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Lake Fact Sheet – Parry Sound District

Little Tyne Lake

Location	
Official Name:.....Little Tyne Lake	Local Names:..... Little Mink Lake
County/District:..... Nipissing	Geographic Twp:..... Ballantyne
Municipality:.....Unorganized	MNR Admin. Area:.....Bracebridge
Lat./Long:.....45.981 N 79.168 W	UTM (NAD83):..... 17 641856 5093610
Topographic Map (1:50,000):.....31E14	Drainage Basin:..... Amable du Fond River

Physical Features		
Surface Area (ha):.....24	Maximum Depth (m):..... 13	Mean Depth (m):.....5
Elevation (m asl):.....396	Perimeter (km):..... 4.5	Island Shoreline (km):..... 0
Volume (10 ⁴ m ³):..... 119	Watershed (km ²):..... (excludes area of lake)	Water Clarity (m):..... 4

Land Use and Development	
Crown Land (%):.....85	Provincial Parks:.....none
Shoreline Development:.....low; shoreline residential, recreation camp	
Access:.....public; boat launch off road between Tyne and Little Tyne Lake	
Water Level Management:.....not regulated	

Fish Species
Major Fish Species:.....smallmouth bass (I), brook trout (R), splake (S), yellow perch
Other Fish Species:.....brown bullhead, creek chub, common shiner, bluntnose minnow, lake chub white sucker, pumpkinseed
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Notes: E: extirpated, I: introduced – intentional or accidental, O: occasional, R: remnant, S: currently stocked, ?: status uncertain, 2009: year of first record or introduction if known, blank: presumed native

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Fisheries Management

<i>Fisheries Management Zone:</i>	15
<i>Designation for Lake Trout Management:</i>	not designated
<i>Fishing Regulation Exceptions</i>	no lake-specific exceptions
<i>Current Stocking:</i>	splake – stocked every two years with spring yearlings
<i>Historic Stocking (last year stocked):</i>	lake trout (1949), brook trout (1966)
<i>Contaminants (species tested):</i>	no testing done
<i>Assessment:</i>	Completed Projects:
	1971 lake survey
	1987 fish community assessment

Synopsis

Little Tyne Lake was historically managed as a brook trout and lake trout lake, however, stocking was discontinued and consequentially the brook trout and lake trout populations decreased. In 1987, a fish community assessment found only white suckers inhabiting the lake, although local cottagers indicated a substantial yellow perch population existed at the time. A remnant brook trout population remains with the last recorded catch in 1991. Little Tyne Lake is currently stocked with splake yearlings every two years beginning in 2005.

Anecdotally, smallmouth bass have become established in Little Tyne Lake (and probably Tyne Lake as well), probably from an intentional, but illegal introduction.

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