More News from Vauxhall Anglnig Club

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Welcome to the Autumn Edition of our Newsletter.

Well it now looks like the dry mild spell of weather is over and the rain and more seasonal temperatures are with us.

This is the time of year that the more hardy of us look forward to some quality chub fishing and the pike anglers take to the pits again.

From the 1st December the reduced membership rates will apply. Check your book or the website for details. If you have a friend thinking of joining now would be a good opportunity to tell them. For an adult member this is less than half the price of the full book and also entitles them to apply for a Spring ticket next season.

With regard to the River Great Ouse at Radwell and Sharnbrook the bailiffs have reported that some members have asked for the Club to stop spraying the bank top with weed killer. We have done this in the past to make access to the water easier for the angler, if this is not wanted by the members, it will save a lot of work! Obviously, individual anglers would have to make whatever swim they choose, fishable.

If you have an opinion on this please drop the Chairman a line at: vauxac@yahoo.co.uk

The Tingrith Manor Complex will be closed the whole day on Thursday 26th November 2015 whilst the access road and car parking areas are levelled and fresh hard standing are put in place.

We have been sent some great photos over the course of the summer. We would rather include pictures than words so please forward any photos of fish or venues to:

publicityofficervauxhallac@gmail.com

Now for some general fishery news.



### Manor Lake Tingrith

Novembers Match saw Tex Marshall winning again fishing his favourite long pole and pellet method with Brian Wood, by contrast, coming in second using a short pole and paste. Others were struggling for bites but still produced respectable nets of fish.

Positions were as follows:

83 lbs 14ozs
48 lbs 8ozs
37 lbs 9ozs
27lbs 8ozs
24 lbs 13ozs
24 lbs 10ozs

Other weights ranges from 23lbs to 13 lbs. 18 fished for a very respectable overall weight of 420 lbs.

#### **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

For those that fancy their chances in the Christmas Match this is to be fished on Sunday 6th December 2015.

The Club have put up £200 worth of prizes and there is lunch to follow.

Please contact John Wilson on: 07505489832 for further information. There are limited spaces.

## Sharnbrook Pits

After the three record breaking fish reported in the last news letter the summer fishing continued in good form. Our stocking of Pits 4A, 5 and 6 over the last four years has produced steady results with many of the stocked carp now pushing towards 20 lbs.

Pits 1,2,3 and 4 continue to prove productive with a fine mix of large carp and tench. For those that enjoy fishing for silver fish these Pits are well worth a look and there have been steady catches of perch between 2 and 3 lbs.

Take a look at some of the fish reported through to us.



Thanks to Craig Martin for sending in this picture of our golden koi weighing in at 18 lbs 8ozs. This fish seems to growing at a rate of 2-3 lbs a year so should be into the 20's next season.



Also on the same night this fine 31 lb 10oz common fell to Craig together with a 12 lb mirror. Not bad for a night session!



New to the Fishery Brian Reece found this 'early days' common weighing in at 26 lbs 2ozs.

### Sharnbrook/Radwell River Great Ouse

Following the first overnight frost of winter some may have doubted the chances of those fishing the November match held at Radwell on Sunday. Nevertheless 21 anglers turned up in hope and weren't disappointed. As ever the fish were shoaled up which left some lucky and some unlucky. The winning weights were:

1st	Ray Hickman	16 lbs 15 ozs
2nd	Pete Hawley	16 lbs 2 ozs
3rd	<b>Graham Cakebread</b>	10 lbs
4th	Paul Caton	9lbs 7 ozs
5th	Chris Fuller	8 lbs 10 ozs
6th	Alex Graham	7 lbs 11 ozs

Ray's catch included a chub to 5 lbs 15 ozs and several perch the best weighing in at 3 lbs 3 0zs ( picture bottom right)

Over 100 lbs of fish were weighed in on the day.

For the Specimen anglers the barbel are elusive but can still be caught. Thanks to Les Day for volunteering his his photo of this fine 16 lb 4 oz specimen taken in early October (photo top centre) and to Russell Emms pictured with this 9 lb 2 oz fish caught in September (photo bottom left).







# <u>Woburn</u>



Thanks go to Mike Bowers for sending in this picture of a 22 lbs 8oz mirror caught from the venue.

## Grand Union Canal Cosgrove

We don't often talk about this lovely stretch of the canal we share with DATS. However we were asked if we would support some filming for an up and coming film covering the subject of disabilities which, all being well, is to be shown at this years Berlin Film Festival. Our thanks go to the actor, Stacey Gough, for the use of the image.

This stretch is always worth a look when the river is unfishable. There are good quality bream and roach and reported through to us this year was the capture of a 30+ carp.

We are waiting a photo. If it was your fish please send the picture in to: publicityofficervauxhallac@gmail.com





### **River Lee Hoddesdon**

Another of our fisheries not often mentioned is the half mile or so we have on the River Lee just south of and including Fieldes Weir. This famous barbel river also hold a fine head of bream, carp, chub and perch. Our

thanks go to Bob Hornegold for sending in a fine collection of photos. Left to right - 3 lb 6oz Perch, 35 lb Mirror - bottom left 3 lb 15oz perch.









## Angling Coaches Required.

A4S Outdoors are a charitable organisation that are committed to offering young people a sense of well-being and purpose to better equip them to lead fulfilling lives.

They are in need of Angling Coaches and have asked us if we have any members that would be willing to help.

Please contact the Publicity Officer if you feel able.

### publicityofficervauxhallac@gmail.com

### A full prospectus can be viewed here:

http://www.vauxhallanglingclub.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2015/11/A4S-Prospectus-Print-ready.pdf

## Forum Registration.

We will be shortly be updating our forum records.

If you have registered on the forum this year with your 2015/16 book number you need to do nothing.

If you registered with the forum when it was first created or any time before the 2015/16 Season please log in and add this year's book number to your user profile by using 'Edit my Profile'.