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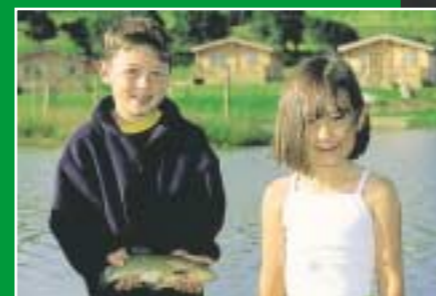
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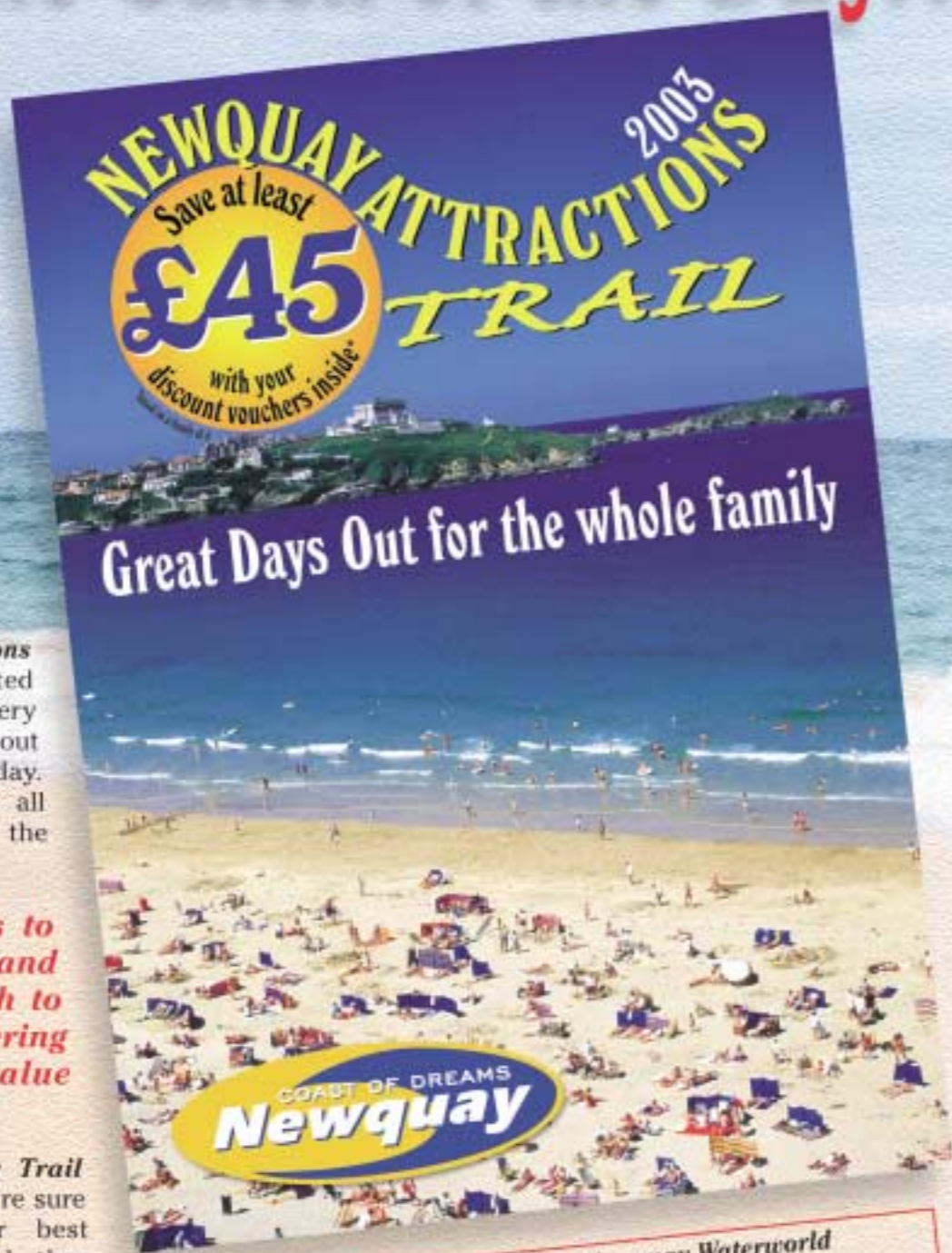
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# First Strike...

