



WEEKLY FISHING REPORTS



WATER Braidwood Lake

FISHING REPORT DATE: 12-11-05

WATER CONDITIONS: No fishing reports until spring.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 11-11-05

WATER CONDITIONS:

FISH: largemouth bass ... fair using jigs by boat; sizes are averaging 12-14 inches.

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using nightcrawlers by boat and off the banks around the boat ramps; sizes are averaging 2-3 pounds.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 10-29-05

WATER CONDITIONS:

FISH: largemouth bass ... fair using jigs by boat; sizes are averaging 12-14 inches.

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using nightcrawlers by boat and off the banks around the boat ramps; sizes are averaging 2-3 pounds.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 10-21-05

WATER CONDITIONS:

FISH: largemouth bass ... fair using jigs by boat; sizes are averaging 12-14 inches.

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using nightcrawlers by boat and off the banks around the boat ramps; sizes are averaging 2-3 pounds.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 10-14-05

WATER CONDITIONS:

FISH: largemouth bass ... fair using jigs by boat; sizes are averaging 12-14 inches.

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using nightcrawlers by boat and off the banks around the boat ramps; sizes are averaging 2-3 pounds.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 10-01-05

WATER CONDITIONS:

FISH: channel catfish ... good using minnows and stinkbaits around the weedy areas by boat - sizes are averaging 12 pounds.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 09-02-05

WATER CONDITIONS:

FISH: channel catfish ... good using minnows and stinkbaits around the weedy areas by boat - sizes are averaging 12 pounds.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 08-26-05

WATER CONDITIONS:

FISH: channel catfish ... good using minnows and nightcrawlers by boat at the flat areas with weeds - sizes are anywhere between 12-15 pounds.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 08-19-05

WATER CONDITIONS: warm 90 degrees but air temperatures are moderating. Go fishing now to take advantage of fall feeding activity as fish prepare for winter.

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using dip and stinkbaits by boat fishing.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 08-12-05

WATER CONDITIONS: warm 90 degrees

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using dip and stinkbaits by boat fishing.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 08-05-05

WATER CONDITIONS: warm 90 degrees

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using dip and stinkbaits by boat fishing.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 07-29-05

WATER CONDITIONS: hot 90 degrees

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using dip and stinkbaits by boat fishing.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 07-22-05

WATER CONDITIONS: hot 90 degrees

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using dip and stinkbaits by boat fishing.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 07-15-05

WATER CONDITIONS: hot

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using stinkbaits; sizes are averaging 20 inches.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 07-08-05

WATER CONDITIONS: hot

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using stinkbaits; sizes are averaging 20 inches.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 06-30-05

WATER CONDITIONS: hot

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using stinkbaits; sizes are averaging 20 inches.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 06-24-05

WATER CONDITIONS:

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using sinkers and worms; best fishing is reported to be at the southeast corner; sizes are averaging 1/2 pounds.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 06-17-05

WATER CONDITIONS: 82 degrees

FISH: largemouth bass ... fair using jigs by boat; sizes are averaging 12-14 inches.

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using nightcrawlers by boat and off the banks around the boat ramps; sizes are averaging 2-3 pounds.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 06-10-05

WATER CONDITIONS: 82 degrees

FISH: largemouth bass ... fair using jigs by boat; sizes are averaging 12-14 inches.

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using nightcrawlers by boat and off the banks around the boat ramps; sizes are averaging 2-3 pounds.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 06-03-05

WATER CONDITIONS:

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using nightcrawlers by boat and off the banks around the docks; sizes are averaging 2 pounds.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 05-27-05

WATER CONDITIONS: 80 degrees

FISH: largemouth bass ... fair using jigs by boat; sizes are averaging 12-14 inches.

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using nightcrawlers by boat and off the banks around the boat ramps; sizes are averaging 2-3 pounds.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 05-20-05

WATER CONDITIONS: 80 degrees

FISH: largemouth bass ... fair using spinner and jigs by boat; sizes are averaging 14 inches.

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using nightcrawlers by boat around the boat ramps; sizes are averaging 2 pounds.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 05-13-05

WATER CONDITIONS: 75 degrees

FISH: largemouth bass ... fair using spinner and jigs by boat; sizes are averaging 14 inches.

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using nightcrawlers by boat around the boat ramps; sizes are averaging 2 pounds.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 05-06-05

WATER CONDITIONS: 75-80 degrees

FISH: largemouth bass ... fair using jigs by boat; sizes are averaging 12 inches.

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using nightcrawlers by boat on the east side of the boat ramp; sizes are ranging anywhere between 1-2 pounds.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 04-29-05

WATER CONDITIONS: 80 degrees

FISH: largemouth bass ... fair using plastic worms and and stink baits by boat and off the shorelines; sizes are averaging 12-13 inches.

FISH: channel catfish ... fair using any nightcrawlers off the banks; sizes are ranging anywhere between 12-16 inches.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 04-22-05

WATER CONDITIONS: 80-82 degrees normal pool

FISH: bluegill ... fair using worms; sizes are averaging 6 inches

FISH: largemouth bass ... fair using plastic worms and jigs by boat at the undercuts along the shoreline; sizes are averaging 12 inches.

