

## CAA Trout Trophy Process

The CAA trout trophies have a degree of complexity in their criteria. This is a consequence of the history behind each trophy and the intent expressed by the donators of the various awards. The worked example below is intended to show how the awards are determined.

Here is an example record of catches from the 'official book'

Fish	Length (cm)	Method	Stream Y/N	Event L/Y/N	Region Y/N	Junior Y/N
A	42	Fly	N	N	Y	Y
B	41	Lure	Y	N	Y	Y
C	43	Fly	Y	N	Y	N
D	45	Fly	Y	L	Y	N
E	41	Fly	Y	L	Y	N
F	60	Fly	Y	N	Y	N
G	48	Fly	N	Y	N	Y
H	45	Lure	Y	Y	N	N
I	47	Fly	N	Y	Y	N
J	46	Fly	Y	N	N	N
K	35	Fly	N	N	Y	N
L	40	Lure	N	N	Y	N

(the field titled 'Event' has entries Lyle Knowles, Yes or No)

### Step One

Ignore any fish caught outside the region unless on an official CAA event.

Fish	Length (cm)	Method	Stream Y/N	Event L/Y/N	Region Y/N	Junior Y/N
A	42	Fly	N	N	Y	Y
B	41	Lure	Y	N	Y	Y
C	43	Fly	Y	N	Y	N
D	45	Fly	Y	L	Y	N
E	41	Fly	Y	L	Y	N
F	60	Fly	Y	N	Y	N
G	48	Fly	N	Y	N	Y
H	45	Lure	Y	Y	N	N
I	47	Fly	N	Y	Y	N
J	46	Fly	Y	N	N	N
K	35	Fly	N	N	Y	N
L	40	Lure	N	N	Y	N

### Step Two

Identify the Lyle Knowles contenders.

Fish	Length (cm)	Method	Stream Y/N	Event L/Y/N	Region Y/N	Junior Y/N
D	45	Fly	Y	L	Y	N
E	41	Fly	Y	L	Y	N

The winner is D. The winning 45 cm fish is eligible for consideration for Mick O'Brien or Mick Cornick (but not Junior Trout Trophy though only because the angler is not a junior).

### Step Three

Identify the Anglers Art contenders (ie those on an event other than Lyle Knowles).

Fish	Length (cm)	Method	Stream Y/N	Event L/Y/N	Region Y/N	Junior Y/N
G	48	Fly	N	Y	N	Y
H	45	Lure	Y	Y	N	N
I	47	Fly	N	Y	Y	N

Winner is fish G. This fish is also a contender for the Junior Trout Trophy provided it doesn't win any of Mick Cornick or Mick O'Brien.

### Step Four

Identify the Mick Cornick contenders (ie those on fly from streams).

Fish	Length (cm)	Method	Stream Y/N	Event L/Y/N	Region Y/N	Junior Y/N
C	43	Fly	Y	N	Y	N
D	45	Fly	Y	L	Y	N
E	41	Fly	Y	L	Y	N
F	60	Fly	Y	N	Y	N

Winner is fish F. It cannot be considered for Mick O'Brien. It would be eligible for Junior Trout Trophy but the angler was not a junior.

### Step Five

Identify the Mick O'Brien contenders (ie any method).

Fish	Length (cm)	Method	Stream Y/N	Event L/Y/N	Region Y/N	Junior Y/N
A	42	Fly	N	N	Y	Y
B	41	Lure	Y	N	Y	Y
C	43	Fly	Y	N	Y	N
D	45	Fly	Y	L	Y	N
E	41	Fly	Y	L	Y	N
G	48	Fly	N	Y	N	Y
H	45	Lure	Y	Y	N	N
I	47	Fly	N	Y	Y	N
K	35	Fly	N	N	Y	N
L	40	Lure	N	N	Y	N

Winner is fish G. While the angler is a junior, the fish cannot be considered for Junior Trout Trophy since it has been awarded two trophies (Anglers Art and Mick O'Brien).

### Step Six

Identify Junior Trout Trophy contenders

Fish	Length (cm)	Method	Stream Y/N	Event L/Y/N	Region Y/N	Junior Y/N
A	42	Fly	N	N	Y	Y
B	41	Lure	Y	N	Y	Y

Winner is fish A (fish G has previously been awarded two trophies)