## A Day in the Life of the Hudson River 10/20/15 Data RIVER MILE 60 Dennings Point Sean Dickinson, Chad Cianfrani, Miriam Straus, Oakwood Friends School, 8<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> grade, 40 students, 5 adults 41.30'10" degrees Latitude 73.50'11" degrees Longitude

**Location:** Dennings Point, 200 yards south of Long Dock Rd. Parking Lot, Beacon, Dutchess County

Area: Forested, Beach with large piping entering river. Believe area mostly used for sightseeing and fishing.

**Surrounding Land Use:** Nature preserve with few buildings, 50% forested; 50% beach; **Sampling Site:** Beach, covered with vegetation, rocky & sandy

Water Depth @ sampling site: 3 ft.

Water: Choppy

ITEM	Time	Reading 1	Reading 2	Comments		
Physical						
Air Temperature	10:30 AM	60°F	20°C			
1	10:45 AM	59	19.5 C			
	11:00 AM	60	20 C			
	11:15 AM	62	21 C			
Wind Speed						
Cloud Cover						
Weather today	Sunny					
Weather recently	cold					
Water						
Temperature-						
Water calm						
Turbidity -	10:30 AM	17.1 cm	5.8 cm	Water very		
Long sight tube		7.0 cm	average	turbid		
		8.0 cm				
Chemical						
DO	10:36 AM	8 mg/L				
(drop count kit)	11:00 AM	7 mg/L				
	11:30 AM	7 mg/L				
pH –	10:30 AM	56.5-7				
	11:00 AM	5.5-6				
	11:15 PM	7				
Fish Catch	Number –	Species –	CPUE -	Seine		
20 ft. X4 seine	6	Banded				
		Killifish	Diversity – 6	Total catch 17		
	3	Hog Choker				

	4	Spottail Shiner		
	1	Pumpkin Seed		
	2	Tesselated		
		Darter		
	1	White Perch		
Macroinvertebrate	2	Blue Crab		
	1	Shrimp		
Tides	10:23 AM	17 cm	falling	
	10:38 AM	14 cm		
	10:52 SM	11 cm		
	11:06 AM	9 cm		