

## **MEMBERSHIP RULES**

### **FULL MEMBERSHIP**

The Club will elect a maximum of 36 Full Members with priority given to those who live locally. There will be 12 Blue Card holders, 12 Red Card holders and 12 White Card holders. There is also one floating season ticket available to be used as seen fit by the Executive. A Full Membership card is issued as an identity document and a receipt for payment of the annual subscription.

Full Members on each colour card may fish the Reserved Waters on the Tavy, rotating on the Upper, Middle and Lower Beats according to a calendar issued at the start of the season by the Secretary.

On any day they may also fish the Abbey Beat on the Tavy, the reserved water on the Walkham and all other designated permit waters.

Full Members may invite a guest from outside the Club to fish the reserved waters on the Tavy, Walkham and Tamar, subject to the following conditions:

#### **For Tavy and Walkham**

Only one guest shall be allowed per member per day.

The rod shall be shared i.e. only the member or guest may fish at any one time.

The guest must be accompanied by the member.

#### **For the Tamar only**

A Full Member may bring as guest, another Full Member of any colour ticket, in which case both can fish at the same time. If the guest is not a Full Member, the rules apply as for Tavy and Walkham above.

No member may invite as a guest any person, who has for any reason, been refused membership of the Club.

Anyone wishing to transfer to another colour card shall inform the Secretary, who will keep a chronological transfer list. A member on the transfer list will take precedence over an applicant on the waiting list.

### **ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP**

Associate Membership will be

Decided by the Executive Committee of the Club.

Renewable annually.

Governed by the Constitution and General Rules of the Club.

The Committee will elect a maximum of 24 Associate Members who may not necessarily reside locally, being 12 Green Card holders and 12 Yellow Card holders. They will fish alternate beats as laid out in the associates fishing calendar issued by the Secretary at the start of the season. An Associate Membership card is issued as an identity document and a receipt for payment of the annual subscription.

Fishing will consist of two beats, administered as alternate day fishing. The beats will be called Abbey Beat (the Tavy from the top of Shingle Pool below Denham Bridge, as far as fishable down to Lopwell Dam) and the Walkham Beat (the left bank of the Walkham below Grenofen Bridge and down to Bucktor). The Club's Permit Water may also be fished on any day.

Priority for Associate Membership shall be

Applicants on the waiting list by seniority of application date and who reside locally.

Ex-members of the Club.

Applicants who do not reside locally with priority being given to residents in Devon and Cornwall.

A person whose application to join the Club has in the past been refused, can still be eligible to apply to become an Associate Member.

A person on the waiting list who is offered Associate Membership and declines, will, depending upon the reason, be put to the bottom of the waiting list or removed.

An Associate Member does not have to apply for Full Membership of the Club, but if an application to become a Full Member of the Club is put forward, priority will be given to their seniority on the waiting list.

Associate Members may attend Club meetings but will not be entitled to vote or be eligible for election to the committee.

Associate Members shall not be entitled to invite a guest to fish Club waters.