

## **Cefni Angling Association Rules**

- 1. Fly fishing only with conventional rod and line. Maximum permitted hook size is a No. 8 long shank. Tandems, double hooks and bubble float are not permitted.
- 2. The season shall commence on the 20th of March and end on the 17th October in each year.
- 3. No fish measuring less than 10 inches (25.4cm) to be taken, and if such a fish be caught it must be returned immediately and safely to the water.
- 4. The daily bag limit is 6 fish per angler. The maximum number of brown trout per daily bag limit shall not exceed 4. After six fish are caught and kept the angler must stop fishing.
- 5. No fish caught in the lake may be sold.
- 6. The Cefni dam to be used for transit only. No fishing from the dam.
- 7. Access to the Reservoir is via official access points only.
- 8. Boats MUST KEEP WELL CLEAR OF BANK ANGLERS and not approach nearer than 100 yards to the dam.
- 9. Members are to use sanitary arrangements provided by the Association and must not do any act liable to pollute the waters in the Reservoir.
- 10. All anglers must carry a valid Association Permit, Season Boat Permit (if applicable) and NRW/EA rod Licence, at all times
- 11. Hours of fishing shall be as follows:

Members may not commence fishing before **04.30** hours and will cease fishing, be off Dwr Cymru/Welsh Water premises and the main entrance gate locked by **23.00** hours. No vehicles to be on Dwr Cymru/Welsh Water premises before **08.00** hours. Boats to be off the lake and rowlocks returned to the fishing hut by **22.45** hours.

12. Charges for the hiring of boats shall be as follows:

[Cefni AA & Permit holders only]

Whole Season £50.00

Whole Day £8.00

Part Day i.e. 08.00 – 12.00; 12.00 – 16.00; 16.00 - close £4.00 Two sessions £6.00

 $No\ advance\ booking\ of\ boats\ is\ permissible\ except\ via\ the\ Fishing\ Passport\ Scheme\ and\ agreed\ club\ competitions.$ 

- 13. All litter should be cleared and not left in boats or on the bank. Nylon waste of any kind must not be discarded as serious injury to wildlife might result.
- 14. Rowlocks lost by members or visiting anglers must be replaced.
- 15. One assembled rod only per angler.
- 16. Trolling or trailing from a boat is not permitted.
- 17. Two anglers only allowed to fish from a boat, and the total number of persons in a boat shall not exceed three. Fishing Friend/ Associate Members are not allowed to fish under any circumstances.
- 18. Members are responsible for returning and securing boats in the boat launch bay even if the boat has to be collected the following day.
- 19. The Association reserves the right to refuse application for membership without giving reason.
- 20. Vehicles are only permitted access to the boat launch bay for the unloading/loading of equipment and they then must be parked in the official car park.
- 21. Dogs are **NOT** allowed in boats.
- 22. No person to fish more than four times on privilege tickets in a season.
- 23. Junior Anglers under 12 must be accompanied by an adult when fishing.
- 24. No person under the age of 18 years may be in a boat unless accompanied and supervised by a responsible adult.
- 25. (I) No fishing beyond the marker posts in the small lake.
  - (ii) The use of eye protection (e.g. sunglasses) whilst fishing is recommended
  - (iii) Anglers using their own seating in boats do so at their own risk
- 26. Life jackets /buoyancy aid must be worn at all times when using boats and are recommended for bank fishing.
- 27. MEMBERS MUST COMPLETE AND SUBMIT THEIR ANNUAL CATCH CARD RETURN BY THE 17th OF NOVEMBER.