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Catches of the week:

- **Bluewater Lake:** Landon Schukis of Winnipeg, Canada caught and released a 34-inch tiger muskie Aug 21. He was using a Storm soft shad minnow.
- **Conchas Lake:** Joe Weber of Albuquerque caught and released a 4.7-pound smallmouth bass Aug 21. He was using a Zara Spook. Darrius King, 8, of Santa Fe caught his biggest smallmouth bass weighing in at 1.5 pounds Aug 21. He was using a weedless jig with a rage craw trailer.
- **Navajo Lake:** Dave Smith of Albuquerque caught and released a 6.52-pound largemouth bass Aug 20. He was using a crank bait. Kenny Hansel of Los Alamos caught and released a 4.2-pound smallmouth bass and a 4.11-pound largemouth bass Aug. 20. He was using a spinner bait.
- **Seven Springs Brood Pond:** Cody McDowell, 10, of Albuquerque caught a 21-inch rainbow trout Aug 20. He was using a Kastmaster.



Darrius King, 8, of Santa Fe caught this 1.5-pound smallmouth bass Aug. 21 on a weedless jig with a Rage Craw trailer at Conchas Lake.

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Aug. 23 Northeast

Charette Lakes: Fishing was slow.

Clayton Lake: Night fishing was good using liver and night crawlers for catfish. Fishing was fair using PowerBait, worms and spinners for trout. A few limits of trout were caught by anglers using PowerBait. We had no other reports.

Cimarron River: Stream flow below Eagle Nest on Monday was 15 cfs. Fishing was good using San Juan worms, bead-head, hare's ear nymphs, brassies, worms and salmon eggs for trout. Fishing at the Gravel Pit Lakes was fair using PowerBait, salmon eggs, worms and spinners for trout.



Cody McDowell, 10, of Albuquerque caught this 21-inch rainbow trout on a medium size, gold, Kastmaster at Seven Springs Brood Pond on Aug. 21.

Conchas Lake: Fishing was very good using soft swim baits, top water lures, jerk baits, creature baits, senkos, tubes and curly tail grubs for smallmouth bass and largemouth bass. The top water bite was best in the morning hours. Fishing was good using jigs, minnows and curly tail grubs for white bass. Fishing was fair to good using liver, night crawlers and cut bait for catfish. Fishing was good using worms for bluegill. We had no other reports.

Cowles Ponds: Fishing was good using worms, PowerBait and salmon eggs for trout.

Coyote Creek: Fishing was slow.

Eagle Rock Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Eagle Nest Lake: Fishing from the bank and from anchored boats was fair to good using PowerBait for trout. Boaters also did well trolling kokanee killers and Platte River specials. Fishing was excellent using worms for perch. Trolling for kokanee was slow. Fishing was fair using crank baits, spinners and streamers for small northern pike up to 22 inches. Ronald Vonderhaar of Albuquerque reported that he and his two kids had a good time here over the weekend. They caught rainbow trout trolling kokanee killers, a kokanee on a Kastmaster and perch from shore using worms.

Gallinas River: Fishing was fair using San Juan worms, PowerBait and worms for trout.

Hopewell Lake: Trout fishing was fair to good using Kastmasters, homemade lures, Pistol Petes, marshmallow salmon eggs combinations and PowerBait. Stephen Gomez caught a 19-inch rainbow and an 18-inch rainbow on Aug. 17. He was using a homemade lure.

Lake Alice: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Lake Maloya: Fishing was good using Pistol Petes, streamers, salmon eggs and PowerBait for trout.

Los Pinos River: Fishing was good using, San Juan worms, copper John Barrs, Panther Martins, Fisher Chick spinners and worms for trout.

Maxwell Lake 13: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Monastery Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Morphy Lake: Fishing was slow.

Pecos River: Stream flow on Monday was 73 cfs. Trout fishing was good using parachute Adams, prince nymphs, bead-head, pheasant tail nymphs, San Juan worms, yellow humpys, bead-head, hare's ear nymphs, Panther Martins, Mepps, PowerBait, salmon eggs and worms. Bryan Cantril of Albuquerque caught two 18-inch rainbow trout on Saturday. He was using a copper John Barr.

