

Sacandaga Lake (Moffitt Beach)

AIS intercepted: 10
Boats inspected: 1,315
Dates of Operation: May 27 – October 9
Number of visitors: 3,350
Boats failing inspection: 18.9%

Total Number of Days Covered: 111
Weekly Coverage: 7 days
Visitors showing spread prevention awareness: 83%
Number of previously visited waterways: 54



AIS Present in Waterbody: spiny waterflea
Stewardship History: 2015 - present
Partnership: Lake Pleasant Sacandaga Association, Town of Lake Pleasant

Watercraft	Boat Type									total # boats observed	total # boats inspected
	Barge	Canoe	Dock	Kayak	Motor	PWC	Row	Sail	SUP		
# of boats observed	0	19	0	148	1057	115	1	9	1	1350	1315
percentage of total boats	0%	1%	0%	11%	78%	9%	0.1%	1%	0.1%	100%	97%

Boats observed at launch, including those not inspected. PWC=personal watercraft, SUP=stand-up paddleboard.

total # visitors	organisms found		total organisms	# boats dirty	# boats w/AIS	# of inspections	% of inspected boats dirty	% of inspected boats w/AIS
	entering	leaving						
3350	195	149	344	320	10	1315	24.3%	0.8%

Boats dirty = watercraft with any organic material, invasive, non-invasive or unknown.

Visitor Responses	AIS spread prevention awareness											# groups asked
	yes	I	WB	DB	BB	LW	Dis	Dry	same lake	first/frozen	didn't ask	
# of groups	912	360	254	84	7	21	3	184	88	224	193	1096
percentage of total groups asked	83%	33%	23%	8%	1%	2%	0.3%	17%	8%	20%	NA	

Yes = showed AIS spread prevention awareness; I = inspected boat; WB = washed boat; DB = drained bilge; BB = emptied bait bucket; LW = drained livewell; Dis = disposed of unused bait; Dry = dried boat; same Lake = boat only goes in this lake; first/frozen = first launch of season or frozen boat.

Organisms Removed																total # AIS	
	BW	CLP*	ELO	GRS	EWM*	NM	UM	VLM*	MUD	NON	PND	SWF*	WC*	WL	ZM*		OTR
# of organisms	4	1	5	13	4	0	0	1	12	246	4	1	2	0	1	50	10
percentage of total orgs	1%	0.3%	1%	4%	1%	0%	0%	0.3%	3%	72%	1%	0.3%	1%	0%	0.3%	15%	

BW = bladderwort; CLP = curly-leaf pondweed; ELO = elodea; GRS = grass; EWM = Eurasian watermilfoil; NM = native milfoil; UM = unknown milfoil; VLM = variable-leaf milfoil; MUD = mud; NON = non-aquatic debris; PND = native pondweed; SWF = spiny waterflea; WC = water chestnut; WL = water lily; ZM = zebra mussel; OTR = other; */AIS = aquatic invasive species.

Aquatic Invasive Species Intercepted by Stewards	# found on boats launching	Previous Waterway	# found on boats retrieving	Previous Waterway
curly-leaf pondweed	0	N/A	1	Sacandaga Lake (previously in Canadarago Lake)
Eurasian watermilfoil	4	None (4)	0	N/A
spiny waterflea	0	N/A	1	Sacandaga Lake
variable-leaf milfoil	1	None (1)	0	N/A
water chestnut	2	Great Sacandaga Lake (1), None (1)	0	N/A
zebra mussel	0	N/A	1	Sacandaga Lake (previously in Oneida Lake)
Totals	7		3	

Previous Waterways for Launching Boats	# visits
NONE	460
Sacandaga Lake	167
Piseco Lake	24
Great Sacandaga Lake	21
Lake Pleasant	21
DID NOT ASK	15
Indian Lake	15
Hudson River	9
Saratoga Lake	8
Lake George	6
RENTAL	6
Lake Algonquin	5
Atlantic Ocean	3
Hinckley Reservoir	3
Lewey Lake	3
Oneida Lake	3
Oxbow Lake	3
Canada Lake	2
Canadarago Lake	2
Caroga Lake	2

Previous Waterways for Launching Boats	# visits
Eighth Lake	2
Forked Lake	2
Lake Erie	2
Long Lake	2
Otsego Lake	2
UNKNOWN (boater doesn't know)	2
Blue Mountain Lake	1
Brant Lake	1
Cazenovia Lake	1
Cedar River Flow, Lake Pleasant, NY	1
Chesapeake Bay	1
Cranberry Lake	1
Delta Lake	1
East Sidney Lake, Sidney, NY	1
Echo Lake, Speculator, NY	1
Erie Canal	1
First Lake	1
Fourth Lake	1
Fulton Chain of Lakes	1
Harriman Reservoir, VT	1

Previous Waterways for Launching Boats	# visits
Jessup River, Lake Pleasant, NY	1
Kayuta Lake	1
Keuka Lake	1
Kunjamuk River	1
Lake Champlain	1
Lake Durant	1
Lake Luzerne	1
Loon Lake, Chester, NY	1
Lower St Regis Lake	1
Mohawk River	1
Niagara River	1
Owasco Lake	1
Paradox Lake	1
Rainbow Falls Reservoir	1
Salmon River Reservoir, Redfield, NY	1
Schroon Lake	1
Seneca Lake	1
St. Lawrence River	1
Thirteenth Lake, Warren County, NY	1
Total groups	823

State of Motorized Boat Registration
(n=1,176)



