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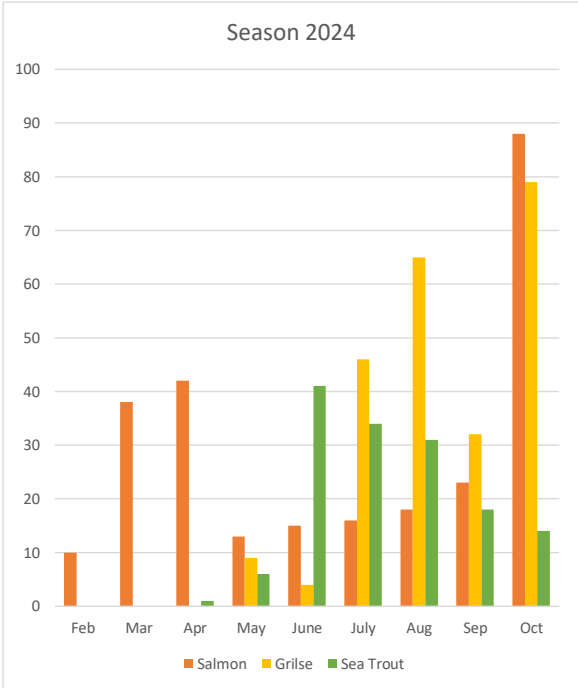
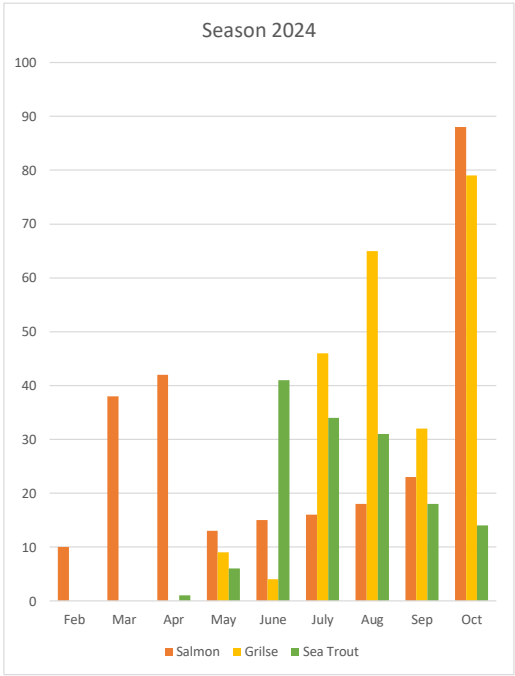
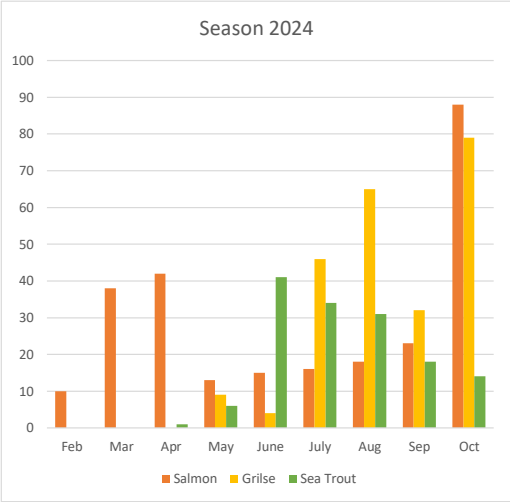
Week 3 **16-02-24 to 17-02-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 6 Grilse = 0 Sea Trout = 0 Season is off to a good start this year after the devastation of the winter storms. 6 Springers caught in what could be said as ideal weather with the water at a decent hight and falling away in mild conditions. Biggest fish fell to Mr J Murray from Dundonald a 16lbr from the Boat pool, he also had 2 fish of 8lbs and 9lbs from the Luther pool. Mr S McAbe had a fish of 9lbs from Upper Stobb and Mr N Kinnel had one of 8lbs from the Boat pool. Mr S Guild from Cumnock had a nice 10lb fish from Lower Weir. Conditions are forecast to remain much the same in the coming week so the chances of a fish are pretty good.
Week 4 **19-02-24 to 24-02-22**	Salmon = 3 Grilse = 0 Sea Trout = 0 After the flurry of the opening days things have quietend down a little bit. Two nice fish caught this week though, Mr L Sandground took a 12lb fish from the Weir pool and Mr C Inglis had a nice 14lb fish from the Luther pool. Conditions are forecast to be much the same for the coming week.
Week 5 **26-02-24 to 02-03-22**	Salmon = 3 Grilse = 0 Sea Trout = 0 Not prolific fishing yet but the odd fish continues to be caught Mr G McKinlay from Montrose had a 13lb Salmon from the Boat pool and Mr R McGhee took a nice 7lb fish on a Monkey again from the Boat pool and once again from the same pool Mr D Bryce from Shotts had a 6lb fish on a Red Francis.



Week 1 **04-03-24** **to** **09-03-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 1 Grilse = 0 Sea Trout = 0 Still the odd fish being taken but they are few and far between at the moment. Me C Candlin from Stirling had the biggest of the week, a 16lb fish from the Mill pool on an Ally's Shrimp. Mr E Anderson from Gloucestershire took a 9-1/2lb fish from the Boat pool on a Monkey and Mr F Calzetta had a 7lb fish from Upper Stobb. Bit of rain is needed to raise the water levels and encourage the fish to run the system. Rain is forecast from Wednesday so heres hoping.	
