

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

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

**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 10 horse outboard motor restriction. 12" minimum length limit. OUTLOOK – FAIR.

**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. Fishing flats next to deep drop-offs in early spring and late fall at dawn and dusk can be productive. Good fishery by dam in early spring. OUTLOOK – GOOD.

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