

**CITY OF  
ESCONDIDO**

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# DIXON LAKE

## PRESS RELEASE

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**Park hours: 6 AM to 7:30 PM**

**Boat dock closes: 6:30 PM (Day Boats are called in @ 6:15 PM)**

**Last Stock: Aug 18<sup>th</sup> (1000 pounds of Channel Catfish)**

**Next Stock: Trout Season...Starting in the month of November**

**Water temperature: 78-slowly lowering water level**



RAINBOW TROUT

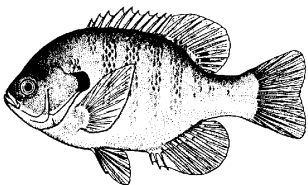
Summertime is almost over at Dixon Lake. Night fishing is officially over for the summer. Try earlier AM or evening hours before closing for the catfish bite. The catfish are in the 2-4 pound range with cats up 6 lbs to report. Most catfish are being caught at the Buoy line, with the next best spots being Whisker Bay and Catfish Cove near pier #4. The south shoreline near Boat Dock Cove seems to have the best for shoreline fishing this week.



CHANNEL CATFISH

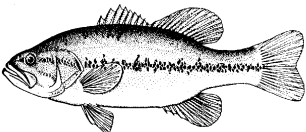
The bass have moved off the spawning beds and gone into deeper waters. Some bigger bass have been seen cruising in the 15-20 ft of water. Trout Cove has been full action with lots of bass busting the surface chasing schools of shad.

Smaller sized Bluegills are being caught on the piers especially along the weed covered areas of the shoreline and other piers. Best baits are smaller night crawlers or mealworms and a small J hook. The bite has slowed down the last few days.



BLUEGILL

Best baits for the catfish have been cut mackerel or sardines, shrimp and chicken liver. The last stock of the season was Aug.18<sup>th</sup> with 1000 lbs of catfish. Dixon Lake will be stocking trout from Nebraska with the start of the season late October or early November pending water temperatures and stocking schedules.



LARGEMOUTH BASS

**Date: Aug 28<sup>th</sup>, 2010**