Red River: Stream flow below the hatchery on Monday was 62 cfs. Fishing was good using copper John Barrs, San Juan worms, worms and salmon eggs for trout.

Red River City Ponds: Fishing was good using PowerBait for trout.

Rio Costilla: Stream flow near Costilla on Monday morning was 53 cfs. We had no reports from anglers this week.

Rio Grande: Stream flow on Monday at the Taos Junction Bridge was 251 cfs. Fishing was fair to good using poundmeisters, bead-head, hare's ear nymphs, copper John Barrs, Kastmasters, spinners, PowerBait and worms for trout. Fishing was slow to fair using streamers and small jerk baits for smallmouth bass. A few northern pike were caught by anglers using streamers. We had no other reports.

Rio Hondo: Stream flow near Valdez on Monday was 28 cfs. Fishing was good using elk hair caddis, parachute Adams and poundmeisters for trout.

Rio Pueblo: Stream flow near Penasco on Monday was 9.7 cfs. Fishing was fair using worms, caddis and copper John Barrs for trout.

Santa Barbara River: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Santa Cruz Reservoir: Fishing was slow to fair using worms, PowerBait, Kastmasters and Fisher Chick spinners for trout.

Shuree Ponds: Fishing was fair using Pistol Petes under a bobber for trout.

Springer Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Storrie Lake: Fishing was slow for all species.

Stubblefield Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Ute Lake: Fishing was very good using worms and small grubs and tubes for large bluegill. Fishing was good using top water lures in the early morning hours and plastics during the day.

for smallmouth bass and largemouth bass. Fishing was good using stink bait, hot dogs, crawdads and shrimp for catfish. Fishing was good vertical jigging for white bass. Fishing for walleye was slow. The surface water temp was in the mid to high 70s.

Winsor Creek: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Northwest

Abiquiu Lake: Fishing was fair using tubes, senkos, salt craws, curly tail grubs and worms for smallmouth bass. Fishing was fair using PowerBait, spinners and spoons for trout. We had no other reports.

Animas River: Water flow near Aztec on Monday morning was 229 cfs. We had no reports from anglers this week.

Albuquerque Area Drains: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Bluewater Lake: Fishing was slow with just a few tiger muskies caught by anglers using swim baits and crank baits. We had no other reports.

Brazos River: Fishing was good using bead-head, hare's ear nymphs, small copper John Barrs, brassies and worms for trout.

Canjilon Lakes: Closed by the U.S. Forest Service until further notice due to danger from falling trees. The lakes will not reopen in 2016.

Chama River: Monday morning water flows below El Vado and Abiquiu were 501 cfs and 615 cfs respectively. Fishing below El Vado was fair using weighted wooly buggers, night crawlers and PowerBait for brown and rainbow trout. We had no reports from below Abiquiu.

Cochiti Lake: Fishing was fair using top water lures, jerk baits, tubes and jigs for smallmouth bass and largemouth bass. Fishing was fair using crank baits, top water lures and curly tail grubs for white bass. Fishing was fair to good using cut bait, shrimp and liver for catfish. Fishing was fair using worms for bluegill. Fishing for northern pike was slow.

El Vado Lake: Fishing was fair using spinners, small crank baits and worms for small smallmouth bass. The lake continues to drop but there is still plenty of water for launching boats on the south side.

Fenton Lake: Fishing was slow with just a few fish caught by anglers using PowerBait, worms and Pistol Petes.

Heron Lake: Fishing was slow to fair using corn and PowerBait for rainbow trout and an occasional kokanee. The best areas were near the dam and in Piedra Cove. We had no other reports.

Jackson Lake: Fishing was slow for all species.

Jemez Waters: Stream flow on the Jemez River near Jemez Springs on Monday morning was 15 cfs. Fishing on the Jemez was slow to fair using worms and salmon eggs for trout. Fishing on the upper Cebolla was good using ants, copper John Barrs and worms for rainbow trout. We had no reports on other streams in the area.

Laguna Del Campo: Fishing was slow to fair using PowerBait and Pistol Petes under a bubble for trout.