# **Week 2** **11-03-24** **to** **16-03-24**	Caught this week Salmon 4 Grilse 0 Sea Trout 0 Picked up a little bit this week with 4 fish being caught. Mr R McGhee from Forfar took a 12lb fish from Bridges on a Willie Gunn Mr A Hamilton from Perthshire and Mr S Cocker from East Kilbride both had fish to 8lbs from the Boat pool and Lower Weir respectively. Finally Mr G Smith had a 6lb fish from Upper Stobb. Latest rainfall is not making a lot of difference to water levels but there was a very high spring tide on Wednesday the 13th which may have pushed some fish into the system.	
Week 3 **18-03-24** **to** **23-03-24**	Caught this week Salmon 13 Grilse 0 Sea Trout 0 Bit of rain and rise in water levels makes a difference. 13 fish caught this week biggest was 16lbs caught on the Boat pool by Mr D Clelland from Belfast he also took an 8lb fish from Lower Weir. Mr D Hope from Worcestershire took 3 fish of 13, 12 and 6lbs all on a Solar Monkey on Upper Weir and Boat pool. Mr G McClarence from Belfast had 2 fish of 10lbs and 8lbs from Upper Weir and Weir pool. Mr D Forgie had fish of 10lbs and 8lbs from Dovecot. Mr G Wyllie from Kirriemuir had 2 fish of 10lbs and 7lbs also from Dovecot and Mr J Murray from Dundonald had a 7lb fish from Blue Stone. Fish are well spread out through the system and with more rain forecast prospects are good.	
Week 4 **25-03-24** **to** **30-03-24**	Caught this week Salmon 17 Grilse 0 Sea Trout 0 Good run of fish came into the beat this week which is reflected in the returns, 17 fish for the week. Mr J Fitsimons from Falkirk had the biggest fish of 16lbs from the Boat pool followed up with a 7lb fish from the same pool. Mr G Smith from Carron had a 10lb fish from the Luther pool as did Mr C Clark from Stonehouse but from LowerWeir. Mr W Rennie from Northern Ireland had 2 fish of 10lbs and 8lbs from the Boat Pool. Mr T McLeary from Coupar Angus had 3 fish to 9lbs all from the Boat pool. Mr G Renwick from Annan had 2 fish to 6lbs both on a Cascade from the Luther pool. Mr G McKinlay from Montrose had 2 fish to 9lbs from the Boat pool. Mr C Hood from Lesmahagow, Mr J Miller from Dunbartonshire and Mr C Wayne from Ayrshire all had one fish of 6lbs, 7lbs and 8lbs respectively. The fish are well spread out through the system and with more rain forecast prospects are excellent.	



Week 1 **01-04-24** **to** **06-04-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 5 Grilse = 0 Sea Trout = 0 Heavy rain this week made a couple of days unfishable fish were still being caught when conditions allowed. Mr C MacFarlane from Wymes bay took the biggest fish of the week a 16lb Salmon from the Boat pool run off M r K Lynch from Greenlock had a 2lb fish from Lower Bridges on a Dee Monkey. Mr S Creasey from Ipswich took an 8-1/2lb fish on a Blue and Yellow Tube from the Luther pool and Mr D Leiper from Laurencekirk and Mr W Crawford from Cumnock both had a 7lb fish from Blue Stone and Boat pool respectively. Water is dropping back to a good hight after being very high on Saturday so conditions should be good at start of next week.
Week 2 **8-04-24** **to** **13-04-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 14 Grilse = 0 Sea Trout = 0 Some nice fish are still being caught 11 for the week with the biggest at 13lbs caught on a Yellow Tube at the Boat pool run-off by Mr S Witfford from Fife. Mr D Mitchell from Kirkcaldy had a 12lb fish on an Orange tube from the Boat pool and Mr J Miller from Dumbarton had an 11lb fish from Upper Weir on a Banana Monkey and a 6lb fish from Blue Stone on an Orange/Yellow tube. Mr R Wilson from Balloch had two 10lb fish an 9lb and an 8lb fish all on an Alistair from Lower Weir the Boat pool, Dovecot and Lower Bridges. Mr S McAulay also from Balloch took a 10lb fish from Bridges on a Dirty Banana and an 8l fish from Dovecot on an Oyster Catcher. Mr S Guzik from Alloa had an 8-1/2lb fish from Blue Stone on a Cascade. The fish are there to be caught if your lucky with the conditions.
Week 3 **15-04-24** **to** **20-04-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 20 Grilse = 0 Sea Trout = 0 Well I go on holiday and what happens? the best week of the season occurs, my opologies for not being able to report on it sooner. 20 fish caught this week and some crackers amongst them, i'm not going to be able to mention everybody that caught fish but here's the highlights. Biggest fish fell to Mr G McKinlay from Montrose 25lbs caught on Lower Weir. he also had a 12lb fish from Bridges. Mr M Cowel from Chatton had a 15lb fish from Blue Stone and an 8lb fish from the Boat pool. Mr G Renwick from Annan had a 15lb fish on a Willie Gunn from Blue Stone and a 7lb fish on a Posh Tosh from the Boat pool. Mr C Gorman from Ayrshire took a 12lb fish from Blue Stone. There were a few more double figure fish of 10 and 11lbs taken. For comparison for the same week last season there were 11 fish caught, the North Esk seems to buck the trend and long may it last.
