



HEREFORD FLY FISHING CLUB

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Minutes of the Monthly Meeting - 12 May 2014

1. **Welcome** - Bob Jones in the chair. The Chairman welcomed members to the meeting.
2. **Apologies** – Ian Peberdy, Peter Betts
3. **Minutes** - The minutes of the last meeting held on 14 April were taken as read, confirmed and signed by the Chairman. There were no matters arising.
4. **Reports:**
 - *Treasurer:* In the absence of the Treasurer, Peter Wyles reported that the current account balance stood at £7736.
 - *Recorder:* John Trout said that the catch levels for April were good. Wellington had 89 rods for 154 fish; Apperley 29 rods for 20 and Whitfield 90 for 177.
 - *Subscription Secretary:* Bob Jones reported that total membership stood at 139.
 - *Competition Secretaries:* The bank competition at Farmoor had been won by Dave Prosser with 6 fish for 14lb. Jon Stannard had been second with 5lb 1oz. The next matches were at Busheyleaze on 18 May and Draycote on 15 June. The over 60's match was due to be held at Wellington on 1 June and any names should be submitted to the Secretary.
 - *Working Party:* Shaun Watkins reported that the weather had slowed progress on maintenance. However, the seats at Apperley had been removed and the boat from there would be removed this week.
 - *Bailiff:* Cedric Olive reported that Wellington and Whitfield were both maintaining a good level of water and were fishing well. There was evidence of poaching at both Wellington and Apperley. There was also evidence of otters and he asked members to record any sightings. There was also litter at both sites and he asked members to take their litter home. The record sheets at Apperley had been moved.
5. **Knockout** - Only one match had been fished to date and a further report would be made to the next meeting.
6. **Wellington** - There had been a report of a member driving through the site during quarry working hours. The member concerned had been advised that this was not permitted.
7. **Raffle:** The raffle raised £26,
8. **Next Meetings** - 9 June 2014.

Signed.....Dated.....