Lake Farmington: We had no reports from anglers this week. Nonmotorized watercraft are now allowed on Lake Farmington. Fees are \$50 for the season or \$5 daily.

Manzano Lake: Fishing was slow for all species.

Navajo Lake: Fishing was good using senkos, swim baits, tubes, sweet beavers, crank baits, jerk baits and spinners for smallmouth bass and largemouth bass. Fishing was fair using worms for perch. Fishing was very good using crank baits, swim baits, top water lures and spinner baits for northern pike. Fishing was fair to good trolling Crippures, Arnies, Kokanee Killers and Double Whammies tipped with corn behind dodgers and beer cans for kokanee. We had no other reports.

San Gregorio Lake: Fishing was slow.

San Juan River: Stream flow as of Monday morning was 622 cfs. Fishing through the quality waters section was good using black and gray, foam wing emergers, San Juan worms, parachute Adams, small, bead-head, pheasant tail nymphs, root beers and crystal flash midges. Good midge hatches were coming off in the mid afternoon and through the evening hours. Fishing through the bait section was good using spinners, night crawlers, copper John Barrs, San Juan worms, jerk baits, PowerBait and salmon eggs for trout.

Seven Springs Brood Pond: Fishing was good using PowerBait, salmon eggs, worms, Kastmasters and Super Dupers for trout.

Tingley Beach: Fishing at the Central and Youth Ponds was slow with just a few catfish and bluegill caught by anglers using worms. We had no reports from the Bob Gerding Catch and Release Pond.

Trout Lakes: Fishing was fair to good using PowerBait, garlic cheese, streamers and small spoons for trout.

Southwest

Alumni Pond: Fishing was slow for all species.

Bear Canyon Lake: Fishing was slow for all species.

Bill Evans Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Caballo Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Elephant Butte Lake: Fishing was fair to good using crank baits, top water lures and curly tail grubs for white bass. Fishing was fair using tubes, senkos, creature baits, crank baits, jerk baits and small plastics on drop shot rigs for smallmouth bass and largemouth bass. Fishing was fair to good using homemade beef liver balls, chicken liver, crawdads, night crawlers and shrimp for catfish. We had no other reports. The surface water temp was in the low 80s.

Escondida Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Gila River: Stream flow as of Monday morning was 75 cfs. Fishing was fair using small dark colored bead-head nymphs for trout.

Glenwood Pond: Fishing was good using PowerBait for trout.

Lake Roberts: Fishing was fair using worms and night crawlers for catfish. Fishing for trout was

slow to fair using worms and PowerBait. We had no other reports.

Percha Dam: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Quemado Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Rio Grande: Stream flow below Elephant Butte as of Monday morning was 667 cfs. Fishing below Elephant Butte was fair to good using spinners and grubs for white bass and an occasional walleye. Fishing was fair to good using worms and night crawlers for catfish. We had no other reports.

Snow Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Young Pond: Fishing was slow for all species.

Southeast

Alto Lake: Fishing was slow for all species.

Bataan Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Black River: Stream flow above Malaga on Monday was 9.1 cfs. Fishing was slow for all species.

Blue Hole Park Pond: Fishing was slow with just an occasional catfish caught by anglers using night crawlers and liver.

Bonito Lake: Closed until further notice by the city of Alamogordo due to fire damage.

Bosque Redondo Lake: Fishing was fair using liver and night crawlers for catfish. Fishing for all other species was slow.

Bottomless Lakes: Fishing was slow for all species.

Brantley Lake: Anglers are required to catch and release all fish here as high levels of pesticides have been found in some fish. Fishing was good using top water lures, crank baits, Big Ned rigs, senkos and creature baits for largemouth bass. Fishing continued to be very good using crank baits, jerk baits, spinners, tubes and grubs for white bass.

Carlsbad Municipal Lake: Fishing was slow to fair using worms for bluegill. We had no other reports.

Chaparral Park Lake: Fishing was slow for all species.

El Rito Creek: Fishing was good using Pistol Petes under a bubble, garlic cheese, salmon eggs, worms and PowerBait for trout. We had no other reports.

