



**2015 Champion of Champions
(Sponsored by Snowbee and Keir Hardie Joinery)
Lake of Menteith
9th October 2015**

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The wind which has been part of almost every competition this year dropped away completely for the 2015 Champion of Champions. Occasionally a light ripple broke up the flat calm and so many fish were moving the competitors were spoilt for choice. However the abundance of trout did not make it easy for the 58 competitors and although some found the answers others did not.

A total of 474 trout for 992lbs were caught with the top two rods taking 17 each. Five rods took 15 fish; two had 14 and five had thirteen. A host of large fish were brought to the scales with the heaviest being 6lbs 6ozs. There were also four over 5lbs and two over 4lbs.

photo:
Stewart with his Snowbee Rod
and the Champions Trophy



Top rod and winner of a Snowbee Geo Rod was Stewart Barclay of Granite City FF. Stewart had 17 trout for 36lbs 6ozs and took his fish in the open water near Tod Hole where he was fishing cormorants on a fast glass line.

In second place was Derek Hessett also of Granite City FF who received a Snowbee Reel courtesy of sponsors Snowbee. Derek had 17 fish for 34lbs 13.8ozs and he took his fish in the open water out from the Butts where he was fishing boobies on a midge tip line.

photo
Derek with his Snowbee reel

In third place was Ronnie Gilbert of Menteith Ospreys who received a Snowbee Line courtesy of sponsors Snowbee. Ronnie took his fish on the Road Shore where he was fishing a tequilla blob and cat booby on a floating line.

The heaviest trout caught during the heats weighed 6lbs 3.6ozs and was caught by Phil Hunter of Airdrie & District AC in heat 13





Ronnie Gilbert with his Snowbee Line



Phil Hunter with the Heaviest Fish Trophy

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Heaviest Fish in the Heats:- Phil Hunter				
Position	Competitor	Fish	lbs	ozs
1	Stewart Barclay	17	36	6.0
2	Derek Hissett	17	34	13.8
3	Ronnie Gilbert	15	31	2.6
4	John Simpson	15	30	14.8
5	Keir Hardie	15	30	6.4
6	Colin Macdonald	14	30	3.2
7	Calum Stephen	15	30	1.4
8	Grant Gibson	15	29	13.0
9	Keith Renton	14	28	3.8
10	Stuart McLean	13	27	15.8
11	Graeme Connelly	13	27	2.4
12	Dick Logan	13	26	13.6
13	Jimmy McBride	13	26	8.0
14	Bill Ramage	13	26	0.6
15	Jason Henry	11	23	14.2
16	David Wales	11	22	10.6
17	John Cree	11	22	10.0
18	Calum Crosbie	9	20	4.0
19	Gary Wilkinson	10	19	15.2
20	Gregor Fleming	9	19	9.6
21	Billy Foster	9	18	15.8
22	John Benson	9	18	12.6
23	Gary Ormiston	9	18	9.4
24	Mark Caisely	9	18	6.0
25	Ray Anderson	9	18	4.8
26	Conner Campbell	9	18	1.4
27	Paul Toseland	8	17	2.4
28	Alan Hill	8	16	14.2
29	Colin McMonagle	8	16	11.2
30	Paul Garner	8	16	10.4
31	Mark McNaughton	8	16	8.6
32	John Buchanan	8	16	5.4
33	Brian Mackenzie	7	14	11.8
34	Brian Kennedy	7	14	10.4
35	Allan Smith	7	14	8.6
36	Ian Webster	7	14	8.0
37	Paul Wilson	7	14	6.6
38	William Davidson	7	14	6.4
39	Stevie Francis	5	12	14.0
40 eq	Tom Burnett	6	12	9.8
40 eq	Sandy McConnachie	6	12	9.8
42	Gordon Hayward	6	12	2.8
43	Keith McKenzie	5	10	11.2
44	Ian McGregor	5	10	6.6
45	James Litster	5	10	3.0
46	Gus Armour	4	8	13.4
47	Andrew Glasgow	3	8	0.6
48	David Wright	4	7	13.6
49	Ralph Irvine	3	6	11.6
50	Lee Anderson	3	6	5.0
51	Phil Hunter	2	6	2.8
52	Andy Smith	2	5	7.6
53	Chris Mullholland	2	4	8.6
54	Douglas Graham	2	4	3.4
55	Stuart Marklow	1	2	3.0
56 eq	Ronnie Hunter	1	2	0.8
56 eq	Ian Glassford	1	2	0.8
58	Kenny Wood	1	1	14.2
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