Week 4 **22-04-24** **to** **27-04-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 2 Grilse = 0 Sea Trout = 0 Feast or famine on Pert with 20 fish caught last week only 2 fish caught this week. Mr G Luke from East Kilbride took a 9lb fish on a Neon Sunray from the Luther pool and Mr J Swanwick from Essex had a 6lb fish also from the Luther pool and that was it. Obviously water conditions and runs of fish come in to play but thats a big difference. Hopefully the wet weather forecast for the coming week will temp fish into the system and we may yet have some consistancy of catches.



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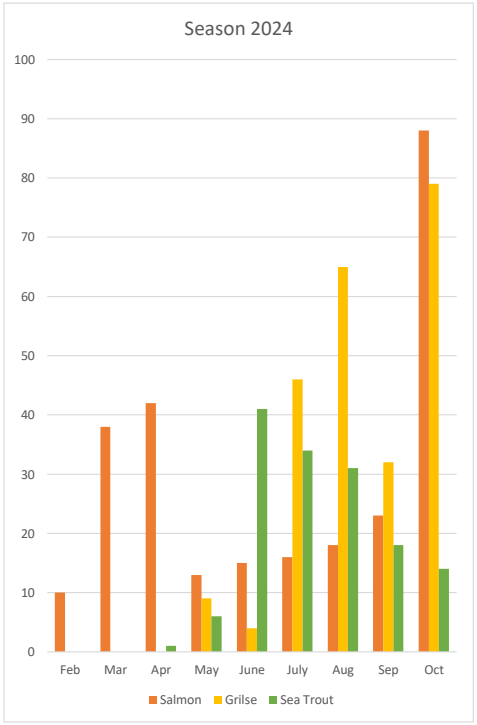
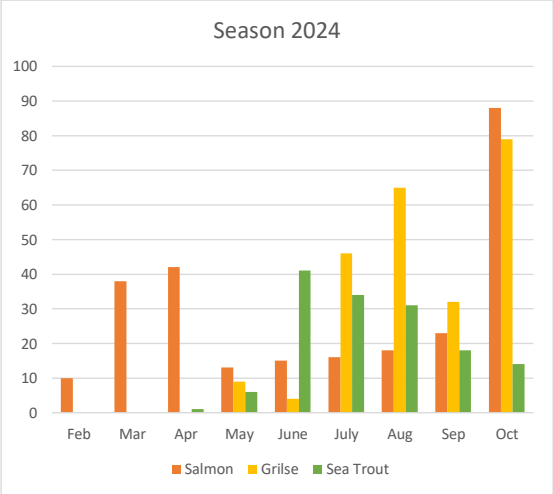
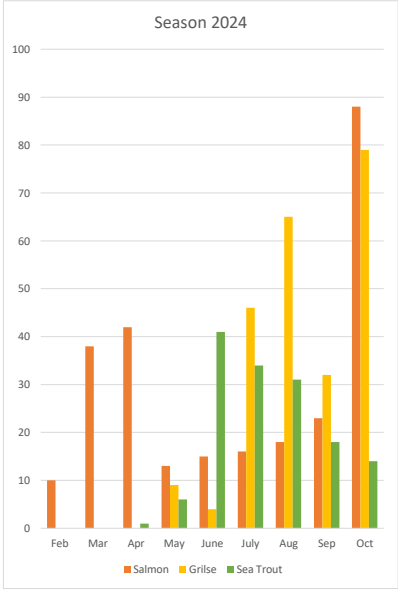
Week 1 **29-04-24 to 04-05-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 7 Grilse = 2 Sea Trout = 1 Picked up again a wee bit this week with 7 Salmon and 1 Sea trout caught. Mr N Brakovich from Warrington had 2 nice fish from the Luther pool of 13lbs and 8lbs. Mr G McKinlay from Montrose also had 2 fish from Upper Weir both weighing in at 10lbs. Mr P Dickinson from Huddersfield took the first Sea trout of the year at 2-1/2lbs from Lower Weir. Mr S Clarke from Staffordshire had a 9lb fish from the Boat pool. Mr T McLeary from Perthshire had an 8lb fish from the Boat pool. Biggest fish of the week fell to a Mr McLeary from Germany a 20lb fish from Lower Weir. Forecast for the coming week is mainly light showers and overcast with temperatures rising to low teens.
Week 2 **06-05-24 to 11-05-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 3 Grilse = 4 Sea Trout = 0 The Grilse have made an appearance. 4 Grilse caught this week and 3 Salmon. Mr G McKinlay from Montrose had 2 Grilse to 7lbs from the Boat pool and Mr H Welbourne from Manchester had 2 Grilse both 7lbs and also from the Boat pool, the first Grilse last year didnt appear until the middle of June. Biggest fish of the week was 20lbs caught in the Luther pool by Mr F Calzetta from Stirling. Mr C Chamberlane from Darwen Lancs had an 8lb fish from the Weir pool and a 10lb fish from Upper Weir. The river is quite low at the moment but there are fish holding in the deeper pools.
Week 3 **13-05-24 to 18-05-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 1 Grilse = 0 Sea Trout = 1 Too much sun and not enough water made for a poor week. There are plenty of fish in the river but are very hard to tempt. Only 1 Salmon and a Sea trout caught this week Mr G McLarence from Belfast had a 9lb fish from Bridges and Mr G Wyllie from Kirriemuir took a 3-1/2lb Sea trout from the Boat pool on a Silver Stoat. Rain is needed to freshen up the river which is now very low and the forecast is not so good with only light rain forecast for the week ahead.
