

Match 6 Woodpeckers 4th June 2023

We usually visit this lovely looking lake once a year in early June and it is one I personally look forward to.

The fishing is not as prolific as some venues we fish but if you can suss out the method on the day a good weight can be built – USUALLY.....

This day proved very frustrating for most if not all, members as we all seem to hook and lose carp when these creatures were pretty much conspicuous by their absence.

The weights were pretty low by LGAC standards with less than 30lb needed to win. Top rod on the day was my mate Dave Ford – Dave tries hard every week and usually has one or two successes every year, but real success for him is a days enjoyable fishing, usually when he can verbally abuse me.....and he had a good reason too as I only managed 7th (not good out of 8...!!!!)

Dave had 29.09 and was closely followed by Keith Meager who put together 26.06 to make it a close run thing.

Both were pegged on the less fancied far side of the lake and put together a mixed carp and silvers net – most of us had similar nets but just smaller and less fish.

This venue is very well maintained and looks lovely – BUT – that walk uphill back to the car park is murderous.....OK for the likes of Young Mason but for the rest of us dinosaurs a bit of a strain – food for thought next year....

Just to remind everyone our next match is in next week time on 11th June at Lucks Lane. This is a change to the original venue of Sam`s..... please let myself or Ross know if you are going.

See you all then – stay safe ATB

Dave