



Glamorgan Anglers Club – Licence renewal Newsletter for the season ending 31 March 2024. Please read this newsletter very carefully as it contains all the information you need to renew your membership for the 23/24 season.

Existing members from the 22/23 season can re-join either online (through Clubmate) or by post (to the Membership Secretary) from 1 December 2022. Existing 22/23 members are guaranteed a 23/24 (year ending 31 March 2024) licence as long as they re-join between 1 December 2022 and 29 February 2023. From 1 March 2023 New members will be able to join and after that date any existing members who have not renewed, will still be able to re-join but that will be on a first come first served basis alongside the New Members. As we wish to minimise pressure on our Waters (& fish) and we are trying to ensure that members have space on our Waters, we will again have a membership limit, slightly increased from 22/23. There are plenty of licences available but please, to ensure existing members are not disappointed, they should re-join in the period 1 December 2022 to 29 February 2023. Members who joined as TAFF ONLY in the last few weeks do not need to do anything as their licence will take them through to 31/3/24.

Details of joining information for New Members will be available mid February 2023. These will be in the tackle shops, on our website and emailed out to individuals who have registered as prospective members on Clubmate.

Existing members (Only) from the 22/23 season can re-join for the 23/24 season as follows, from 1 December 2022:-

Online through Clubmate –

- Go to <https://glamorgananglersclub.clubmate.co.uk>
- Enter the email address you are registered with, then the password you set up. If you cannot remember your password, click on “forgot password” and a one-time passcode will be sent to your email address (valid for 15 mins) which will enable you to reset to a password of your choosing.
- That will take you into your personal GAC Dashboard. Before you renew, update any personal detail changes.
- On the Dashboard you will see your current membership (usually 3rd icon along) and from 1 December 2022 this will have an orange “Renew” sticker in top right hand corner.
- Click on this membership Icon and you will be shown a selection of licences available for your specific renewal. Click on your choice of the licence you wish to buy for 23/24 and follow the on-screen instructions through to the payment. Very rarely, if you are changing your licence category from 22/23, that you wish to buy for 23/24, you might not see that particular licence. If this happens please email from your comms tab in your Clubmate Profile, your name, your 22/23 licence category (Senior/OAP ect) & the licence category you wish to buy and we will sort the issue out.
- **NFG EXISTING MEMBERS ONLY** - If you are an existing Night Fishing Group (NFG) member joining online & wish to renew please **only click on the Night Fishing Group icon** (not on your “normal” membership type) and you will be given a choice of a combined membership & NFG licences. Click on the appropriate choice and follow the on screen instructions. If you are not a member of NFG please email from your Comms tab your wish to join the NFG. You will be put on a waiting list and will be contacted Spring 23 if there are any vacancies, which are likely to be very limited.
- Renewals through Clubmate should be straight forward, but as this is only our second year there may still be teething problems, email us any issues preferably from the Comms tab in your Profile and we will deal with the matter.
- Members who purchased Taff only tickets for 22/23 will be also able to re-join from 1 December and will be given the choice of either a straight Taff only renewal or joining as a Full member.

By Post to the Membership Secretary -

- The last two pages of this Newsletter is the postal application form that you can re-join by completing and posting off to GAC. Please complete carefully and accurately – if you have access to an email address please enter that, as this will enable Club messages to be sent to you.
- Please note our **new postal address, Glamorgan Anglers Club, PO Box Number 220, Barry CF63 9FZ. Stamp required.**
- Existing Members do not need to send a passport style headshot photo with their application.

Please Note:-

- The River Taff Only season licence purchased through Clubmate for 23/24 will also include the right to fish on the Club stretches of the River Ely and in the designated Cardiff Bay angling locations.
- Any membership queries if you cannot email direct from your personal Comms tab in your Clubmate profile, please email to glamorgananglersclub@clubmate.co.uk or by post to Glamorgan Anglers Club, PO Box 220, Barry CF63 9FZ

GLAMORGAN ANGLERS CLUB – POSTAL APPLICATION FORM – 23/24 SEASON

FIRST NAME LAST NAME KEY NUMBER

EMAIL ADDRESS (Optional, but whenever possible, if you do not have your own email address, please provide one of a close relative or friend so we can email news & newsletters to you. You can continue to join by Post if you wish even if you have supplied an email address)

GENDER DATE OF BIRTH

ADDRESS LINE 1 ADDRESS LINE 2

TOWN/CITY POST CODE

HOME PHONE NO (incl area code) MOBILE NO

EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME PHONE/MOBILE No

IMPORTANT – IF YOU ARE A NEW MEMBER YOU MUST INCLUDE WITH THIS APPLICATION AN UP-TO-DATE PASSPORT TYPE PHOTO OF THE APPLICANT. EXISTING MEMBERS RENEWING THEIR LICENCE DO NOT REQUIRE A PHOTO UNLESS THEIR APPEARANCE HAS SIGNIFICANTLY CHANGED. WE CANNOT ACCEPT NEW APPLICATIONS WITHOUT A PHOTO.

