

# GLEN TANAR

Headinch and Cambus O'May Beat



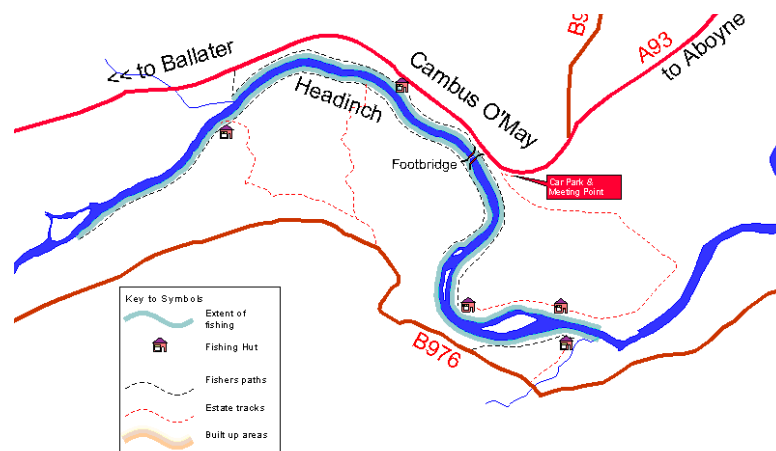
Both banks from top of Pool Kate (on the South Bank) and the Mill Pool (on the North Bank) downstream to the foot Tassachd Pool.

The beat has 8 kilometres (5.6 miles) of fly-fishing, with 21 named pools. Most of the fishing is from both banks, with only 5 pools at the top of the beat with fishing on one bank only. It is in a beautiful area of Royal Deeside with a mixture of open fields, trees and the Cairngorm Mountains as a back drop.

The beat has two main fishing periods Spring and Summer. The Spring period is from 1 March to 29 June when 4 rods can fish the beat. From 1 July to 30 September, 3 rods can fish the beat. From the beginning of the season until 29 June the beat has the services of a full-time ghillie, after which ghillying is by arrangement with the estate office. There are 5 fishing huts on the beat with three on the North and two on the South banks.

Access to the beat is by car along tracks to the main pools. There are also paths along the riverside on both banks and the famous Cambus O'May footbridge that allow access to all parts of the beat on foot.

The beat has fly fishing only and a complete catch and release policy.



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## GLEN TANAR SALMON FISHING TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE

### Fishings 2013 – River Dee Headinch & Cambus O'May: 3- 4 rods

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- 1 All salmon fishing on Glen Tanar beats is **100% catch and release** in conjunction with the Dee Conservation Code 2013
- 2 Fishing is from the top of Pool Kate (south bank), the top of Mill Pool (north bank), and the bottom of Tassachd pool.
- 3 The **meeting point** for the beat is the car park 200 metres east of the Cambus O'May footbridge, on the south side of the A93 and 4km (2.5 miles) west of Dinnet village. The entrance to the car park is on a sharp bend in the road. All parties must meet at 9.00 am.
- 4 **Access** to the beat is by car on certain routes and on foot for the remainder. Care is to be taken to avoid disturbance or damage to livestock or crops. Vehicle access to Tassachd is via the track across the middle of the field. No other route should be used by cars. The track through Torphantrick wood goes through a gate with a combination lock. The number for the lock can be obtained from the estate office or the ghillie.
- 5 **Fishing system:** The beat has two periods, spring, and summer. The spring fishing period is from 1 March – 29 June 2013 (4 rods). The summer fishing period is from 1 July - 30 September 2013 (3 rods). For most of the beat both banks are available, with only two pools at the top of the beat, Kate and Glashan, where fishing can be taken from the south bank only. In the spring period, the beat is split into two sections. Fishers rotate round the sections on a daily basis. The changeover to the following day's water takes place at 5.00 p.m. each day. The ghillie will explain the system on arrival. In the summer fishing period, only 3 rods fish the beat, from both banks. There are no restrictions on sections or timings. The estate reserves the right to put a house rod on to the Kate and Glashan pools. The estate will liaise with you prior to taking up this right.
- 6 **Fishing etiquette:** When starting in a pool a minimum separation from fishers on the opposite bank of one hundred metres upstream or fifty metres downstream should be maintained. Fishers should maintain a steady progress through a pool. Fishers should avoid other fishermen when they are playing a fish. Fishers must also respect other people's use of the water or land they are on and act responsibly. Dogs are not permitted on the river bank unless kept under control.
- 7 **Rod sharing:** rod sharing must be agreed in advance with the estate. The estate reserves the right to restrict the period fished by shared rods to a reasonable fishing period, which as a maximum shall be no more than ten hours a day.
- 8 **Fishing methods:** Fly fishing only is permitted. All hooks should be barbless or the barbs crimped. Treble hooks are not permitted.
- 9 **Injured or damaged fish:** All injured or damaged fish are to be handed to the proprietor or his representative.
- 10 **Ghillie:** The services of a ghillie are provided from 9am to 5 pm Monday to Saturday 1 March to 29 June. From 1 July to 30 September a ghillie is only provided by arrangement. The ghillie is in charge of the fishery when present and instructions from the ghillie or other member of staff must be complied with. **A minimum of one person must be nominated as the contact with the estate and contact details must be provided in advance to either the estate or the ghillie for each day.**
- 11 **Catch returns:** Correct detailed records, showing dates on which fish were caught and killed, and which were released, their weights, names of pools, and from which bank taken, must be submitted to this office. These records are normally kept by the ghillie in the spring period, but it is your responsibility to ensure that appropriate records are kept for your fishing party.
- 12 **Safety & Disease Control:** Please ensure that all fishers comply with the safety code laid out on the Angling Safety Sheet a copy of which will be sent to you with the confirmation of your booking. All fishers should supply and wear a suitable buoyancy aid while fishing.  

All anglers are requested to read and act upon the biosecurity measures in place for each beat to prevent the introduction of *Gyrodactylus salaris* and other diseases to the Dee. This will involve the disinfection of waders and landing nets prior to fishing.
- 13 **Law & Other Issues:** The law of Scotland shall apply to this contract. No terms may be changed without written permission. We reserve the right to refuse a booking. Your acceptance of the contract will occur when you make the payment. Tenants must ensure all guests have read and understood these terms and conditions.