



KFFA AGM FLYER

March 23rd 2012

OAKFORD CLUB

KINGSTEIGNTON



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2012 AGM Notice

Friday 23rd March
Oakford Club, Kingsteignton
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Start 1930 prompt

Agenda

1. Chairman opens meeting.
2. Apologies
3. To approve the draft minutes of the 2011 AGM (circulated with the April 2011 Newsletter)
4. Matters arising unless listed below.
5. Chairman's Report
6. Hon Secretary's Report (to adopt)
7. Hon Treasurer's Report (to adopt)
8. Election of Officers and Committee for 2012/13.
9. Agenda items received in writing 14 days prior to AGM.
10. Any other competent business.
11. Chairman's closing remarks.
12. SW Lakes Trust Update
13. Auction to follow AGM

Subscriptions are due please.

Full Membership - £10.00

Concessionary - £6.00

Juniors / Students - Under 18 Free

2012 PROGRAMME

January 18th - Fly Tying + Social Meeting
February 1st - Fly Tying + Social Meeting
February 17th - Skittles Night + Fish & Chips
February 29th - Fly Tying + Social Meeting
March 4th - Lechlade Trip - Gloucester
March 10th - Bank Clearing
March 15th - Kennick Opening Day
March 23rd - AGM

Provisional Dates Below - will be confirmed in March Newsletter

March 25th - Snowbee Bank - Siblyback
*April 1st - Kennick Bank 1000-1800
*April 15th - Kennick Vranche House Bank 1000-1700
*May 13th - Wimbaleball Boat 1000-1800
May 22nd-May 25th - Rutland / Eyebrook Away Trip
May 27th - Kennick Peninsula Classic 1000-1800
*June 10th - Wimbaleball Boat 1000-1800
June 15th - Fernworthy BBQ 1800-2200
*June 24th - Kennick Bank 1000-1800
*July 15th - Clatworthy Bank 1000-1800
July 29th - Kennick Training Day + BBQ 1000-1600
August 4th&5th - Chew / Blagdon Away Weekend
August 17th - Kennick BBQ 1800-2200
*August 26th - Wimbaleball Boat 1000-1800
Sept 1st&2nd - Wimbaleball Pairs 1000-1800 TBC
Sept 9th - Kennick Vranche House Semi Final
Sept 23rd - Temple Vranche House Final
Sept 30th - Temple Vranche House Fundraiser's Final
*October 7th - Kennick Bank 1000-1800
December 2nd - Kennick Bank + Xmas Meal 1000-1500

Kennick Top Rod Events prefixed with *

ALL CLUB BANK EVENTS ARE FLOATING LINE ONLY
EXCEPT April 15TH

Proposed 2012/13 Committee

If you wish to put yourself forward for the Committee or any other proposals, additional agenda items must be sent in writing to our Secretary 14 days prior to AGM:
John Hern, 18 Bazley Square, Manor Gardens, Pinhoe, Exeter, EX1 3QP.

Chairman - Bill Hande - 01626 864406
Hon Secretary - John Hern - 01392 464917
Hon Treasurer - Mike Phillips - 01803 312547
Competition Secretary - Mike Boston - 01803 325722
Committee - Robert Gale - 07748100064
Committee - Paul Wicks - 01364 652284
Committee - Darren Penfold - 01626 821279
Committee - Andrew Watson - 01626 833935

Venue Change for Winter Activities

Due to the fire at the Old Coaching House we had to cancel the Skittles night in December.

All remaining events on the calendar will be held at the Oakford Club in Kingsteignton, parking is available nearby, either in the road or car parks within a short walk.

Winter activities and draft dates for the summer are listed below left

Please confirm attendance of Skittles night with Bill Hande on number above

Rutland / Eyebrook - May 22-25

As suggested in our last Newsletter, we are again going back to Rutland and the dates are Tuesday 22nd - Friday 25th of May. We will travel up on the Tuesday afternoon, fish Rutland on the Wednesday and Eyebrook on the Thursday, then travel home on Friday back in Exeter by 2pm.

Spaces are limited but we do have a few left.

Approx cost including 3 nights B&B, transport, Fishing and food is £220
It was a great trip last year with the average size of fish caught weighing in at 3lbs. Travel time is approx 4hrs and we will stop half way on both journeys.

For those who have said they are coming, can I ask for a deposit of £75 to be paid by the end of January, this will cover the accommodation costs and is non refundable.

Please make cheques payable to KFFA and send to John Hern to the address at the top of this flyer.

If you have any questions about the trip please ask.

AGM NIGHT

There will be an Auction following the AGM, if you would like anything entered please register with Bill Hande by March 1st. No items can be entered on the night. Normal Club 10% selling commissions apply. This year we will have a limit on maximum amount of items in the Auction to avoid a very late finish.

Lechlade Trip - March 4th

We are running a trip to Lechlade, to register your interest please contact John Hern - 01392 464917 or email above. Cost normal day tickets less 10% + Transport, expect to put on a Minibus. Book early as popular event. See April 2011 Newsletter for last years trip pictures.

SW LAKES TRUST - GAME FISHERIES CONSULTATION MEETING

Following a meeting back in November there was a Game Fisheries Consultation Meeting held with many SW fishermen to understand the future of Fishing in the SW and voice opinion / concern.

These were the main points discussed with changes below.

As agreed, Chris Hall and I have drafted a proposal for our game angling venues - it is attached for your information.

The key changes to how we will operate include:

- More flexible season dates - including part-seasons and the opportunity to fish for Rainbows during the winter months (no stocking will take place between November and February)
- A big reduction in price and far greater promotion of the 'All Waters' ticket - giving better access for everyone
- A 33% discount off boat hire for 'All Waters' ticket holders
- An online booking facility will be available from March 2012 to give anglers the option to purchase permits and boat hire via the website
- Changing of names to 'Rainbow Plus' (former Premiers) and 'Rainbow' (former intermediates and Burrator)
- Burrator will be upgraded to the same level as Stithians and Wistlandpound and stocked accordingly
- 'Rainbow Plus' season tickets will only allow you to fish one venue (additional venues can be added)
- Brown trout season tickets will allow you to fish all three venues - at a reduced rate from the 2011 'Castabout' price
- Fishing boats will be relocated to best accommodate anglers' demands and it is proposed that the fleet will increase in 2013 and 2014
- Higher standards of boat preparation and cleanliness will be a key area of improvement
- Stocking - increase the minimum fish weights and provide better clarity on numbers stocked per venue
- Better and more extensive staff training - including Level 1 coach awards
- Promote the recruitment of 'Volunteer Angling Officers' to assist the Trust's work and supervise other volunteers on the ground
- Develop a 'Regional Advisory Group' to help steer still water game angling in the SW
- Improve methods of communication at all levels

I hope you will approve of the proposal and, as always, please do not hesitate to contact Chris, me or your local Area Manager if you have any questions or comments.

Best regards and may I take this opportunity to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

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