Week 4 **20-05-24 to 25-05-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 0 Grilse = 1 Sea Trout = 2 Still hard going at the moment on Pert. Only 1 Grilse and 2 Sea Trout caught this week. Mr S Guild from Ayrshire took the Grilse weighing in at 3lbs from the Luther pool. Mr C McDonald from Banchory and Mr J Miller from Dumbartonshire both had a Sea trout to 2-1/2lbs one from the Luther pool and one from the Boat pool. Best chance for a fish is in the deeper pools as the river is very low. In saying that it rose last night on the 26th after heavy rain so this coming week may see a fresh influx of fish.
Week 5 **27-05-24 to 01-06-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 8 Grilse = 4 Sea Trout = 4 Unpredictable at the moment its either a feast or a famine luckily it was a bit of a feast this week compared to the past two.8 Salmon 4 Grilse and 4 Sea trout for the week. Noteable catches were as follows. Mr G McKinlay of Montrose had 16lb fish and a Sea Trout from the Boat pool and a 13lb fish from Bridges. Mr G Donaldson from Ayreshire had a 12lb fish from Upper Weir on a Blue and Black Francis. Mr J Murray from Ayrshire had 2 fish both 8lbs one from the Boat Pool and one from Lower Weir. Mr S Knox from Larbert had a 9lb fish from Blue Stone on a Willie Gunn but fish of the week must go to Master F Rankin from Hamilton who caught a 13lb Salmon at Lower Bridges.



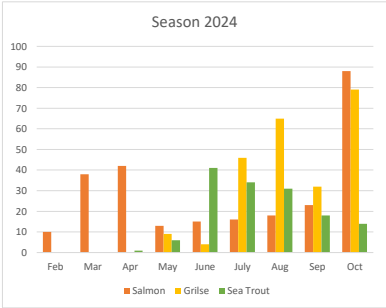
Week 1 **03-06-24 to 08-06-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 1 Grilse = 0 Sea Trout = 3 Still difficult on Pert this week with fish hard to tempt. One Salmon and three Sea trout caught for the week. Mr A Atkins from Granton on Spey had the 3 Sea trout to 3lbs all on a Micro Tube and Mr A Campbell had a 10lb Salmon on a Blue Elver.
Week 2 **10-06-24 to 15-06-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 8 Grilse = 3 Sea Trout = 3 Better week this week with 8 Salmon 3 Grilse and 3 Sea Trout caught. Biggest fish fell to Mr J Parsons from Brighton a 20lb fish from Lower Weir caught on a Red Francis Mr K MacGregor from Kircaldy took a 14lb fish from the Weir pool on a Shity Whitey. Mr L Cowell from Alnwick had a 12lb and a 10lb fish from Upper Bridges and two 9lb fish from Upper Weir and the Boat pool while Mr G McKinlay from Montrose had 3 Grilse to 8lbs all from Upper Weir. Mr H Vanbockel from Holland had an 8lb and a 9lb fish on a Cascade both from the Boat pool. Mr G Smith, Mr M Davies and Mr D Russell all had a Sea trout of about 3lbs.
Week 3 **17-06-24 to 22-06-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 3 Grilse = 1 Sea Trout = 29 Looks like the Sea trout have arrived with a vengance and some big ones amongst them. Mr J Watson from Ayrshire took 12 the biggest being 7lbs, they were all taken on traditional flies Butcher, Dunkeld and Peter Ross with the Boat pool and Blue Stone being the most prolific pools. He also had a 1olb Salmon from Upper Weir on a Peter Ross. Mr S Connally from Ayrshire had a couple of Sea trout with one weighing in at 6-1/2lbs. Mr R Glackon from Glasgow had a 10lb fish and 3 nice Sea trout. Mr J McAllan from Shotts had a 6lb Grilse from the Luther pool taken on a Nymph and Mr R McGhee from Forfar had a 10lb fish from Blue Stone on a Green Highlander. With a heatwave forecast for next week and a good head of Sea trout in the beat it looks like evening fishing will be the order of the day.
Week 4 **24-06-24 to 29-06-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 1 Grilse = 0 Sea Trout = 5 Bit quieter this week Sea trout again dominating but only 5 caught for the week plus 1 Salmon. Mr A Atkins from Granton on Spey had 3 Sea trout to 3-1/2lbs all from the Boat pool on a Micro tube. Mr J Harkess and Mr C Sandground both had a Sea trout to 2-1/2lbs on a Cascade and Micro tube. The Salmon fell to Mr G McKinlay from Montrose weighing in at 9lbs from the Boat pool. Supposed to be a lot of rain this week so hopefully that might freshen the water up a bit and tempt more fish into the system.



Week 1 **01-07-23** **to** **06-07-23**	Caught this week Salmon = 0 Grilse = 2 Sea Trout = 11 Sea trout dominating again this week with 11 caught plus 2 Grilse. Mrs M Anthony from Wales caught a 5lb Grilse at the Boat Pool on a Black Francis nice to have a lady angler on the beat and Mr J Anthony who i presume is her husband had a 2lb Sea trout from Upper Bridges on a Cascade. Mr A Atkins from Granton on Spey had 6 Sea trout from the Boat pool all on a Micro Tube, biggest was a cracking fish weighing in at 8lbs by far the biggest of the week. Mr P McGlyn from Falkirk had 2 Sea trout to 3lbs on a Daddy Long Legs. Mr S Langford from Motherwell took a 3lb Grilse from the Weir pool on a Dunkeld and Mr S Hunter from Glasgow had a 3-1/2lb Sea trout on a Micro Tube. The Boat pool was by far the most productive with 11 out of 13 fish caught there. Very wet week coming up with flood warnings issued for Wednesday but the river could do with an influx of fresh water.
