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*I wish to make an offer for the fishing lots as indicated overleaf & have read and agree to abide by the Auction Conditions.*

**Signed:** .....

**Date:** .....

Please fill in this tear-off form & send it in an envelope, clearly marked **"Tweed Auction"** to:-

**The Tweed Foundation  
Drygrange Steading  
Melrose  
Roxburghshire TD6 9DJ  
Enquiries Tel: (01896) 848271**

Alternatively, you may email your bid to us at:

**info@tweedfoundation.org.uk**

**Bids by all methods should be sent to arrive no later than:  
5pm on Monday, 16th June 2008**

Bids made by email will be acknowledged within one working day. If you do not receive an acknowledgement you should assume that your email bid has been lost and should please either re-send it or telephone the office. All Auction bids will be processed on Tuesday, 17th June 2008 at The Tweed Foundation's office at Drygrange, Melrose. As noted above, all bids must be received **by 5pm on Monday, 16th June 2008** with envelopes marked **"Tweed Auction"** not being opened until that date. No bids, in any form, will be accepted after this date.

All successful bidders will be informed within two weeks. Unsuccessful bidders will be informed and provided with a full list of the sum each Lot finally made. Lots not reaching the Guide Price may be withdrawn from the Auction.

**AUCTION CONDITIONS**

1. A rod may be shared by up to two people, but no more than this.
2. Fishing is with fly only from 15th September. Before that, spinning will be allowed.
3. Fish may be kept, but not sold.
4. In line with general fishing practice, no refunds will be given if any day's fishing is lost due to inclement weather, unsuitable river conditions or any other event outwith our control.
5. All bids must be made in **whole** Pounds Sterling and, if successful, payment should be made in Pounds Sterling also. The addition of any pence will invalidate the bid.
6. Successful bidders will pay the Tweed Foundation direct.
7. Payment should be received within 7 days of being notified of a successful offer. Payment will be by cheque made payable to *The Tweed Foundation*. If full payment has not been received within two weeks of notification, the sale may be rescinded without any notice being given to the buyer.
8. All successful bidders will be notified in writing within two weeks of the Auction and the bidder will be put in contact with the donor, and/or their appropriate agent or boatman, once payment has been received.
9. Boats and Boatmen are normally provided on a shared basis. The donor will act as boatman for the day on Lot 12. One Boatman is provided for Lots 7, 8 & 9, with a second Boatman available, for a small charge, if required.
10. Whilst the Auction has some Lots which are a beat's full complement of rods for a day, it should be noted that **on most beats** there will be other rods fishing as well as those purchased in the Auction.
11. Fishing may **not** be sub-let.
12. All rods must abide by the Tweed Angling Code.
13. Lots are sold as shown. No negotiations to alter a day bought in the Auction can be entered into with either the Tweed Foundation or the donor. Descriptions listed are purely to give an indication of the beats' potential and are no guarantee of catches or performance.
14. The Tweed Foundation retains the right to refuse a bid, even if that bid is the highest offered for a Lot.

The Trustees of The Tweed Foundation would like to express their thanks to the following, who have so generously donated fishing to this Auction or who have given financial contributions in lieu of fishing:

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**THE Tweed  
FOUNDATION**

**AUCTION**

**OF**

**TWEED AUTUMN SALMON  
FISHING**

**ON SOME OF TWEED'S  
MOST FAMOUS BEATS**

including:

Ladykirk, Tillmouth, Lennel, The Lees,  
West Learmouth, Wark, Carham,  
Birgham Dub, Upper Floors,  
Lower Makerstoun, Rutherford, Mertoun,  
Dryburgh, Bemersyde, Ravenswood,  
Gledswood, Upper Pavilion, Boleside

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**The Auction will take place**

**on**

**Tuesday, 17th June 2008**

**at**

The Tweed Foundation's office,  
Drygrange, Melrose.  
www.tweedfoundation.org.uk

