Match 5 Orchard Place Farm, Lake 6, 27th April 2025

12 out for this match and weather once again good for us – lovely warmish spring day all day long – time for silly hats and Factor 50 for some of us…..

Weights were pretty good with only 2 of us not breaking the 50lb target. 2 weights over 100lb and less than 1lb separating them.

Winner was NOT Mason this week but Phil who chalked up his first victory in LGAC. Well Done. He had just over 125lb and runner up Mason had only 124lb. Very unlucky for him as he was only 15oz short…..

Couple of amusing "incidents" on the day.
First was Captain Catastrophe for forgetting his top kits leaving them in his garage in a safe place – Luckily Andy uses the same make of pole so lent him a few, and secondly, I was "lucky" enough to be almost opposite a real numpty who seemed to know nothing about fishing etiquette.

Just after our match started he casts out (about 2 swims over) and land his lead about 6 inches from my float (on my side of the lake). After politely pointing out that he was in my swim and should keep to his side of the lake he tried another cast – this time OVER my line and snagging my floating feeder. I suggested he reel in and un-tangle me he proceeded to snag his lead on the bottom and pulled for a break. I had to do like wise and lost my feeder – I was so pleased I thanked him generously….!!!! Why do I always get the idiots – seems like Orchard Place get their fair share of them as well…..

Next venue is Gabriels Lake (11.05.25) which I understand that several members for whatever reason do not want to fish.
This venue was suggested by a member and included as a change – please support the club as much as possible and if you don't like where we are going please let us know and we will avoid booking them.
Unfortunately, we have this place twice this year and we will probably lose money on these bookings…..

Anyone NOT going please contact myself, Ross or Captain Fordy.
ATB
Dave