

OFFER FORM

[Further information on most beats can be found on either fishtweed.co.uk or tweedbeats.com]

Lot	Dates	Beat		Lot	Bid	Reserve
1	To be taken before 31 st Aug 2017	Monteviot (2 rods)	On the Teviot, 2.5mls of river towards Nisbet village; 5 yr av. 42 Salmon Date to be mutually agreed with the Estate.	1	£.....	£ 70
2	May, Mon 15 th	Gainslaw (Pt 2) (2 rods)	On the River Whiteadder; 5 yr av. 10 Salmon	2	£.....	£200
3	May, Sat 20 th	Upper North Wark (2 rods)	North/Scottish bank between Coldstream and Kelso in lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 128 Salmon	3	£.....	£ 90
4	May, Sat 20 th	Bluestone (2 rods)	On the River Whiteadder, 2mls of Wadeable single bank fishing d/s of the confluence with the Blackadder; 5 yr av. 38 Salmon	4	£.....	£ 80
5	May, Mon 22 nd	Lower Dryburgh (2 rods)	Around St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 138 Salmon	5	£.....	£155
6	May, Mon 22 nd	Lower Dryburgh (2 rods)	Around St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 138 Salmon	6	£.....	£155
7	During June	Abbey St Bathans (2 rods)	Date to be arranged with Proprietor; 5 yr av. 26 Salmon	7	£.....	£100
8	During July	Abbey St Bathans (2 rods)	Date to be arranged with Proprietor; 5 yr av. 26 Salmon	8	£.....	£100
9	July, Sat 29 th	Tiptoe (2 rods)	On the Till, 1ml of water, 2mls u/s of junction with River Tweed; 5 yr av. 19 Salmon	9	£.....	£ 70
10	Aug, Sat 5 th	Tillmouth (2 rods)	South/English bank opposite Tweedmill and Lennel below Coldstream in lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 466 Salmon	10	£.....	£840
11	Aug, Sat 5 th	Tweedhill (2 rods)	The largest, lowest, fishable beat on the Tweed; 5 yr av. 175 Salmon	11	£.....	£340
12	Aug, Mon 7 th	West Newbiggin (3 rods)	In lower Tweed opposite Ladykirk; 5 yr av. 55 Salmon	12	£.....	£275
13	Aug, Tues 22 nd	Carham (3 rods)	Double bank half way between Coldstream and Kelso in lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 224 Salmon	13	£.....	£650
14	Aug, Thurs 24 th	Lower North Wark (3 rods)	North/Scottish bank opposite Wark village in lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 288 Salmon	14	£.....	£600
15	Aug, Thurs 24 th	South Wark (3 rods)	South/English bank by Wark village in lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 327 Salmon	15	£.....	£600
16	Aug, Fri 25 th	Pavilion Upper (3 rods)	1.5mls of double bank just below Boleside in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 113 Salmon	16	£.....	£300
17	Aug, Wed 30 th	Birgham Dub (2 rods)	Near Birgham village in lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 415 Salmon	17	£.....	£600
18	Sept, Tues 12 th	Rutherford (1 rod)	Between Makerstoun and Mertoun in the heart of middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 214 Salmon	18	£.....	£250
19	Sept, Wed 13 th	Rutherford (1 rod)	Between Makerstoun and Mertoun in the heart of middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 214 Salmon	19	£.....	£250
20	Sept, Sat 16 th	Upper Dryburgh (2 rods)	Around St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 78 Salmon	20	£.....	£600
21	Sept, Mon 18 th	Upper Mertoun (3 rods)	Either side of Mertoun bridge near St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 154 Salmon	21	£.....	£600
