2009 JORDAN LAKE SNAPSHOT



Prevent the transport of nuisance species. Clean <u>all</u> recreational equipment. www.ProtectYourWaters.net

Members of the Jordan Lake District started participating in the Clean Boats, Clean Waters program in 2008 and continued in 2009, even hiring some students to assist. This boater education program helps train citizens to inspect their recreational equipment and remove potentially invasives plants and animals, as well as provides them information on how to recognize several aquatic invasives.

In 2008, assistance was provided to at least 96 water recreationists by the Jordan Lake District. By 2009, that number was up to 206!

The average summer water clarity was 13 feet (very good). Summer water temperatures weren't recorded.

The summer average total phosphorus level was 12.7 micrograms/liter (good).

The average chlorophyll-a summer level remained low at 2.3 micrograms/liter.



The presence of the invasive Banded Mystery Snail (*Viviparus georgianus*) was confirmed in Jordan Lake in 2009.