



BRANSFORD FARM
FISHERIES & HOLIDAY LET

Newsletter

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Ooh the month Spring officially starts - yippee! I love spring and it's new hope. There are a few things coming up that you may want to join in with or have ideas about. Let me know if you do.... Love, Emily & Terry x

February Fishing Report

We have had a brilliant busy February with everyone catching well despite the storms, wind and rain. The week days are getting slightly busier with the latter end of the week being very busy. I can see from our record sheets that you have been using Damsel fly and the old faithful Montanas with good success and that our largest fish caught was a 9lb+ from Steve Bayley. Well done, Steve! We are still stocking weekly, although we had to fill up twice last week due to a hectic weekend. We don't stock on the same day - it makes sure we keep you on your toes 😊

Arrow Angling

Have you seen the company Arrow Angling in Redditch? It's a small business that values you, has good quality gear but with no silly prices. Marc Bridger is the owner and also a customer of ours. Look online – I'm sure you won't be disappointed

www.arrowangling.co.uk

Raffle items

Thank you so much to all of you that have donated items for our charity raffle being held on Saturday March 12th. I will start selling tickets at 50p a strip, this week (that's raffle tickets – not for Terry to do the Full Monty! 😊). Pop into the office to purchase.

Family Fishing Day - Saturday March 12th 10 am – 2pm

We have arranged games, hot dogs and burgers, spare rods, games, free casting sessions, spare rods, hot drinks and great raffle prizes for the day. Please bring yourselves, your partners, children (young or old) and enjoy a spot of fishing or just the lakes. No pressure – just fun. If there is enough children I can run a little competition to see who catches the biggest fish over the day. If you would like to sell anything on the day and have a tabletop for whatever, not necessarily fishing, then let me know.

Please note that children must be supervised at all times and running around the pools is not permitted for safety reasons

March Competition

On Saturday 26th March, we are holding our friendly competition. Thank you to the 9 competitors that have already signed up – I shall be emailing the details through in the next week or so. Please note that the catch and release will still be operational on that day and normal angling will resume after 2.30pm. There are a couple of spaces free if you want to enter. Normal ticket price applies +£10 for breakfast and lunch also.



Holiday Let

I'm delighted to say that we are booking up well in the Fisherman's Lodge. The end of March, April and all of May has been booked. Please share our Facebook posts to increase our publicity. It helps keep the fishery running in these difficult times as does supporting our event days.

Looking ahead



I'm looking ahead at Easter (mostly because I'm trying to give up Gin for Lent!) and so I'd like to make you aware that we will also be holding an Easter Egg hunt and fun activities for children on Bank Holiday Monday (18th April) and also a Tackle Sale (April 30th) if you would like a stall – let me know. We shall also be holding The Troutmasters Competition on Sunday 24th April. Please be aware normal fishing will resume after 2.30 pm on that day also.

Thank you

Just a final note to say a genuinely big thank you to all of you. Whether you come once a week or twice a year, whether you donate items, tell a friend, share a post or come down to our event days – we really do appreciate your help and support. In such difficult times, I really believe in supporting and looking after one another and saying a massive thank you for it all too ❤️

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