

# POSTAL~EMAIL~OFFERS

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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, 24<sup>th</sup> May 2018**

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 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018 at the Tweed Foundation's office at Drygrange, Melrose. As noted above, all bids must be received by **Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup> May 2018** 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 Lots not reaching the Reserve may be withdrawn from the Auction.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 15<sup>th</sup> 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 circumstance.
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 If full payment has not been received within two weeks of notification, the sale may be rescinded without any notice being given to the buyer.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 8. Lot 6 has limited access to one boatman. Lot 9 and Lot 36 have one boatman. On Lots 13 & 14, the boatman is a qualified Speycasting instructor who can provide free tuition on the day if required. Lot 38 has two boatmen.
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.

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:

H Askew Esq	C H Noble Esq
J Mck Brownlie Esq	The Duke of Northumberland
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Edinburgh Angling Club	The Duchess of Richmond
The Earl Haig	The Duke of Roxburghe
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*THE Tweed  
FOUNDATION*

## AUCTION

OF

## TWEED AUTUMN SALMON FISHING

ON SOME OF TWEED'S  
MOST FAMOUS BEATS

including:

Ladykirk  
Wark Carham  
Upper Floors Rutherford  
Upper Mertoun Lower Dryburgh  
Bemersyde Gledswood  
Tweedwood

As well as fishing on the Whiteadder and Teviot

**The Auction will take place  
on**

**Friday, 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018**

at

**The Tweed Foundation's Office  
Drygrange Melrose.**

[www.tweedfoundation.org.uk](http://www.tweedfoundation.org.uk)

All proceeds will be donated to The Tweed Foundation  
Charity No. SC011055 Company No. SC366380

## OFFER FORM

*[Further information on most beats can be found on either [fishtweed.co.uk](http://fishtweed.co.uk) or [tweedbeats.com](http://tweedbeats.com)]*

