

# EXEL ANGLING CLUB 2013

## RESULT WESTON LAWNS

S.Durrant	28	06
M.Small	23	02
I.Rennie	16	13
M.Jones	15	00
D.Crosby	11	08
D.Robinson	10	04
R.Cox	10	00
S.Cox	10	00
J.Male	7	00
J.King	5	00
L.Hughes	3	02
C.Parsonage	2	12
D.Bullock	2	12
A.Whitmore	2	09
B.Tovey	1	00
I.Hughes		06
D.Skinner		06
A.Martin		03

*Weather: Cloudy with the odd shower*

*Fishing: Pool 2*

*Winning Peg: 24 which is half way round on the left hand side.*



Sean Durrant rounded off a fantastic 2013 season by winning the final match at Weston Lawns. Due to a mix up by the owner the match was moved onto Pool 2 from the originally booked match pool and Sean showed his liking for the new venue by taking decent fish throughout the match. Fishing from the end peg 24 the winner used the feeder and pole to scale 28-06. With his win Sean will collect the London Taxi Trophy at the Presentation in November.

Micky Small had a rare experience of drawing near the car park in peg 2 and used his trusted feeder tactic to take a mixed bag of Carp and Silvers for 23-2 which was enough to take second place. Mick can feel well pleased with his first season in the First Division. Fishing in the next peg to Micky was Ian Rennie who continued his remarkable run of form to claim third spot. Ian fished the feeder close to the island in front of him to put 16-13 on the scales. What can one say about Ian's transformation this season, we knew Ian had the capabilities, but to do it all season is just beyond believe.

Mark Jones who was feeling a bit under the weather used meat from peg 20 to land 15 pound which not only gave him fourth place but was enough to secure him the First Division Championship.

Dave Crosby ended his first season with the club with fifth place after putting a mixed bag on the scales for 11-8. The result gave Dave runners-up spot in Division Three which will see him promoted next term.

Dave Robinson lost some good fish late in the match but still weighed in 10-04 for sixth, and the two Cox's finished joint 7th with 10 pound each.

A big thank you to all who took part and as always a special thanks to those who helped with the weigh in at the end.

# League Tables

## Division One

match	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	T
M.Jones	6	3	4	4	2	3	4	4	1	2	27
J.Male	1	1	3	2	5	5	2	10	6	4	29
M.Small	7	7	6	1	1	6	1	5	7	1	35
D.Bullock	5	4	7	6	3	4	7	1	3	5	38
R.Cox	10	2	1	3	6	7	3	10	4	3	39
P.Bullock	2	10	8	5	4	1	10	2	2	10	44
K.Smith	4	5	4	8	10	2	5	3	5	10	46
S.Kavanagh	2	6	2	7	10	10	6	10	8	10	61

## Division Two

match	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	T
S.Durrant	4	1	1	10	2	1	1	1	1	1	13
S.Cox	3	2	6	3	4	6	3	2	6	2	31
B.Hinks	1	3	3	5	1	4	6	6	3	10	32
C.Parsonage	5	5	5	2	3	2	5	3	5	4	34
J.King	2	4	3	1	7	10	4	8	8	3	40
D.Skinner	7	10	2	6	8	3	2	5	4	6	43
B.Tovey	10	5	7	4	5	5	7	4	7	5	49
I.Hughes	6	7	8	7	6	10	8	7	2	6	57

## Division Three

match	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	T
I.Rennie	1	6	2	1	1	4	3	2	1	1	16
D.Crosby	3	1	5	7	2	1	2	1	3	2	20
D.Robinson	2	4	1	3	3	1	4	5	2	3	23
L.Hughes	7	7	3	6	4	3	5	3	4	4	39
A.Martin	5	3	6	4	6	5	1	10	10	6	46
A.Whitmore	8	5	7	5	5	6	6	4	5	5	48
S.Smith	6	2	4	2	10	10	10	10	10	10	64
K.Snazle	4	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	84

We will be counting your individual results from this years Doubles match and they will count towards the league tables. Please remember you will drop your worst result throughout the season and if for any reason you miss a match you will be awarded 10 points. If two or more are on the same number of points overall weight will decide the positions.

