

2012 Scottish National River Championship

Final

Sunday 29th July

National 2012

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Mike was drawn in the lower sector for sessions one and two and managed to take 1 trout in his first session and 2 trout in his second session. He moved to the upper sector in the afternoon and took 3 trout in session three to be second in that session and won session four with 6 trout to finish with 12 place points. All of his fish were taken on wets and his largest fish was a trout of 30cm.

photo: SANACC Chairman Jock Kettles presenting the trophy to Mike Cordiner



Dick Logan of Coldstream & District AA was second with 9 fish and a total of 16 place points. Dick was drawn in the upper sector in the morning and won the the first session with 4 trout and followed with 2 trout in session two. He was in the lower sector in the afternoon and took 1 grayling in session three while in session four he had one trout and one grayling. His largest fish was a grayling of 35.2cm which came in the final session. Dick took his fish on dries in the morning and on bugs in the afternoon.

Jake Harvey of St Boswells, Newtown & District AA was third with 7 fish and a total of 19 place points. Jake was also drawn in the upper sector for the first two sessions and was second in session one with 3 fish (2 trout and 1 grayling) and won session two with 2 fish (1 trout and 1 grayling). In the lower sector in the afternoon he had 1 trout in session three and 1 trout in session four. Jake's fish were taken on a mix of dries and french nymphs with his largest fish being a trout of 36,2cm.

Robert Irvine of Crown FF was fourth with 7 fish and a total of 26 place points. Robert was drawn on the upper sector in the morning and the lower sector in the afternoon. He had 1 fish in session 1, 2 in session two, 1 in session three and 3 in session four.

Calum Crosbie of Newton Stewart & District AA was fifth with 5 fish and a total of 28 place points. Calum was in the lower sector in the morning and the upper sector in the afternoon. He had 1 fish in sessions one, three and four and 2 fish in session two.

Alan Hill of Strathclyde Police RAAS was 6th with 9 fish and a total of 44 place points. Alan was also drawn in the lower sector in the morning and the upper sector in the afternoon. He had 3 fish in session one and won session three with 6 fish.

The top six will make up the team and reserve for the 2013 International Team to go to Wales.

The largest fish of the day was caught by Robert Irvine and was a trout of 38cm which was taken in session four.



Mike Cordiner Robert Irvine Alan Hill Jake Harvey Dick Logan and Calum Crosbie

NAME	CLUB	Session 1			Session 2			Session 3			Session 4			Total			
		No of Fish	Pts	Place	No of fish	Points	Place Points	Final Placing									
Mike Cordiner	Aberdeen & District AA	1	50	5	2	93	4	3	141	2	6	282	1	12	566	12	1
Dick Logan	Coldstream & District AA	4	186	1	2	99	3	1	53	6	2	104	6	9	442	16	2
Jake Harvey	St Boswells, Newtown & District AA	3	144	2	2	112	1	1	44	7	1	52	9	7	352	19	3
Robert irvine	Crown Fly Fishers	1	43	10	2	89	6	1	43	8	3	152	2	7	327	26	4
Calum Crosbie	Newton Stewart & District AA	1	44	8	2	101	2	1	43	8	1	49	10	5	237	28	5
Alan Hill	Strathclyde Police RAAS	3	132	3	0	0	20	6	274	1	0	0	20	9	406	44	6
Andrew Foggin	Earlston AA	0	0	20	0	0	20	2	97	3	3	126	-4	5	223	47	7
James Litster	Neilston Fly Fishers	0	0	20	1	41	10	2	83	5	- 1	44	13	4	168	48	8
Campbell Morgan	Strathleven Fly Fishers	1	44	8	1	44	9	0	0	20	1	47	11	3	135	48	9
Martin Stewart	Ormiston AC	1	54	4	0	0	20	0	0	20	2	111	5	- 3	165	49	10
Douglas Graham	West of Scotland AC	0	0	20	0	0	20	2	94	4	2	102	7	4	196	51	11
David Deane	Pentland Fly Fishers	0	0	20	2	90	5	0	0	20	2	91	8	4	181	53	12
Jim Fairgrieve	Edinburgh Breadalbane AC	1	50	5	0	0	20	0	0	20	1	45	12	2	95	57	13
David Downie	D & B Fly Fishing	1	43	10	1	47	8	0	0	20	0	0	20	2	90	58	14
Craig Osbome	Crown Fly Fishers	1	41	12	1	50	7	0	0	20	0	0	20	2	91	59	15
Simon Cocker	D & B Fly Fishing	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0	20	3	137	3	3	137	63	16
lan Jones	Dunkeld & Birnam AA	1	47	7	.0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0	20	1	47	67	17
Grant Gibson	St Boswells, Newtown & District AA	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0	80	18
Jim Mackie	Dalzell AC	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0	80	18
Hugh Skeoch	Crown Fly Fishers	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0	20	0	0	80	18