All proceeds will be donated to The Tweed Foundation

Charity No. SC011055

# OFFER FORM

Lot	Dates	Beat		Lot	Bid	Guide Price
<i>[Further information is listed under "Salmon beats" on <a href="http://www.fishtweed.co.uk">www.fishtweed.co.uk</a> except those marked *]</i>						
1	Aug, Fri 22nd	<b>Tweedhill (2 rods)</b>	The lowest fishable beat on Tweed; 5 year average 147 salmon, Aug & Sept usually best months.	1	£ _____	£ 150
2	Aug, Sat 23rd	<b>Tweedhill (2 rods)</b>	The lowest fishable beat on Tweed; 5 year average 147 salmon, Aug & Sept usually best months.	2	£ _____	£ 150
3	Aug, Wed 27th	<b>Birgham Dub (2 rods)</b>	Near Birgham village on lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 324 salmon; 41 caught Aug 07.	3	£ _____	£ 450
4	Aug, Thurs 28th	<b>South Wark (1 rod)</b>	Sth/English side by Wark village on lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 285 salmon; end of Aug can be very good, with water.	4	£ _____	£ 450
		<b>Lower North Wark (1 rod)</b>	Nth/Scottish side opposite Wark village; 5 yr av. 208 salmon; end of Aug can be very good, with water.			
5	Aug, Fri 29th	<b>The Lees (2 rods)</b>	Near Coldstream, mainly north bank; 5 yr av. 610 salmon; 86 caught Aug 07.	5	£ _____	£ 450
6	Aug, Sat 30th	<b>The Lees (2 rods)</b>	Near Coldstream, mainly north bank; 5 yr av. 610 salmon; 86 caught Aug 07.	6	£ _____	£ 450
7	Sept, Mon 15th	<b>West Newbiggin* (3 rods)</b>	Lower Tweed opposite Ladykirk; 5 yr av. 33 salmon; mid Sept can be good in low water.	7	£ _____	£ 300
8	Sept, Mon 15th Tues 16th / Wed 17th	<b>Upper Mertoun (3 rods)</b>	Either side of Mertoun bridge near St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 256 salmon; 57 caught Sept 07.	8	£ _____	£ 2,000
9	Sept, Thurs 18th Fri 19th / Sat 20th	<b>Upper Mertoun (3 rods)</b>	Either side of Mertoun bridge near St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 256 salmon; 57 caught Sept 07.	9	£ _____	£ 2,000
10	Sept, Thurs 18th	<b>Lower Makerstoun (2 rods)</b>	Halfway between Kelso & St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 126 salmon; 50 Sept 07.	10	£ _____	£ 700
11	Sept, Fri 19th	<b>Dryburgh North (2 rods)</b>	Around St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 226 salmon; 65 Sept 07.	11	£ _____	£ 325
12	Sept, Fri 19th	<b>Dryburgh North (2 rods)</b>	Around St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 226 salmon; 65 Sept 07.	12	£ _____	£ 325
13	Sept, Sat 20th	<b>Maxton* (1 rod)</b>	Near St Boswells opposite Mertoun in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 80 salmon; 14 Sept 07.	13	£ _____	£ 150
14	Sept, Mon 22nd	<b>Tweedwood (4 rods)</b>	Between St Boswells & Melrose in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 165 salmon; 66 caught Sept 07.	14	£ _____	£ 750
15	Sept, Mon 22nd	<b>Dryburgh South* (2 rods)</b>	Alternates with Dryburgh North (See Lot 11 & 12 above)	15	£ _____	£ 325
16	Sept, Mon 22nd Sept, Tues 23rd Sept, Wed 24th	<b>Gledswood* (2 rods)</b>	{Situated below Scott's View near St Boswells in middle Tweed; north bank opposite Ravenswood;	16	£ _____	£1,200
		<b>Gledswood* (2 rods)</b>	{5 yr av. 132 salmon; 53 caught Sept 07.			
		<b>Boleside (2 rods)</b>	Below upper Tweed/Etrick junction between Galashiels & Selkirk; 5 yr av. 429 salmon; 82 caught Sept 07.			
17	Sept, Mon 22nd	<b>Ravenswood (2 rods)</b>	Opposite Gledswood (See Lot 16) in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 133 salmon; 19 Sept 07.	17	£ _____	£ 400
18	Sept, Tues 23rd	<b>Horncliffe (2 rods)</b>	Just below Norham in lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 234 salmon; 60 caught Sept 07.	18	£ _____	£ 250
