Carsington Fishery Report 3rd May 2013

There has been a slight reduction in the rod average this week to 7.64 however this is still much higher for this time of year in comparison to past seasons.

The weather has been a little kinder to us over the later part of the week and the weekend and the sun even shined for the 3rd competition of the season for the Carsington Fly Fishers. See below a link to the results for their competition resulting in a overall competition rod average of 5.1.

Carsington Fly Fishers – Sun 2nd June Competition No. 3

Number of fish landed = 86

Rod average = 5.1

Total weight of fish landed = 184 lbs. 10 oz.

Average fish weight = 2lb. 12oz.

Some excellent results despite fears that the (occasional) bright sunlight might make fishing difficult. Again a special mention to junior member Seth Grimes who bagged up, soundly beating his grandad and now moving up the league in front of the aforementioned person!! See the results table on the following link

http://cffonline.co.uk/styled-2/index.html

Rod Average

The rod average for last week was 7.64 with 810 fish caught by 106 anglers.

Best Rainbow/Brown

There were 2 equal heaviest rainbows this week of 4lbs 8oz caught by Ray Crompton and Andrew Tildesley both caught on buzzers.

The heaviest brown this week was 3lbs 8oz caught by Denis Brinicombe.

Top Spots

The top spots this week have been Shinningford Creek, Tower Bank, Fishtail creek, Sailing club island and Watersports island.

Method & Flies

The most popular fly patterns used this week have mainly black buzzers, daiwl bach, orange fritz, hot head damsel and black cats whisker. Mostly intermediate and floating lines have been used this week.

Casting Lessons for Beginners

We have our next casting lesson for beginners on Sunday 9^{th} June. This is a great way to get into fly fishing for the first time. It is a 2 hour session and all the equipment will be provided. The cost is £30.00 per head and must be booked in advance; just give the centre a call to book a place.

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. Bookings taken by telephone on 01629 540478 or email flyfishing@carsingtonwater.com