## Welcome

Welcome to the latest edition of Newsreel packed with info to make your next visit to **White Acres** the best yet. Many of you will have read or heard the park is now under the ownership of **Parkdean**, but don't worry it's business as usual with the rod bending, elastic stretching action set to continue and evolve. The sport has been excellent this year and the new facilities like the **tackle lodge**, **First Bite cafe**, and the **Bowlingo** are going down a storm. It seems the best angling holiday park is about to become even better but you can read for yourselves the message from **John Waterworth MD** of **Parkdean** on page 10. In this issue we have the perfect answer to those wet days with a review of

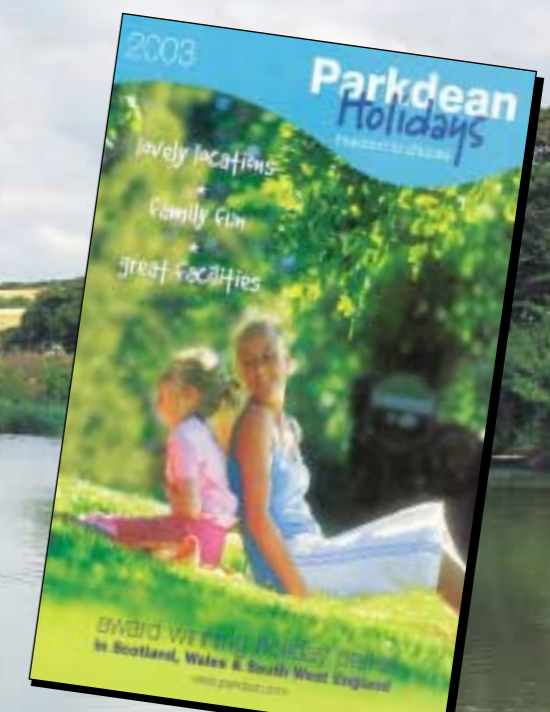


the latest offerings from top angling clothing manufacturer **Halkon Hunt** and they have promised to make a set in **White Acres colours** for the winner of next issues **letter of the month**. So if you want to keep dry this year turn to page 18 and get writing!

Enjoy your fishing,

*for*

Editor.



**"under the new ownership of Parkdean it's business as usual, with the Rod Bending, Elastic Stretching action set to continue"**

LET'S EXPLORE



If you crave action then join the trail at **The Shires Family Adventure Park**, or **Holywell bay fun Park!** Great for all the family!



Feel like a giant and visit the **Lappa Valley Miniature Railway**, and the **World in Miniature**



With **Water World** and **Oasis** there really is an abundance of fun to be found for water babes on the Newquay Trail.



If your looking for you action on the high seas then **The Tunnels Through Time** in Newquay is the palce to go. Ahhar, Shiver me timbers!

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## Cornwall Pearl

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## Dairyland

This park offers a real insight into a working dairy farm whilst providing lots of hands on experience with the animals. Bottle feeding, Pony rides and milking all feature.



## Lappa Valley Steam Railway

This narrow gauge steam railway runs through the beautiful Cornish countryside and is a must for all train enthusiasts old and young.



## World in Miniature

Here you can travel around the world in just one day and experience the great wonders of the world in miniature – and the scary Jurassic trail is a step back in time when dinosaurs ruled the earth. Beware!



## Springfields Pony Centre

If you love ponies then this should be top of your hit list. There are more than 24 ponies to meet ride and groom. Lots of other attractions too



## The Cornish Cyder Farm

You can explore this lovely farm with its orchards, museum, distillery and friendly farm animals all for free! However I'm sure you'll be tempted by the wonderful produce for sale once you've enjoyed the free tastings.



## Oasis Fun Pools

This pool is a must for water lovers – three water flumes, water canon, fountains, geyser, river rapid ride, and waterfall for wet, watery, fun.



## Tunnels through Time

You can discover the legends and stories that abound about Cornwall by visiting this picturesque museum.



## Holywell Bay Fun Park

Go Karts, junior karts, bumper boats, adventure golf and lots of other activities are available at Holywell Bay.



## Waterworld

Situated in Trenance Leisure Park, this pool has a plume, fountain and waterfall with a café and viewing gallery for those not wanting to take the plunge.



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## Screech Owl Sanctuary

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LET'S EXPLORE



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**PUTTING YOU IN THE PICTURE**



**Phil Ringer** with a double figure carp - Great action on Bolingey Lake



**Ben Leach** with his 35lb plus tench and small carp haul.



Send us your name! Nice Mirror Carp though...



