

Regulations Governing the Fishing Lake at the Château of Javarzay 2022

SEASON OPENS : for holders of annual cards only, Saturday 26th February 2022 at 8.00 a.m.

and for all other anglers, Sunday 27th February 2022 at 8.00 a.m.

HOURS of OPENING : - from 26th February to 15th May 8.00 a.m. to 8.00 p.m.
- from 16th May to 11th September 7.00 a.m. to 11.00 p.m.
- from 12th September to close of season 8.00 a.m. to 8.00 p.m.

Entering the fishing area more than one hour prior to opening, (i.e. 7.00 a.m. for 8.00 a.m. and 6.00 a.m. for 7.00 a.m.) is strictly prohibited. Any action which might be considered to be fishing is prohibited before the official opening time.

No fishing on Tuesdays, except Bank Holidays and during June, July and August

SEASON CLOSES

Sunday 27th November 2022 at 8.00 p.m. for holders of day cards

Sunday 11th December 2022 at 8.00 p.m. for holders of annual cards

PRICES :

Annual card	70 €	Day card	8 €
Annual card, under 16s	35 €	Day card, under 16s	4 €

(under 16s are those born after 1st January 2006)

Children under 6 (born after 1st January 2017) free but only with a line without reel.

Annual cards must bear the photograph of the holder.

RULES TO BE OBSERVED WHEN FISHING :

- **ONLY ONE ROD** to be used on Saturdays and the day after the release of fish during the period when the lake is being stocked with young fish, that is from the opening to 15th May and from 12th September to the closure. On all other days, a **maximum** of two rods per angler is allowed. **These must be supervised by their owners.**
- **Under no circumstances may an angler leave the lake and at the same time leave his rods in action.**
- Reserving places for other anglers is prohibited.
- One single hook per line.
- Feeder Fishing is allowed, in July and August.
- Spoons and all other lures are prohibited until 31st October. From 1st of November these may be used until the end of the season.
- **Carp fishers must have the following equipment** : unhooking mat, suitable landing net, weigh sling and appropriate disinfectant. Carp fishers must use barbless hooks.
- **All baiting is prohibited**
- **The number of catches per fishing day is limited to :**
 - 6 for salmonidae (trout or speckled trout), of which 3 weighing more than 1 kilo
 - 2 for pike-perch more than 50cms in length (others must be returned to the water)
 - 2 for carp (less than 5 kilos) and tench. -Carp of more than 5 kilos and grass carp must be returned to the water.
- **Sturgeons must be killed** on site before being removed;
- 2 drop nets of crayfish per angler are allowed. The crayfish caught **must be killed** on site.
- No catches are to be transferred to vehicles during the fishing day.
- Fishing is **prohibited** on Sunday 24th April (Lake reserved by a Chef-Boutonne Association), on Thursday 14th July (Preparation of Fire Work Display). In addition **the commune of Chef-Boutonne reserves the right to close the lake** to satisfy any request for a particular event.
- Fishing is **prohibited** because of competitions :
 - ✓ Saturdays 26th March, 23th April and 22th October for 3 trout fishing competitions
 - ✓ The weekends of 3th to 6th June, 1st to 3th July and 12th to 15th August for 3 carp competitions.

- The pontoon at the rue de Judée access point is **for the use of disabled persons only**.
- The moving of tables and the lighting of fires by the lake are both **prohibited**.
- The **use of mopeds and bicycles is strictly prohibited** on the path around the lake which is reserved for anglers and walkers. On this path **and everywhere else on the site** all motorised vehicles are strictly prohibited and **dogs must be on a leash**.

FISH STOCKING SEASON 2022 :

- Anglers will be notified of releases by items in the press and notices around the lake. On the days when fish are to be released fishing is prohibited after 6.00 p.m. up till June and after 5.30 p.m. from September.
- Should the temperature of the water be too high, the commune of Chef Boutonne reserves the right to postpone certain releases. Information will be available in the newspaper and from posters around the lake.
- **Any non-authorized release of fish is prohibited.**

CARDS AVAILABLE FROM

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| - BOULANGERIE MAITRE,
Tél .05.49.29.81.76 | 2 Place Cail 79110 CHEF-BOUTONNE
(closed Sunday afternoons and Mondays) |
| - LE FOURNIL DES HALLES,
Tél .05.49.29.06.47 | 10 Place Cail 79110 CHEF-BOUTONNE
(closed Wednesday) |
| - LE FOURNIL DU CHATEAU DE JAVARZAY,
(SARL Micka&Co)
Tél 09.81.91.02.29 | 27 Avenue Louis Proust 79110 CHEF-BOUTONNE
(closed Wednesday) |
| - MAG PRESSE,
Tél. 05.49.29.85.37 | 26A Place Cail 79110 CHEF-BOUTONNE
(closed Sunday afternoons) |
| - STOCK FOUILLE
Tél. 05.49.29.63.06 | 1 Route de Melle 79110 CHEF-BOUTONNE
(closed Sunday mornings and Mondays) |
| - MAIRIE DE CHEF-BOUTONNE,
Tél. 05.49.29.80.04 | 7 Avenue de l'Hôtel de Ville 79110 CHEF-BOUTONNE
(closed Tuesday mornings, Thursday mornings, Saturdays and Sundays) |

Sunday afternoons only, cards may be bought on site from J. Claude Fleury, President of the Association PECH

CAR PARKS :

Three car parks are available for anglers :

- Parcelle des Etrillauds (chemin de Chandant)
- Rue de Judée car park
- Château de Javarzay car park

TOILETS :

Automated toilets are available near the pontoon for the disabled by the rue de Judée, to the north of the site.

PENALTIES :

The Gendarmerie and named members of the Association P.E.C.H, holders of a card of authorisation (with photo) from the mairie, will carry out checks at the lake to ensure the correct observation of these rules.

All anglers are obliged to be aware of these regulations and any failure to observe them may be penalised by the cancellation or temporary suspension of the fishing card or by a fine.

FURTHER INFORMATION : MAIRIE DE CHEF-BOUTONNE Tél 05.49.29.80.04.

Regulations approved by the Municipal Council on the 17th January 2022.

Fabrice MICHELET, Mayor