## MARK, SEAN, AND IAN ARE THE LEAGUE WINNERS

It's been close throughout the season in Two of the Three Divisions but after the final match at Weston Lawns we now know our Three League winners.

After finishing runners-up last season Mark Jones went one better this year by claiming the First Division title two points clear of the long time leader John Male. Mark had a fine second half to the season which proved to strong for John. Micky Small promoted from the Second last year finished a creditable third Three points ahead of the other promoted angler Darren Bullock. Rob Cox did enough in the final match to finish fifth just edging out Peter Bullock. Unfortunately the two who will be relegated are Keiran Smith and Steve Kavanagh.

The most consistent angler of the season was Sean Durrant who managed six Divisional wins on his way to claiming the Second Division crown a massive 18 points clear of second placed Steve Cox. Steve gained the runners-up spot mainly due to third placed Bob Hinks having to miss the last match due to his son visiting him from the USA. Colin Parsonage who won the Third Division last year pushed for honours right till the end and had to settle for fourth spot two points behind Bob Hinks. John King won the battle with Dave Skinner for fifth spot the two where tops'y turvey all season with John three points ahead at the finish. The two going down are Brian Tovey and Ian Hughes.

Ian Rennie set his stall out from the start winning the the first match at The Riddings and continued his good form throughout the season to land the Third Division Title Four points clear of newcomer to the club Dave Crosby. Dave was involved in a close tussle all season for the runners-up spot with Dave Robinson and some excellent second half results saw the pendulum swing in favour of Crocker. Dave Robinson pushed all the way but fell Three points shy at the end. Lou Hughes finished in fourth place seven points ahead of Alan Martin who unfortunately had to miss two matches near the end. The Langley Wizard Alan Whitmore found the going tough early on but recovered to finish just two points behind Alan in sixth. It was a shame for the remaining two Steve Smith due to work commitments had pull out of the club after match four and Keith Snazle had to miss the remaining matches after day one due to some DIY problems.

# NEXT MATCH

**SUNDAY 3rd NOVEMBER 2013**

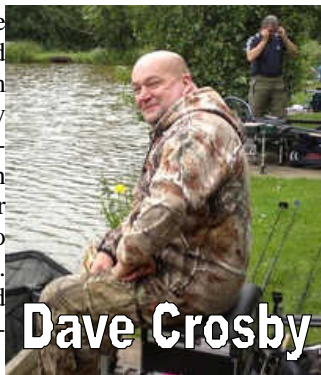
***Exel Angling Charity Match  
Arley Farm Pool  
Church Lane  
Old Arley***

***Draw 08.00am (In farm Yard)***

***Fishing 09.00 - 14.00***

***Proceeds to  
West Midland Air Ambulance***

Last years winner Dave Crosby will be out to defend his title at the Arley Farm Pool. The event is run by John Male who will be donating an annual trophy in remembrance of his brother in Law Les Rhodes who sadly passed away recently. If you are not fishing and would like to donated contact John or Steve Cox.



## 2013

Ian Rennie got the season off to a good start winning the opening match at The Riddings when using one of the early draw pegs to put 22 lbs on the scales. It was the start of a fantastic season for Ian who smashed the Club's highest Individual weight record when he weighed in 121 pounds 7 ounces in our doubles event at Cob House. His brilliant performance at the Worcester venue helped him and Darren Bullock lift the Doubles crown.

Peter Bullock was another angler in record breaking form at Pipehill when he broke the venue record with a cracking 86 pound 12 ounces which was more that 60 lb clear of the runners-up.

Our teams of Three competition held at Bonehill Mill was one of the closest we have ever had with just two points covering the top five teams. The eventual winners where 2 Cox and a Coxless made up of Rob Cox, Steve Cox, and Lou Hughes.

Our biggest fish of the season award changed hands a number of times throughout the season with Kieran Smith and Lou Hughes putting a claim on the prize before Sean Durrant put a cracking 11 lb Carp in the net at Cob House.

