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Grindley Brook Juniors are the top rods

TORRENTIAL rain made conditions difficult for the Warners Tackle Open held on the Llangollen Canal at Grindley Brook.

R Jones won the match with an excellent 5lb-1oz 8dr shead of G Tarry (Manchester) with 1-10-8. Dick Purcell (Grindley Brook) was third with 1-6-4 and Paul Roberts (GB) completing the frame with 1-2-4.

The Grindley Brook junior squad proved they are the lads to beat in North Shropshire by taking all the leading places in the junior section.

Jamie Prince (GB) won the event with 3-14-8 ahead of the improving Robert Schofield, 1-5-0 and 10-year-old Simon Mottram (GB) who caught 1-2-0 of roach with his new 3m pole.

Gerald Large has won the Grindly Brook Angling Club's prestigious Warners Tackle Trophy and Jamie Prince won the junior section.