

Arkansas Game and Fish Commission

Code Book

The regulations in this Code Book are hereby adopted by the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission under authority of Amendment 35 to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas. All laws, rules, regulations, or orders in conflict with the regulations in this Code Book are hereby repealed by the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission.

26.25 Family And Community Fishing Program Restrictions

A. FAMILY FISHING PROGRAM WATERS:

1. Chicot County - Lake Village Community Fishing Pond
2. Clay County - Mom's Lake
3. Columbia County - Armory Pond
4. Craighead County - Craighead Forest Park Youth Fishing Pond
5. Drew County - Monticello High School Pond
6. Fulton County - Salem City Lake
7. Hempstead County - Mike and Janet Huckabee Youth Fishing Pond
8. Jefferson County - Pine Bluff Regional Park Youth Fishing Pond
9. Lawrence County - Walnut Ridge City Lake
10. Pulaski County - War Memorial Park Pond
11. Union County - Mattocks Park Lake

B. FAMILY FISHING PROGRAM RESTRICTIONS: The following restrictions apply to the Family Fishing Program Waters above:

1. Fishing is open only to youths or persons 65 years of age or older. All other properly licensed persons may fish if accompanied by a youth who is actively fishing. Fishing is also open to holders of any Resident Disabled License or Resident Disabled Military Veteran License that permits fishing. One licensed person may assist and fish with an actively fishing disabled fishing license holder;
2. Only hand-held rod or pole allowed;
3. Largemouth bass: catch and release only;
4. Catfish daily limit: 3;
5. Bream daily limit: 25;
6. Trout daily limit: 5;
7. Hybrid striped bass: 3;
8. Lakes open to electric trolling motors only; and
9. All other sportfishing daily limit: same as statewide.

C. COMMUNITY FISHING PROGRAM WATERS:

1. Baxter County - Amon's Lake
2. Benton County - Lake Springdale, Lake Bentonville, Lake Keith
3. Clark County - Clear Lake
4. Craighead County - Arkansas State University Pond
5. Crawford County - Van Buren Municipal Park Pond
6. Cross County - Wynne Sports Complex Pond
7. Crittenden County - Tilden Rodgers Park Pond and Marion Sports Complex Pond
8. Faulkner County - Conway Station Park Pond and Dr. James E. Moore Jr. Camp Robinson Firing Range
9. Garland County - Family Park Pond and Entergy Park Pond
10. Greene County - Reynolds Park Pond
11. Jefferson County - Martin Luther King Jr. Park Pond in Pine Bluff, White Hall Community Pond, and Redfield City Park Pond
12. Lonoke County - Cabot Community Pond and Mike Freeze England Community Pond
13. Miller County - Lake Dieffenbacher
14. Pike County - John Benjamin Glenwood Community Pond

15. Pope County - Pleasant View Park Pond
 16. Pulaski County - all lakes, ponds and streams managed by the City of Little Rock Parks and Recreation Department within the city limits of Little Rock, Community Center Pond, Cherrywood Lake, Lake Valencia, Little Rock Air Force Base Pond, North Little Rock City Park waters, Paradise Lake, Pinnacle Mountain State Park Pond, Sherwood Municipal City Pond, Willow Beach Park Pond
 17. Saline County - Sunset Lake
 18. Sebastian County - Carol Ann Cross Pond, Wells Lake, Fort Chaffee, and Torraine Lake
 19. Washington County - Murphy Park Pond
 20. White County - Bald Knob Community Pond and Searcy City Lake
 21. Yell County - Dardanelle City Park Ponds and Yell County Wildlife Federation Pond
- D. COMMUNITY FISHING PROGRAM RESTRICTIONS: The following restrictions apply to the Community Fishing Program Waters above:
1. Only hand held rod or pole allowed;
 2. Largemouth bass: catch and release only;
 3. Catfish daily limit: 3;
 4. Bream daily limit: 25;
 5. Trout daily limit: 5;
 6. Hybrid striped bass: 3;
 7. Lakes open to electric trolling motors only; and
 8. All other sportfish daily limit: same as statewide.

PENALTY: Class 1

ARKANSAS GAME AND FISH COMMISSION
Little Rock, Arkansas

MINUTE ORDER NO: 20-051 SUBJECT: 2021 Fishing Regulations
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WHEREAS, the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission and its staff have proposed the attached 2021 fishing regulations; and

WHEREAS, the attached regulations have been communicated through a variety of media avenues to sportsmen and the general public throughout the state for review and comment for at least the past 30 days; and

WHEREAS, after carefully considering the recommendations of Commission staff and the Regulations Committee, as well as comments received from the public, the Commission has determined that the attached regulations promote sound wildlife conservation and management and are consistent with Amendment 35 of the Arkansas Constitution and that these regulations should now be approved for application statewide.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED this 15th day of October 2020, that the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission hereby approves and adopts the attached regulations, which shall become effective on January 1, 2021.

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED that the Commission staff is authorized to proceed with legally certifying and filing the attached regulations with the Secretary of State, State Library, and Bureau of Legislative Research and incorporating them into the Commission Code Book and Addendum.

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