Bank holiday hot enough to fry eggs on car bonnets...

But the carp keep on feeding

BOILING hot it may have been...but that didn't stop carp going on a bank holiday feeding spree over the weekend.

MILL Lane's Boddington sweep saw the top three

share almost 450lb as Kevin MacInelly won with 177-8 as Mark Whadhams had 144lb and Gary Dickinson 125-12.

• AT Barby Banks Mick Wheeler won White Hart Flore's do with 119lb, well clear of Vinny Atkinson 84lb and Mark Forbes 66lb. Midweek saw the club oldies on Spring Pool where Glen Tilson won with 58-10 followed by Trevor Griffiths 51-12 and Tom Griffiths 31-8.

 AND Kevin Elliott landed 110-12 at Bishops Bowl to win the Nene-Towcester joint match.
Dave Smart had 73-10 and Paul Ramsden 70lb. • AT Castle Ashby, midweek, Courtney Hewlett won (again) on the Brickyard with 105-4...then it was a long drop to Frank Pizamenti 28-14 and Ray McNicholl 27-12.

 OSPREY's two-day Lakeside fest saw Ian Millin top day one with 73lb with Gary Price on 69lb and Neil Riddy 49lb.

> Day two was Ed Blaine's as he landed 78lb. Neil Fenner had 69lb and Millin 57lb.

> • FLORE & Brockhall had brown fish at Barby Banks: Terry Smith 63lb, Brian Johnson 32lb, Bert Isle and Bob Prowse both 28lb.

SPECCI carpers were busy at Stanwick as Simon Green landed a 30-12 from Mallard and Chris Wise a 22. Andy Gilbert had a 28 on Elsons with Brad Wegner banking a 24, while swan produced a number of 20s. Mike Sando had 25lb of

OUNDLE Nene Championship winner Rob Healey

bream from Towcester's Astwell Mill.

- THE top 13 in Oundle's Nene championship shared over £800 due to a long-running 'roll-over' pool. Rob Healey led with 8-4 of seed roach, Dave Tyrell had 7-9, Steve Brookes 7-4 and Andy Webster 6-11-8.
- LEISURE angler Graham Clipston had a good day with a 55-8 catch of Nene bream at Islip.
- THE Sherington Bridge Ouse was buzzing with silvers for Newport's open and Myles Philips ran out of bait after netting 16-9 of dace. Steve Davis 14-4, Steve Wright 10-2.
- CANAL River Trust national fisheries manager has written in complementing Wellingborough on their excellent result in last week's division 2 national.
- FIXTURES: Sunday, Bedford hospital cup Ouse open 01234 741942; Sep 12 Olney Ouse open and Sep 17 Olney's Citizen Cup open, 01234 240061; Sep 15-17 Furzton charity carp open 01908 313158; Sep 24 Black Horse Lake open 01908 690969 also Northants County Cup teams-of-8 Leicester Arm canal 01604 414791; Oct 15 Towcester open Castlethorpe canal 01908 563617 ■