# She's Simply THE BEST

LADIES WORLD FRESHWATER ANGLING CHAMPION **SANDRA SCOTTHORNE** HAS COME A LONG WAY IN THE SPORT SHE LOVES. IN AN EXCLUSIVE INTERVIEW WITH **NEWSREEL** SHE TALKS ABOUT LIFE AS A SUCCESSFUL FEMALE ANGLER...

**S**andra is no stranger to success, married to three times World Freshwater Angling Champion Alan. Gold medals are quite common in the Scotthorne household so winning her own Gold medal at the Ladies event in 2002 was not so surprising. A highly successful businesswoman designing and manufacturing high quality garments for anglers as well as a

wide range of corporate clients her Halkon-Hunt name is synonymous with quality made to measure Goretex waterproof garments. Daiwa backed Sandra, the leading light in the White Acres NFA England Ladies squad took time out to talk to us...

**NR:** When did you first become involved in angling?

**SS:** Aged 11 I went fishing with a cousin. I won my very first match with one 13lb 8oz eel. The late Jack Purchase saw me struggling and helped me net it. Then I joined Doncaster young anglers until I was about 17. From 18-21 college work for my fashion degree came first although I still managed to fish while at Trent Poly!

**NR:** What is it that appeals about fishing?

**SS:** Both competing against the fish and competing against other anglers. Watching that float go under for the first time is a buzz.

**NR:** Why do you think there are not enough women in angling?

**SS:** Most women I know don't want to get dirty, let alone touch maggots or chop up worms. Yet all the girls I've known that have a go, do it again. The first time you pick up a rod you're hooked!



**NR:** What would encourage more women anglers?

**SS:** The facilities at commercial venues like White Acres are ideal. Women can have a few hours of fun fishing with clean baits like meat and corn in a safe environment. I would like to see more women coaches on the bank with the **White Acres** England Ladies team to encourage more girls and families into the sport.

**NR:** How focussed are you on the world championships?

**SS:** It's what I live for, once you've fished for England your life revolves around it - practising and preparing.

**NR:** How difficult is it for the ladies team to be competitive?

**SS:** Last year we almost missed the World Champs because of a lack of funding. Sponsorship like the backing from **White Acres** helps enormously with travelling and accommodation, so we can arrive relaxed and refreshed. We can put in more practice and be more professional in our approach.



**NR:** How do you rate the teams chances this year?

**SS:** If the backbone of the team is the same team as last year, then we have a very good chance, because we have an excellent bloodworm team already established.

**NR:** How important is it to retain your individual title on home shores this year?

**SS:** I've been training hard to perfect my technique but I've got to get selected first! Mum and dad have never seen me fish in a World Championships so that would be absolutely brilliant.

**NR:** As the boss of your own successful company how do you find the time to compete at such a high level?

**SS:** It's very difficult, I'm a hands on boss covering quite a lot of jobs myself. I'm working to delegate more so I can join my husband match fishing four days a week!

**NR:** How much has being married to Alan helped your fishing?

**SS:** It helps no end, but it's a two way thing. We have a large tackle room where we spend more time hours than watching TV, where we throw ideas at each other. Someone said his fishing would go down hill after he started fishing with me, but he went out and won three World Championships!

**NR:** What advice can you give women who are thinking about having a go?

**SS:** There are now lots of professionally qualified coaches, and it's easy to book an afternoons fishing. Give it a go!

**NR:** Thank you Sandra and very good luck from all at Newsreel for this years World Championships...

**STAR PROFILE**

## FACT FILE

Sandra has represented the **England Ladies** at the **World Championships** eight times in nine years

She has achieved an individual **Gold medal** and **Bronze** (twice). Five team medals including two **Team Golds!**

Sandra's **biggest fish** is a 20 lb pike

Sandra's **biggest catch** is 64 kilos in the **Declic Peche** open in France 2000

She was the **Ladies National Champion** in 1990 and has been third four times

Sandra has won the **Fish 'O' Mania** Ladies event twice!

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## HAVE A GOOD LOOK

When you arrive at your swim have a good look at it and take note of features such as islands, reed beds overhanging trees etc. Take into account the wind speed and direction, whether its bright, sunny or overcast. Also note the colour of the water. All these factors combine to determine fish location and feeding activity.



## WHAT'S UNDERNEATH?

The weather is one thing but under the surface of the water lay many other equally important features. The depth of the water is one, and this can vary enormously throughout the different areas of your swim. That is where plumbing the depth is very important. Whether you pole fish, use a waggler or feeder you can check the depth in the various areas of your swim to build up a mental picture of the topography of the lake bed.



