

Hello everyone,

October is upon us – one of my favourite months. Just a few things to note and to ask you this month.

Events

Our competition date is Saturday 18th October and we are full now so entries are now closed. The catch and release pool will be the only pool open in the morning although after 2pm the other pools will reopen as the competition is expected to be finished by then.



This is the only competition of 2025. There will also be a lost property/ donations sale on the day as I am getting over run with your kind donations. So, no more for the moment thank you.

Telephone – could you please leave your phone number when you call as they are not saved – neither is the date so please tell me what day you called.

If you need to ask any urgent questions, it is always best to email them in as we are rarely in the office but emails get checked 3 or so times a day.

Fish

If you weren't aware, we have a very large (6/7lb +) golden trout, 'Nemo', in the lakes as well as Moby Dick the Rainbow trout. Please return both safely, keeping it in the net in the water. Nemo has been caught this week already and safely returned.

Food

Emily has been off sick for a little bit but is now here from Thurs – Sun. So if you want a breakfast sandwich (£5) or full English (£10) give her a text the night before. Also, now that the B & B is quieter (private booking only), we are thinking of doing homemade soups and sandwiches for you. Look out for menus in the kitchen and again, email or text for be preferred but you can always check on the day.



The Mole Hill

Reminder – minimum 2 night stay. Reduced for the winter to £225 in total. Fishing in daylight only.

Rules

Please remind yourselves of the rules. Some people are forgetting the golden rules for a happy fishery:

- Pay before you fish – even a top up ticket
- Write yourself on the sign in sheet – safety. We need to know you are here
- Record your return – how can I stock efficiently if I don't know what has been taken?
- Catch and release in that pool only and with barbless flies. Make sure you have removed the barb correctly if that's what you do. Ideally buy barbless!! We have some in stock.
- **Throw cigarette ends, trash and line in the bin please. People are throwing cups and trash on the floor so we are thinking of banning drinks and smoking by the pools because of it.**
- Speak to other anglers with respect. If you have an issue or spot something you don't like, let us deal with it please.
- Return Brown trout and Golden trout If your catch is bigger than you want- you are allowed to return once.

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