Week 2 **08-07-24** **to** **13-07-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 7 Grilse = 11 Sea Trout = 11 Prolific week this week. Grilse have decided to arrive, Sea trout numbers steady and a few decent Salmon appearing. 7 Salmon, 11 Grilse and 11 Sea trout for the week. Mr G McKinlay from Montrose had a good day catching 4 Salmon, 15lbs, 14lbs, 12lbs and 9lbs from Upper Weir and Bridges. Mr G Donaldson stuck to the Boat pool and had 5 Sea trout to 3lbs and a 13lb Salmon. Mr J Miller from Dumbarton had 2 Sea trout and a Grilse of 8lbs from Lower Bridges and Mr M Davies from Sheffield had a Sea trout a 4lb Grilse and a 10lb Salmon from Blue Stone and Upper Weir. Mr D Scott from Ayrshire had 3 Grilse to 4lbs from the Boat pool. Mr J Murray from Dundonald had 2 Grilse to 6lbs from the Weir pool and Boat pool. Local lads Master R McGhee from Forfar had 2 Grilse both at 6lbs from The Boat pool and Master B Goulding took a 5lb Grilse from the Luther pool.
Week 3 **15-07-24** **to** **20-07-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 6 Grilse = 8 Sea Trout = 9 Fairly consistant fishing at the moment with 6 Salmon, 8 Grilse and 9 Sea trout for the week. Best fish of the week was a 14lbr caught by Mr Chamberlane from Darwen Lancs taken at Blue Stone he also had a 6lb Grilse from the Boat pool. Mr J Fitsimmons from Falkirk had a good day with 2 Salmon of 8lbs and 10lbs and a Sea trout at 3lbs from Bridges and Lower Weir. He had an even better day the next day with an 8lb Salmon, 2 Grilse at 6lbs each and another Grilse at 5lbs. Mr G McKinlay from Montrose had a 12lb Salmon an 8lb Salmon and a 6lb Grilse for his day. Mr K MacGregor from Kircaldy took 2 Grilse both at 6lbs one from The Boat pool and one from Blue Stone plus a 2lb Sea trout from the Boat pool. The river has had a wee bit of a rise this week and rain is forecast so hopefully that will freshen things up, by all accounts there are a lot of fish offshore waiting to run the river but conditions will have to be right.
Week 4 **22-07-24** **to** **27-07-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 3 Grilse = 22 Sea Trout = 3 Good run of Grilse this week not so many Sea Trout and Salmon though. 3 Salmon, 22 Grilse and 3 Sea trout for the week. Mr A Rankin from Hamilton had 2 Grilse to 4lbs on a Sunray Shadow, Mr J Blackthorn from Derby had an 11lb fish from the Boat pool on an Allys Shrimp. Biggest fish of the week was 24lbs caught by Mr M Cowell from Alnwick taken at the Boat pool, he also had 3 Grilse to 6lbs later on in the week. Mr A Atkins from Granton on Spey had 8 Grilse to 8lbs, a Salmon of 12lbs taken on the Hat Trick Shrimp and 3 Sea trout to 3lbs on a Micro tube Boat pool, Blue Stone and Lower weir provided the sport. Mr M Okora from Perth had 3 Grilse to 6lbs all from Lower Bridges. Finally Mr C McDonald from Banchory had 4 grilse to 5lbs 3 from Upper Weir and 1 from the Boat pool. My report will be a week late next week as im off on holiday but hopefully there will be a bit of rain to freshen up the system though it looks like its going to be fine and warm next week.



Week 1 **29-07-24** **to** **03-08-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 1 Grilse = 5 Sea Trout = Lack of water is making the fishing difficult at the moment 1 Salmon and 5 Grilse caught this week. Mr A Maisey from Bath had a good fish of 15lbs from Blue Stone pool on a Silver Stoat. Mr B Sage also from Bath had a Grilse of 5lbs from the Luther pool. Miss H?? had 2 Grilse of 5lbs one from Blue Stone and one from the Luther pool and Mr B Phillips from Bath took a 4lb Grilse from Blue Stone. Mr J Owen from Driffield had a 5lb Grilse from the Boat pool using a Silver Stoat
Week 2 **05-08-24** **to** **10-08-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 2 Grilse = 7 Sea Trout = 7 7 Grilse and 2 Salmon caught this week. Mr M Stewart from Gourock had a 12lb Salmon and a 3lb and 4lb Grilse from Upper Bridges. Master J Barker had a 10lb Salmon from the Boat pool. Mr D Kennan from Largs had a 5lb Grilse from Lower Weir and a 4lb Grilse from the Boat pool on a General Practitioner. Mr C McFarlane from Wemyes bay had 2 4lb Grilse from Lower and Upper Bridges while Mr C McDonald from Banchory had a 3lb Grilse from the Boat pool. Difficult to predict what next week will bring but the forecast of thundery showers hopefully will freshen up the river. Not the weather for waving a carbon fibre rod about though, please take care.