19	Sept, Thurs 25th	<b>West Learmouth (1 rod)</b>	Sth/English bank opposite Lees near Coldstream lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 320 salmon; 77 caught Sept 07.	19	£ _____	£ 350
20	Sept, Sat 27th	<b>Drygrange (2 rods)</b>	Above Gledswood/Ravenswood between St Boswells & Melrose mid Tweed; 5 yr av. 117; 33 caught Sept 07.	20	£ _____	£ 350
21	Sept, Sat 27th	<b>Tweedmill* (1 rod)</b>	Nth/Scottish bank opp. Lennel/Tillmouth lower Tweed nr Coldstream; 5 yr av. 630 salmon; 264 caught Sept 07.	21	£ _____	£ 500
22	Sept, Sat 27th	<b>Upper North Wark (2 rods)</b>	Scottish/nth bank opp. South Wark above Coldstream lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 105 salmon; 14 caught Sept 07.	22	£ _____	£ 400
23	Oct, Fri 10th	<b>Rutherford (1 rod)</b>	Between Makerstoun & Mertoun in the heart of middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 335 salmon; 83 caught Oct 07.	23	£ _____	£ 400
24	Oct, Sat 11th	<b>Pedwell (2 rods)</b>	Sth bank around Norham in lower Tweed & opposite Ladykirk; 5 yr av. 200 salmon; 49 Oct 07.	24	£ _____	£ 300
25	Oct, Mon 13th	<b>Ladykirk (2 rods)</b>	Nth/Scottish bank around Norham in lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 520 salmon; 140 caught Oct 07 (whole beat figures).	25	£ _____	£ 450
26	Oct, Wed 15th	<b>Bemersyde (2 rods)</b>	Mainly double bank above St Boswells in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 217 salmon; 22 caught Oct 07.	26	£ _____	£ 600
27	Oct, Thurs 16th	<b>Traquair (2 rods)</b>	Near Innerleithen in upper Tweed; 5 yr av. 88 salmon; 20 caught Oct 07.	27	£ _____	£ 200
28	Oct, Mon 20th	<b>Carham (1 rod)</b>	Double bank halfway between Coldstream & Kelso in lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 386 salmon; 193 caught Oct 07.	28	£ _____	£ 900
29	Oct Thurs 23rd	<b>Upper Floors (1 rod)</b>	Double bank just above Kelso in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 485 salmon; 84 caught Oct 07.	29	£ _____	£ 1,000
30	Nov, Mon 3rd Tues 4th / Wed 5th	<b>Upper Pavilion* (3 rods)</b>	1.5 miles double bank just below Boleside in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 155 salmon; 67 caught Nov 07.	30	£ _____	£ 2,500
31	Nov, Thurs 6th Fri 7th / Sat 8th	<b>Upper Pavilion* (3 rods)</b>	1.5 miles double bank just below Boleside in middle Tweed; 5 yr av. 155 salmon; 67 caught Nov 07.	31	£ _____	£ 2,500
32	Nov, Mon 10th	<b>Lennel (2 rods)</b>	Nth/Scottish bank opposite & below Coldstream in lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 405 salmon; 68 caught Nov 07.	32	£ _____	£ 400
33	Nov, Tues 11th	<b>Lennel (2 rods)</b>	Nth/Scottish bank opposite & below Coldstream in lower Tweed; 5 yr av. 405 salmon; 68 caught Nov 07.	33	£ _____	£ 400
34	Nov, Sat 15th	<b>Drygrange (2 rods)</b>	Above Gledswood/Ravenswood between St Boswells & Melrose mid Tweed; 5 yr av. 117; 33 caught Sept 07.	34	£ _____	£ 500
35	Nov, Mon 17th	<b>Tillmouth (2 rods)</b>	{Sth/English bank opposite Tweedmill & Lennel below Coldstream in lower Tweed;	35	£ _____	£ 400
36	Nov, Tues 18th	<b>Tillmouth (2 rods)</b>	{5 yr av. 772 salmon; 153 caught Nov 07.	36	£ _____	£ 400

The Tweed Foundation is a Charitable Trust set up to protect and enhance fish stocks in the Tweed system and is at the forefront in bringing a more objective scientific and professional approach to the management of freshwater fish stocks. The Tweed Foundation's annual Auction provides a unique opportunity to experience some of the best fishing available on Tweed. All proceeds from the Auction will go to the Tweed Foundation in support of its work.