Eunice Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Green Meadow Lake: Fishing was slow to fair using worms for bluegill. Fishing was fair using shrimp for catfish.

Greene Acres Lake: Fishing was slow for all species.

Grindstone Reservoir: Fishing was slow to fair using worms and salmon peach and garlic

PowerBait for trout. Fishing was fair using hot dogs and chicken liver for catfish.

Jal Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Lake Van: Fishing was slow to fair using hot dogs, homemade dough bait and chicken liver for catfish. Fishing for all other species was slow.

Oasis Park Lake: Fishing was fair using cut bait and blood baits for catfish. We had no other reports.

Pecos River: Stream flow below Sumner Lake as of Monday morning was 1,470 cfs. The fishing area directly below the lake has been closed due to the high water release which is expected to last through the end of the month. We had no reports from anglers this week.

Perch Lake: Fishing was slow to fair using liver, hot dogs and worms for catfish. Fishing for all other species was slow.

Ruidoso River: Stream flow at Hollywood on Monday was 12 cfs. Fishing was slow to fair using salmon eggs for trout.

Santa Rosa Lake: Fishing has slowed some with a water release which is expected to last through the end of the month. Fishing was fair using tubes, jigs, curly tail grubs, top water lures and crank baits for smallmouth bass and largemouth bass. Fishing was good using chicken liver, cut bait and shrimp for catfish. Fishing was fair using grubs, minnows, jigs and crank baits for small walleye.

Sumner Lake: Fishing was slow for all species. A water release began Aug. 17 and is scheduled to last for 10 to 15 days.

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Catches of the week:

- **Bluewater Lake:** Chris Pomykala of Los Angeles caught a 12-pound catfish Aug 4. He was using a crayfish under a bobber.
- **Elephant Butte Lake:** Javier Vela of El Paso, Texas caught a 20-inch, 5-pound largemouth bass Aug 4. He was using a RatLTrap.
- **Lake Roberts:** Joaquin Castanada, 6, caught a 14-inch, 2.5-pound largemouth bass Aug 6. He was using a Bang Tail spinner. Staff Sergeant Albert Aragon of Holloman Air Force Base caught three catfish in the 8 to 15 pound range Aug. 6. He was using chicken liver.
- **Lake Van:** Stephen Walker of Artesia caught a 4-pound channel catfish Aug 1. He was using hot dogs.
- **Navajo Lake:** Jimmy Jonas, 12, of Phoenix, Ariz., caught a 13.5-inch, 1.6-pound crappie Aug 1. He was using a chartreuse jig.
- **Tingley Beach:** Andrea Leon, 12, of Belen caught a 19-inch, 2.5-pound channel catfish Aug 5. She was using shad dough bait.



Jimmy Jonas, 12, of Phoenix Ariz., caught this crappie at Navajo Lake Marina on Aug. 1. The 13.5-inch fish weighed 1.6 pounds. It was caught with a chartreuse jig.

The following came in too late for last week's report but we felt they were definitely worth mentioning:

- **Navajo Lake:** Mely Johnston of Gallup caught two, 3.5-pound kokanee salmon July 31. She was fishing near the dam and using a pink spoon.
- **San Juan River:** Caroline Arch of Roatan, Honduras caught and released a 26-inch brown trout July 27. She was fishing in Texas Hole and using a size 26, gray midge.

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Aug 9

Northeast

Charette Lakes: Fishing was slow.

Clayton Lake: Fishing was slow to fair using PowerBait, worms and spinners for trout. A few small catfish have been caught by anglers using worms. Fishing for all other species was slow.

Cimarron River: Stream flow below Eagle Nest on Monday was 15 cfs. Fishing was good using Trico spinners, micro mays, San Juan worms, bead-head, hare's ear nymphs, worms and salmon eggs for trout. Fishing at the Gravel Pit Lakes was good using PowerBait, salmon eggs, Pistol Petes and spinners for trout.

Conchas Lake: Fishing was fair to good using top water lures, worms, senkos, tubes and curly tail grubs for smallmouth bass and largemouth bass. Fishing was slow to fair using crank baits, minnows and curly tail grubs for white bass. Night fishing was good using shrimp, liver and cut bait for catfish. The surface water temp was in the high 70s.

