



## VERLORENKLOOF FISHING POLICY

In terms of the Use Agreement, the Directors of the Share Block Company will set the fishing rules from time to time. We have decided to move to a catch and release system on all of the dams except for the Kiddies Pond. This will allow for a higher growth rate of our trout, which we hope will result in a greater number of trophy trout being caught, and improve the overall fishing experience.

1. **Rod limit:** one rod per bedroom of your Croft on the water at any one time. Do not crowd any one venue.
2. **Conventional fly tackle** only, pertinently not spinning gear. Except for on the Kiddies pond (Koljander), where children's rods may be used.
3. **Barbless flies** to be used **at all times** to facilitate release of fish.
4. Please **record** all fish caught; in order to facilitate the stocking program.
5. **Dam limits:** Strictly Catch and Release on all of the dams, except for the Kiddies pond (Koljander). 1 fish per person, per week.

**River limits:** Strictly Catch and Release.

6. When releasing a fish, do not take it from the water. Wet your hands thoroughly before touching the fish; restrain it by gently turning the fish upside down in the water and remove the fly without tearing the mouth. If the fish looks likely to expire after being caught, please remove it from the water, keep it and report the fatality on your catch record.
7. **Swimming is not allowed in the dams, weir or river.**
8. **Please ensure that guests and children are aware of the fishing rules.**

*If fishing is like religion, then fly-fishing is high church." - Tom Brokaw*