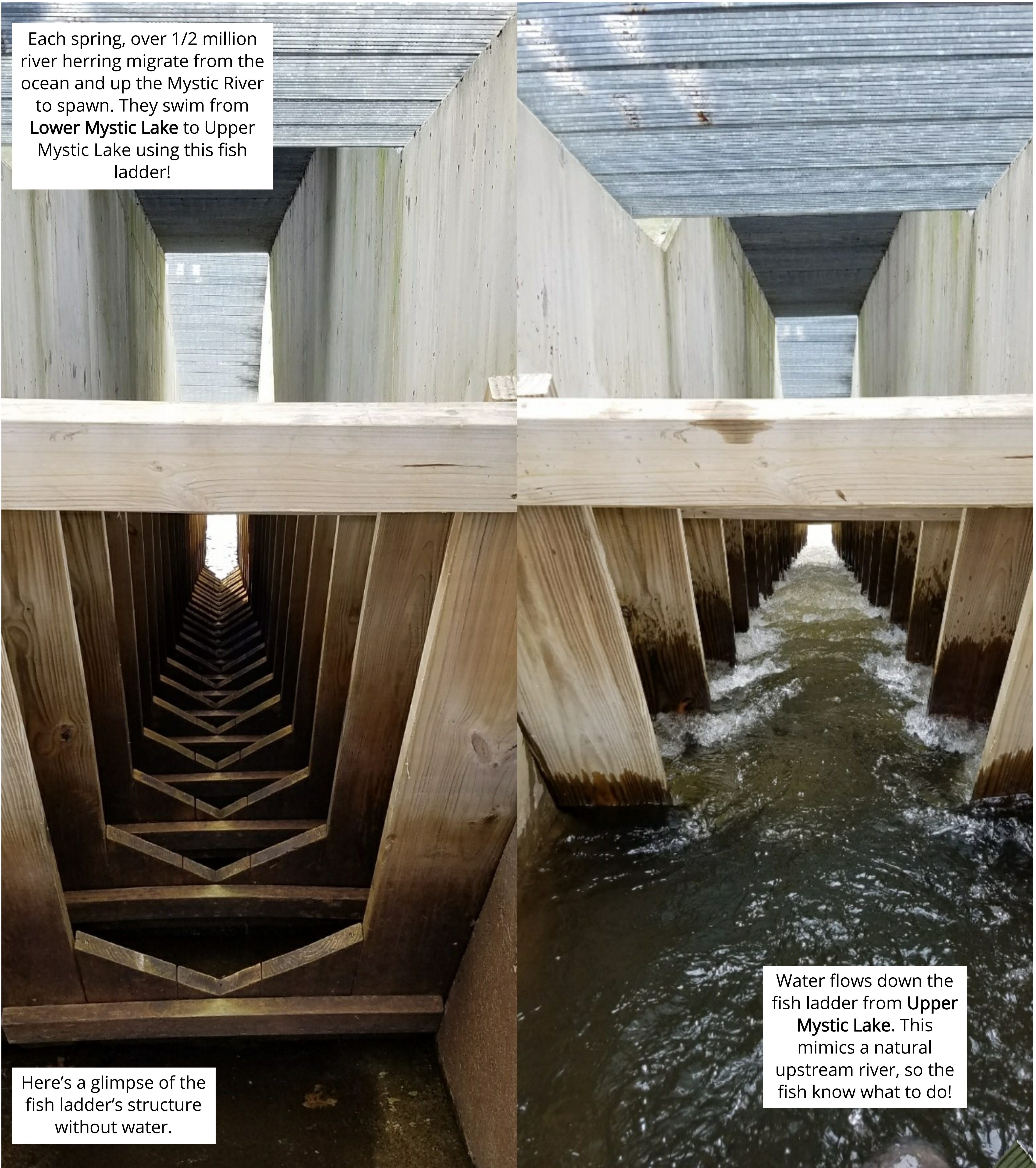


Each spring, over 1/2 million river herring migrate from the ocean and up the Mystic River to spawn. They swim from **Lower Mystic Lake** to Upper Mystic Lake using this fish ladder!



Here's a glimpse of the fish ladder's structure without water.

Water flows down the fish ladder from **Upper Mystic Lake**. This mimics a natural upstream river, so the fish know what to do!

Check out MysticHerring.org to count fish using our underwater webcam and learn more about the incredible fish that swim up this ladder each spring!

