

Scoping The Great Outdoors  
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Friends of the Branch River (FOBR) helps Lincoln High School student complete community service requirement. Paul Suchan, a Lincoln High School senior, recently completed his service requirements for graduation. Through FOBR by assisting Allen Klingeisen with a river conservation project. The project consisted of a trash clean-up at all the bridge crossings on the Branch River. This included 18 crossings from Way-Mor Park to the Branch Golf Course covering over 50 miles over a three day period. Paul and Allen put in over 50 hours of work. A total of 200 pounds of trash, 33 pounds of scrap metal, and 3 pounds of aluminum cans. All this could have ended up in the Branch River if it hadn't been cleaned up. Thanks to Paul Suchan for his volunteer hours. If you would like to volunteer with FOBR , contact Allen Klingeisen at (920) 901-5166. Some upcoming FOBR events include Fox Valley Herp Club on Saturday, April 23 at Reedsville High School with two shows at 9:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. This is a reptile presentation with plenty of hands on with turtles, Snakes both big and small, and lizards. Free to the public but a \$5 family donation is appreciated to benefit FOBR. (Caption for photo) Paul Suchan shows the garbage that he and Allen Klingeisen picked from 18 branch River crossings. This consisted of 200 pounds of trash, 33 pounds of scrap iron, and 3 pounds of aluminum cans.