## Polhilsa Fishery Rules

- Fishing equipment must be dry before fishing.
- Leave your nets, mats and slings at home! These are all provided.
- Please take all litter back to the holiday cottages.
- Respect other anglers, the surroundings and the fish.
- Keep noise and disturbance to a minimum.
- No excessive alcohol.
- Keep all gates shut at all times.
- No fish to be removed from the site or moved between lakes.
- Children to be supervised at all times whilst near the lakes/fishing.

## Top Lake

- Use nets and mats provided, located next to the fence on the entrance to the lake.
- No keep nets.
- Barbless hooks only whilst coarse fishing.
- Trout fishing only by prior arrangement.

## Syndicate Lake (Bottom)

- Booking only.
- Experienced anglers only.
- Only 1 swim to be occupied per day, with 2 rods or less. (1 swim, 1 angler, 2 rods or 1 swim, 2 anglers, 1 rod each).
- Carry the pass at all times, return at the end of the day.
- Use nets, mats and slings provided, located in metal shed (leave yours at home).
- Record any captures in catch report book.
- Micro Barb hooks only.
- No fixed lead set ups.
- Minimum 12lb mainline.
- No braided mainline.
- No leadcore leaders.
- Well behaved dogs under control within your swim are welcome.
- Bait boats are allowed but must be used with respect towards other syndicate members.
- No retaining of fish, fish to be unhooked, weighed and photographed safely and quickly.
- Carp care to be carried at all times and used to treat hook holds and marks.
- Fish safety and welfare is of utmost importance.
- Fish from the swims only.
- Use the boat only to land a fish if it becomes snagged or weeded up.
- Wear the life jacket provided when out in the boat, use the boat at your own risk.
- Please respect other syndicate anglers on the lake at all times.
- Shop bought particle only, used in moderation.