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#### A WARM WELCOME AWAITS...

With the world being a little grim at the moment, health difficulties, financial constraints, and the dark short days, life can sometimes feel like you are walking through treacle.

Remember the kettle is always on here and a friendly smile is ready. It doesn't matter if you aren't fishing that day and just passing by...we enjoy the company.

Tight Lines, Emily & Terry x



## "AUTUMN CARRIES MORE GOLD IN ITS POCKETS THAN ALL THE OTHER SEASONS" JIM BISHOP

October saw the majority of anglers catching their tickets. The same flies seem to be popular; diawl bach, gold headed nymphs and flies with some flash of colour. The wind has made casting a little difficult and so has the driving rain. But as the lakes will tell, we need the water, just pack your wellies. We have had some good catches this month too with a few of the larger ones that have been put in, caught. But never fear! There are plenty of bigger fish in there too. Don't forget that if you catch anything roughly over 7lb and you want to throw if back in, you will receive on of our coveted Bransford mugs! Ooohhh.

#### **Events Coming up.**

*Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> November* – we are closed for a private, corporate fishing event.

*Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> November* - Friendly Competition. Last one of the year. Book in with Emily asap. £35 heaviest 4 fish bag. £12 for lunch and breakfast.

*Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> December* - Mince pies and mulled wine. A Christmas get together with friends. 1:30-4pm Let Emily know if you are interested.

#### **Calendars**

The calendars all sold out so fast! I have re-ordered from our local printers and they should be in very shortly. They have next years events pre-printed on there so you will never miss an event again 🗐

### Rods for sale

We have a small selection of rods for sale in the office from Arrow

Angling, who like us, believe in just getting people fishing. You don't need expensive equipment - you just need to know how to use it! A big thank you to those people that dropped reels off after our last plea in the previous newsletter. It is greatly appreciated

If you would like us to stock certain items or equipment, please let me know and I can get it in for you.

#### **Raffle Prizes**

We are hoping to hold a raffle on our Christmas get together ( $10^{th}$  December) to raise funds for our chosen charity, Macmillan. After our successful fund raising last year of £510 +, we are hoping to top that next year. So if you have any unwanted gifts, a spare bottle of wine (if there is such a thing?), a jar of homemade jam etc. that you could donate we would be grateful. I will set up a table in the office to drop off and display the prizes. I promise it will be better organized than the tombola earlier this year!!

#### Social Media

Love it or hate it, it's a powerful tool if used correctly. If you are on Instagram or Facebook and follow us, please like and share our posts to help our small business. It's just a click of a button for you but may help us a lot.

#### Shameless Panto Plug!

If you have children/grandchildren or a young at heart nature and fancy seeing an amateur pantomime of Cinderella at The Norbury Theatre in Droitwich in January then please go online and book tickets. There are leaflets in the anglers kitchen for details. Emily is in the chorus – so if you hear or see strange things in the office, more than normal, then assume that extra rehearsals are going on! Cue terrible puns and cliches...

#### Bed & Breakfast

We are now only a Bed and Breakfast! (After a few prebooked guests) It's harder work for us but less hassle and damage to the property. We are on Booking.com (id 8730362) if you fancy a stay over and increase your fishing time or just a relaxing break, then check the calendar out online there to see what is available. If you see a date that is free, let me know as the discounted prices are on the board in the kitchen. Prices begin at £65pp inc breakfast. There is also 25 % off your fishing ticket

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