

Fly Tying

After a day on the river why not try your hand at fly tying. Under the expert guidance of Pat Stevens & tie up something to try out on the fish the next day.



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Single or Double Handed Techniques

- Fly Fishing Equipment: Rod, Reel, Lines
- Overhead , Roll & Jump Roll casts
- Adapting to the wind
- Line management techniques
- Wading safety & Etiquette
- Knots & leaders
- Which flies to use
- Spey Casts
- Snap casts
- Presentation casts



Tackle

Ian is one of the Orvis Endorsed UK Guides & some of their equipment will be used throughout the course. If you already have your own please bring it along. You will also need to bring the following:

Waders/wellingtons, cap, sunglasses and wet weather clothing.

Cheshire Fly Fishing

**2021 Fly Fishing Events
At
Friars Carse Country House**



Course Dates

March 1st, 2nd & 3rd

April 12th, 13th & 14th

July 12th, 13th & 14th

September 13th, 14th & 15th

November 8th, 9th & 10th

**Your Hosts
Ian Griffin & Pat Stevens**



The Fishing -

The fishing will be on the hotels private stretch of the River Nith which is just under 1.5 miles of single bank fishing. Depending on season we will be looking to catch the following species: Grayling, Brown Trout, Sea Trout & Salmon

Your Hosts/Instructors -

Ian is a qualified Advanced Professional Game Angling Instructor in Single Handed techniques (trout/grayling/sea trout) and holds a Game Angling Instructors Certificate in Double Handed (salmon) techniques he will be on hand to teach you the use of single & double handed rods along with more advanced techniques for the more experienced fisherman/woman.

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Pat is a qualified Advanced Professional Game Angling Instructor in Single Handed techniques (trout/grayling/sea trout) and holds a Game Angling Instructors Certificate in Fly Dressing



Individual Lessons -

If you fancy a more 1 to 1 experience or maybe even a Corporate Day/week then this can also be accommodated. Please contact Ian Griffin for further information 07760 884450

Course Dates

- **March 1st, 2nd & 3rd**— Maybe time to learn new skills or sharpen up others ready for the coming season. Arrive for a group dinner on the 28th February. Instruction/guiding & fishing for Grayling & salmon on the 1st, 2nd & 3rd before departing in the afternoon for home. Cost £565pp inclusive of 3 Nights DB&B (accompanied non fishers sharing a room £175).
- **April 12th, 13th & 14th** - Brown trout season is open, so another species to target along with some early Sea Trout & Salmon. Arrive for group dinner on the 11th then instruction/guiding & fishing on 12th, 13th & 14th before packing up late afternoon & heading for home. Cost £695pp inclusive of 3 Nights DB&B (accompanied non fishers sharing a room £230).
- **July 12th, 13th & 14th**- Fancy an evening session for Sea Trout, it should be warm enough. Arrive for Group dinner on the 11th then instruction/guiding/fishing on the 12th, 13th & 14th, pack up late afternoon & head for home. Cost £725pp inclusive of 3 Nights DB&B (accompanied non fishers sharing a room £250pp for 3 nights).
- **September 13th, 14th & 15th**- Autumn fish should now be in the system. It's a good time for Salmon, Sea Trout & Browns. Arrive for group dinner on the 12th then instruction/guiding/fishing on the 13th, 14th & 15th then after lunch its time to pack things up & head for home. Cost £755pp inclusive of 3 Nights DB&B (accompanied non fishers sharing a room £250pp for 3 nights).
- **November 8th, 9th & 10th** - 'Last chance of a salmon'. The seasons drawing to a close ,come try and catch one of the River Niths famous 'Grey backs' - Fly or Spin or maybe worm just let us know your preference. Arrive for Group dinner on the 7th then instruction/guiding/fishing on the 8th, 9th & 10th before it's time to head home in the afternoon. Cost £745pp inclusive of 3 Nights DB&B (accompanied non fishers sharing a room £250pp for 3 nights).
- A minimum of 2 anglers are required for each course to go ahead
- A non refundable deposit of £150 is required at time of booking, balance is to be paid 30 days prior to the event taking place. It is strongly recommended that private

Overview of the Courses

Below is a general outline of the 3 days. Sessions may vary to cater for everyone's ability.

Arrive at the Hotel early afternoon and meet your hosts & fellow anglers. Walk of the beat. Set up of equipment ready for next days action. Evening group meal.

Day 1. - Breakfast,, equipment & set up if not done the day before. Staying safe when casting & wading. Casting practise on the lawn. Down to the river for water-borne casts. Light lunch followed by a session on the river putting into practise what you have learnt .Group evening meal & relax.

Day 2. - After a hearty breakfast, recap on any of the casts, learn some new ones. See what you can catch. Break for lunch, then back to the river until it's time for evening meal. Time to reflect on the day, maybe with a small dram or two

Day 3. - Stock up on another Friars Carse breakfast then a brief recap if required, if not straight to the river to get fishing, break for lunch & a last bit of fishing before loading the car and heading for home.

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