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Lake Fact Sheet – Parry Sound District

Wolf Lake

| Location | |
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| Official Name:..... Unnamed | Local Names:..... Wolf Lake |
| County/District:..... Parry Sound | Geographic Twp:..... Joly |
| Municipality:..... Township of Joly | MNR Admin. Area:..... Bracebridge |
| Lat./Long:..... 45.761 N 79.142 W | UTM (NAD83):..... 17 644446 5069246 |
| Topographic Map (1:50,000):..... 31E14 | Drainage Basin:..... North Magnetawan River |

| Physical Features | | |
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| Surface Area (ha):..... 22 | Maximum Depth (m):..... 16 | Mean Depth (m):..... 6 |
| Elevation (m asl):..... 429 | Perimeter (km):..... 3 | Island Shoreline (km):..... 0 |
| Volume (10 ⁴ m ³):..... 135 | Watershed (km ²):..... 8.8 (excludes area of lake) | Water Clarity (m):..... 2.3 |

| Land Use and Development | |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Crown Land (%):..... 100 | Provincial Parks:..... none |
| Shoreline Development:..... | low; recreation camp |
| Access:..... | public; Kents Mill Road |
| Water Level Management:..... | not regulated |

| Fish Species | |
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| Major Fish Species:..... | brook trout (S) |
| Other Fish Species:..... | brown bullhead, white sucker, lake chub, burbot, common shiner, creek chub, northern redbelly dace |
| 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

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| <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> | brook trout; stocked regularly with yearlings on a put-grow-take basis beginning in 2014 |
| <i>Historic Stocking (last year stocked):</i> | lake trout (1965), brook trout (1967) |
| <i>Contaminants (species tested):</i> | no testing done |
| <i>Assessment:</i> | Completed Projects: |
| | 1968 lake survey |
| | 1987 fish community assessment |
| | 2012 fish community assessment |

Synopsis

Wolf Lake is a small lake that was historically stocked with lake trout and brook trout. Assessments in 1987 and 2012 did not capture any trout of either species. It is not big and deep enough to provide the deep water habitat required to support lake trout and a lack of suitable spawning habitat may be the reason that brook trout do not occur naturally, as they do occur in some lakes and streams in the local watershed.

Stocking of brook trout on a trial basis was initiated in 2014. If survival and angler interest is sufficient the intent is to continue stocking regularly on a put-grow-take basis.

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