SLAUGHAM
ANGLING CLUB

SEASON
1961-62

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RULES

1. The Club to be called "The Slaugham Angling Club" having its Headquarters at the Chequers Inn, Slaugham. The object of the Club is to preserve and improve waters within the boundaries of Slaugham, Staplefield and Lower Beeding Parishes for the purpose of sport only. The taking of fish other than by rod and line is strictly prohibited.

2. The Club shall consist of one hundred members, including a limited number from outside the club boundaries, whose names and addresses will be kept in a special book by the Secretary. No outside member shall be eligible to serve on the committee.

3. The business of the Club shall be conducted by a Committee of Chairman, Secretary and eight members, four to form a quorum. Four members of the committee to retire annually, but will be eligible for re-election. The Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer and Auditors to be elected at the A.G.M. to be held in May each year.

4. The Annual Subscription shall be Ten Shillings for Seniors and Two Shillings for Juniors (age limit 16). Members, if they wish, may fish Central Association Waters on an additional payment of Twelve Shillings and Sixpence; Juniors, Five Shillings.

5. Every new member elected shall pay an Entrance Fee of Five Shillings and shall be proposed by a member of the Club and elected by ballot of the Committee.

6. One Rod, Two Hooks only, shall be allowed at the same time by each individual, except in pike competitions, when an additional

rod may be used for the taking of live bait only. No member to leave his line in the water unattended.

7. No member shall leave any gate unfastened, or do, or permit any damage to fences or crops that may be growing near, or adjoining the pond or rivers, or may be accompanied by a dog or gun while fishing.

8. All fish caught shall be returned to the water with the exception of Specimen Fish which the member may wish to have set up. Keep nets must be carried at all times. A member may if he so desires take out any Pike over seven pounds weight.

9. Day Tickets at Three Shillings per day, not including Saturdays or Sundays, will be limited to Ten. Furnace Pond only.

10. Not more than six live bait to be taken at any one time from Club Waters. The use of Gorge Tackle is prohibited.

11. The Close Season to be from 15th March to 15th June, both dates inclusive, except for Pike, which shall be from 15th March to 1st August, both dates inclusive.

12. All holders of Members' Tickets shall produce their Tickets and Fish when requested by any member producing his or her own ticket, and to any owner of land or person in authority.

13. No bait shall be dug or searched for in the banks or property adjoining any waters of the Club.

14. No meadows to be entered until the grass has been cut.

15. No member when fishing to leave any litter of any kind lying about on the banks or adjoining property.

16. Any members witnessing any infringement of these Rules or the rights and liberties of the Club shall at once inform the Secretary and the Committee shall have power to deal with the matter as they think fit.

17. None of these Rules shall be altered, or amended, or added to without the sanction of a majority at the Annual General Meeting or any Special General Meeting convened for that purpose.

18. Any Club member on the payment of £10 10s. can at the discretion of the Committee become eligible for election as a Life Member.

RULES GOVERNING COMPETITIONS

All Competitions to be pegged down.

Members to Draw for Swims at start.

Entrance Money to be paid at draw. Late comers must report to the Steward-in-Charge before commencing to fish.

No member to fish within nine yards of another member either on the bank or in the water without his or her consent.

The Steward may ban any swim if he thinks it has been previously baited or unfit for fishing from.

No Spinning allowed.

No Live or Dead Bait to be brought to Christmas Competition.

The following members to serve as Bailiffs on Saturdays and Sundays in rotation: A. Gardener, R. Elliott, N. Copeland, P. Arnold, J. Boniface, R. Verlander, J. Longhurst, T. Wilson.

The Ian Marchant Trophy will be awarded to the member with the highest number of points in all competitions at Ashfold Lake.

The Slaugham Challenge Bowl for the highest number of points in all competitions in the Furnace Pond.

The Anne Barrett Carp Trophy for highest number of points for carp caught in Competitions.

SCALE OF SIZEABLE FISH FOR WEIGHING IN AT COMPETITIONS

Pike	18 ins.	Perch	9 ins.
Bream	12 ins.	Roach	6 ins.
Carp	12 ins.	Rudd	6 ins.
Chubb	12 ins.	Dace	7 ins.
Tench	10 ins.	Gudgeon	5 ins.
Crucian Carp	9 ins.	Bleak	4 ins.

Prizes to the Value of Ten Shillings will be given by the Club for the best specimens of the following: Common Carp, Crucian Carp, Roach, Rudd, Tench, Pike, Perch, Gudgeon.

Ten Shillings give by Mrs. Vincent for heaviest Tench caught in Ashfold Lake in competition.

Ten Shillings given by Mr. A. E. Vincent for heaviest Tench caught in Furnace Pond in competition.

To be weighed on Club Scales or other reliable Scales and witnessed by two other members.

Minimum weights for specimen fish for setting up:

Common Carp	15 lbs.	Roach	2 lbs.
Crucian Carp	$2\frac{3}{4}$ lbs.	Rudd	2 lbs.
Tench	5 lbs.	Perch	$2\frac{1}{2}$ lbs.
Pike	15 lbs.		

Entrance Fee for all Competitions to be One Shilling.

SLAUGHAM ANGLING CLUB

This is to Certify that:

Mr. B. Ray.
High Street
Handcross

is a Member of the above-named Club for the year:

16th JUNE, 1961, to
15th JUNE, 1962, inclusive.

T. J. WILSON, *Hon. Secretary.*

Member's Signature:

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COMPETITIONS, 1961/62

SENIORS

June	25—Denise Robins Cup ..	Furnace Pond
July	2—Challenge Cup	Ashfold Lake
July	16—Verlander Challenge Cup	Furnace Pond
July	30—Club Trophy	Ashfold Lake
Aug.	13—Prizes	Ashfold Lake
Sept.	3—James Wilson Challenge Cup	Ashfold Lake
Sept.	17—Prizes	Furnace Pond
Oct.	1—Prizes	Furnace Pond
Dec.	3—Christmas Competition..	Both Lakes
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Mar.	11—Prizes	Ashfold Lake

Competitions to start at 7 a.m. Weigh-in, 4 p.m.
From October 1st, start at 8 a.m. Weigh-in 3.30 p.m.

JUNIORS

July	2—K. Vincent Cup.. ..	Furnace Pond
July	30—Simmons Challenge Cup	Furnace Pond
Aug.	13—Club Trophy	Furnace Pond
Sept.	10—E. Vincent Cup	Furnace Pond
Dec.	3—Christmas Competition..	Both Lakes

Start at 8 a.m. Weigh-in, 3.30 p.m.

NOTE.—Seniors must notify Secretary at least THREE Days before competition date.