Lot	Dates	Beat		Lot	Bid	Reserve
1	One day before Aug 31 <sup>st</sup>	Monteviot (2 rods)	By arrangement with the proprietor. On the Teviot, 2.5 miles of river towards Nisbet village; 5 yr av. 33 Salmon	1	£.....	£60
2	One day in Jun	Abbey St Bathans (2 rods)	By arrangement with the proprietor. Scenic and peaceful beat on the upper Whiteadder; 5 yr av. 5 Salmon	2	£.....	£40
3	One day in Jun to Sept	Ettrick Water (2 rods)	By arrangement with the proprietor. Upstream of Murray Cauld to the Meetings with Yarrow Water & on to Harewood Glen on the Yarrow; 5 yr av. 4 Salmon	3	£.....	£50
4	Jun to Sept	Ettrick Water (2 rods)	By arrangement with the proprietor. Upstream of Murray Cauld to the Meetings with Yarrow Water & on to Harewood Glen on the Yarrow; 5 yr av. 4 Salmon	4	£.....	£50
5	Jun, Mon 18 <sup>th</sup>	Ladykirk (2 rods)	North/Scottish bank around Norham in Lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 242 Salmon	5	£.....	£120
6	Jun, Thurs 21 <sup>st</sup>	Lower North Wark (2 or 3 rods)	North/Scottish bank opposite Wark village in Lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 223 Salmon	6	£.....	£400
7	During July	Abbey St Bathans (2 rods)	By arrangement with the proprietor. Scenic and peaceful beat on the upper Whiteadder; 5 yr av. 5 Salmon	7	£.....	£40
8	July, Mon 9 <sup>th</sup>	West Newbiggin (2 rods)	In lower Tweed opposite Ladykirk; 5 yr av. 52 Salmon	8	£.....	£190
9	Aug, Tues 21 <sup>st</sup>	Carham (3 rods)	Double bank halfway between Coldstream and Kelso in lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 189 Salmon	9	£.....	£640
10	Aug, Fri 24 <sup>th</sup>	Lower Dryburgh (2 rods)	Around St Boswells in Middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 112 Salmon	10	£.....	£190
11	Aug, Fri 24 <sup>th</sup>	Lower Dryburgh (2 rods)	Around St Boswells in Middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 112 Salmon	11	£.....	£190
12	Aug, Fri 24 <sup>th</sup>	Upper Pavilion (3 rods)	Add description; 5 yr av. 108 Salmon	12	£.....	£225
13	Aug, Thurs 30 <sup>th</sup>	Tweedswood (3 rods)	Scenic middle Tweed beat in the shadow of the Leaderfoot Viaduct; 5 yr av. 83 Salmon	13	£.....	£225
14	Aug, Thurs 30 <sup>th</sup>	Tweedswood (3 rods)	Scenic middle Tweed beat in the shadow of the Leaderfoot Viaduct; 5 yr av. 83 Salmon	14	£.....	£225
15	Sept, Sat 1 <sup>st</sup>	Upper Floors (2 rods)	Double bank just above Kelso in the middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 283 Salmon	15	£.....	£1000
16	Sept, Sat 1 <sup>st</sup>	Upper Floors (2 rods)	Double bank just above Kelso in the middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 283 Salmon	16	£.....	£1000
17	Sept, Mon 3 <sup>rd</sup>	The Nest (5 rods)	Near Clovenfords, very pretty beat; 5 yr av. 44 Salmon	17	£.....	£300
18	Sept, Tues 4 <sup>th</sup>	The Nest (5 rods)	Near Clovenfords, very pretty beat; 5 yr av. 44 Salmon	18	£.....	£300
19	Sept, Wed 5 <sup>th</sup>	The Nest (5 rods)	Near Clovenfords, very pretty beat; 5 yr av. 44 Salmon	19	£.....	£300
20	Sept, Thurs 6 <sup>th</sup>	The Nest (5 rods)	Near Clovenfords, very pretty beat; 5 yr av. 44 Salmon	20	£.....	£300
21	Sept, Fri 7 <sup>th</sup>	The Nest (5 rods)	Near Clovenfords, very pretty beat; 5 yr av. 44 Salmon	21	£.....	£300
22	Sept, Sat 8 <sup>th</sup>	The Nest (5 rods)	Near Clovenfords, very pretty beat; 5 yr av. 44 Salmon	22	£.....	£300
23	Sept, Thurs 6 <sup>th</sup>	Rutherford (1 rod)	Between Makerstoun and Mertoun in the heart of middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 203 Salmon	23	£.....	£230
24	Sept, Mon 17 <sup>th</sup>	Rutherford (1 rod)	Between Makerstoun and Mertoun in the heart of middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 203 Salmon	24	£.....	£230
25	Sept, Mon 17 <sup>th</sup>	Upper Mertoun (3 rods)	Either side of Mertoun Bridge near St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 137 Salmon	25	£.....	£500
26	Sept, Tues 18 <sup>th</sup>	Upper Mertoun (3 rods)	Either side of Mertoun Bridge near St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 137 Salmon	26	£.....	£500
27	Sept, Wed 19 <sup>th</sup>	Upper Mertoun (3 rods)	Either side of Mertoun Bridge near St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 137 Salmon	27	£.....	£500
28	Sept, Thurs 20 <sup>th</sup>	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, Fri 21 <sup>st</sup>	Gledswood (2 rods)	Situated below Scott's View near St Boswells in middle Tweed; north bank opposite Ravenswood; 5 yr av. 79 Salmon	29	£.....	£300
30	Sept, Sat 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Maxton (1 rod)	Opposite and adjacent to Mertoun in the middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 33 Salmon	30	£.....	£130
31	Sept, Sat 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Drygrange (2 rods)	Above Gledswood/Ravenswood between St Boswells and Melrose in the middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 53 Salmon	31	£.....	£200
32	Sept, Mon 24 <sup>th</sup>	Caddonfoot (2 rods)	An upper Tweed beat on the left bank near Clovenfords; 5 yr av. 22 Salmon	32	£.....	£140
33	Sept, Tues 25 <sup>th</sup>	Caddonfoot (2 rods)	An upper Tweed beat on the left bank near Clovenfords; 5 yr av. 22 Salmon	33	£.....	£140
34	Sept, Wed 26 <sup>th</sup>	Drygrange (2 rods)	Above Gledswood/Ravenswood between St Boswells and Melrose in the middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 53 Salmon	34	£.....	£200
35	Sept, Fri 28 <sup>th</sup>	Holylee (2 rods)	Near Walkerburn in upper Tweed, 1.5 miles (0.5 miles double bank) of fishing; 5 yr av. 45 Salmon	35	£.....	£100
36	Oct, Mon 1 <sup>st</sup>	Carham (1 rod)	Double bank halfway between Coldstream and Kelso in lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 189 Salmon	36	£.....	£275
37	Oct, Wed 17 <sup>th</sup>	Traquair (2 rods)	Near Innerleithen in upper Tweed; 5 yr av. 95 Salmon	37	£.....	£190
38	Oct, Wed 31 <sup>st</sup>	South Wark (2 or 3 rods)	South/English bank by Wark village in lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 224 Salmon	38	£.....	£400
39	Nov, Mon 5 <sup>th</sup>	Bemersyde (2 rods)	Mainly double bank above St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 125 Salmon	39	£.....	£350

*The Tweed Foundation's annual Auction provides an opportunity to experience some of the best fishing available on Tweed, whilst supporting the River.*

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

*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.*