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Lake Fact Sheet – Parry Sound District Meadow Lake

Location	
Official Name:.....Meadow Lake	Local Names:..... Mead Lake
County/District:..... District of Parry Sound	Geographic Twp:..... Monteith
Municipality:..... Township of McMurrich/Monteith	MNR Admin. Area:..... Parry Sound
Lat./Long:..... 45.372 N 79.578 W	UTM (NAD83):..... 17 611,353 5,025,249
Topographic Map (1:50,000):.....31E05	Drainage Basin:..... Little Seguin River

Physical Features		
Surface Area (ha):..... 70	Maximum Depth (m):..... 10	Mean Depth (m):.....
Elevation (m asl):..... 319	Perimeter (km):..... 7.7	Island Shoreline (km):..... 0.7
Volume (10 ⁴ m ³):.....	Watershed (km ²):..... 3.9 (excludes area of lake)	Water Clarity (m):..... 1.5

Land Use and Development	
Crown Land (%):.....80%	Provincial Parks:.....none
Shoreline Development:.....	low; shoreline residential
Access:.....	public; Axe Lake Road
Water Level Management:.....	not regulated

Fish Species	
Major Fish Species:.....	Smallmouth Bass (I 1976), Largemouth Bass (I 1976), Yellow Perch
Other Fish Species:.....	Brown Bullhead, White Sucker, Pumpkinseed
Other Species:.....	

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>	none
<i>Historic Stocking (last year stocked):</i>	Smallmouth Bass (1953-1976), Largemouth Bass (1976)
<i>Contaminants (species tested):</i>	Largemouth Bass

Summary of Fisheries Studies / Reports

MNR 1981 Largemouth Bass Minor Assessment

- 179 largemouth bass were caught with 8 trapnet nights (one 6 ft & three 4 ft nets)
- 19 largemouth bass were transferred to Horn Lake.

Baldwin, R. 1980 An Evaluation of the Success of Largemouth Bass Introductions into Dinner Lake, Carling Township, and Mead Lake, Monteith Township, Parry Sound District

- Successful spawning was noted and the introduction is considered successful

Thurston, L. 1978 Largemouth Bass Introductions in the Parry Sound District 1976-78

- In 1976 a total of 219 adult largemouth bass were transferred from Martin L as well as 15 smallmouth bass.

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