

York DAA

Guide to Night Fishing Permits

The G.P. committee have been given the power to close fisheries to night fishing as and when required without having to come before an AGM for ratification.

Do I need a Night Fishing Permit?

Yes – But only If you wish from dusk until 8.00am at Park View.

No – If you intend to fish on any other York DAA fishery where night fishing is allowed. Any Member wishing to fish at night must email or text their name, membership number, car registration and venue with date of fishing to treasurer@ydaa.org or 07939904597 (No telephone calls please!) 24 hours prior to fishing. On waters which allow night fishing, and are not subject to venue specific rules, a member must not stay for longer than 24 hours, and must remove themselves and all tackle from that venue, and must not return within 12 hours to that venue. (Junior members may not night fish.)

What does it cost?

Adult Night Permits are £40 (OAP/Disabled £10) plus a £10 administration charge for the first year. All Night Permits holders **MUST** be over **18** years old. (**ALL** permits holders **MUST** have a current year book.)

When is the Night Permit valid?

Night Permits will be valid from 1st January until 31st December each year.

What times may I Night Fish?

The Night Fishing Permit allows you to fish Park View from dusk until 8.00pm. If there is a match booked on the water you must cease fishing at 8.00am and release the peg to allow it to be used by the match. The Permit allows you to remain at Park View for a maximum of two consecutive nights (48 hours) only. Any breaches of this rule may lead to the loss of your Night Fishing Permit.

How do I apply for a Night Permit?

Application forms are available to current York DAA members from the Treasurer. (NOTE: The number of permits are **LIMITED** and initial allocation of night permits, if oversubscribed, will be made by a draw from all applications that have been received by the closing date.

When do applications need to be received by?

Because ALL applications will be vetted by the GPC, all application forms for a permit to fish from 1st January **MUST** be received by the Treasurer by Monday 1st December. Please made

sure you include a telephone number so that we may contact you if you are successful. (PLEASE DO NOT SEND ANY MONEY WITH YOUR APPLICATION – you will be contacted regarding payment if your application is successful.) Proof of posting is **NOT** proof of delivery.

What if I am applying after 1st December?

If the number of permits available is not over subscribed then permits will be allocated on a 'first come first served basis' on applications received after this date. Please allow a **minimum** of 28 days for your application to be processed.

Do I need a current Year Book?

Yes. All anglers fishing Park View **MUST** have a current Year book and a current Environment Agency Licence.

Are there any other restrictions/conditions regarding night fishing at Park View?

Yes.

- All current York DAA rules apply.
- No one under the age of 18 years old may apply for a Night Fishing Permit.
- All Night Permit Holders will be expected to carry out work parties to help improve the Fishery.
- All litter to be removed when you vacate your swim.
- Bivvies/ tents must not be pitched over the footpaths.
- Do not defecate on the banksides or surrounding areas. Use a trowel or shovel and bury it.

Am I allowed to challenge other members at this fishery who I think may be fishing illegally?

Yes. All Night Permit holders have the right to challenge any person at **Park View** that they think may be there illegally.