Cowles Ponds: Fishing was good using small spoons, worms, PowerBait and salmon eggs for trout.

Coyote Creek: Fishing was good using worms and salmon eggs for trout.

Eagle Rock Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Eagle Nest Lake: Fishing was slow to fair using PowerBait for rainbow trout. Fishing was good using worms for perch. Trolling for kokanee was slow with just a few caught by anglers using Panther Martins, Arnies, Kokanee Killers and Double Whammies tipped with corn or PowerBait. Fishing was fair using crank baits, spinners and streamers for northern pike in the 15 to 18-inch range.

Gallinas River: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Hopewell Lake: Trout fishing was fair to good using Pistol Petes, marshmallow and salmon egg combinations, PowerBait and small nymphs.

Lake Alice: Fishing was fair using PowerBait, salmon eggs and homemade dough bait for trout.

Lake Maloya: Fishing was good using PowerBait, garlic cheese, marshmallow salmon egg combinations, Gulp eggs, Pistol Petes and Kastmasters for trout. The best reports are coming from anglers fishing early in the morning and late in the day.

Los Pinos River: Fishing was good using prince nymphs, hoppers, parachute Adams, Panther



Mely Johnston of Gallup caught these 3.5-pound, kokanee salmon on a pink spoon while fishing at Navajo Lake on July 31.

Martins, Fisher Chick spinners, salmon eggs and worms for trout.

Maxwell Lake 13: Fishing was slow for all species.

Monastery Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Morphy Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Pecos River: Stream flow on Monday was 67 cfs. Trout fishing was good using hoppers, prince nymphs, San Juan worms, bead-head, hare's ear nymphs, Panther Martin spinners, PowerBait, salmon eggs and worms.

Red River: Stream flow below the hatchery on Monday was 64 cfs. Fishing on the main river and on the Forks was good using elk hair caddis, royal Wulffs, copper John Barrs, worms and salmon eggs for trout.

Red River City Ponds: Fishing was fair using PowerBait and salmon eggs for trout.

Rio Costilla: Stream flow near Costilla on Monday morning was 77 cfs. Fishing was good using elk hair caddis, small hopper patterns, bead-head, hare's ear nymphs and copper John Barrs for trout.

Rio Grande: Stream flow on Monday at the Taos Junction Bridge was 277 cfs. Fishing was fair to good using poundmeisters, bead-head, hare's ear nymphs, copper John Barrs, Kastmasters, spinners, PowerBait and worms for trout. Fishing was slow to fair using streamers and small jerk baits for smallmouth bass. We had no other reports.

Rio Hondo: Stream flow near Valdez on Monday was 38 cfs. Fishing was good using elk hair caddis, hoppers, parachute Adams and poundmeisters for trout.

Rio Pueblo: Stream flow near Penasco on Monday was 13 cfs. Fishing was fair to good using dry dropper combinations for trout.

Santa Barbara River: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Santa Cruz Reservoir: Fishing was slow with just a few trout caught by anglers using spinners and PowerBait.

Shuree Ponds: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Springer Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Storrie Lake: Fishing was slow for all species.

Stubblefield Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Ute Lake: Fishing was fair to good using senkos, tubes, drop shot rigs, spinner baits and top water lures for smallmouth bass and largemouth bass. Fishing was very good using stink bait, cut bait and shrimp for catfish. Fishing was fair using jigs, deep diving crank baits and curly tail grubs for white bass. Fishing was very good using worms and grubs for bluegill. Anglers using drop shot rigs for bass reported catching several large bluegill. Fishing for all other species was slow. The surface water temp was in the high 70s.

Winsor Creek: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Northwest

Abiquiu Lake: Fishing was slow to fair using tubes, senkos, salt craws, curly tail grubs and worms for smallmouth bass. Fishing for walleye was slow but there were a few caught by anglers using bottom bouncer rigs and crank baits. We had no other reports.

Animas River: Water flow near Aztec on Monday morning was 1,110 cfs. We had no reports from anglers this week.