Week 3 **12-08-24** **to** **17-08-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 6 Grilse = 16 Sea Trout = 11 Grilse seem to have made a return this week. Mr G Smith from Falkirk had a cracking couple of days catching 7 Sea trout to 5lbs and 3 Grilse to 6lbs all the fish were caught using a Stoats Tail, Teal Blue and Silver or a Micro Tube. There were also some big Salmon taken and all on the same day ranging from 10lbs by Mr R Evart from Falkirk and 20lbs caught by Mr G MacKinlay from Montrose, Mr MacKinlay also had a 14lb fish both fom Blue Stone both on a Thunder and Lightening he also had a 15lb fish from the Boat pool plus a 7lb Grilse from Blue Stone. Mr A Atkins from Granton on Spey took a 16lb fish on a Micro Tube from the Boat pool he also had 3 Grilse to 6lbs from Bridges and the Boat pool on a Hat Trick Shrimp. Mr E Hunter from Cowdenbeath had a 6lb Grilse from the Luther pool and Mr L Conway from Lanarkshire had 2 Grilse to 7lb also from the Luther pool. Mr C Clarke from Stonehouse had 2 Grilse to 7lbs and a Sea trout of 3lbs all on a Black/Yellow fly. Mr K MacGregor from Kirkcaldy had 2 Grilse to 6lbs from the Boat pool and Mr J Fitsimmons had a 9lb Salmon from the Boat pool. Wet and stormy weather forecast for next week but i doubt if that will curtail the fishing.
Week 4 **19-08-24** **to** **24-08-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 2 Grilse = 21 Sea Trout = 13 Excellent week this week with 2 Salmon, 21 Grilse and 13 Sea trout caught and as is normal now all were returned. Too many people caught to name individually so ill go for the highlights. Biggest Salmon was a 12lb fish caught by Mr F Calzetta from Stirling caught on the Boat pool, he also took 2 Grilse to 6lbs from Blue Stone. The other Salmon was caught by Mr A Rankin from Hamilton again on the Boat pool using a Sunray Shadow, he also took a 3lb Grilse from the same pool. Mr A Jackson from Cumbria had 5 Grilse to 7lbs and a Sea trout of 3lbs on a Red Francis and a Cascade. Mr J Murray from Dundonald had 4 Grilse to 8lbs and finally Mr T McDonnell from Cumbria had 5 Sea trout to 3-1/2lbs all in the Bridges pools. Fish are spread out through the beats but the Boat pool, Luther pool and Blue Stone produced most of the fish. With more rain forecast and the river at a good hight prospects are excellent.
Week 5 **26-08-24** **to** **31-08-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 7 Grilse = 19 Sea Trout = 7 The Grilse have crtainly made a comeback this year and according historic figures they are about 6 weeks late in arriving, to date there have been 124 caught for the season and all of them returned. This week there were 7 Salmon 19 Grilse and 7 Sea trout caught. Mr Fitsimons from Falkirk had a good day catching 4 Grilse to 6lbs and 2 Sea trout to 2-1/2lbs from Blue Stone and Lower Weir. Mr T McLeary from Perthshire had 2 Grilse to 7lbs from Bridges on a Red Francis. Mr C Hood from Lemahagow had a nice Grilse of 5lbs from the Luther pool on a Stoats Tail and a 10lb Salmon from Bridges. Biggest fish of the week fell to Mr J Murray from Dundonald a 15lb Salmon from the Boat pool. Mr J Hana from Edinburgh took a 4lb Sea trout and a 10 lb Salmon at the Boat pool while Mr P Wormald from Bridge of Weir took an 8lb Salmon on the Flamethrower from Blue Stone. Mr D Mickerin from Moodiesburn had 2 nice Grilse from Bridges, both weighing in at 5lbs. More rain is forecast for the coming week and conditions look to be fairly good but there are a few thundery showers forecast for Tuesday.



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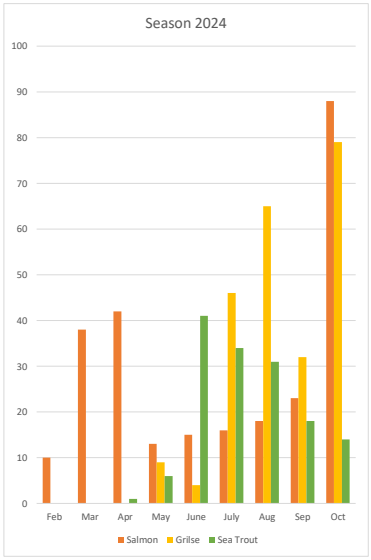
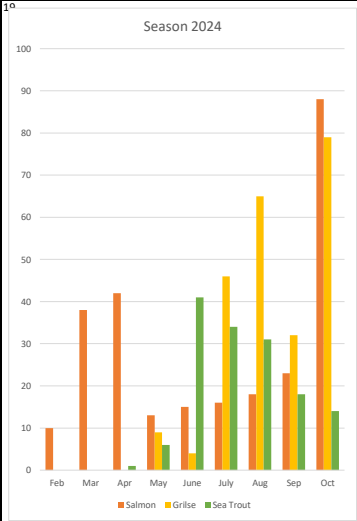
Week 1 **02-09-24 to 07-09-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 10 Grilse = 6 Sea Trout = 2 Well same month as last year and Pert produces another big fish a cracking 40lbs Salmon was taken at the Boat pool by mister David Dick from Falkirk, the fish was weighed in a weigh net and witnessed before being carefully returned to the water. Mr Dick also had a 14lb Salmon and an 8lb Grilse all from the Boat pool on the same day. The beats continue to produce with 10 Salmon, 6 Grilse and 2 Sea trout caught for the week. Best of the rest Mr P Goodwin from Derbyshire had 2 Grilse to 6lbs and a 10lb Salmon from the Boat pool all on a Pert Shrimp. Mr G McKinlay from Montrose had a 2lb Grilse and a 10lb Salmon from Blue Stone using a Silver Stoat. Mr N Marshall from Callandar took a 9lb fish from the Boat pool on a Red Shrimp tube fly and Mr S Duprey took a 20lb Salmon at the Boat pool. Mr S Newsome from Derbyshire using the good old Stoats tail took a 5lb Grilse at the Boat pool. Mr C Clarke and Mr K MacGregor both had an 8lb Salmon from the Luther pool. There hasn't been a lot of ladies fishing Pert this year so it was a nice change to see Mrs L Lomas taking 2 Sea trout to 3lbs at the Boat pool. The Grilse run seems to have tapered off now but the big back end fish will start to run the river if we get a bit more water.
