

## 2020 Calendar And Tariff

The Arundell Arms has been England's best-known fly fishing school for over 75 years. Each year we run a number of beginners' fly-fishing courses, and also give individual and group tuition from novice to advanced level. We have 2 full-time instructors, David Pilkington, (AAPGA) and Alexander Jones.

### Fly Tying

Tuition in fly tying can be arranged subject to availability of an instructor, at any convenient time. The tuition can then be tailored to suit the pupil, and would cover all the basic techniques of tying-in, bodies, hackles, wings and much more. Sessions would normally be two hours, either morning or afternoon. This is usually sufficient to allow pupils to tie a fly or two, which they could then use on our water.

Materials and hooks, and use of tools, is included.

**£110 per person** - maximum 3 persons per session.

### Four-Day Beginners' Course

A four-day course in trout fishing for beginners from age 11 upwards. Our most popular course. Complete beginners, handling a fly rod for the first time, can come on one of these courses and be led gradually, stage by stage, to the point where after four days they will be able to fish for river and lake trout reasonably well by themselves.

The course involves a day's casting instruction followed by a day's stillwater fishing at Tinhay Lake, leading to two days' fishing on the rivers. This in-depth, practical instruction is combined with workshops and lectures on tackle, safety, fly-tying, entomology, rivercraft, fish behaviour and much more.

This course - while continually updated - has been run at The Arundell Arms for over 60 years and has been the starting point for thousands of fly fishers.

**Price:**  
**£495pp Adult**  
**£300 Under 17**

**2020 dates**  
**Fri 10th April – Mon 13th April**  
(Arrive Thursday)  
**Mon 11th May – Thur 14th May**  
(Arrive Sunday)  
**Mon 1st June – Thur 4th June**  
(Arrive Sunday)  
**Mon 7th Sept – Thur 10th Sept**  
(Arrive Sunday)

### Two-Day Beginners' Course

A condensed version of our four-day course, the weekend two-day course involves a day on the lake followed by a day on our beautiful rivers. Practical instruction in trout fishing is combined with workshops and lectures to give a comprehensive grounding in the sport. You will be taught basic fly casting, fly choice, knots, the habits of fish and the techniques with which to catch them.

**Price:**  
**£300pp Adult**  
**£200 Under 17**

**2020 dates (Arrive Friday)**  
**Sat 18th April – Sun 19th April**  
**Sat 23rd May – Sun 24th May**  
**Sat 22nd Aug – 23rd Aug**

### River Weekend

For experienced fly fishers, we will take the best of what our rivers are offering. This weekend replaces our beginners salmon fly fishing course, following two drought years and a nationwide decline in salmon stocks, we will target salmon only if the water is good, and know a few fish are present. Trout and grayling will be our choice if the rivers are low. David and Alex will guide and instruct on the rivers each day.

**Price:**  
**£300pp Adult**  
**£200 Under 17**

**2020 date (Arrive Friday)**  
**Sat 26th Sept – Sun 27th Sept**

### The Arundell Arms 3-Day 3-Fish Challenge

The opportunity to fly fish for three of the West Country's most exciting and iconic fish, the wild trout, the sea trout and the bass. Allowing a separate day for each species gives time to fully appreciate these truly wild fish and their surroundings. Our guides will take you night fishing for sea trout, followed by a day on the river for wild brownies, and then a trip to the coast fly fishing for bass. This challenge is aimed at experienced anglers who can cast competently and walk a mile. Suitable tackle can be provided if necessary.

**Price:**  
**£595pp**  
(inclusive of 3 nights B&B and fishing)

**2020 date (Arrive Saturday)**  
**Sat 4th July – Mon 6th July**



### One-To-One, Group Tuition And Guiding

Whether you have never picked up a fishing rod before or are an experienced angler looking to brush up your casting or fishing skills, our instructors are here to help.

Lessons are tailored to suit your needs and requirements and will take place on one of our seven rivers or the lake. All tackle can be provided at no extra cost. It is essential to book tuition and guides in advance.

**Price: Full Day**  
**£200pp**  
**£250 for 2-3 persons**  
**£350 for 4-5 persons**  
**£125pp (under 17)**

**Price: Half Day**  
**£130pp**  
**£180 for 2-3 persons**  
**£200 for 4-5 persons**  
**£75pp (under 17)**

### 2020 Fishing Charges

FISH	PER ROD, DAILY	SEASON
Salmon	£35	April/May/15th June
	£40	16th June/July/August
	£45	September
	£50	October (up to 14th)
Sea Trout	£35	(per night)
Brown Trout	£35	
Grayling	£35	
Tinhay Lake	£45	

### Tackle Hire

Complete fly outfit	£20 per day
Waders	£15 per day
Rod, reel, line, waistcoat	£35 per day

### Fishing Courses Terms And Conditions

Tuition, guiding, courses and fishing day tickets are all available to non-residents of the hotel. The course and tuition prices include all fishing charges and tackle hire, but breakages must be paid for. An Environment Agency fishing licence is not included, and can be obtained from the Post Office or online from the EA. Unless otherwise stated, accommodation at the hotel is not included, for these charges please see hotel tariff.

**A 'full day' covers a minimum of four hours with an instructor; plus fishing on the beat for the day. A 'half day' covers a minimum of two hours with an instructor; plus fishing for the remainder of the morning or afternoon session.**

**Deposit: We request a 50% course fee deposit per participant on booking.** This deposit will be returned if you give us more than 31 days notice of cancellation.

## Fly Fishing at the Arundell Arms

Fly fishing is absorbing. For some it's the scenery and solitude of the wild surroundings. For others it's the anticipation of what the next cast will bring. Hours of tranquillity are punctuated by heart-racing excitement. It is addictive, challenging, rewarding and no two days are the same - everyone should try it.



### FISHERMAN'S COTTAGE

#### SLEEPS 4

Adjacent to the hotel is a two bedroomed self catering cottage. Sleeps four (one double bedroom, one twin bedded room), bathroom, sitting room, kitchen/diner.

Dogs welcome. Campbeds/cots available.

For more details, please contact the hotel.

See hotel tariff for accommodation rates



## Arundell Arms

HOTEL & RESTAURANT

### A cherished hotel and sporting venue

- Premier fishing hotel with 20 miles of private fly fishing on the Tamar and tributaries
- Celebrating 75 years of fly fishing instruction
- Comfortable and relaxing environment
- 21 Bedrooms
- 2 Self catering cottages
- Superb, award winning food
- Genuinely friendly welcome
- Family-run for nearly 50 years
- Conveniently situated just 5 minutes drive from the A30 on the Devon / Cornwall border



For more information about fishing at The Arundell Arms Hotel, or to make a booking please contact us:

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