

Moorlands Farm Fishery - Rules

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BAIT RESTRICTIONS

The following baits are prohibited;

- Cereal Ground Bait
- Boilies
- Bloodworm
- Paste
- Liquidised Bait
- Trout Pellets
- Floating Baits (including bread)
- Chum Mixer
- Artificial colouring of loose feed

BAIT RULES

The following rules apply to all bait;

- Meat in cube form only
- All bait must be in boxes - no tin cans allowed on site
- Max 5 pints per match (to include 1 pint of feed pellet if using them)
ie. 1 pint of feed pellets
1 pint of maggots
1 pint of castors
1 tin of meat (300g)
1 tin of sweet corn (340g)

Or

- 1 pint of feed pellets
- 1 pint of worms
- 3 pints of maggots

Clarification on specific baits

1. FEED PELLETT

- All feed pellet must be purchased **on the day of match** when paying match entrance fee - you will be given a ticket to enable you to collect them from the tackle shop
- Restriction of 1 pint of pellet per match
- Observations will be made to ascertain that pellet users have purchased their pellet from Moorlands and if

necessary checks will be made

- Pellets must enter the water in the dry state as they left the tackle shop

2. CAT MEAT

- All cat meat must be purchased **on the day of match** when paying match entrance fee - you will be given a ticket to enable you to collect it from the tackle shop(to ensure that all meat is washed)
- The use of cat meat is for **hook bait** only

3. CHOPPED WORM & CASTER

- All worms must be washed
- Chopped worm and caster can be submerged in pool water only in bait bowls - when feeding from bait bowls water must remain in the bowl. No cupping in water from bait bowls of any sort allowed

FISHING TECHNIQUES

The following rules apply to techniques allowed;

- Poles must be supported above water whilst loose feeding
- No pole splashing or tapping of any nature permitted
- No washing out of pole pots
- During windy weather conditions 1 - 2 metres of pole tip may be submerged in the water
- Artificial colouring of loose feed is prohibited

MATCH RULES

- All nets must be dipped on arrival
- Two keep nets must be used - one for silver fish
- Keep net code must be adhered to
- 100 - 150lb of fish per net if you need another net ring in or get attention of match organiser they will bring another net Tel 01299 250427
- Any mistreatment of fish will result in automatic disqualification
- All bait to be used must be displayed at the start and during the match
- Barbless hooks only (max 14)
- No open ended feeders
- All bags must remain 3 metres behind pegs throughout the match
- Bank sticks must be removed **before** weighing

At the owners discretion there will be six peg checks randomly drawn to ensure compliance of bait rules. Periodical observations of matches in progress will be made - anyone found to be breaking any of the fishery rules will immediately be disqualified from the match. The person in question will be allowed to enter further matches however they will for their next **5 matches** have mandatory checks imposed. Any further breaking of match rules will result in a **lifetime ban** from matches