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Lake Clark NP Highlights

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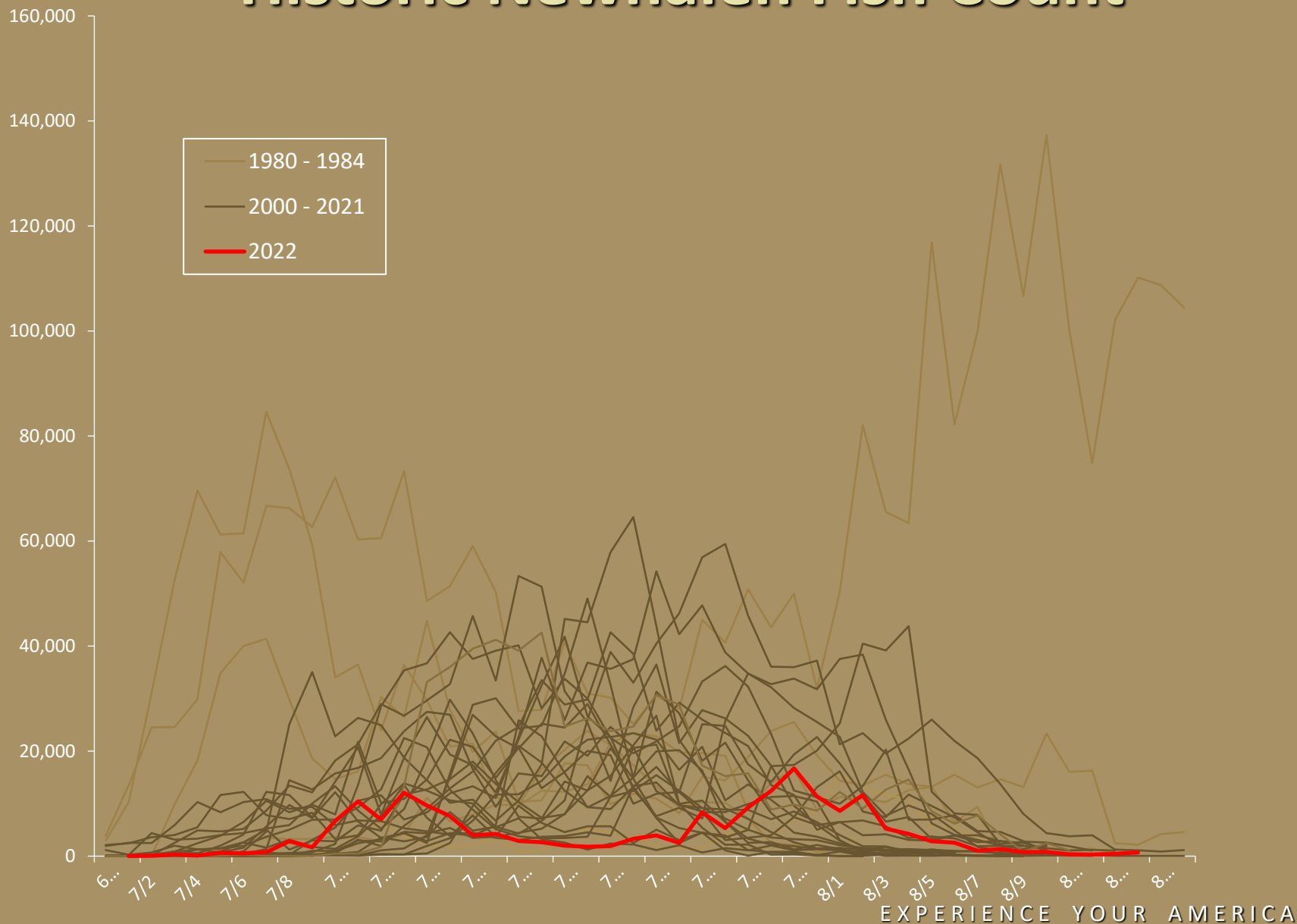
2022 Natural Resources Projects



- Mercury monitoring: continued sampling from Lake Clark, Kontrashibuna Lake, and Crescent Lake to better understand how mercury bioaccumulates in the food webs of lakes
- Invasive Plant Monitoring: high traffic waterbodies within the park
- Lake temperature: monitored year-round in Lake Clark since 2006, and in Kijik Lake since 2010
- Newhalen counting station: 193,000 sockeye salmon – 3rd lowest return since 2000 and almost 50% less than the 20-year average



Historic Newhalen Fish Count



2022 Education and Outreach



- Day Camps Back On! - Nondalton, Newhalen, Port Alsworth and Iliamna with hands on, interactive activities.
- Junior Ranger Programs Back on! – weekly programs in Port Alsworth
- Distance Learning - Scheduling distance learning for next year for communities in BB, AK Pen, Kenai Pen.
- Mycology Workshops – Iliamna and Nondalton. New program integrating elders' knowledge.

Cultural Resources Projects



- Qunsha (squirrel) Camp this fall
- Science Camp at Lower Twin Lake
- Telequana Trail report published
- Quk'Taz'un Culture Camp at historic Kijik: 12 students this year



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