



LINCOLNSHIRE JUNIOR ANGLING ACADEMY – RULES OF MEMBERSHIP

1. All members are to pay their annual subscription and event peg fees as required.
2. All members, where applicable, must be in possession of an EA rod licence.
3. All members under the age of 11yrs, **MUST** have a family members/ guardian presents at all times.
4. Juniors can join the Academy at the age of 8yrs.
5. Juniors can join the Academy UNDER the age of 8yrs providing;
 - a) A parent will be present at all times
 - b) That parent is a competent angler in their own right
6. Access to all waters and fisheries must only be obtained by indicated routes.
7. Baited tackle must not be left unattended either in or out of the water.
8. All nets must be of knotless construction and suitable for purpose.
9. All fish are to be returned alive to their waters with no exceptions, regardless of any local by-laws.
10. LITTER: All members are responsible for removing ANY litter in their swims including surplus bait. Do not leave it on the bank.
11. All members will abide by any independent, additional fishery rules applicable to the selected venues booked for events.
12. All events will be run in a “match” style format to avoid any peg confrontation, where members will draw their pegs, unless otherwise arranged.
13. Foul language and temper out bursts will not be tolerated.

14. All members must conduct themselves in a manner that causes no offence or disturbance of other members, anglers, water users and nearby members of the public, so much as reasonably possible.
15. Standard Angling Trust match rules will apply to all LJAA events.
16. No fish are to purposely come into contact with the ground. Wet nets and unhooking mats are to be used when weighing and for photographic purposes.
17. Any members found to be contravening the LJAA rules will be subject to disciplinary action by the LJAA officers.