

ST MICHAEL FLY FISHERS

NEWSLETTER

*DEVER SPRINGS
Sat 14th November 2015*



JOE GIVING HIS BRIEFING

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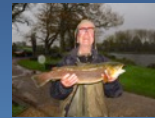


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HIGHLIGHTS OF THE DAY

1. FANTASTIC TURNOUT 23 OF US
2. BOB FULTON'S 6LB PLUS BROWN
3. GREAT BREAKFAST AT 10.30
4. A LOWLIGHT. WIND AND RAIN YUK
5. WELL-SUPPORTED RAFFLE. THANKS GUYS
6. STEVE ROBINSON'S 18LB FISH (NO IT WAS A CARP)
7. A WARM LODGE TO SHELTER FROM THE WEATHER
8. DAVE BROOME BAGGING UP TO WIN THE DAY WITH 21LB 8OZS JUST BEATING MARTIN EASTMENT BY 5OZS. WELL DONE BOTH OF YOU
9. RICHARD HARRISON WITH BEST FISH 7LB 14OZS
10. WE ALL GOT TO GO HOME EARLY!!



STEVE ROBINSON

THINKING HE HAS A MONSTER ON HIS LINE DISCOVERS IT'S A CARP

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BOB'S STUNNING BROWN



6lb 6ozs

RICHARD'S BIGGEST FISH



7lb 14ozs



Day captains report By JOE TUFO Esq

Another great venue in our 2015 Calendar full of great expectation and hope, shame the weather once again did not oblige. Started dry, but after completing the Captain's briefing the weather drastically worsened giving way to squally heavy showers, with a stiff wind that persisted for most of the day making casting from some banks extremely difficult.

The venue was split into three zones, two on the main lake, and one on the smaller lake. We kicked off at 8.30 with three moves of 40 minutes intervals. The weather proved to be difficult to say the least with only about 20 fish being caught during this session before our very welcome breakfast at 10.30, giving us all a chance to warm up in the clubhouse.

Some unusual fish were caught other than trout, and this included a Golden Carp of around 18lbs by Steve Robinson, plus a small Jack Pike (see photos) After breakfast we resumed with free roaming, with most members gravitating towards the top lake, as this was good for stalking with good visibility to the bottom. However it proved to be a little difficult as the fish became aware of the many varied patterns being used, which included all varieties of damsels, and Minkies.

Owing to the deteriorating weather we decided to weigh in early at 3pm. Biggest bag of the day weighing 21lb 8ozs went to a well tanned, and determined David Broome. Biggest fish at 7lbs 14ozs went to Richard Harrison, and another prize went to Bob Fulton for a wonderful Brown Trout of 6lb 6ozs. I must give a mention to Martin Eastment, the only other angler who bagged up on the day, for his bag weighing in at 21lbs 3ozs. Just pipped to the post by 5ozs, well done.



Richards prize for biggest fish



*Bob's prize for the wonderful Brown
Dave's prize for best bag*



Next Event Lechlade Sat 12th December & Our AGM



*Fancy catching one like this Lechlade
Brown Trout*

No need to tell you about this fishery.

At this time of the year there are plenty of big doubles for you to catch both Rainbows and Browns

BREAKFAST AT 10.30

In the Lodge

Meet at the fishery by 8am. Tackle up and make your way to the lodge, and grab a tea, coffee and biscuit. We will aim to start around 9am with maybe 2 sessions before breakfast at 10.30. After breakfast it will be free roaming, and the boats will be available. This is a non-competition day, however we might find a prize for the biggest fish. If it turns cold Michael's Soup Kitchen will operate. Then around 4pm we will hold our AGM, details to follow via e mail. Tea cakes etc will be served at this time, and **THE SECRET SANTA RAFFLE will take place.** We ask each of you to bring along a seasonal, or fishing related gift with a minimum value of between £10 and £15. No more, and no less please. Each of the gifts will have a raffle ticket attached, and you will each be given an envelope with the other part of the raffle ticket, which will determine your gift.