22	Sept, Tues 19 th	Upper Mertoun (3 rods)	Either side of Mertoun bridge near St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 154 Salmon	22	£.....	£600
23	Sept, Wed 20 th	Upper Mertoun (3 rods)	Either side of Mertoun bridge near St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 154 Salmon	23	£.....	£600
24	Sept, Wed 20 th	Pedwell Pt (2 rods)	South bank around Norham in lower Tweed and opposite Ladykirk; 5 yr av. 44 Salmon	24	£.....	£390
25	Sept, Wed 20 th	Pedwell Pt (2 rods)	South bank around Norham in lower Tweed and opposite Ladykirk; 5 yr av. 44 Salmon	25	£.....	£390
26	Sept, Wed 20 th	Drygrange (2 rods)	Above Gledswood/Ravenswood between St Boswells and Melrose in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 59 Salmon	26	£.....	£250
27	Sept, Thurs 21 st	Gledswood (2 rods)	Situated below Scott's View near St Boswells in middle Tweed; north bank opposite Ravenswood; 5 yr av. 79 Salmon	27	£.....	£300
28	Sept, Fri 22 nd	Gledswood (2 rods)	Situated below Scott's View near St Boswells in middle Tweed; north bank opposite Ravenswood; 5 yr av. 79 Salmon	28	£.....	£300
29	Sept, Sat 23 rd	Bluestone (2 rods)	On the River Whiteadder, 2mls of Wadeable single bank fishing d/s of the confluence with the Blackadder; 5 yr av. 38 Salmon	29	£.....	£140
30	Sept, Sat 23 rd	Maxton (1 rod)	Opposite and adjacent to Mertoun in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 43 Salmon	30	£.....	£150
31	Sept, Mon 25 th	Caddonfoot (2 rods)	An upper Tweed beat on the left bank near Clovenfords; 5 yr av. 23 Salmon	31	£.....	£140
32	Sept, Tues 26 th	Caddonfoot (2 rods)	An upper Tweed beat on the left bank near Clovenfords; 5 yr av. 23 Salmon	32	£.....	£140
33	Oct, Mon 2 nd	Carham (1 rod)	Double bank half way between Coldstream and Kelso in lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 224 Salmon	33	£.....	£400
34	Oct, Wed 4 th	Holylee (2 rods)	Near Walkerburn in upper Tweed; 1.5mls (0.5mls double bank) of fishing; 5 yr av. 46 Salmon	34	£.....	£160
35	Oct, Thurs 5 th	Ladykirk (2 rods)	North/Scottish bank around Norham in lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 241 Salmon	35	£.....	£195
36	Oct, Thurs 5 th	The Yair (2 rods)	An upper Tweed beat, a mile above the junction with Ettrick and going 3mls u/s; 5 yr av. 77 Salmon	36	£.....	£ 90
37	Oct, Fri 6 th	The Yair (2 rods)	An upper Tweed beat, a mile above the junction with Ettrick and going 3mls u/s; 5 yr av. 77 Salmon	37	£.....	£ 90
38	Oct, Sat 7 th	The Yair (2 rods)	An upper Tweed beat, a mile above the junction with Ettrick and going 3mls u/s; 5 yr av. 77 Salmon	38	£.....	£ 90
39	Oct, Mon 9 th	Cardrona (2 rods)	Adjacent to Cardrona village in upper Tweed 1.85mls of single bank; 5 yr av. 42 Salmon	39	£.....	£150
40	Oct, Tues 10 th	Cardrona (2 rods)	Adjacent to Cardrona village in upper Tweed 1.85mls of single bank; 5 yr av. 42 Salmon	40	£.....	£150
41	Oct, Thurs 19 th	Upper Floors (1 rod)	Double bank just above Kelso in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 318 Salmon	41	£.....	£750
42	Nov, Mon 6 th	Bemersyde (2 rods)	Mainly double bank above St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 149 Salmon	42	£.....	£375
43	Nov, Mon 20 th	Traquair (2 rods)	Near Innerleithen in upper Tweed; 5 yr av. 104 Salmon	43	£.....	£200

