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TOM ELDER | COURTESY PHOTO

Youths, adults alike enjoy sunshine, fishing, good food

Last Saturday's Ron Berry Memorial Kids Fishing Day at Champion Lake was greeted by sunshine and pleasant temperatures. The annual event is held in memory of longtime Isaac Walton League member and past president Ron Berry. Over 35 youths and some adult family members participated in the fishing day and enjoyed a lunch served at noon. Ike's secretary-treasurer Tom Elder said they served about 70 people a lunch of grilled hot dogs, sloppy joes, baked beans, chips and cold drinks. The Imperial Eagles supplied the sloppy joes, beans and buns. Twenty-five of the youths, ages 8-13, were registered to receive prizes including the two lifetime pass winners Kate Colson and Micah Bley. There were a number of campers parked around the area for the weekend with family members watching the kids fish. At top left, this rocky area on the lake was a popular spot for fishing Saturday. Standing in the middle is Forest Greene, looking serious after casting his line.

Southwest Nebraska Chapter Izaak Walton League



would like to say

Thank You

to all the participants in our

Ron Berry Memorial Kids Fishing Day



**Congratulations to the winners of
Nebraska Lifetime Hunt/Fish Permits,**

Micah Bley & Kate Colson

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