

Any method fishing

Open

Saturday 10 March
until Friday 30 November

Directions

Located just off the A68 and four miles west of
Castleside, turn south at the Manor House pub
and follow the road into the valley.

Sat nav

DH8 9JT

Derwent

Derwent is our most popular fishery, with anglers liking the combination of lots of bank space and the chance to catch specimen trout weighing up to 20lbs.

Throughout the season a number of tagged fish will be stocked with special prizes awarded to those anglers lucky enough to catch them. In addition, there is a designated pegged area for coarse anglers who can expect to catch some quality roach. Derwent is suitable for disabled anglers and visitors.

On site we have an excellent shop stocked with everything you need for a day's fishing including rods, reels, tackle, accessories, clothing, worms, bait, ice creams and refreshments including hot and cold drinks. Environment Agency rod licences are also on sale at this fishery.

For those not fishing, there are several picnicking and play areas, plus spectacular walks along the north and south shores and across the dam. A wheelchair accessible trail runs from the south end of the dam along to Pow Hill Country Park and from the north shore of the dam wall to Millshield picnic site.

spring/autumn

Best areas

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Pow Hill up to
Hunter House.

Ledgered Orange or
Green Powerbait on a
2-3ft trace with Magic
Dust on a feeder.

Fly

Cronkley Bay,
Bay of Plenty or
the Spillway.

Intermediate line with
Black Fritz or Orange Blob
on a slow retrieve, Black
or Olive Buzzers fished
under an indicator/bung.

Summer

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Disabled platform
up to Pow Hill.

Float fished worm or
corn, Spinning with Flying
'C's Mopos or Devon
Minnow. On bright days
ledgered Powerbait and
worm cocktail.

Fly

The Meadow,
Millshield,
Quakers'
Gravyard (above
sailing club).

Washing line with Black
Booby or Muddler on
point with Daiwi Beach or
Biblo on droppers -
floating line. In bright or
hot conditions use a
medium sink line with a
weighted Dawson's Olive
and a Zulu.

Prices

Explorer season permit

valid from Saturday 10 March until Friday 30 November 2012.

full **£834**

concessionary **£730**

(24 fish per week catch limit)

Valid on all of our premier fisheries which is ideal for those who visit more than once a week.

Day permit

full **£24**

concessionary **£22**

(8 fish catch limit)

Family and couples permit **£36**

(12 fish catch limit)

Credit crucher **£17**

available from 2.30pm (4 fish catch limit)

Day permit (November) **£17**

(10 fish catch limit)

Coarse fishing permits **£10**

Key

-  Coarse section
-  No access
-  Multi-user trail
-  Life belt
-  Information
-  Telephone
-  Disabled access
-  Toilet
-  Parking
-  Picnic area



TROUTMASTERS
All our visitors are Troutmaster waters. To register your catch, consult a member of our on-site ranger team.