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Senior Section - Match Results

2012 Summer League

Match No. 6

Date: 22nd July 2012.

Venue: Linton Park Lake, Kent.

Conditions:

A hot & sunny day with a light breeze makes a change from all the rain. Water level was high with 1' visibility.

Summary:

This is now a 'booked' venue, (i.e. you have to book your place in the match due to the restricted number of pegs) all the 18 who had booked turned up. Another day where fishing throws in a curved ball? Much to everyone's surprise the normally productive East wooded bank (pegs 1 - 7) did not fish very well at all, a distinct lack of bream? Again it was the feeder that produced with maggot & pellet being the favoured bait. Tony fishing the L/H side of the point was able to get out to the back of lilly pads in the 'reed bay' & connect with the Bream; he was able to hold them there all the morning & ended up with 26 fish to win the match with an excellent weight of over 67 lbs. Alan & Ralf were also able to fish out to some pads to locate the Bream & share a 2nd place. Kevin H tucked in on the L/H of the 'Oaks' using the waggler caught early & managed a worthy 3rd place. Jim on the R/H side of the point managed 5 Bream to give him 4th he also fried in the sun!

There were a couple of theories as to why the normally good swims had not fished well, they were...

- That the east side of the lake had been used by carp fisherman that night/early morning (still there when we arrived!) with fish being caught & returned during that period.
- Kevin said that as his swim went into the shade the fish moved & bites stopped. All the swims that fished well were in the sun all day, those in the shade did not fair so well. So we can hypothesize as much as we like; if the fish are in your swim & feeding you'll catch whatever you've got on your hook, if they ain't you wont!

SECTION	PEG No	NAME	WEIGHT	POSITON	POINTS
A	1	P Husbands	3lbs 7ozs		9
A	2	A Young	2lbs 12ozs		8
A	3	R Bryce	0lbs 13ozs		7
A	4	B Andrews	3lbs 11ozs		10
B	5	B Judge	7lbs 14ozs		10
B	6	C McKinnon	7lbs 7ozs		9
B	7	S Wells	3lbs 1ozs		7
B	8	R Leeson	4lbs 4ozs		8
C	9	C Wood	4lbs 5ozs		8
C	10	K Nichols	5lbs 5ozs		9
C	11	N Ballard	6lbs 8ozs		10
C	12	A Denyer	26lbs 1ozs	2	12
D	13	K Hunter	18lbs 7ozs	3	11
D	14	A Langworthy	2lbs 5ozs		9
D	15	D Brown	2lbs 14ozs		10
D	16	R Cheeseman	26lbs 1ozs	2	12
E	17	J Noyce	13lbs 4ozs		10
E	18	T Spall	67lbs 10ozs	1	13

Best Specimen: Alan Denyer Bream 5lbs 12ozs

Lucky pegs were number 10 won by K. Nichols.