Safety Notice - Blue-Green Algae Returns to Fishmoor 22nd Sept 2026

From: John McCann <saillssa@aol.com>
To: LSSA Chairman
Cc: Vice Chair
Date: 22 Sept 2026, 10:03

All,

Sorry but Blue-Green Algae has returned to Fishmoor as this mornings picture below shows so all on water-activities now stopped.

I will let you all know when its safe to return.

PS - Spade Mill is still open and an optional venue.

Cheers

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On Tuesday, September 15, 2026 at 02:34:01 PM GMT+1, John McCann <saillssa@aol.com> wrote:

> Hi All,
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> The small change in temperature and general weather conditions that has occurred over the last two days has cleared the current Blue Green Algae blooms at Fishmoor.
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> Photo: Fishmoor slipway 15th Sept 2026

Watersports can now resume at Fishmoor.

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From: John McCann <saillssa@aol.com>

To: LSSA Chairman <chair@lancashireschoolsailing.org>

Cc: Vice Chair <vicechair@lancashireschoolsailing.org>

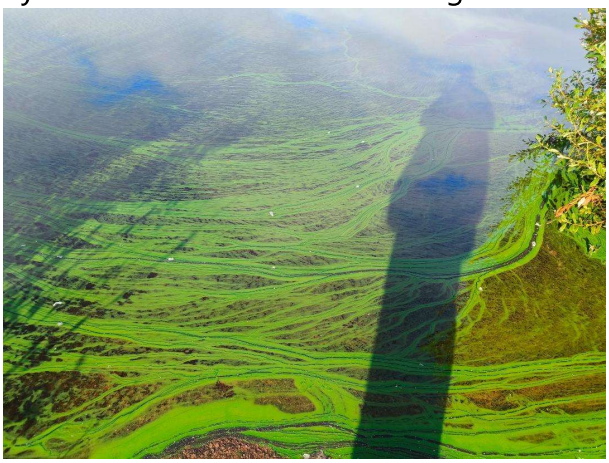
Sent: Monday, September 14, 2026 at 09:19:15 PM GMT+1

Subject: Safety Notice - Blue-Green Algae Blooms @ Fishmoor

All,

Until further notice please do not use Fishmoor Reservoir as there are suspected Blue-Green Algae blooms and although not yet officially confirmed by United Utilities it is however listed as being present by UK Center for Ecology and Hydrology see link at https://bloominalgae.ceh.ac.uk/?location=England

It is not good to be exposed to high concentration of Blue - Green Algae blooms by direct contact with the water which can cause diarrhoea, nausea or vomiting, skin, eye or throat irritation and allergic reactions or breathing difficulties.



Any small change to temperature or general weather conditions will disperse these blooms, I will notify you all when its safe to resume Watersports at Fishmoor.

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