fish competition. We have released 25 tagged fish into the reservoir with a number of prizes to be won for those caught throughout the 2017 season. To date 13 of the 25 fish have been caught so lots more prizes up for grabs. Click here for further details and T&C's

Autumn Open Competition

Carsington is a great venue for Fly fishing competitions and following the success of both our Spring and Autumn competitions we are pleased to announce the date for the 2017 Autumn Open on Sat 7th October 2017. The *Carsington Autumn Open competition* is aimed at all anglers who enjoy a day's boat fishing with a friend. It will be an organised event based on two people per boat with an individual bag limit of 6 fish. Prizes will be awarded for the winning pair with the heaviest collective bag and a number of individual prizes. The cost of entry will be 60.00 per pair including permits and petrol boat hire.

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 9.30pm

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.