

LLYN BRENIG FISHING REPORT - Week Ending June 6th, 2026, 2026.

Migration, a call from the wild, to the homeland, a return from where one came. We are all migrants of one sort or another, descended from those Saxon hordes sweeping across Europe or from early man, traversing the earth, looking for a haven, a place to call a home., or migrants forced by bitter circumstance. Animals migrate just as humans do, sometimes inspired by generational instinct at other times by the need to adjust and survive. A powerful force driven by nature, inspires the Salmon to cross vast seas to return to it's home so that life can go on. Migration, seen as the great question of our times, but in reality, it's just as it always has been and as it always will be for man and beast in our ever-changing world.

Fishing is a unifier of humankind as it is a universal activity that engages people from all walks of life and cultures from the ice fishermen of the frozen North and the spear fishermen from the warm tropical seas of the South to the fly anglers of the windswept hills of Llyn Brenig. We all fish and we all rely on the bounty of the seas, lakes and rivers.

The lake was stocked on Monday June 1st, with 300 being by the Visitors Centre, 350 by the Horseshoe bend in Sailing Club Bay, and 350 by the Ring of Stones.

Weather wise the week has seen some very changeable weather with some rather cold and blustery winds sweeping the lake and a week of grey skies and rain., the water temperature is still quite cool at 14 degrees which has kept the fish down in the water. However, having said that there have been days when the fish have been showing on the surface and top and tailing and the dry fly and floating line have been king. Mr. Chris Jones can testify to this when he wrote, 'Fabulous on the top sport' commenting after a day on the Brenig.

As with last week both wet and dry flies have been doing well with fish being caught on the top and in deeper water. Mr. Neil Wakeman caught the biggest fish of the week landing a lovely 5lbs Brown Trout whilst Mr. P. Tandy had the biggest recorded bag of the week for six fish caught weighing in at 16lbs 8oz.

As you now are aware the site will be open to boat anglers every Wednesday until 8.00pm with boats being available at half price on that day.

You can also purchase a half day boat from 12pm for £20 from now until the start of the school summer holidays.

The top flies this week have been viva, bibio hopper, sedge, cats whiskers, damsel, cormorants, montana, daddy long legs, buzzers, and various blobs and boobies.

Top spots for boats and bank have been much the same as last week with the Visitors Centre, Tower Bay. Sailing Club, the Coves and Water sports Bay all fishing well with fish also being caught along Hafod Lom shore and Nant Glyn shore.

The main gates will be shutting at 5.45pm this week and all boats need to be back on the jetty by 5.30pm

Tight Lines –Jim Jenkins – Seasonal Ranger

THIS WEEKS TOP FACTS

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Top Bag (6 fish caught)	16lbs 8oz - Mr. P. Tandy .
Biggest Fish	5 lbs 0oz - Mr. Neil Wakeman
Rod Average	4.2 fish per angler.



Paul's Fly of the Week

Montana



Left: Mr. Martin Hughes with a nice bag of fish from the Coves.

Below and left: Mr. Barry Evans with a brace of fine Rainbows despite having to be rescued from unlucky for some boat 13 by our intrepid Ranger Eben!

