

A Happy Angler



The KLAA Shepards Port Lakes continued to fish well last weekend and the early part of the week, despite the low water levels, guess it must concentrate the fish together!! Terry Seaman's 4lb 7 oz Tench well worth catching, see photo. Unfortunately, things have quietened down as the weekend approaches.

Saturday saw a very hard fought and hard fishing Angling Trust 2nd Division National on the Gt Ouse and Middle Level. A few weeks ago it was always double figure weights at Denver whatever the method but come match day the top weights were above Littleport on Ely AC waters at Potters and Queen Adelaide, the fish having moved away from the lower reaches. The practicing teams commenting on the changes to the fishing on every visit. However, as it's a team match it's not all about big weights but what anglers can scratch out of the harder sections for mega points, whilst those in the better sections catch well.

Local team Match Team AK winning and securing promotion along with ten other teams to the First Division. Individual winner was Mark Champion (Match team AK) with 8-275 of roach and a few perch on the long pole, completing a very good day for his team. A great day too for 13year old Dylan Eaglen with 7-150 of roach and Rudd on the pole to finish 2nd in the match.

More news of the National on the Angling Trust and KLAA Facebook pages plus a You Tube video on the day compiled by the Trust.

The East Midlands Winter league practice match at Littleport and above on Sunday fished well to, with 36lb winning from the Queen Adelaide section.

It seems the fish have migrated early this year, always reckoned to move when the first frosts arrive. Once again rain forecast so a flush through and coloured water should improve everywhere.

I cancelled the KLAA match on the Middle Level with only 6 anglers booked in and those all from my contacts. With Storm Amy forecast the Middle Level would not be the best place to be and 6 anglers is hardly a match, not that I expected big numbers. There were no enquiries from circulated posters or the Facebook poster, which was disappointing. I had hoped a few anglers might fancy a match and with the top anglers fishing in the winter league it could have given a chance for others to have a go. Whilst the National fished hard at Peters there were a few fish showing in the week. Pole and waggler out scoring the feeder.

Two catches this week at Peters Bridge at Peters Bridge



Roach and perch on the Ouse on the Wissey Mouth and Modney sections this week but few anglers on the bank to gain much knowledge of the fishes whereabouts.

There is always a transition as summer turns into Autumn. The temperature falls and fish become less active as we wait to see where best to fish. Not too much has been heard of fish on the Cut Off or Relief Channel, flow and colour in the water could change that...we have to hope.