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## **Corps of Engineers complete lakeshore cleanup at Whitney Lake**

*FORT WORTH, Texas* – The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers sponsored a lakeshore cleanup at Whitney Lake on May 5. Despite a questionable weather forecast, nearly 100 volunteers participated. After getting registered at McCown Valley Group Shelter, groups spent the morning picking up trash from public lands around Lake Whitney. Following the cleanup, a men’s group from Peace Lutheran Church of Arlington cooked brisket and hotdogs for lunch, and volunteers enjoyed time to socialize and the opportunity to win a door prize.

A special prize was given for the “Catch of the Day”, or the most unusual piece of trash found during the clean up. A commemorative belt buckle from the 1974 Willie Nelson picnic was this year’s winner. Numerous other door prizes, donated by local businesses, were given as well.

For information about volunteer opportunities at Whitney Lake contact the lake office at 254-622-3332.

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