# An angler's brief guide to the introduction of new salmon and sea trout byelaws

## **River Dee**



### Salmon

All salmon must be released with minimum injury and delay



#### Sea trout

All sea trout greater than 60cm to be released with minimum injury and delay



Worm fishing is only allowed for sea trout with a single worm using a single barbless hook with a gape less than 8mm.

Please note that dates are inclusive

#### **Hooks**

All hooks must be barbless or de-barbed

On artificial flies with a hook gape greater than 7mm, hooks are restricted to singles or doubles

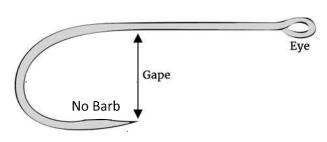
On artificial flies with a hook gape 7mm or less, hooks are restricted to a maximum of two hooks with a total of four points between them

No treble or double hooks are permitted on lures used for spinning

Spinners and spoons can have only one single hook with a gape of 13mm or less.

Plugs can have a maximum of three single hooks, each with a gape of 13mm or less.

Shrimp and prawn fishing for salmon is allowed from the 1<sup>st</sup> September until 30<sup>th</sup> September with the use of a barbless, single treble hook with a gape of less than 7mm.



Further details of byelaws affecting the rivers in Wales, non-migratory trout, coarse fish can be found on the NRW fisheries pages. <a href="https://naturalresources.wales/days-out/things-to-do/fishing/?lang=en">https://naturalresources.wales/days-out/things-to-do/fishing/?lang=en</a>