Week 2 **09-09-24 to 14-09-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 2 Grilse = 9 Sea Trout = 3 Another run of Grilse this week just when I thought they were tapering off, 2 Salmon, 9 Grilse also 3 above average Sea trout caught for the week. Mr G McKinlay from Montrose had a Salmon of 9lbs and 2 Grilse to 5lbs using a Blue Charm and from 3 different pools Blue Stone, Boat pool and Lower Weir.Mr D Scott from Ayrshire had 3 Grilse to 6lbs from Upper Stobb and the Luther pool. Mr S Connally from Stonehouse had a Grilse of 7lbs and 2 Sea trout of 5lbs and 4lbs from the Luther pool. Master F Rancon from Hamilton took a 4lb Sea trout also in the Luther pool. Mr R Nixon from Alford had a 9lb Salmon on a Sunray Shadow again from the Luther pool and Mr B Redd from NewDeer took a 7lb Grilse again in, you guessed it, the Luther pool. Mr C Martin from Ayrshire took a 4lb Grilse from Blue Stone and Mr A Mullagan from Torwood had a 6lb Grilse again from Blue Stone. Conditions this coming week are forecast to be sunny and warm so probably early morning and evenings will provide the best chance of a fish.
Week 3 **16-09-24 to 21-09-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 7 Grilse = 8 Sea Trout = 11 A good run of Sea trout this week for some reason maybe they've been waiting for the rain that hasn't transpired and decided to run the river anyway. Mr J Watson from Ayrshire had a fantastic day, using a Stoats tail and fishing mainly the Boat pool and Upper Weir he accounted for 5 Sea trout to 3lbs and 4 Grilse to 6lbs. Biggest Salmon of the week fell to Mr J Fitsimmons from Falkirk, 17lbs from the Boat pool on a Park Shrimp he also took a 2-1/2lb Sea trout from Bridges, Mr J Brown from Amsterdam had a fish of 14lbs from the Luther pool and Mr S Guild from Cumnock had a 13lb Salmon, an 8lb Salmon and a 3lb Sea rout all from the Luther pool. Again the Luther pool came up trumps for Mr K McRandalls from Falkirk who took an 8lb Salmon on a Park Shrimp. Mr M Okora had the biggest Sea trout of the week a 4lbr from the Luther pool. Mr M Hook from Bristol took a 4lb Grilse from the Boat pool using a Red Francis. There is no doubt we need some heavy rain to freshen up the river and let some of the big fish up which usually start appear at this time of the year. Rain is forecast for the coming week but i dont think theres going to be enough to make a great deal of difference to the water level.
Week 4 **23-09-24 to 30-09-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 4 Grilse = 8 Sea Trout = 2 Fairly slack week at Pert this week, mind you 4 Salmon, 8 Grilse and 2 Sea trout are not a bad return considering the lack of fresh water in the system. Mr C Hood from Lesmahago had a good day taking a 12lb fish on a Red Francis and 2 Grilse to 7lbs all from the Luther pool. Master F Rankin from Hamilton had 10lb Salmon a 5lb Grilse and a 2lb Sea trout again all from the Luther pool while Mr A Rankin had a 12lb fish from Bridges. Mr S Connally from Lanarkshire took a 7lb Grilse and 2 Sea trout to 3lbs from the Luther pool. Mr D Wilson from Wales took a 7lb Grilse on a Park Shrimp and Mr M Anderson from Ayrshire and Mr D Meikle from Perthshire both had a Grilse of 5lbs and 4lbs respectively. Mr R Gibson from Huddersfield had a 7lb Grilse on a Cascade and Mr G McKinlay from Montrose took a 10lb fish at the Weir pool. Forecast for the week is much the same with some serious rain needed to bring in fresh fish.