FISH: channel catfish ... good using any nightcrawlers off the banks; sizes are ranging anywhere between 12-20 inches.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 04-15-05

WATER CONDITIONS: 80 degrees normal pool

FISH: bluegill ... fair using worms; sizes are averaging 6 inches

FISH: largemouth bass ... good using plastic worms and jigs by boat at the undercuts along the shoreline; sizes are averaging between 12-14 inches.

FISH: crappie ... spotty using minnows off the shoreline on the east side; sizes are average 1 pound.

FISH: channel catfish ... good using any live baits off the banks; sizes are ranging anywhere between 12-24 inches.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 04-08-05

WATER CONDITIONS: normal pool

FISH: bluegill ... fair using worms all over the lake; sizes are averaging 6 inches

FISH: largemouth bass ... good using plastic worms and jigs by boat; sizes are averaging between 12-14 inches.

FISHING REPORT DATE: 06-26-04

WATER CONDITIONS: 70 to 75 degrees

FISH: bluegill ... good using wax worms all over the lake; sizes are averaging 1/3 pounds

FISH: channel catfish ... good using jumbo reds and or nightcrawlers all over the lake; sizes are ranging between 1 to 2 pounds

FISH: largemouth bass ... good using bass minnows; sizes are averaging 2 pounds

FISHING REPORT DATE: 06-04-04

LOCATION: Braidwood Lake-North; 70-75 degrees

LOCATION: Braidwood Lake-South; 80-85 degrees

FISH: bluegill ... excellent using butterworms, wax and red worms all over the lake; sizes ranging between 5 to 7 inches

FISH: channel catfish ... good using nightcrawlers and golden roach minnows all over the lake

FISH: smallmouth bass ... excellent using nightcrawlers and jumbo reds all over the lake; sizes are approximately 12 inches

FISH: crappie ... excellent using jigs and jumbo red worms all over the lake

FISHING REPORT DATE: 05-21-04

LOCATION: Braidwood Lake-North; 76 degrees

LOCATION: Braidwood Lake-South; 86 degrees

FISH: bluegill ... good using butterworms, wax and red worms all over the lake; sizes ranging between 5 to 7 inches

FISH: channel catfish ... good using nightcrawlers and golden roach minnows all over the lake

FISH: smallmouth bass ... good using nightcrawlers and jumbo reds all over the lake; sizes are approximately 12 inches

FISH: crappie ... good using jigs and jumbo red worms all over the lake

FISHING REPORT DATE: 05-07-04

LOCATION: Braidwood Lake-North; 60-65 degrees

LOCATION: Braidwood Lake-South; 70-75 degrees

FISH: smallmouth bass ... excellent using nightcrawlers and spinners; best fishing is reported all over

FISH: channel catfish ... excellent using butterworms worms; best fishing is reported all over

FISH: bluegill ... excellent using wax worms; best fishing is all over

FISH: crappie ... poor using minnows

FISHING REPORT DATE: 4-30-04

LOCATION: Braidwood Lake-North

WATER CONDITIONS: 60 degrees

FISH: smallmouth bass ... excellent using nightcrawlers and turbo reds; best fishing is reported all over

FISH: channel catfish ... excellent using artificial jumbo red worms; best fishing is reported all over

LOCATION: Braidwood Lake-South

WATER CONDITIONS: 70 degrees

FISH: smallmouth bass ... excellent using artificial jumbo red worms and wax worms

FISH: channel catfish ... excellent using glow crawlers; best fishing is all over

FISH: crappie ... excellent using minnows and leaf worms; best fishing is all over

FISHING REPORT DATE: 4-23-04

LOCATION: Braidwood Lake-North

WATER CONDITIONS: 54 degrees

FISH: bluegill ... good; sizes between 7 to 9 inches; using wax worms by boat; best fishing all over

FISH: channel catfish ... good; sizes caught are between 1 to 5 pounds; using nightcrawlers off the banks; best fishing all over

LOCATION: Braidwood Lake-South

WATER CONDITIONS: 70 degrees

FISH: smallmouth bass ... good; sizes between 7 to 13 inches; using redworms off the banks; best fishing all over

FISH: channel catfish ... good; sizes between 1 to 5 pounds; using nightcrawlers off the banks; best fishing all over

FISHING REPORT DATE: 4-16-04

WATER CONDITIONS: 54 degrees

FISH: bluegill ... good; sizes ranging from 7 to 9 inches; using wax worms by boat

FISH: channel catfish ... good; sizes ranging from 1 to 5 pounds; using night crawlers off of banks

LOCATION: Braidwood Lake-South

WATER CONDITIONS: 70 degrees

FISH: smallmouth bass ... good; sizes ranging from 7 to 13 inches; using red worms off of banks

FISH: channel catfish ... good; sizes ranging from 1 to 5 pounds; using night crawlers off of banks

