

Paper Mill Trout Fishery and Cafe

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Report Week beginning February 6th 2017

At the fishery this week the weather has been mixed with some days being cold with hard frosts and other days with easterly winds and heavy rain, when you get days with these weather conditions you have to adapt to what the lake is like, for instance as the water warms on a frosty day there are hatches so you need to go small and try either on top of the surface or just under with natural flys such as hoppers, shipmans, buzzers and dawl bachs. Anglers this week have been rewarded with some nice fish, Steve Phillips caught a cracking brown which weighed approximately 14lb plus which took him over 10 minutes to get it in he caught on it on a daddy which he tied himself the brown was safely returned, Josh Westwood age 11 caught a cracking rainbow weighing 11lb 11oz caught on a orange hothead damsel the total bag weight for 3 fish was 19lb 5oz and Rob Sweet had a cracking start to his days fishing on Sunday when he caught a superb 9lb 10oz rainbow on a blue flash damsel. Best flys of the week have been damsels, buzzers, white minkys and daddys. We will be closed this Sunday the 12th of February 2017 for our second round of the winter league competition sponsored by Trinity Nursing Services.

For info

FLY:

Lawrence Morgan 3 fish 9lb 8oz caught on a buzzer.

Wyn Evans 4 fish 13lb 1oz caught on a damsel.

Rhys Thomas 3 fish 10lb 11oz caught on a daddy



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Remember

If you are planning a trip to the fishery, whatever the day, but especially at weekends, ring up and book your visit a couple of days before. The number is on the front page. The fishery will get busier as the weather improves.

The fishery is closed this Sunday, February 12th, for the second winter series competition.

The Essential Fly has just published their latest hatch chart



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Cafe

If you are working and going to visit the cafe you can ring up and order your breakfast when you are on the way, as long as you are already known to Debbie and Jenna

Newsletter

I want to increase the number of people who receive the newsletter. If you know of anyone who wants a copy please ask them to leave their email address at the cafe

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