Match 10 Claygate Eva Lake 23rd July 2023

The weather this match was not what was forecast for most of the week leading up to Sunday.

Overcast, some very light rain occasionally and a gentle breeze.

Some parts of the lake were like the North Sea but for most of us it was OK.

Bailiff let us have the Railway Bank and there was plenty of room for us all. The lake fished well and the F1's were mostly on the large side with some reaching 5lb a piece.....

Dave Ford had some very nice Roach and one was nearly a 1lb in size – kept him happy.

Result on the day was me in 1st with 125lb of F1's mostly caught up in the water and this was helped by an end peg, loads of room and no bankside disturbance.

2nd was ex-member Paul Veal with just over 110lb on his deadly chummer method – he had many quiet spells during the day which kept his weight down, and 3rd was Mason who couldn't get all the casters he wanted so brought loads of meat with him and caught close in after trying several methods.

All in all a very pleasant day with no dramas and a good days fishing had by most.

Some of us were a bit apprehensive of fishing here but the results speak for themselves.

Next venue is Orchard Farm Lake 6 in 2 weeks, please let Ross or myself know if you are not going – Thanks

ATB Dave