

The Linton Angling Society

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Senior Section - Match Results

2006 Summer League.

Match No. 4

Date: **25th June 2006.**

Venue: **Royal Military Canal, Bilingstone, Kent.**

Conditions: A warm humid start to the day with no wind. The Canal was at normal summer level & clear. There was a reasonable amount of weed & lilies but due to all the hard work carried by our Ashford area bailiff **John Carter**, he had managed to clear & construct 16 swims! It was very much appreciated by all competitors. The day remained bright but cloudy with a breeze picking up later in the morning.

Summary: Despite a low turn out & the slight delay in the start time to allow for competitors to get to the new water every one enjoyed the new venue, no large weights but all caught. It was difficult for a lot of us to get down to the bottom because of the weed, but most overcame the problem & caught, the depth of the canal varies with some plumbing to 7- 8 foot in places. The majority of bags comprised of Roach & Rudd with the odd small Tench & Perch. The main method was pole, some reverting to rod & waggler later with one or two actually being able to use a feeder. The antics of some competitors caused great amusement when borrowing & using Don's patented weed rake, a God send for a lot of us. Norman managed to get smashed up a few of times with Pike. - All in all it was the right time of the year to hold the match there, in July/August it could be a no no! Next year we know where the June work party will be taking place. The next comp there is in November no doubt it will be a different story!

Peg No:	Name:	Weight:	Positions:	Points:
2.	K. Hunter	3 lb. 3 ozs.	1 st	13
3.	C. McKinnon	1 lb. 12 ozs.	3 rd	11
5.	T. Burton	6 ozs.	-	9
6.	B. Andrews	1 lb. 12 ozs.	3 rd	11
7.	P. Page	4½ ozs.	-	8
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8.	R. Leeson	1 lb. 0½ ozs.	-	9
9.	D. Brown	1 lb. 9 ozs.	-	10
10.	T. Spall	1 lb. 0½ ozs.	-	9
11.	N. Young	2 lb. 13 ozs.	2 nd	12

Best specimens: Kevin Hunter 1 lb. 8 ozs. Perch

Notes:

This year we are running a "Lucky Peg" & "Secret Weight" draw just to add more interest to the match. All competitors thought this was an excellent idea.

Lucky peg was number 5 won by T. Burton.
Secret weight for this particular match did not apply.