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## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The 2023 AGM of the POAS Angling Club is on 24th January 2023. Once again we will be holding a postal voting system. The committee have found there are a greater percentage of members voting this way and not just the 25 or so members who turn up for a meeting at a specified venue.

A voting ballot paper is enclosed with this newsletter, together with a statement of the club's finances. The ballot should be returned by the closing date of 24th January 2023.



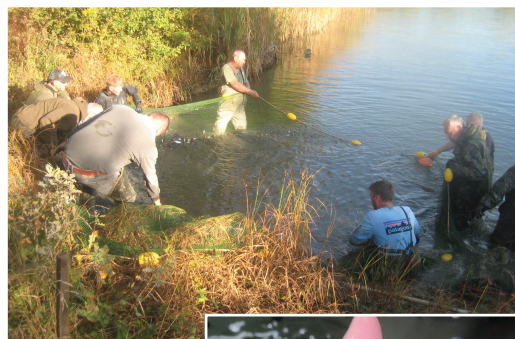
Finally the Committee of the POAS Angling Club wish you and your families a very Merry Christmas and a happy and prosperous New Year. Hope to see you on the bank soon.



## FISH STOCKING

Members of the Committee attended a netting of Dove Wood Angling Group, where we could have a number of small carp if they were caught. These were scheduled for Lambourne, unfortunately the sizes on offer were not in the net and we left empty handed. However, we have secured 150 C1 Dinks x Linear carp from a well established carp breeder. These are a beautiful strain of carp and will enhance our carp stocks in Lambourne.

Due to the still low water levels in Beauchamps, we will suspend our fish stocking until Autumn/Winter 2023. The small F1s are putting on weight and there were plenty of fry showing in the summer, so leaving stocking for another year will not be a bad thing.





## FISHERY NEWS

Water levels are still low in the top lake at Beauchamps however, the small lake is rising and water is being pumped into the main lake but it is a slow process. Dissolved oxygen levels are very good, this is down to Paul Saunders who keeps a careful watch and takes regular readings together with maintaining the aeration systems. Although water levels are low, this has not stopped some really good catches of fish. New member, Grant Saunders has had a great year so far in his pursuit of big perch. Several large perch have been caught; the best reported at 2lbs. Grant even had a surprise large goldfish, now where did that come from?

Several large F1s have been caught recently; member Pete Waller had 4lbs+ and Secretary Mike Salmons a 2lb+ from the small lake.

Not being satisfied with his perch and goldfish, Grant even managed a couple of 14lbs+ carp from Lambourne.

