



## Fishing Report - Week ending Sun 10<sup>th</sup> August 2025

Another cracking week with the rod average increasing to 4.75.

It's been a mixed bag of weather, mostly dry with overcast breezy conditions for the start of the week, ending with a glorious sunny day on Sunday.

Catch returns have shown amazing results especially for this time of year, the slightly cooler weeks have certainly paid off and kept the fishing at its best.

Many anglers have fished around Millfield's and the Dam Wall keeping with sheltered areas from the westerly winds.

Others have ventured into the main basin, drifting down the middle and especially into the North End.

Most anglers have fished deep with a mix of slow or sinking lines using a variety of colours of snake. Some have chosen to stick closer to the surface and Sunday certainly gave the option for floating lines catching a number of fish sub surface. We have even seen reports of hoppers and daddies being successful.

Fish size and condition has been a talking point this week with many anglers reporting perfectly formed fish with amazing tail fins, all weighing 3lbs upwards. Our heaviest recorded rainbow being 4lbs 4oz.

Our water levels are continuing to drop steadily, and this has resulted in us reducing the amount of boats available ready to go on the jetty. Please ensure you book ahead so we can make sure we have your boat ready to go as some may be out on mooring and will need to be brought in, cleaned and prepped ready for your arrival.

Despite the water levels dropping this has certainly not affected the fishing so get booked in and have a fabulous day out in these beautiful conditions.

### DCAC Members - Update

Just a quick note to let all DCAC members know that we have a good amount of tickets left for the 2025 season. We have seen an increase in members visiting over the past 2 weeks and many have been asking about availability. Please ensure you do book your boat ahead of visiting, this can be done via our website which is operational 24/7 or you can give reception a call between 8.30am - 5pm each day.

### Rod Average

The rod average for this week was 4.75 with 157 fish caught by 33 anglers.

### Best Rainbow/Brown

The heaviest rainbows caught this week weighed approx. 4lbs 4oz caught by Phil Harding who fished the Middle of the main basin using a Di5 and a olive lure.

Jimmy & Andy fished on their DCAC membership on Saturday and had a cracking day catching fish of 4lbs. They reported having 22 fish between them from around the Dam Wall.

### Methods & Flies

Most popular methods have been mostly fast sinking lines or slow sinking lines, washing line, fast glass and sink tips. The most popular flies have been orange blobs, orange boobies, black & white fritz, all varieties of snakes, zonkers, cats whiskers and hoppers.

### Top Spot

The most popular spots have been Millfields, around the Tower, Dam Wall, buoys 5, 7 & 10 also drifting down the middle have proved very popular.

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### **.Jetty Times**

Now that the clocks have changed, we have fishing options of, 8.30 – 17.30, 9.00 – 18.00 or 8.30 – 14.00. Please make sure you choose a suitable time option when booking online.

Our online booking system is live, see detail below on how to make your booking

**All boats must be booked in advance.**

[Click here for prices and booking](#)

