

# MTSFC



## The Masonic Fishing Charity

<https://www.mtsfc.org.uk>

### MTSFC Aims

“The Masonic Fishing Charity’s aim is to bring an interactive fishing and countryside experience to people with special needs”.

It achieves this by running fishing events, both coarse and fly and inviting participants with special needs to come and join in. This includes anyone over 11 years old with mental or physical disabilities, the disadvantaged or those who have suffered trauma.

We hope to ‘Catch The Smile’ along the way.

## CATCH THE SMILE

### West Kent Events 2026

- Spring Hill Trout Waters 11<sup>th</sup> May
- \* D.D.A.P.S 14<sup>th</sup> July
- \* D.D.A.P.S. TBC
- Spring Hill Trout Waters TBC

\* Coarse fishing event – others Fly fishing

## Masonic Trout and Salmon Fishing Charity West Kent Branch

The West Kent Branch was founded in 2009 with the first event held at Spring Hill Trout Fishery which remains a popular venue. Over the intervening years many youngsters have attended our events often sponsored by a Lodge or Chapter.

These events are provided free to the participants but are funded by charitable donations or sponsorship in addition to the time given by the various volunteers. If you are an angler (Fly and Coarse) and would like to assist at these events please contact the Members & Casters Secretary John Berry at [johnberry1948@googlemail.com](mailto:johnberry1948@googlemail.com)

If your Lodge or Chapter would like to sponsor one of these days out or if you know of a school for children with physical or mental difficulties that might benefit from these events or if you would like to generally assist at these events then contact the Secretary David Purser at [david.purser2@btinternet.com](mailto:david.purser2@btinternet.com)

Two Travelling fund raisers, one each for Craft and Royal Arch, were designed and built by George Buckberry during lockdown as pictured. Like the travelling Mauls and TLC bear scrolls are intrinsic to the design to record donations by individuals and Lodges and Chapters. If your Lodge or Chapter would like to donate and have your patronage recorded on a scroll and receive a Certificate of Donation, or receive a talk on this subject, please contact George Buckberry at [g.buckberry@outlook.com](mailto:g.buckberry@outlook.com)

