

FOR JUNE 2002

06/04/02...From Steve's Bait Shack..."Fished KBR this weekend from the shore and we were hitting almost a fish a cast at one point. Brush Hogs and Baby Brush Hogs in Watermelon/Red and Red Bug. We were throwing them right on the edge of the weedline. We were fishing them weightless or with a 1/8 oz sliding bullet weight."

06/10/02...From Scott George..."Fished the lake on Sunday with Bruce Edwards and his son Michael from Atwater. We arrived on the lake at 8 a.m. and were met with damn near gale force wind....we fished hard till about 2:30 p.m. Fish were turned off as could be - we barely managed to crank up 10 fish - best fish was about 2 1/2-3 lbs."

06/13/02...From Dave Kochis..."Went fishing on June 13. Great weather day. Some wind in the afternoon. Caught 25 fish with top five going 13# 15 oz. All you need to know is Senkos in the weeds."

06/20/02...From Dave Kochis..."Went fishing on the 20th. Caught 12, all in the weeds. Lost another 5 - 6 pulling them off the hook trying to dig them out of the weeds. Let the fish tell you where they are, i.e. if you see the fish swirl or go after a dragonfly, a timely accurate cast will often catch the fish."

06/24/02...From Scott George..."I attended the Member's Clinic on Saturday with my daughter Samantha. We fished about 45 minutes before the clinic and caught 2 and then we fished for about another 2 hours afterwards and caught 3 more. We only managed to catch 5 "transplant fish" (all under 3lbs), but I did have a brief but memorable battle with "a VERY large fish." I threw a Senko out next to a log and instantly got the "tap, tap" - the second I set the hook the drag screamed and the fish ran about 20 feet to a tree and wrapped itself up. I managed to keep it buttoned long enough for Samantha to get the net out, I moved in closer and realized the only thing my hook was still sunk into was the tree. My daughter was extremely upset, but I was in heaven...it's been awhile since I've had a true "big-boy" on and Lord did it feel good! Tight Lines to ya and Thanks to Jon and all the pros/member pros that took the time to attend and speak - it was even better than last year plus we got yet another place to fish out of it!"

06/27/02...From Tree Plumbtree..."Wednesday, June 26 - Three of us got on the lake about 8am and fished until 1 o'clock. We caught 25 fish total...3 shakers, 9 between 2 and 3 three pounds (we tanked them and Jon used them to stock the lower pond) and 13 between 3 and 4 pounds. We caught 5 of them on lipless crank baits, 6 on baby bass flukes and the rest on Senkos of various sizes and colors. Earlier in the morning the 4 inch Sencos seemed to be the ticket, but as the day went on we caught more fish on 5 and 6 inchers. We thought it was a very productive day considering the time of year. Great fishing hole...glad we joined! Also...thank you to the members and the pros who showed Kat and such great hospitality last Saturday at the clinic. It was our first time meeting the members and they went out of their way to make us feel at home. Wonderful group of people."

06/27/02...From Dave Kochis..."Went fishing on the 27th. Caught 23 with the largest 5 weighing out at 14# 12oz. Half of them were caught on a Pop-R. Had a good top water bite in the late morning and early afternoon in the deeper water."