

Bewl Water fishing report 17.08.19



Total number of returns	19
Total rainbows from returns	69
Rod average from returns	3.63
Average fish weight	2lbs 4oz
Best fish	2lbs 12oz

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Water level	78%
Water temperature	17c

Anglers experienced horrendous conditions last weekend, so much so that for the first time this season, boats were suspended due to winds gusting upwards of 50mph! We have seen only a handful of returns, with fly anglers citing the wind prohibiting presentation as the major cause for lack of success.

On a positive note, the water temperature has decreased to a more manageable 17c, so catch & release has been re-instated. Now is the time to start thinking about autumnal fly patterns such as Daddies, Hoppers & Dailbach.

Any method anglers have also found the going hard, but in general have been catching far more than by fly. Paste is proving popular, more so than spinning. The favoured areas were much like last week with '**Chingley Point**' and the '**Towers**' both producing. Fish are likely to be more widespread than previous weeks, and probably higher in the water.

Each month, for offering your catch returns, we draw a name at random to win a free boat. The August winner is **Clive Jones**. Please call the lodge to claim your prize!

Don't forget to sign up to our loyalty scheme next time you are in the lodge –

Hire 8 boats, - Get one free!

We are relying on your catch returns to provide as accurate data as possible on the fishing conditions, don't forget that each month we will choose one return to win a free boat on a return visit, there are several ways to submit your return:

- By filling out your permit and posting it in the box by the lodge or passing it to one of the team.
- By emailing fishing@bewlwater.co.uk
- By filling out our online catch return form on www.bewlwater.co.uk/fishing.
- By giving us a call on 01892 890352.

We need your catch reports for a number of reasons,-

- – To evaluate stock control.
- – To provide best possible information and advice.
- – To note where fish are located.