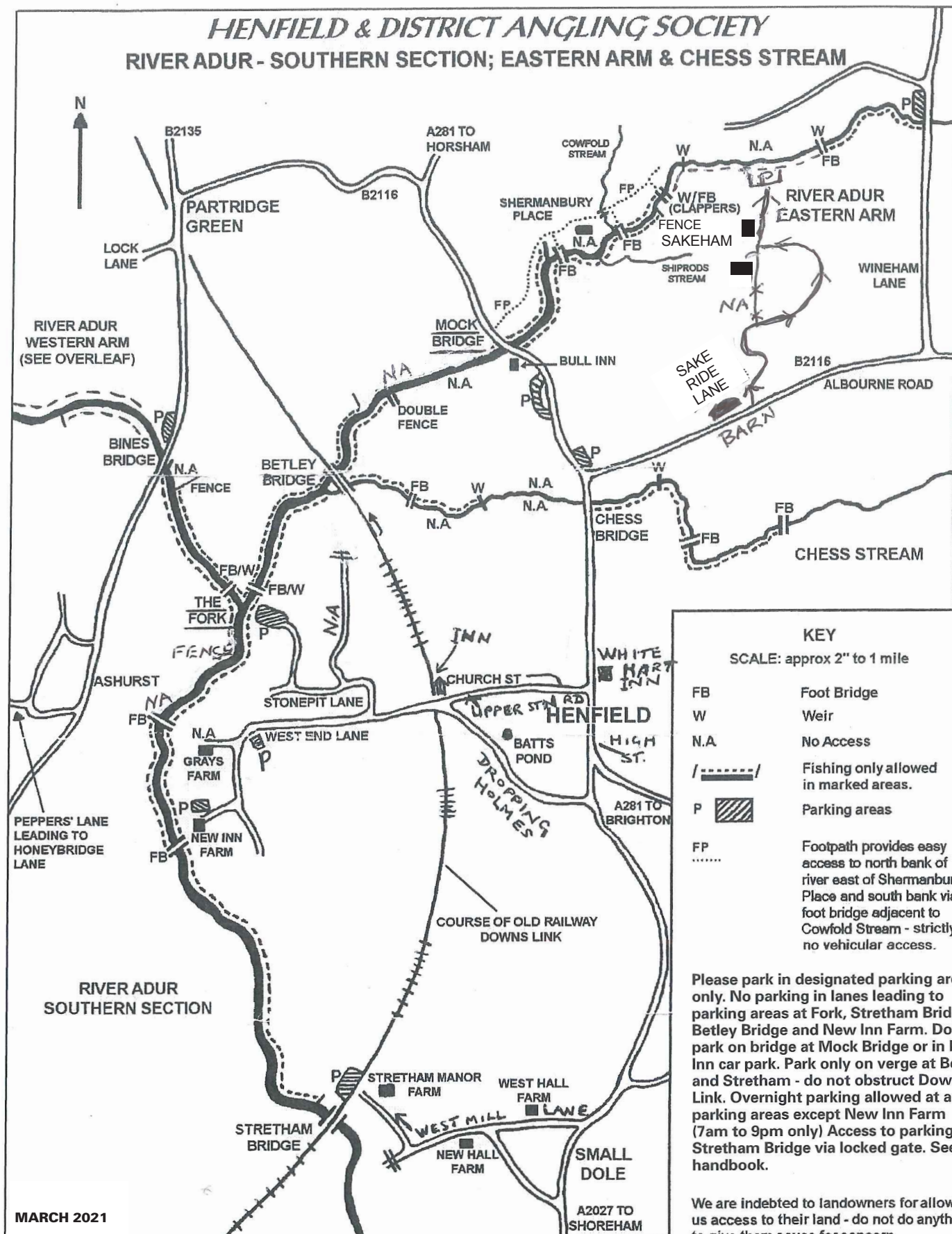


HENFIELD & DISTRICT ANGLING SOCIETY

RIVER ADUR - SOUTHERN SECTION; EASTERN ARM & CHESS STREAM



Please park in designated parking areas only. No parking in lanes leading to parking areas at Fork, Stretham Bridge, Betley Bridge and New Inn Farm. Do not park on bridge at Mock Bridge or in Bull Inn car park. Park only on verge at Betley and Stretham - do not obstruct Downs Link. Overnight parking allowed at all parking areas except New Inn Farm (7am to 9pm only) Access to parking at Stretham Bridge via locked gate. See handbook.

We are indebted to landowners for allowing us access to their land - do not do anything to give them cause for concern. Always drive slowly through lanes & farms. Always shut gates. Litter is the biggest enemy - take all litter home. Remember discarded litter & tackle can be dangerous to farm animals and wildlife. Park with care and consideration. Display your parking sticker. No dogs or fires allowed. Do not disturb nesting birds and watch your tackle carefully when swans & geese are around.

FISH CARE - Always use tackle which is up to the job - use a rod of sufficient strength when carp and pike fishing and at least 12lb breaking strain line. For pike fishing use a 24" wire uptrace, a 15" wire trace and semi-barbed hooks.

Use a substantial landing net - min. 36" - for pike and carp. Use an unhooking mat for all large fish. For coarse fish use barbless or whisker-barbed hooks.

Fish should always be handled carefully and handling should be kept to a minimum. Use a soft wet cloth when holding fish and, if you must touch them, wet your hands first.

Never overcrowd keepnets or leave fish in keepnets for longer than a few hours, especially in warm weather. In hot weather it is best not to use keepnets at all. Carp must only be retained in 'Carp Approved' keepnets or specialist carp sacks. Pike must never be retained in keepnets.

IMPORTANT - report any signs of pollution immediately to the Environment Agency (0800 807060) and subsequently to the Fishery Manager or a committee member.

RIVER ADUR - WESTERN ARM & HONEYBRIDGE STREAM