The Tweed Foundation is a charitable company limited by guarantee set up to protect and enhance fish stocks in the Tweed and is at the forefront in bringing a more objective scientific and professional approach to the management of freshwater fish stocks.

The Tweed Foundation's annual Auction provides a unique opportunity to experience a range of fishing throughout the Tweed system.

All proceeds from the Auction go to the Tweed Foundation in support of its work.

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(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)

Name:

Address:

..... Postcode:.....

Telephone: Home: Mob:

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I wish to make an offer for the fishing Lots as indicated overleaf and have read, and agree to abide by, the Auction Conditions.

Signed:

Date:

Please fill in this tear-off form and send it in an envelope clearly marked "Tweed Auction" to:-

The Tweed Foundation
Drygrange Steading
Melrose
Roxburghshire TD6 9DJ

Enquiries Tel: (01896) 848271

Alternatively, you may email your bid to us at:

info@tweedfoundation.org.uk

Bids by all methods should be sent to arrive no later than 5pm on Thursday, 20th April 2017

Bids made by email will be acknowledged within one working day. Emailing a bid will confirm your agreement with the Auction Conditions. If you do not receive an acknowledgement you should assume that your bid has been lost and you should either resend it or telephone the office. All Auction bids will be processed on Friday, 21st April 2017 at the Tweed Foundation's office at Drygrange, Melrose. As noted above, all bids must be received by **Thursday, 20th April 2017** with envelopes marked **Tweed Auction** not being opened until that date. No bids, in any form, will be accepted after this date.

All successful bidders will be informed within two weeks. Unsuccessful bidders will also be informed. Lots not reaching the Reserve may be withdrawn from the Auction.

AUCTION CONDITIONS

1. A rod may be shared by up to two people, but no more than this.
2. Fishing is with fly only from 15th September. Before that, spinning will be allowed.
3. Fish may be kept but not sold.
4. In line with general fishing practice, no refunds will be given if any day's fishing is lost under any circumstances.
5. All bids must be made in **whole** Pounds Sterling and, if successful, payment should be made in Pounds Sterling also. The addition of any pence will invalidate the bid.
6. Successful bidders will pay The Tweed Foundation direct.
7. Payment **must** be received within 14 days of being notified of a successful offer. Payment will be by cheque made payable to **The Tweed Foundation**, or by Bank Transfer – contact the office for details to pay by this method. If full payment has not been received within two weeks of notification, the sale may be rescinded without any notice being given to the buyer.
8. All successful bidders will be notified in writing within two weeks of the Auction and the bidder will be put in contact with the donor, and/or their appropriate agent or boatman, once payment has been received.
9. Boats and Boatmen are normally provided on a shared basis. The donor will act as one of the boatmen for the day on Lot 12. Lot 14 has one boatman and Lot 15 has 2 boatmen. Lots 21, 22 & 23 have 1 boatman and the use of kitchen in cottage.
10. Whilst the Auction has some Lots that are a beat's full complement of rods for a day, it should be noted that **on most beats** there will be other rods fishing as well as those purchased in the Auction.
11. Fishing may **not** be sub-let.
12. All rods must abide by the Tweed Angling Code.
13. Lots are sold as shown. No negotiations to alter a day bought in the Auction can be entered into either with The Tweed Foundation or the donor. Descriptions listed are purely to give an indication of the beats' potential and are no guarantee of catches or performance.
14. The Tweed Foundation retains the right to refuse a bid, even if that bid is the highest offered for a Lot. Bidders attaching their own caveats to their offer will invalidate that offer.
15. With Lots 36, 37 and 38 a two bedroomed cottage is also available to let, separately.

The Trustees of The Tweed Foundation would like to express their thanks to the following, who have so generously donated fishing to this Auction or who have given financial contributions in lieu of fishing:

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Upper Floors, Rutherford, Upper Mertoun,
Dryburgh, Bemersyde,
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The Auction will take place on

Friday, 21st April 2017

at
The Tweed Foundation's Office
Drygrange, Melrose.

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All proceeds will be donated to The Tweed Foundation
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