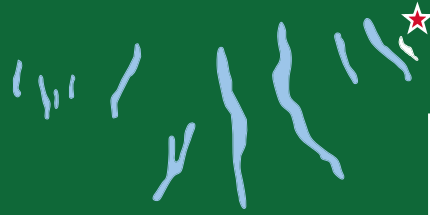


Otisco Lake

“Waters Dried Away”



FINGER LAKES FACTS

Physical Features

Elevation: 787 ft
Area: 2,200 acres
Length: 5.4 miles

Maximum width: .75 miles
Maximum depth: 76 ft
Thermocline: N/A



Noteworthy

Otisco Lake is the easternmost Finger Lake, located in Onondaga County. Otisco Lake is unique in that it is split into two separate basins by a causeway on the south end.

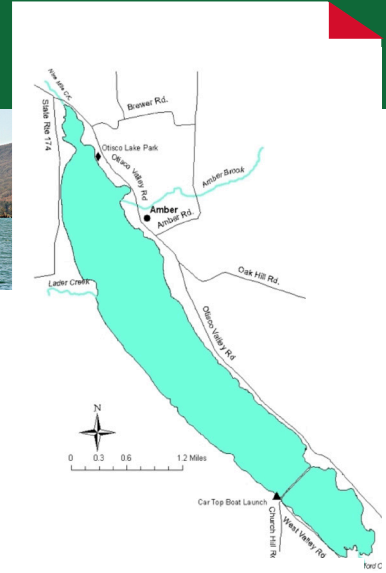
Fish

Tiger Musky are stocked annually and Walleye are stocked biannually. Other fish include Brown Trout, Largemouth Bass and Smallmouth Bass.

Public Boat Launches*

DEC Hand Launch Site

Private boat launch access is available at two locations at the southeast end of the lake.



Otisco Lake Preservation Association

Source: NYSDEC, visitfingerlakes.com



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(See reverse)

Invasive Species of Concern for Otisco Lake

PRESENT



Water chestnut

Photo: Jared Bedient, Finger Lakes Institute, Hobart and William Smith Colleges



Sea Lamprey

Photo: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Bugwood.org

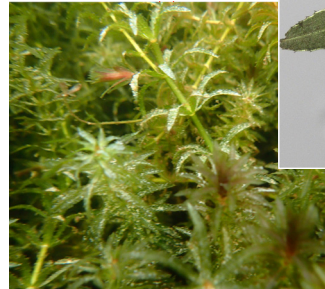
Other invasive species present: Asian clam, bloody red shrimp, brittle naiad, curly-leaved pondweed, starry stonewort, zebra mussel

NOT PRESENT

Hydrilla - WATCH OUT!

Hydrilla can be identified by:

- Visibly serrated leaves
- Leaves commonly grow in whorls of 5, but can range from 4-8
- Spreads by seeds, tubers, turions (overwintering buds), and fragmentation



Hydrilla

Photos: Finger Lakes Institute, Hobart and William Smith Colleges

Other invasive species not detected: Round Goby, quagga mussel, Fishhook Waterflea, spotted lanternfly

Know - Observe - Report

To report an observation, take a detailed photo and send to FLXplantID@gmail.com

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