## SPECIES BEHAVIOUR

Understanding your target species, and it's feeding behaviour is another point. For example carp love to patrol the shallower water of nearside and island margins, so fishing close to the bank or an island is a hot spot in most swims. Most margins have sloping bottoms that you will reveal by careful plumbing. In summer a good depth to look for is around 3' feet but you can catch in less against the islands. These margin fish respond to a bed of feed in reasonable quantities and waiting is advised.



## SURFACE FEEDERS

In deeper open water, when the water is warm and the oxygen levels are rising carp will often feed near the surface, on the surface itself or just a few feet down. In these circumstances they love to intercept loose feed dropping through the water so you need to feed fairly small amounts frequently. For example 15 pellets every minute to keep the fish entertained.



## WIND INFLUENCE

Carp will often follow a warm wind so if it is blowing to a corner of the lake you can expect to find carp there. Conversely they can avoid cold winds and in that situation you'll find the calmer areas offer better prospects.



## FISH OBSERVATION

You can't beat good old fish spotting. When you are surveying the swim look for signs of fish activity. This can include the obvious presence of fish on the surface, rolling, jumping out or basking. However there are more subtle signs to look for like bubbles emerging at the surface - this can be from fish feeding on the bottom or in mid water. Another tell tale sign is the colouring of an area of water. Usually in shallower areas carp will disturb the silt and mud when feeding and this plumes up in the swim.



## LOOKING COOL HELPS

To help with all this observation a good pair of polarised sunglasses are an invaluable aid. Polarised lenses cut down the glare from light reflecting off the water. This in turn lets you see down into the water further than you can with the naked eye, even on overcast days. Polarised glasses also prevent eyestrain and headaches from staring at floats or quiver tips all day.



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### SENSAS

**1st Steve Cooke**  
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36 points dropped 8

**2nd Des Shipp**  
(Sensas Preston Innovations)  
36 points dropped 5

**3rd Andy Dare**  
(Daiwa Trentmen)  
36 points dropped 5

### DYNAMITE

**1st Pete Thomas**  
(Browning Wickford)  
35 points,

**2nd Richie Hull**  
(MAP Garbolino Starlets)  
34 points dropping 7

**3rd Nigel Plumbe**  
(Shimano Portway) 34  
points dropping 7

### WHITE ACRES KEENETS

**1st Kieron Rich**  
(Mosella Tricast)  
36 points

**2nd Tom Pickering**  
(Preston Innovations)  
35 points dropping 8

**3rd Jamie Hall**  
(Daiwa Goldthorpe)  
35 points dropping 5



# Brian's Match Focus...

## THE ICEMAN COMETH

THE 2003 WHITE ACRES SPRING FESTIVALS SERVED UP SOME EXCELLENT SPORT. THE BIGGEST SURPRISE CAME FROM 18-YEAR-OLD PETER THOMAS WHEN HE BECAME THE YOUNGEST EVER FESTIVAL WINNER AT WHITE ACRES

The England youth international nicknamed 'the ice' topped the 174-entry Dynamite Baits event and pocketed a cheque for £2000. He remained cool enough to win his section at Porth on the final day to end on 35 points one clear of his nearest rival and a clutch of anglers on 34. Peter fishes for Browning Wickford Angling and kicked off with 78 lb 4 oz at Bolingey. At Pollawyn a disappointing 5th was

soon forgotten when he took a lake second off Trelawney's with 52 lb 10 oz. Gwinear saw him bag 110 lb 12 oz before a final day's catch of 13 lb 11 oz. Richie Hull hoisted himself into the runner-up slot heading a clutch of anglers on 34 points after lying third overall ahead of the last match. Amazingly Richie picked up an envelope every day finishing in the top three on all his lakes, winning one match, finishing second three times and a third place for a total pay day of £1700 plus £140 off the bookie! Richie reflected: "I had a couple of chances to win but it wasn't to be"



### SENSAS BIG HITTERS

The 180-entry Sensas backed event marked a fine win for big hitter Steve Cooke. Ringer Bait's backed Steve rattled up four straight wins, and only a section second separated him from Des Shipp and Andy Dare to secure the £2000 winners cheque.

Steve started with a superb 209 lb 4 oz of carp from Pollawyn' a result that won the £100 for the heaviest individual match winning bag of the week. Python and a second section win with 31 lb of crucians and small carp, came before Gwinear and 131 lb 12 oz of carp for a lake win.