Week 1 **30-09-24 to 05-10-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 12 Grilse = 26 Sea Trout = 2 Pert is fishing really well at the moment with 12 Salmon, 26 Grilse and 2 Sea trout for the week. There were some terrific catches recorded and I don't have room to mention everyone but here are the highlights. Mr M Cowell from Alnwick had 3 Salmon to 14lbs and 4 Grilse to 7lbs all on a Park Shrimp and all but one from the Luther pool he also had 4 Grilse from the Boat pool on an Aurora Cascade, Bridges also produced a 10lb Salmon for him. Mr L Cowell also from Alnwick had 6 Grilse to 6lbs and a 10lb Salmon, Luther pool and Bridges produced again. Mr G McKinlay from Montrose took a 16lb Salmon, the biggest of the week, and an 8lb Salmon on a Park Shrimp he also had a 5lb Grilse all from the Luther pool. Mr T McLeary from Perthshire had a 9lb Salmon from Blue Stone and 2 Grilse to 4lbs from Lower Weir and the Boat pool. Mr P Wormald from Bridge of Weir had a 4lb Grilse and he only Sea trout of the week 2 to 2lbs Gold Stoats tail and a Gold/Black Micro tube were the successful flies. Mr C Sandground had 2 Salmon of 8 and 10lbs from the Weir pool and also 2 Grilse to 4lbs from Blue Stone. Honours of the week must go to Miss H Swanstone (Davids daughter) who took a 15lb Salmon from the Weir pool using a Stoats Tail, i would imagine thats her hooked for life. Rain is forecast for all of next week so prospects look excellent.	10 
Week 2 **07-10-24 to 12-10-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 21 Grilse = 14 Sea Trout = 6 A leap in Salmon numbers his week and a tailing off of the Grilse but plenty of fish being caught with some big Sea trout in the numbers. 21 Salmon, 14 Grilse and 6 Sea trout for the week. Mr G McKinlay from Montrose had a 5lb Sea trout a 10lb Salmon and 2 Grilse to 6lbs all from the Luther pool. Biggest fish of the week fell to the rod of Mr S Miller from Eaglesham, 23lbs from the Luther pool on a Green Tube fly, he also had a 10lb Fish and a 5lb Grilse from Bridges both on a Red Francis. Mr M Ferguson from Stewerton had a 20lb Salmon from Upper Weir on a Red Devil Tube fly and 2 Grilse to 5lbs on a Red Francis. Mr T Armstrong from Ardrossan had 2 Salmon to 8lbs also on a Red Francis. Mr W Fotheringham from Kelty had 2 Salmon to 10lbs and a 6lb Grilse all from the Luther pool. With Heavy rain forecast from Wednesdat plus a rise in air temperature hopefully the fishing will continue to be good.	
Week 3 **14-10-24 to 19-10-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 9 Grilse = 7 Sea Trout = 0 9 Salmon and 7 Grilse for the week, catches tapering off a bit compared to previous weeks but this morning (21st) the water is at a good hight after the rain on Saturday and Sunday so hopefully a late run of fish will transpire. Best fish this week was 18lbs caught by Mr J Murray from Dundonald he also had a 14lb fish from the Boat pool, an 8lb fish from Black Burn and a 6lb Grilse. Mr D Allan from Mudiesburn took an 11-1/2lb fish on a Willie Gunn from the Luther pool and Mr F Calzetta from Stirling had a good day taking a 12lb Salmon and 2 Grilse to 6lbs, Blue Stone and Boat pool giving up their bounty. Another noteable catch was by Mr A Rankin from Hamilton who had 3 Salmon of 13, 9 & 8lbs from Bridges and the Luther pool. Mr J Fitsimmons from Falkirk took a 15lb Salmon at the Boat pool. Fish are well spread out through the system and hopefully some fresh fish will appear after the weekend rain.	
Week 4 **21-10-24 to 26-10-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 31 Grilse = 23 Sea Trout = 5 Amazing week on Pert, the river is full of fish and some big ones amongst them. 31 Salmon, 23 Grilse and 5 Sea trout for the week. Too many names to process this week so I will pick out the highlights. Biggest fish of the week fell to Mr T Keldde from Kelty in Perthshire 28lbs from Bridges. There were about 8 fish caught that fell into the 15lb to 20lb size. Mr M Hunter from Alloa 20lb fish, Mr S Neeson from Clydebank 20lb fish on a Park Shrimp. Mr A Rossi from Bonnybridge 20lb fish. Mr F Calzetta from Stirling 20lb Fish. Best Sea trout was a fish of 5lbs taken at the Luther pool by Mr M McInally from Clydebank. Most prolific catch was by Mr J Watson from Ayrshire who had 3 Samon to 15lbs, 2 Grilse to 6lbs and 2 Sea trout to 3lbs. With nearly every pool producing fish and the river in good condition the last 4 days of the season should finish on a high.	
Week 5 **28-10-24 to 31-10-24**	Caught this week Salmon = 15 Grilse = 10 Sea Trout = 1 Another season comes to an end and we've had good catches right to the end. 15 Salmon, 10 Grilse and a Sea trout over the last 4 days. Biggest fish was caught by Mr D Scott from Ayrshire 28lbs from Upper Weir, he also had 2 Grilse to 4lbs and a Sea trout of about 1-1/2lbs. Mr D Campbell from Glasgow had a 16lb, 12lb and 7lb Salmon all from the Luther pool. Mr K McGrandles from Falkirk had a 20lb fish from Bridges while Mr M Biazr from Perth had a 10lb and 8lb Salmon using a Red Francis and Cascade and a 5lb Grilse also on the Cascade. Mr G Deans from Glasgow took a 16lb fish on a Cascade, Mr W Savage from Perthshire had a 15lb fish also on a Cascade from the Luther pool and Mr C Barber from Loch Lomond had a 16lb Salmon also from the Luther pool. Its been a good season on Pert this year and	