

UPDATE on Grass Carp  
August 15, 2006

The San Jacinto River Authority has taken delivery of the final batch of 3687 Grass Carp for placement in Lake Conroe this month. The fish were split into two groups with 1700 going into Caney Creek just north of the 1097 bridge on the west shore of the lake. The remaining 1987 fish (including the 3% overage to cover any mortality) were stocked into Atkins Creek from the Cape Conroe boat-ramp at around 9:00pm on Monday night August 14, 2006. All of the fish seemed to be in good shape with no dead fish noted.

SJRA crews have completed treating Hydrilla and Giant Salvinia in critical access areas on the east shore of the lake from the Dam to Cape Malibu. With this east section completed, SJRA crews will be returning to the west shoreline in the later part of August. Bentwater, Walden, and Grand Harbor are the main subdivisions that should be seeing those crews at work in the coming weeks. Again, critical access areas such as boat-ramps, marinas, canals and channels will be targeted for maintenance herbicide treatments.

Please make note that the crews have been instructed to cover as much area as possible while on the water. This unfortunately does not allow them to stop and completely shut down their operations in order to answer questions, Should you have questions regarding these operations please call our office at 936-588-1111 or Texas Parks and Wildlife Dept. at 979-822-5067

Thanks for your interest in Lake Conroe.

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