Porth produced 19 lb 14 oz of skimmers then Bolingey on the final day saw a section second with 56 lb 2 oz. Classy Preston Innovations and Sensas backed Shipp took the £900 second placed cheque with weight advantage 349 lb to Daiwa Trentman Andy Dare's 297 lb 3 oz.

## KEENETS ACTION!



**KIERON Rich** won his second White Acres festival when he topped the 180-angler Keenets backed Spring event with a 36-point maximum collecting the £2000 winners cheque and voucher for a £1899 pole from the sponsors. The 27-year-old did not need to rely on his dropped result but ironically relinquished his White Acres match record to Chris Jenkinson who scorched to 238 lb 10 oz on the second day at Pollawyn. Incredibly Kieron also drew Pollawyn 20 on the last day knowing he needed a section win to guarantee victory! It gave him a crack at regaining the record too and after a power bagging 80 minutes he looked to be on his way when bad weather reduced his catch rate and he ended with 209 lb 6 oz for a lake win and section maximum.

Tommy Pickering made it a one-two finishing in second place with 35 points to edge out Jamie Hall who took the third place.

## SETTING THE BAIT

SPONSORS Sensas and Dynamite Baits donated a variety of products from their extensive ranges for competing anglers.

Sensas 'buckets of baits' plus landing nets were distributed to the top 30 in their festival while Dynamite gave two bags of groundbait and a tin of frenzied hemp to all the competitors in their festival plus boxes of product for the top ten.

**Pete Chandler**, Marketing director of Dynamite Baits said "this is our second year of sponsoring this event and it's been another great success. We really enjoy giving something back to the anglers."

### NET GAINS

KEENETS donated around £6500 worth of prizes including pole vouchers, nets, handles and umbrellas providing the top 20 anglers with goodies. South West representative Vic Bush was on hand to present the prizes.

### RECORD BREAKER

Chris Jenkinson (Daiwa Trentmen) blasted away Kieron's old record when he plundered 238 lb 10 oz at Pollawyn 20 on day two.

The magnificent effort earned him a cheque for £100 for the biggest individual match win of the week.

### PRIZES GRANTED

Fish of the week went to Calvin Lemon (ALS Van Den Eynde) landing a 19 lb 2oz Bolingey ghostie. Mystery weight winner was Nigel Goddard with 135 lb 12 oz while man of the match went to Clive Hancock who finished 13th over all.

There was a special prize donated by Keenets sponsored Grant Albutt who gave the prizes he won to junior Billy Grover who finished 174th.



## Role of Honour

### NEW MATCH WINNER FESTIVAL 2003 FORMAT

The four day festival will take place on **Manaccan, Lamorna, Caerleon** and **Trelawney**.

here's the prize list

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PLUS A MATCH WINNER 13XP MATCH ROD

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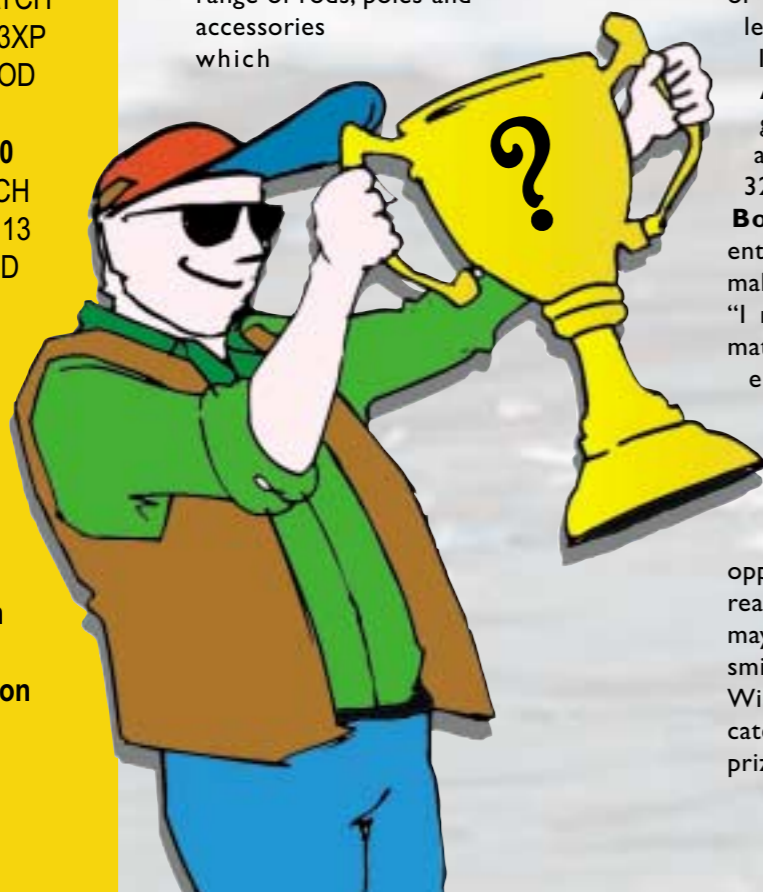
PLUS A MATCH WINNER 11 - 13 FEEDER ROD

