



Willow Beach National Fish Hatchery May 2014 Monthly Report



No fish were stocked this month.

160 visitors signed the guest registry.

The hatchery received 20,500 trout from Arizona Game and Fish. The trout will be grown out until October and stocked below Davis Dam.

Razorback sucker culture included moving 9,749, 2014 year class fish outside into a recirculating system. 4,465 fingerling razorbacks were transferred to Nevada Division of Wildlife, Lake Mead State Fish Hatchery for the Multi Species Conservation Plan.

Tom Frew and Scott Peterson conducted the annual safety inspection at Bill Williams Refuge.

Tom Frew attended training as part of the nationwide Career Discovery Internship Program. This week long workshop was held at the Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge near Marion, Illinois. This is a program in partnership with the Student Conservation



Association to place students that are interested in discovering a career with



the Fish and Wildlife Service in various Service facilities for a 12 week period. This program pairs the students with Service employees that act as mentors to the students for the 12 week internship. The workshop served to introduce the students to the Service and its mission and place in the management of the nation's natural resources. Tom's mentee, Antonio Jackson, is working at the Tishomingo National Fish Hatchery for the summer.

Maintenance activities included:
Replacing the a/c fan in Quarters 3;



Installed water hammer arrester on the domestic water line in the razorback



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room; re-vented a/c unit in the pupfish well shed for more efficient cooling,

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Work activities included terrestrial and aquatic weed management; fish feeding and water quality monitoring. Maintenance activities included replacing stairs to the biologist's quarters; exterminator removed bees from a storage shed; replaced worn out door handles on crew trailer.

