



U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

Friends of Neosho National Fish Hatchery

Partnerships



The Friends of the Neosho National Fish Hatchery is a nonprofit citizens organization dedicated to conserving fishery resources and providing support for activities conducted by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's Neosho National Fish Hatchery. Such activities whether independent or in cooperation with other organizations or parties will benefit fish and other aquatic resources.



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Above, Friends Group member, Bob Gofourth, applies primer to antique concrete Rainbow Trout before its final painting. Below, Young visitors share their fish food with the "New" fish.



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Above, Friends Group members join forces with Shoal Creek Preservation to restore old limestone Arch located on hatchery grounds. Below, Friends Group members travel to Booneville, MO to observe the first stocking of Neosho raised Pallid Sturgeon into the Missouri River.



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Above, Friends group members volunteer their time and resources to prepare lunch at the Annual Fishing Derby. Below, Friends Group members prepare a meal for the visiting USFWS Biologists after the Region 3 Biologist Workshop.