Plus cash prizes to 10th place and prizes for the mystery weight, biggest match weight, daily lake and section payouts.

# COULD IT BE YOU?

THIS SUMMER **WHITE ACRES** IN ASSOCIATION WITH TACKLE GIANTS **DAIWA** WILL HELP SOME LUCKY ANGLER TASTE THE HEADY HEIGHTS OF MATCH FISHING WITH THE STAGING OF THE NEW **MATCHWINNER FESTIVAL**.

Leave the spring festivals to the professionals the **Matchwinner Festival** is for the club angler yet to hit the big time. It's open to anglers who haven't tasted success. The four day event will see the daily section and lake prizes go to anglers who have never won before. Fished over four days along the lines of a traditional festival, daily section scores will determine the final outcome and the angler with the best results will win prizes worth over **£1500**. This years event has been hugely popular selling out, and it's little wonder when you consider that there won't be any big stars fishing! **Daiwa's** international star **Will Raison** backs the Matchwinner range of rods, poles and accessories which



form part of the formidable prize list. "We are delighted to sponsor The New Match Winner Festival. This is a new concept and is a welcome opportunity for anglers looking for their first big match win - although at **White Acres** everyone's a winner!" said Robin Morley, **Daiwa's** General Manager. The format has attracted many as **Newsreel** found out:

Veteran of the **White Acres** festival scene is **Jim Allen** a 63-year-old taxi driver from Southampton in Hampshire. Jim is typical of many anglers who have supported the events for years but have to play second fiddle to top anglers. "I've wanted this festival for a long time. There won't be any **Tommy Pickering's** or **Kieron Rich's** and we will all be on a level platform," said Jim. "If I don't win I'll still have a fantastic time, **White Acres** is something else and there's a great comradeship at festivals, he added.

32-year-old self employed **Steve Boosey** is representative of many entrants who are using this festival to make their first visit to **White Acres**. "I normally pleasure fish and enter club matches although I haven't won any - I just enjoy going," revealed Steve. "It's somewhere we haven't been before and we picked this festival because we stand a chance to win," Steve concluded.

It looks like there will be plenty of opportunity for all the anglers to have a really enjoyable time on this event and maybe at the end we'll see some broad smiles. Finally from Daiwa's superstar Will "I hope you all have a great time catching fish and the winners enjoy the prizes from the Matchwinner range."

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**NFA Division 3 National**  
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**NFA Division 5 National**  
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Halkon - Hunt supply White Acres fishery staff with waterproofs and they are really handy when weighing in, a task that will leave the unprepared well and truly soaked!

We have just taken delivery of the latest short pole jacket with bib and brace. The jacket is shorter than the traditional three-quarters jacket and is designed for comfort and efficiency.

It boasts an elasticated hem, two zipped pockets, a zipped inside pocket and the front zip is covered by a Velcro fastening twin placket. Reinforced shoulder panels and new style Velcro fastening cuffs feature and it is fleece lined with an adjustable hood which can be used with or without a



cap. Made in three layers the Bib and Brace has been upgraded with a reinforced seat panel designed to avoid seams coming into contact when sitting on poles - that could cause premature wear.

Elasticated adjustable braces, two zipped bellowed top pockets, a two-way zip with storm placket and reinforced leg panels create a superb garment. The overall length has been increased to afford extra protection of the upper body. Another innovation is that the leg closures now have waterproof vees with a Velcro leg fastening enabling the garment to be worn even with walking boots!

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You can win a pole jacket with matching bib and brace in White Acres livery. Halkon-Hunt have agreed to make the items specially for one lucky reader. All you have to do is write to FeedBack with an amusing story about your last White Acres holiday. The entry we choose for next issues Star Letter gets the goodies!

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# FEEDback...



## STAR LETTER

Winner of the fantastic  
**ABU Garcia Rod...**

Next issue's star letter prize is a Halkon Hunt pole jacket with matching bib and brace in **White Acres** livery as so get writing! (see page 17)

### FISH SHOP OWNER HOOKED ON FISHING

Dear Clint...

