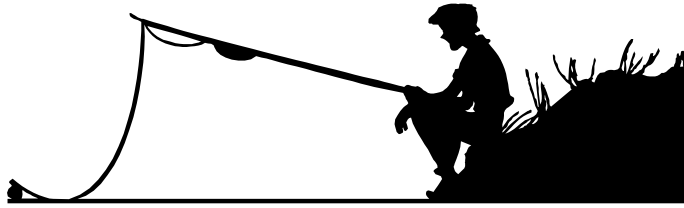


“I Remember the River When.....”

(you fill in the ending!)



The Hoosic River Watershed Association is collecting personal stories or poems about experiences along the Hoosic River, the Green River, and their tributary streams. We would like to hear from all ages!

Contributions received before April 1 (from 7th graders to retirees) will be entered in our River Writing contest* and be eligible for cash prizes up to \$100.

What to write about?

- Playing, working, fishing, or boating along the rivers or streams.
- Exploring, swimming, seeing animals, camping out, finding things.
- What the river smelled like, or looked like, in its more polluted days.
- What used to be at certain locations: bridges, landmarks, businesses, farms, or other things that have come and gone.
- Floods and what they were like.
- The building of the flood control chutes.
- *Anything else you'd like to tell!*

We accept essays and poems from 50 to 500 words long, typed. Please put your name, address, phone, and age category on a separate cover sheet. Send to:



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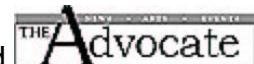
PO Box 667, Williamstown, MA 01267 or hoorwa@berkshire.net

Thank you for sharing!

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Contest age categories are: middle school students; high school students; and adults.
Winners will be announced in early May.