SEND COMPLETED FORM (PAGES 1 & 2) WITH THE PHOTO (if required) AND A CHEQUE/POSTAL ORDER MADE PAYABLE TO GLAMORGAN ANGLERS CLUB LTD TO - GLAMORGAN ANGLERS CLUB, PO BOX 220, BARRY CF63 9FZ (YOU NEED TO PUT A STAMP ON ENVELOPE IT IS NOT freepost). CASH IS SENT AT YOUR OWN RISK. THERE IS NO NEED TO SEND A STAMPED ADDRESSED ENVELOPE WITH THIS APPLICATION UNLESS YOU WANT A BOOK OF MAPS IN WHICH CASE AN C5 SIZED SAE IS REQUIRED.

- A. For members who wish to join the Club via a Postal Application, we will continue to provide this facility for as long as is needed.
- B. **Junior members & parents** are likely to be sent a “behaviour” document for signing & returning (after joining).
- C. **ALL OAP/DISABLED postal applications** must enclose proof of entitlement eg Copy of official document with name & address (Not a car disabled badge) – Physical disability must now be proved, drawing incapacity benefit is not proof of disability. **Please supply proof that you are receiving a Personal Independence Payment or similar or, are over 65 for OAP.**
- D. **Keys** for Club waters (Cost £10 each) are available to members from Garry Evans Fishing tackle in Cardiff and Ewenny Angling Supplies in Bridgend (Take your permit to the shop - Shop hours only).
- E. Postal applications from people who were members of the club for the 22/23 season will exclusively be able to renew their licence from 1/12/22 to 28/02/23. Applications for New Members will only be accepted from 1/03/23. Please read the Newsletter you will receive for joining the Club.

Members should note that they are responsible for their personal safety on waters and should have their own Personal Accident Insurance. By accepting a permit, members agree to abide by all club rules and are deemed to indemnify Glamorgan Anglers Club Ltd and their Landlords against all costs, claims, actions, liabilities and demands incurred by their actions. Members are reminded that fisheries can be hazardous places.

All applicants must sign to acknowledge that they accept these terms & conditions and agree that Clubmate on behalf of GAC can hold their data within the Clubmate online software.

River Taff Season Tickets will now cover Rivers Taff and Ely, plus Cardiff Bay (dedicated fishing Angling Zones only).

READ THE ABOVE and SIGN -

We cannot issue a licence without a signature above.

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PLEASE CHOSE THE TYPE OF MEMBERSHIP REQUIRED & show the payment to be made (Cash is sent at your own risk):

| All licences are Season Tickets YE 31/03/24 | Full Coarse | Game incl | Enter |
|--|-------------|------------------|--------------|
| | All waters | OR Coarse | Total to pay |
| | | All Waters | |
| Senior | £82 | £139 | |
| Husband & Wife | £105 | £164 | |
| Husband & Wife - OAP/Disabled | £84 | £127 | |
| OAP | £62 | £89 | |
| Disabled | £62 | £89 | |
| Junior | £43 | £69 | |
| Night Fishing Group add on cost to the above | £50* | | |
| New Members only add on joining fee – not available until after 1 March 2023 | £15 | | |
| Map Book | £5 | | |

Cheque/PO made payable to Glamorgan Anglers Club Ltd

FOR THE 23/24 SEASON TAFF ONLY SEASON TICKETS ARE ONLY AVAILABLE TO BUY EITHER ONLINE VIA CLUBMATE OR WITH THIS POSTAL APPLICATION FORM. RIVER TAFF DAY TICKETS ARE ONLY AVAILABLE AT TACKLE DEALERS.

| | R Taff only | R Taff only | R Taff only |
|----------------|-------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| | Coarse** | OR Fly incl | OR Game incl |
| | | Coarse** | Coarse** |
| Senior | £56 | £66 | £86 |
| Husband & Wife | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| OAP | £38 | £45 | £60 |
| Disabled | £38 | £45 | £60 |
| Junior | £32 | £37 | £47 |

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* For 23/24 Season ending 31/03/24, initially, only those members with a 22/23 NFG will be able to join the NFG

** River Taff only Season Tickets now cover the Club stretches of the Rivers Taff & Ely and the designated angling stretches around Cardiff Bay. Current new Taff, Ely & Bay licences purchased will run to 31/03/2024.