HELP! this is my fourth year at White Acres and last year I got hooked on fishing but I have a problem unhooking fish. I have tried holding it with a towel but don't like it to flip or wriggle. I would like to fish the ladies match is there any rule that says I must unhook the fish myself or could my husband unhook it for me, providing I hooked and landed the fish? I don't mind dead fish I can handle those we have a fish and chip shop, it's just the live ones that spook me. Last year I had quite a few carp from Jennys but I am only a novice, I have been s fishing widow for 25 years so now I know I cannot beat them so I intend to join them (two sons and a husband). I look forward to seeing you all later this year.

Pam Heydon, Amesbury, Wilts.

Clint... the best way to unhook a fish is with minimal handling in a soft fish friendly meshed landing net. If you support the net on your thighs the fish will lay in the bottom and you should be able to reach the barbless hook, use a disgorger if necessary. However your husband can unhook the fish in the match providing you hooked and landed the fish yourself.

We've decided to award you the ABU Garcia Suveran rod as this months star letter so it should help you in your quest to beat those sons and that husband of yours!



ABOVE: Newsreel Editor **Brian Gay** sorting through the record amount of competition entries! - Keep 'em coming!

Clint... Python is an excellent tench water and in matches bags over 40lb have been caught. Fish tight to the nearside marginal cover and also to the island if you have a pole long enough. use smaller baits like tiny pieces of meat and smaller grains of corn over a bed of particle feed. There are some excellent bream and big skimmers all along the high bank on Pollawyn. Fishing the long pole with small pieces of meat, corn or chopped worm over caster should get you among them.



TENCH ACTION: Python is the place for the Tench Angler...

### BROKEN FEEDER!

Dear Clint,  
My wife and I booked a lake home for a two week break in September 2002. It was just what the doctor ordered, we had our best holiday ever and will be returning in 2003. My wife caught a 15 lb mirror and and I caught an 18 lb common which managed to break my

feeder rod in half! I didn't know I had to register it with a witness but that didn't stop our enjoyment! I am 78 and will be 79 years old when we return in September. My wife is 65 and we both recommend White acres to our friends it was so clean and the staff very helpful and entertaining for all ages. Looking forward to seeing you all again in September.  
**Kathleen and Stanley Sabbarton, Enfield.**

Clint... I'm glad you enjoyed your stay.

### PRIZE WINNERS!

Congratulations to Mr **G E Ellis** of Wakefield, West Yorkshire and **Pam Heydon** from Amesbury, Wiltshire, our prize winners in the **Korum** rod wordsearch and the Tried and Tested **ABU** rod giveaway. Mr Ellis' winning slogan was "I would like to own a **Korum** carp rod because you can bag a lot morum with a **Korum**"!

### Send your letters to...

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Country Park,  
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## Win a HOLIDAY!

To celebrate our association with **Parkdean Holidays**, **Newsreel** is offering the fantastic prize of a weeks holiday in a three bedroom holiday home at **White Acres**!

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All you have to do is complete this **word-search** and finish the following sentence in not more than twelve words

"I would like to holiday at **White Acres** because ..."

Send your answers in to  
**'Newsreel Holiday Word search'**,  
White Acres Country park, White Cross,  
Near Newquay, Cornwall. TR8 4LV  
- and don't forget to include your name and address!



Find the fifteen **White Acres** related words hidden above - winner announced next issue



### CLARIFYING THE RULES

Dear Clint,  
I would like to thank you and your team for providing me with a fantastic fishing experience and a special thanks to the team for fixing my snapped pole. I would like to know if it is illegal to use floating methods in the matches?

**Christopher Few, age 15, Todmorden, W Yorks.**

Clint... thanks Christopher my team aims to provide a first class service. You can use a controller float with surface

baits in the Thursday Rover match only. In the other matches surface baits are banned, you can also pleasure fish with surface baits using the controller rig.

### TENCH TIPS

Dear Clint,  
My dad and I would like to catch some tench and bream. Could you help us by telling us which lakes to fish and what bait to use? That would really help.  
**Joseph Webber, Gt yarmouth. Norfolk.**



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**SEASONED MATCH ANGLER'S** and pleasure anglers alike all have the chance to fish competitions at White Acres but when transferring fish from keepnet to weigh sling I still see many getting it wrong. To protect the fish we insist it is done as follows... with the fish gathered towards the bottom of the keepnet,

reach in and grab the ring above the fish and pull it through the mouth of the net. Then fish only have a short distance to slide into the weigh sling. Many nets actually have grab handles inside them to make it easier to pull the ring through. Get into the habit of doing it and help us to maintain healthy fish.

