

**HOOVER RESERVOIR - Delaware and Franklin Counties, (2,818 acres), 10 horsepower limit**

**Bluegill** - good population, 6-8", try shoreline cover throughout lake. OUTLOOK - **GOOD**.

**Buffalo sucker** - several state record buffalo suckers have been taken over the years including the current hook-and-line (46 pounds) and bowfishing records (37 pounds). Try twister tails fished very slowly along bottom or tightline with nightcrawlers. OUTLOOK – **GOOD**.

**Channel catfish** – good population. Anglers fishing north end using cut bait and shrimp are successful. Note: no bag limit, only one fish 28 inches and larger. OUTLOOK - **GOOD**.

**Crappie** - many year classes available. Try minnows or jigs in the middle and upper basins around shoreline cover. OUTLOOK - **GOOD**.

**Largemouth bass** - underrated population, many good fishing tournaments over the last 10 years, fishing pressure relatively light due to outboard motor horsepower restriction. 12" minimum length limit. OUTLOOK - **GOOD**.

**Saugeye** - strong population, fingerlings were first stocked in June 1988. Walleye stockings were discontinued in 1987 due to inconsistent survival. Fish up to 26" long are caught. Fish points in summer and deep drop-offs in late fall and early spring. Fish shelves at dawn and dusk. OUTLOOK - **GOOD**.

**White bass** - good population, 10-13". Spawning run in late April – mid May up Big Walnut Creek generally is productive. OUTLOOK - **GOOD**.