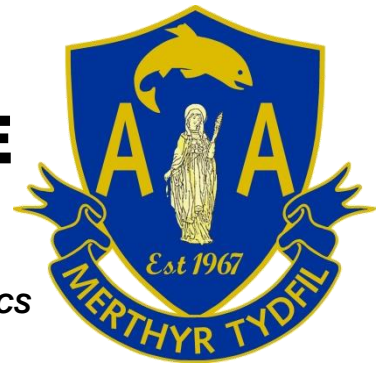


MERTHYR TYDFIL ANGLING ALLIANCE



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*Minutes of the committee meeting held at the Ex-Servicemen's Club on
Wednesday 2nd October 2019.*

1. Minutes of last meeting.

1.1. The minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted as a true record.

2. Matters Arising.

2.1. The committee thanked Mr Daniel Lewis for the recent work he has completed on the club's website. It was agreed that Daniel pursue the prospects of a mobile app for reporting poaching incidents.

2.2. The treasurer will continue to research available fish farms for the stocking of sizeable coarse fish for as late as possible in the 2019/20 stocking season.

2.3 At a recent meeting, Dawn Bowden AM has offered us her support in relation to open access to inland waters, however, she stated that it is going to be left up to individual angling groups to seek voluntary agreements as no single governing body is going to be formed.

2.4. Mr Ron Jones, Pollution Officer, has been monitoring the sewage discharge at the Morlais Brook as a result of overflowing combined sewers. Further contact will be made with NRW.

2.5. The coppice at Middle Pond will be cleared in the coming weeks as previously agreed.

3. Correspondence.

3.1. Mr Ron Jones has received a response from Leslie Griffiths AM, Cabinet Secretary for Environment and Rural Affairs regarding her concerns with agricultural pollution in Welsh rivers.

3.2. The lease between the Association and Alliance requires further work before it is completed, including registering deeds at Land Registry.

4. Competitions.

4.1. Redhill Fishery, Mollie's Pond, Sunday 15th September 2019:

- 1st – Rhys Evans 68lb 1oz
- 2nd – Jason Woodford 32lb 7oz
- 3rd – Malcolm Williams 31lb 5oz

4.2. Redhill Fishery, Sophie's Pond, Coaches' competition, Sunday 29th September 2019:

- 1st – Rhys Evans 103lb 4oz
- 2nd – Malcolm Williams 99lb
- 3rd – Cath Brown 53lb 2oz

5. Any other business.

5.1. None

There being no other business, the Chairman closed the meeting at 20:30.

Rhys Ellis Evans

