

match focus in brief

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juniors' fest

The talent really shines through from some of these **juniors** who all seem to have great futures ahead in the world of angling. Thirty-eight anglers aged 15 and under fished in this year's festival that was once again held on Trelawney & Jennys. The pack was split in two, each section fishing the two lakes in rotation over the two days. This year's festival was won by **William Buckle** with 20 points and a weight of 97lb 3oz, **Luke Hancock** was second with 18 points and a weight of 83lb 15oz and third went to **Grant Merrett** also with 18 points but a weight of 51lb 6oz. **Coca Cola, Drennan International** once again sponsored the event and we must say a massive thank you for the amazing prizes they supplied!



preston interiors

This year **White Acres**, teamed up with **Preston Innovations** to provide a 2 day festival just for **intermediates** aged 16 – 18. Not only was it a first for the festival but the first match on the newly restocked Canal lake. **Intermediates** fished the festival, a little less than we hoped for but you have to start somewhere! Over the 2 days there were some terrific weights and Canal fished extremely well. The festival was won by Danny Hallam with 10 points and a weight of 189lb. Second also with 10 points was Danny Griffiths with a weight of 185lb 14oz. Third again on ten points but a weight of 185lb 10oz (so close) was Alex Hulme. These were exceptional results for these young anglers.

vets fighting fit

The third year of our **White Acres Coors Veterans Festival** keeps growing in popularity. The veteran anglers aged 55 and over fished on Trelawney, Python and Twin Oaks Low, 48 anglers took part this year and fished the three lakes in rotation over the 3 days.

Retaining his crown for the 2nd year was Malcolm Proctor topping the leader board with 22 points and a weight of 160lb 7oz, 2nd also with 22 points but a weight of 145lb 13oz was Terry Bruton and 3rd - again with 22 points was Keith Dawes with a weight of 138lb 12oz. The 2008 Veterans plan is getting a re-vamp moving the festival to the end of the year and extending it to a 4 day festival with two of the days being silver fish only,



van den eynde

Well what a festival the **Van Den Eynde** was this year, only one point separated the top 12 anglers with the top 7 on 35 and the next 5 on 34, this is one of the tightest festivals we have ever had. **Ben Leach** took the festival bagging him the first White Acres victory of the season. Ben fought his way up through the leader board winning the festival with 35 points and a weight of 333lb 13oz. The weights of the anglers in 2nd and 3rd place were phenomenal, taking 2nd also with 35 points but dropping a worse result was Des Ship with a massive 546lb 3oz, Kieron Rich also with 35 points but a weight of 450lb 14oz took third.



the great milo

The **Milo festival** was won this year by **Darren Cox** on his first visit to **White Acres** of the season. Despite taking winter festival wins and being a former Parkdean Master Darren had yet to win one of our big spring or autumn festivals. **Darren** finished the week on a maximum result with 36 points. He started out of the top twenty but worked his way up through 16th, 4th then held on to the top spot for the final two days to take the crown, He put in a great effort to leave him with a respectable weight of 517lb 15oz. Fresh from his festival win **Will Raison** was on top form to take second with 35 points and a weight of 420lb 10oz, **Craig Ebborell** took third also with 35 points but a weight of 304lb.

always dynamite

The **Dynamite Baits** festival is the 2nd big event on our angling calendar and is one of the most popular. This is our first pellet festival of the year and one that is a challenge of luck, skill and determination.

This year's festival was won by England ace **William Raison**, Will finished the festival on a maximum of 36 points with a winning weight of 541lb 15oz, Will fought off a challenge from the likes of Parkdean Master **Neil Machin** who took 2nd also on maximum points but a weight of 363lb 6oz, Kieron Rich came third with 35 points and a whopping weight of 587lb 9oz. Once again the prizes supplied from Dynamite were extensive.

