

COLLIFORD WEEKLY CATCH REPORT
30th September 2018

No returns from week ending 7th October

Two returns from last week with both recording 3 fish each.

Mr P Jago caught three with the largest fish just over 1lb and two others about 3/4 lb. he also two fish on at once (while fishing a team of three flies) but lost both. All fish were caught in water less than 6ft deep using a floating line. Two fish taken and one returned. Good sport considering he only fished for about three hours and there was a stiff NE wind and the air temperature was a lot lower than it has been – well done.

Mr Messenger-Rogers also caught 3 fish and mentioned in his return 'all caught in horrendous conditions with strong winds gusting well into the 20's and freezing cold. Torrid casting conditions as the wind got stronger especially on a #4 setup, and I missed far more than I hooked. However the water was surprisingly warm and it fished brilliantly'.

Don't forget Colliford closes on 12th October so get down and get some fishing in before then!!

We would love to see some pictures so please email them to me
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Our online catch return facility is located here:
<http://trout.swlakesfishing.co.uk/catch-return/>

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CATCH REPORT			
SOUTH WEST LAKES LTD - FISHERIES WEEKLY REPORT			
FISHERY: Colliford	WEEK ENDING: 30th September 2018		
Number of Returns Made	2	Number of Full Bags	0
Carp caught	0	Brown Trout Caught	6

Blue Trout Caught	0	Total Trout Caught	6
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Best bags from the week:-

Mr P Jago caught 3 fish to just over 1lb

Mr P Messenger-Rogers from St Austell caught three fish

Other Fish @ 3lbs+

EXPRESS POPULARITY USING SCALE

	A/B or C	Notes / Comments
Bank	A	Dam and east bank
Dry Fly	C	
Wet Fly or Nymph	A	No details last week but try soldier palmer and bibio
Lure	C	
Team of Flies	C	
Single Fly	A	
Fly Line choice	Floating	
Best Time of Day	Mornings best	

Notable Hatches of Flies

Surface Feeding Fish

Rod Average (fish caught divided by no of returns) **3 fish per person**

Weather Conditions **Changeable weather, some rain and strong winds**

Notes & Wildlife observed

SEASON TO DATE

Total Trout Caught to Previous Week:	246
Total Trout Caught This Period:	6
Total Trout Caught To Date:	252
Catch & Release This Week: <i>(Season to date)</i>	4 (241)
Trout Taken From Reservoir This Week:	0
Trout Taken From Reservoir To Date:	11
Trout Stocked to Date:	2000

Best fish of season:	D Boucher 3lb 12oz by fly and T Smith 9lb 8oz brown while carp fishing
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