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Song Hengchun and his wife repair nets used for collecting debris from the reservoir in Dongzhaozhuang village of Yiyuan county, Shandong province, on Sept 17.



Song Hengchun (left) and his son Song Chengjun release fish into the reservoir in Dongzhaozhuang village of Yiyuan county, Shandong province, on Aug 6.



Song Hengchun (left) and his son check the water level gauge in Dongzhaozhuang village of Yiyuan county, Shandong province, on Aug 11.



Song Hengchun's wife sews up uniforms in Dongzhaozhuang village of Yiyuan county, Shandong province, on Aug 6.



Song Hengchun washes his face after a tiring patrol in Dongzhaozhuang village of Yiyuan county, Shandong province, on Aug 7.



Song Hengchun's grandson visits his grandparents in the reservoir area in Dongzhaozhuang village of Yiyuan county, Shandong province, on Aug 6.



Song Hengchun and his wife clear debris from the reservoir in Dongzhaozhuang village of Yiyuan county, Shandong province, on Aug 7.



Song Hengchun tells children about reservoir safety knowledge in Dongzhaozhuang village, Shandong province, on Aug 11.



Song Hengchun makes an announcement about the reservoir's water condition to residents of Dongzhaozhuang village in Yiyuan county, Shandong province, on Aug 11.



Song Hengchun (left) checks the spillway gate's steel wire rope with his son in Dongzhaozhuang village of Yiyuan county, Shandong province, on Aug 11.



Song Hengchun (fourth from left) and local village residents conduct flood prevention drills in Yuezhuang town of Yiyuan county, Shandong province, on Aug 11. PHOTOS BY ZHAO DONGSHAN AND CHEN MING / FOR CHINA DAILY