



2010 Fishing Forecast

Burr Oak Lake

Morgan/Athens County
632 Acres- 10 h.p./unlimited idle only



Compared to Other Inland Lakes and Reservoirs

Species	FISH POPULATION STATUS			Stocked	Anglers Seeking(%)
	Overall Numbers	This size or Larger	Largest Sampled		
Largemouth Bass	Good	8"	21.1"	<input type="checkbox"/>	27.7
Bluegill	Poor	6"	6.2"	<input type="checkbox"/>	5.3
Crappie	Poor	8"	12"	<input type="checkbox"/>	2.3
Channel Catfish	Fair	11"	24.2"	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	14.2

Largemouth Bass **OUTLOOK: GOOD**

Burr Oak Lake is one of the top locations for largemouth bass in southeastern Ohio. During the spring 2009 survey, 70% of the largemouth bass captured were 12-inches or larger, 43% were 15-inches or larger.

Bluegill **OUTLOOK: POOR**

Sunfish are very abundant, but below average quality with almost all fish under six-inches in length. A variety of sunfish species can be found at Burr Oak Lake but bluegill and redear sunfish are the most abundant species.

Crappie **OUTLOOK: POOR**

The crappie population in Burr Oak Lake is comprised of small, slow growing fish. White and black crappie are present in the population. Only two percent of the fish captured were eight-inches or larger, only 1% were 10-inches or larger.

Channel Catfish **OUTLOOK: FAIR**

A gillnet survey was conducted in the fall of 2005. The sample size was small with 75% of the channel catfish captured 11-inches or larger, 25% were 16-inches or larger.

NOTES:

Burr Oak Lake is located at Burr Oak State Park northeast of Glouster, Ohio. Park can be accessed from either State Route 13 or State Route 78. Burr Oak Lake has four launch ramps, the largest being at the Dock #4 Marina.