

Texas Freshwater Fisheries Center

Catch Some Memories
at Texas' Premier
Aquatic Nature
Center and
Hatchery



Life's better outside.®

PRAIRIES AND LAKES



Fish for fun!

Enjoy fishing for catfish, sunfish and rainbow trout in our heavily stocked casting pond. We furnish the bait and tackle, and you don't need a license. Our friendly staff will even teach you how. Cast a line and catch some memories that will last a lifetime!

Discover nature's mysteries.

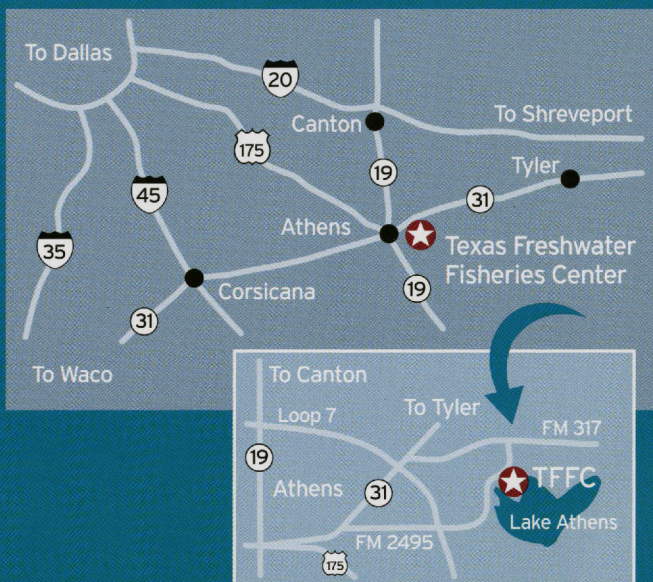
Tour the visitor center and discover life under the water of Texas streams, ponds and lakes as you've never seen it before. Over 300,000 gallons of aquarium exhibits offer an amazing view of nearly every major species of freshwater fish in Texas. Catch the daily dive show, marvel at prehistoric paddlefish and giant alligator gar, take a guided tram tour of the hatchery or go exploring down the wetlands trail. Look, listen and feel the wonders of nature all around you, all for less than the cost of a movie.

Learn something new.

Your visit will be as educational as it is fun! As the home of the world-renowned ShareLunker Program, the center serves as the hub for genetic research and spawning for trophy largemouth bass. Children and adults can study various aspects of aquatic science, biology and conservation. Educational programs are available for pre-K through college with a two-week advance reservation. Special events and seminars are offered year-round with expert tips, advice and hands-on learning opportunities. For additional information, check out our website, www.tpwd.texas.gov/tffc.

The 4,400-square-foot Hart-Morris Conference Center is available to rent for seminars and special events.

Bring the whole family and
catch some memories!



Open Tuesday - Saturday, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.; Sunday, 1 - 4 p.m.
Closed Mondays, Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve,
Christmas, New Year's and Easter.

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