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FISHERY NEWSLETTER

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Welcome to our first fishery newsletter.

We are aiming to produce a newsletter on a regular basis with a view to keeping you informed about what is happening here at Curborough Fishery.

Keeping You Informed

The website is in the process of being updated so bear with us until this is sorted, in the mean-time please continue to use it and the Twitter feed to keep yourselves up to date with information about where the matches and pleasure pegs are located from day to day.

Flippin' Fishing Fantastic!

There have been some amazing catches across our 3 waters throughout the late summer months and into early autumn. Pleasure anglers have been taking advantage of our loyalty scheme and are reporting superb returns from their days fishing with lots of personal bests. Match records have been broken, broken again...and then again!

At the time of publishing this years best weights stand as follows:

Swan: Graham Lane, 227lb-4oz, peg 41, 28th August (*New Record*)

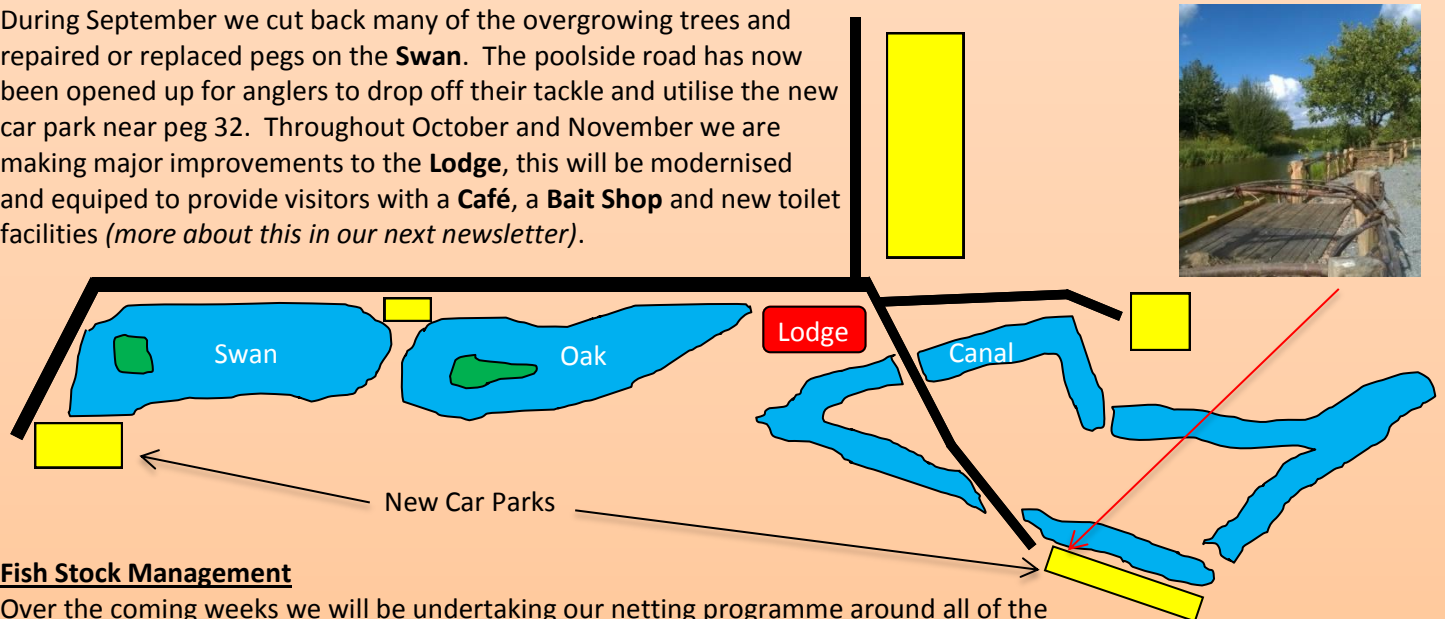
Oak: Gary Willey, 166lb-4oz, peg 19, 5th October (*New Record*) &

Canal: Graham Lane, 155lb-12oz, peg 37, 4th September.

Groundworks

We hope that you have noticed the changes and improvements around the site, we are committed to continue regeneration well into 2015. During August we revamped the section of the **Canal** for disabled anglers to provide increased room and safety together with additional parking, these are now designated as pegs 46 to 50.

During September we cut back many of the overgrowing trees and repaired or replaced pegs on the **Swan**. The poolside road has now been opened up for anglers to drop off their tackle and utilise the new car park near peg 32. Throughout October and November we are making major improvements to the **Lodge**, this will be modernised and equipped to provide visitors with a **Café**, a **Bait Shop** and new toilet facilities (*more about this in our next newsletter*).



Fish Stock Management

Over the coming weeks we will be undertaking our netting programme around all of the fishery waters to allow us to monitor and manage our fish stocks, this essential annual process is the reason for the good health of our fish and the amazing match and pleasure weights recorded this year. This netting will also allow us to remove as many of those troublesome gudgeon as possible, in response to your suggestions on how to improve the fishery.

Final Notes

Whilst the Winter League may have only just got underway; here is quick shout to let you know that we will also be running a Spring League, dates and details to follow in our next newsletter.



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