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Our October Newsletter

Now things are cooling down the Autumn fishing is coming into its own. Several members of the Branch had an interesting evening at Flanchford, our own fishery. The fish were certainly there and persisted in nibbling the flies, making it difficult to hook and retain a fish. Perseverance paid off and Tom Gallacher was seen with a nice specimen of over 2 lbs.

Our next event is our Families Day at Shere and Steve Fisher still has a few places left for any family or friends who wish to improve their fishing. Call him on 0208 392 2183 if you want to come.

After that we have our evening meeting at Tyrrells Wood on the 20th October. It is a "Members Evening" and is your chance to tell others of your fishy tales. It was a great success last time, so do come along and bring some pictures or just come and listen to others. There will be a laptop and projector available but if you have something you wish to show, please contact me so we can ensure the technology works.

Our last bit of news is our "**Grand Raffle**". There are two prizes, the first is a Greys GS2, 9ft 4 piece trout rod, 6# weight, worth well over £100; the second is a fine print by Charles Jardine, signed by him and showing a trout rising. A shot of the picture is shown here and it even comes



framed. Tickets are £5 for a strip of 5 and will be on sale at the October meeting and our AGM. If you will not be at either, then send me £5 and a stamped addressed envelope and I will post your tickets back by return. The Draw will take place at the AGM. (The picture quality is much better than our snapshot.) All profits go into our branch funds.

Both the rod and picture will be on display at our October and November meetings – I hope to see you there – meanwhile I am off to Scotland for a week on the South Esk.

Tight Lines

Branch Chairman