



Colwick Fly Fishers Newsletter

April 2008

Website <http://www.colwickffc.org>

Welcome to the April Newsletter

Committee

Although we now have a full year of matches and events arranged, the club is still in need of a Match Secretary.

Also, Eve Outhwaite took on the role of Club Secretary for a short time which will finish at the end of April.

If anyone feels they can take on any of these two posts, please contact a member of the committee.

Annual Subscriptions

Annual subscriptions became due at end of last year.

Now is the last chance for renewal to be made at the normal rate of £10.

After April this week, the cost will rise to cover the joining fee so if you do intend to renew, please send your renewal to Rob ASAP.

Toft Newton Match

The match season got off to a good start at Toft with some fine catches. The results are

Terry Prince - 6 fish - 13lb 12
Kevin Saxton - 6 fish - 12lb 9
John Parnham - 6 fish - 11lb 13
Rose Mawer - 5 fish - 10lb 11
Keith Prowting - 6 fish - 9lb 8
Keith Edwards - 4 fish - 5lb 8

John Parnham had the heaviest fish at 4lb 1oz

Inter Club Matches

In order to improve numbers at matches, a reciprocal agreement has been made with Kirby Fly Fishers to fish in each other's events.

See page two for a full list of Kirby FF dates for 2008.

If you fancy attending any of their matches, please contact Terry Sparrow direct on the mobile number with the list.

Forthcoming Club Nights

April 9th

For April, Keith Edwards is going to show members how to tie his much favoured fly, the Nomad.

Bring your tying equipment and try for yourself.

May 14th

As we do not have access to the Vale Social Club for this night we will have a fishing evening down at the Colwick Lake.

The idea is to fish for a couple of hours, as the light allows, and then perhaps go for a drink to a local hostelry.

Forthcoming Matches

Fishing at Foremark	20/04/08
Fishing at Blithfield	27/04/08
Fishing at Rutland	18/05/08
Fishing at Eyebrook	01/06/08

Questionnaire

In January, a questionnaire was sent out to all members on the 2007 Membership List.

Forty forms were sent out with 21 being completed and returned.

Please see page two for full results.

Dever Springs Nr Winchester

Interest has been shown in an outing to Dever Springs in Hampshire. This is a premier fishery with a minimum stocking size of 4lbs with an average of 5lb 8oz.

Prices are high but setting that against large double figure fish caught every day, if you catch your limit you should have well over 20lb of fish.

Prices are:

4 Fish - £65 - Day Ticket
3 Fish - £50 - Day Ticket
2 Fish - £37 - From 12pm

Take a look at their website <http://www.deversprings.com> to whet your appetite.

If you are interested, Please contact Rob

Colwick Stocking

The next few planned stocking dates at Colwick are
16 & 30 April - 1, 14 & 28 May

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