Albuquerque Area Drains: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Bluewater Lake: Fishing was fair to good using top water lures, jerk baits, jointed Rapalas and spoons for tiger muskies. Fishing was slow to fair using crayfish, liver and hot dogs for catfish. We had no other reports.

Brazos River: Fishing was fair to good using bead-head, hare's ear nymphs and small copper John Barrs for trout.

Canjilon Lakes: Closed by the U.S. Forest Service until further notice due to danger from falling trees. The lakes will not reopen in 2016.

Chama River: Monday morning water flows below El Vado and Abiquiu were 514 cfs and 450 cfs respectively. Fishing below El Vado was fair to good using prince nymphs, hares ears, night crawlers, PowerBait and salmon eggs for cutthroat, brown and rainbow trout. Fishing below Abiquiu was fair using worms, night crawlers, PowerBait and dark wooly buggers for rainbow trout.

Cochiti Lake: Fishing was fair using top water lures, tubes and jigs for smallmouth bass, largemouth bass and crappie. Fishing was fair using Fisher Chick spinners, crank baits, curly tail grubs and jerk baits for white bass and crappie. Fishing was fair to good using cut bait, shrimp and liver on trout lines and rod and reel for catfish.

El Vado Lake: Fishing was slow for all species. Fishing pressure was very light.

Fenton Lake: Trout fishing was slow.

Heron Lake: Fishing was slow for all species. There were a few rainbow trout and kokanee caught by anglers using PowerBait, Gulp eggs and Double Whammies tipped with corn. The best bank fishing was reported by anglers fishing in the Ridge Rock area.

Jackson Lake: Fishing was slow for all species.

Jemez Waters: Stream flow on the Jemez River near Jemez Springs on Monday morning was 16 cfs. Fishing on the Jemez was slow. Fishing on the upper Cebolla was fair to good using small dark emergers, hoppers, copper John Barrs and worms for rainbow trout. The upper reaches of the East Fork on the Valles Caldera has been fishing well for anglers using small hoppers and beetles. We had no reports on other streams in the area.

Laguna Del Campo: Trout fishing was slow.

Lake Farmington: We had no reports from anglers this week. Nonmotorized watercraft are now allowed on Lake Farmington. Fees are \$50 for the season or \$5 daily.

Manzano Lake: Fishing was slow for all species.

Navajo Lake: Fishing was fair to good using curly tail grubs, tubes, creature baits, sweet beavers, minnows, crank baits and spinners for smallmouth bass and largemouth bass. Fishing was fair to good using worms for perch. Crappie fishing was fair using small curly tail grubs and minnows. Fishing was slow to fair using crank baits and swim baits for northern pike. Fishing was fair trolling Crippures, Arnies, Kokanee Killers and Double Whammies tipped with corn behind dodgers and beer cans for kokanee. The kokanee were scattered with catches reported at 20 feet, 50 feet and 80 to 100 feet depths.

San Gregorio Lake: Fishing was slow.

San Juan River: Stream flow as of Monday morning was 408 cfs. Fishing through the quality waters section was good using dead chickens, parachute Adams, small bead-head, pheasant tail nymphs, foam wing emergers, scintillas, crystal flash midges. Good midge hatches were coming off in the late afternoon and evening hours. Fishing through the bait section was good using spinners, night crawlers, small dry flies, jerk baits, PowerBait and salmon eggs for trout.

Seven Springs Brood Pond: Fishing was good using PowerBait, salmon eggs, worms, assorted nymphs and small spoons for trout.

Tingley Beach: Fishing at the Central and Youth Ponds was fair to good using shrimp, hot dogs, dough bait and liver for catfish. Fishing for bluegill was slow to fair using worms and dough bait. Fishing for all other species was slow. We had no reports from the Bob Gerding Catch and Release Pond.

Trout Lakes: Fishing was good using worms, PowerBait, gold spinners and Pistol Petes for trout.

Southwest

Alumni Pond: Fishing was fair using shrimp, crawdads and hot dogs for catfish.

Bear Canyon Lake: Fishing was slow for all species.

Bill Evans Lake: Fishing was slow to fair using worms under a bobber for bluegill. Fishing for all other species was slow.