It was a shame that Steve Smith and Steve Kavanagh had to miss a number of matches due to work commitments. Steve Smith was just settling down and showing some good form before he had to drop out of the club whilst Steve Kavanagh was so looking forward to becoming the only angler to win the first Division three years running.

## HONOURS LIST 2013

First Division Winner; **Mark Jones** Runners-up; **John Male**  
Second Division Winner; **Sean Durrant** Runners-up; **Steve Cox**  
Third Division Winner; **Ian Rennie** Runners-up; **Dave Crosby**  
BRS Shield Winner; **Sean Durrant** Runners-up; **Dave Robinson**  
Subsidiary Shield Winner; **Ian Rennie** Runners-up; **Steve Cox**  
Doubles Winners; **Ian Rennie & Darren Bullock**  
Teams of Three Winners; **Rob Cox, Lou Hughes, Steve Cox**  
Best Individual Weight; **Ian Rennie (121lb 7ozs)**  
Biggest Fish; **Sean Durrant (11lb)**  
Least Weight; **Alan Whitmore**  
Clubman of the Year; **To be announced at the Presentation**  
Pat & Louise Trophy Winner; **Ian Rennie**  
Crosby Cup Winner; **Dave Crosby**  
Friendship Trophy Winner; **Rob Cox**  
Lee Wellard Trophy Winner; **Micky Small**  
Birmingham Banter Trophy Winner; **Peter Bullock**  
Tankard Trophy Winner; **Darren Bullock**  
London Taxi Trophy Winner; **Sean Durrant**  
Charity Shield Winner;

# **EXEL 04-14 ANGLING**

## **DATES AND VENUES 2014**

**April 20th - The Riddings (Grendon)**

**May 18th - Wassell Grove (Hagley)**

**June 8th - Packington Somers (Meriden)**

**June 22nd - Alvechurch Fishery (Barnt Green)**

**July 6th - Willow Marsh (Kidderminster)**

**July 20th - Coppice Lane (Hammerwich)**

**August 17th - Cob House (Worcester)**

**September 7th - Bonehill Mill (Fazeley)**

**September 21st - Astwood Fishery (Bromsgrove)**

**October 26th - Fisherwick Lakes (Whittington)**

## **PRESENTATION EVENING**

**ON  
SATURDAY 23rd NOVEMBER 2013**

**AT  
ASTON SOCIAL CLUB  
ASTON HALL ROAD  
ASTON  
BIRMINGHAM**

**STARTING  
19.30pm**

**Prizes will be presented by  
2012 clubman of the year  
*ROB COX***

## **SEAN RETAINS THE BRS SHIELD**

Sean Durrant retained the BRS Shield with a convincing victory against Dave Robinson in the final. It was a little unfortunate that they were drawn next to each other at Weston Lawns but Sean just about deserved the win despite Dave missing a few lumps near the end. Sean is the second angler to win the trophy two years running Rob Parsonage did it in 2007 and 2008.

## **IAN REGAINS THE SUBSIDIARY SHIELD**

Ian Rennie regained the Subsidiary Shield with a victory against Steve Cox in the final with nearly seven pound to spare. Ian won the trophy back in 2010 and becomes the first member to win the trophy twice. Like in the BRS Final Steve lost a few late on which could have made the contest closer but that would have been unfair on Ian who's had brilliant season. And before you ask Ian you will not keep the trophy if you win it for a third time next season or in the future.

## **RAFFLE PRIZES REQUIRED**

It's the usual request at this time of the year we would like some donated raffle prizes for the presentation evening. I must say we have had some cracking items donated over the years and I'm sure this year will be no exception. I have no doubt the usual winners will again be ordering their wheelbarrows to take home the prizes.

## **PLEASE SUPPORT**

I know I ask every year but it would be nice if all members could support the event. Please remember we have booked the big room and it would be nice to see a few people in the room to make the evening worth while. Ian Rennie will again be supplying the music and last years Clubman of the year Rob Cox will be presenting the awards to the lucky ones.