

#### Dear \*|MMERGE2|\*

As another season moves towards a close please remember that these last few weeks on the River can bring huge rewards in the shape of the ever growing population of large chub and perch.

For the time being the River Great Ouse is back within it's banks and looking good. The lakes at Sharnbrook are currently populated with a growing membership that enjoy fishing for pike and Tingrith fishes steadily on with improvements to the access and parking making life easier for everyone.

We had a good turnout to the A.G.M. and we are sorry that due to illness or work the Chairman and some of the Officers were unable to attend. Notes relating to rule changes are listed below.

To allow us time to process and return Spring Tickets now would be good time to apply. Please remember we updated our records over the Christmas Holiday so, if you didn't take the opportunity to update your profile before then, simply follow the forum log in procedure making sure you follow your user profile to the very bottom and add in book number and post code.

If there is anything in particular that you would like to see included in this newsletter please drop a line to the Publicity Officer - publicityofficervauxhallac@gmail.com or direct through the Club Contacts page on the web site.

We always appreciate news from members covering fish catches and pictures so please share them with us either by sending them in, or posting direct to Facebook.

Look out for the new photographic competition starting shortly. Details will be posted on the web site.

## **Annual General Meeting**

The following changes have been made to the Club structure and rules:

- 1) Club Rule 16 updated there will never be less than 4 Trustees acting for the Club these are currently Dave Maple, John Maple, Tex Marshall and Alan Hobbs.
- 2) Keep net and night fishing restrictions are now lifted from Pit 4A at Sharnbrook Club Waters page 23.
- 3) Rule 4 Affiliation Members of the I.P.A. will now be allowed to fish our stretch of the River Ivel at Girtford Bridge. This will be revoked in the event of abuse in any way.
- 4) The Club encourages members to attend work parties as,after all, the only aim is to improve your fishing experience. If required, as an extra incentive, the Club offers discounted membership for volunteers to a maximum of 50% discount. To qualify for this a minimum of 2 x 4 hour work parties must be attended.

  If you would like to help please contact any of the Officers Committee members.

## **Tingrith**

For those that have not been down to Tingrith Manor for a short while you will notice some major changes. Following extensive works the the roadway through the fishery has been extensively improved and the Woodland Car Park fully resurfaced. Whilst there is still more to do we hope you enjoy the benefit of work carried out too date.

The fishing is good to, as the stocking programme continues to show results. Pictured below is Dave Maple with a Mirror of 8 lbs and Roger King with a common of 10 lbs.

If you fish Tingrith regularly please share some pictures with us.









# **Tingrith Manor Club Match February 2016**

Where would you expect to find our match anglers on Valentines Day? Well at Tingrith Manor Lake of course!

With a cold blustery wind sweeping across the lake 15 hardy souls sat down to slog it out for top places.

The 'tip' prevailed over the pole with the top six as follows:

1st John Clennet 78 lbs 11 ozs 2nd Stuart Teabold 61 lbs 7 ozs 3rd Tex Marshall 46 lbs 11 ozs 4th Warren Downey 31 lbs 13 ozs 5th Brian Wood 28 lbs 7 ozs 6th Tony Kay 24lbs 8 ozs 15 fished for a total weight in excess of 375 lbs..

If you fish the Manor Lake on a regular basis and would like to compete contact John Wilson on:

07505 489832

### Radwell And Sharnbrook

The River Great Ouse was in fine form leading up to Christmas, just before it over-topped its banks.

Rob Creswell took time out to go looking for some chub and wasn't disappointed.

In early December he caught a 6 lbs 13oz fish and, just before the holiday period, spent another session looking for more specimens.

This time round he started with three fish in three casts, the biggest weighing 6 lbs 13ozs. After a short lull in the afternoon the rod wrenched round to produce a fish of 7 lbs 1oz.

Rob has fished the River at Radwell since he was a boy so has put in plenty of hours to be this successful.





As some of you will have seen on 'Total Fishing' Matt Hayes has spent many hours on the River Great Ouse looking for perch. Not to be outdone David Sansom recently spent time at Radwell and landed 6 perch over 2 lbs, one of just

over 3 lbs and the best of the day a fine fish of 3 lbs 14 ozs. What bait you ask? All were caught using a maggot feeder. Both David and Rob Creswell featured in a recent edition of the Angling Times.



### Sharnbrook Lakes

As outlined above there have been a number of members out looking for pike and pictured here is a picture of Colin Two with a fine double figure fish.







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