Caballo Lake: Fishing continued to be slow for all species with light fishing pressure.

Elephant Butte Lake: Fishing was fair using minnows, crank baits and curly tail grubs for white bass. Fishing was fair to good using tubes, senkos, creature baits, crank baits, top water lures and small plastics on drop shot rigs for smallmouth bass and largemouth bass. Night fishing was very good using dough bait, chicken liver, crawdads and shrimp for catfish. We had no other reports. The surface water temp was in the low 80s.

Escondida Lake: Fishing was fair to good using chicken liver, shrimp and hot dogs for catfish. Fishing for all other species was slow.

Gila River: Stream flow as of Monday morning was 97 cfs. We had no reports from anglers this week.

Glenwood Pond: Fishing was fair to good using PowerBait for trout.

Lake Roberts: Fishing was fair using chicken liver for catfish. Fishing for trout was slow for some but good for others as a few limits were caught by anglers using worms. Fishing for bass was slow but a few were caught by anglers using crank baits and Bang Tail spinners.

Percha Dam: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Quemado Lake: Fishing was slow for all species.

Rio Grande: Stream flow below Elephant Butte as of Monday morning was 1,290 cfs. Fishing was good using beef liver, chicken liver, hot dogs and shrimp for catfish. We had no other reports.

Snow Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Young Pond: Fishing was slow for all species.

Southeast

Alto Lake: Fishing was slow with just a few catfish caught by anglers using hot dogs and liver.

Bataan Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Black River: Stream flow at Malaga on Monday was 27 cfs. We had no reports from anglers this week.

Blue Hole Park Pond: Fishing was good using night crawlers, hot dogs and liver for catfish.

Bonito Lake: Closed until further notice by the city of Alamogordo due to fire damage.

Bosque Redondo Lake: Fishing was fair to good using liver, shrimp and night crawlers for catfish. Fishing for all other species was slow.

Bottomless Lakes: Fishing was slow for all species.

Brantley Lake: Anglers are required to catch and release all fish here as high levels of pesticides have been found in some fish. Fishing was very good using tubes, Big Ned rigs, worms, senkos and creature baits for largemouth bass. Fishing was very good using crank baits, jerk baits, spinners, tubes and grubs for white bass.

Carlsbad Municipal Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Chaparral Park Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

El Rito Creek: Fishing was good using wooly buggers, Pistol Petes, salmon eggs, worms and PowerBait for trout. Fishing for all other species was slow.

Eunice Lake: We had no reports from anglers this week.

Green Meadow Lake: Fishing was slow to fair using shrimp, chicken liver and dough bait for catfish. We had no other reports.

Greene Acres Lake: Fishing was slow with just a few catfish caught by anglers using hot dogs and liver.

Grindstone Reservoir: Fishing pressure was light and fishing was slow.

Jal Lake: Fishing was good using garlic cheese and worms for catfish. Fishing for all other species was slow.

Lake Van: Fishing was slow to fair using hot dogs and chicken liver for catfish. Fishing for all

other species was slow.

Oasis Park Lake: Fishing was good in the late evening hours using cut bait and blood baits for catfish up to 7 pounds. Fishing for all other species was slow.

Pecos River: Stream flow below Sumner Lake as of Monday morning was 114 cfs. We had no reports from anglers this week.

Perch Lake: Fishing was fair using liver, hot dogs and shrimp for catfish. Fishing for all other species was slow.

Ruidoso River: Stream flow at Hollywood on Monday was 7.9 cfs. Trout fishing was slow.

Santa Rosa Lake: Fishing was fair using tubes, jigs, chigger craws, curly tail grubs, top water lures and crank baits for smallmouth bass and largemouth bass. Fishing was fair to good using chicken liver, cut bait and shrimp for catfish. We had no other reports.

Sumner Lake: Fishing was fair using tubes, senkos, sweet beavers, salt craws and top water lures for smallmouth bass and largemouth bass. Fishing for walleye was slow with just a few caught by anglers using grubs, minnows, jigs and night crawlers. Fishing was fair using shrimp, night crawlers, chicken liver and beef liver for catfish.