Oh and one last chuck.....why not update your landing and keep nets and invest in one of the new fish friendly meshes.

See ya soon,

*Clint*

## News Bites...

# EQUALITY FISHING



FOR THE FIRST TIME IN **WHITE ACRES HISTORY** A FESTIVAL WILL TAKE PLACE THAT IS ONLY OPEN TO **FEMALE ANGLERS** AND HAS AN ANTICIPATED **£1500 TOP PRIZE**.

**P**lanned for early next year and subject to confirmation it comes on the back of **White Acres** sponsorship for the **NFA England Ladies Team** in this summer's **Ladies World Championships**.

"We at White Acres recognise there are a number of women anglers who fish in male dominated matches and we feel the time is right to give women a festival of their own," said **White Acres Manager Allister Wilson**.

"The format is to be finalised but will run along normal festival lines catering for 40 entrants." "It's time for women to show their skills in fishing festival" he added. It is intended that this will become another established event in the White Acres match calendar.



### CLINT'S BAGGED IT!

CLINT'S new tackle Lodge has proved more popular than ever since relocating to larger premises. White Acres own branded baggin' Mix groundbait and Baggin' Pellets have been keenly snapped up by this years visitors but there is a wide range of choice including products from Dynamite Baits, Mosella, Sensas and Van Den Eynde.

## STRIKE!!!

**THE NEW** bowling alley and adjoining the **First Strike Cafe** have gone down a storm with guests who have visited this season.

The **Bowling** alleys bring the fun of ten pin bowling to the park for all the family and has proved very popular while the cafe offers a wide range of light bites and drinks.

## FISHING IS FUN!

**DON'T FORGET** White Acres is about fishing fun for all. Watch out for continued developments with more coaching available for women, children and angling novices. Many guests have notched up their first fish and decent ones at that. It's the perfect place to introduce your relatives to the art of angling.

# NEXT ISSUE

**Keith Arther** famed for tight lines on **SKY tv**, and **John Wright** of **Coarse Fisherman** make their debut in Newsreel.

Watch out for News on fishings big big big event, **The Parkdean Masters** this October. **Newsreel** will bring you the lowdowns on the showdowns....

...not to mention loads more fantastic competitions, and totally bagable prizes!

**MAIN: Emma Pickering** getting in some practice for the White Acres Female Anglers Festival

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# Will's Way

## Fill That Feeder!

IN THE SECOND OF OUR NEW SERIES INTERNATIONAL STAR **WILL RAISON** REVEALS HOW HE PACKS A PUNCH WITH A GROUNDBAIT FEEDER.

**F**loat Fishing with the pole or running line is a great way to fish - but one method that catches more fish than most is the groundbait feeder. If you are a match or pleasure angler it's a sure fire way to bag at White Acres.

In the warmer months when fish are at their most active and eat a lot, I like to cast regularly at short intervals leaving the rig in the water for no more than a couple of minutes. That way I can build up a swim and if I am not catching, be confident that when the carp turn up there's plenty of feed there to hold them.

If you are opposite one of the many islands then the best place to cast your feeder is often as tight as you can get to an island itself. That's where the line clip on the reel spool comes in handy - make a few test casts falling short of the island. Make each

### Will's Feeder Tips

Use at least a medium feeder rod to give you the power to cast a loaded feeder and the ability to play hard fighting carp.

A short hook length tends to result in more bites and fish hooked, 12 inches is the minimum allowed at **White Acres**.

Make use of that line clip, lining up the cast with something fixed on the opposite bank to ensure both distance and straight line accuracy

Don't strike hard when a carp belts the tip round - just pick the rod up and wind!

subsequent cast a bit closer until you are satisfied with the distance, then clip the line on the reel spool. Each time you cast thereafter the feeder will travel no further than the clip so you can punch it out without worrying about snagging the island.

Triple red maggot on the hook is one of my favourites with plenty of casters and hemp in the feeder plugged with some fishmeal feed. At **White Acres**, feeders must be free running, and I use a link swivel on the reel line to which I can attach varying sizes and types of feeder. You can stop the swivel with a Drennan swivel bead attachment that acts as a buffer. The hook length can be tied to the exposed eye of the swivel bead attachment.



MAIN: Will displays a loaded groundbait feeder.

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