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Lake Fact Sheet – Parry Sound District

# Boyne River

Location:	
<b>MNR District:</b> .....	Parry Sound
<b>Geographic Township:</b> .....	Foley
<b>Municipal Township:</b> .....	Seguin
<b>Watershed:</b> .....	Flows into Georgian Bay
<b>Fisheries Mgmt Zone:</b> .....	15

Basin and Terrain Characteristics:	
<b>Lake Survey Year:</b> .....	
<b>Surface Area:</b> .....	
<b>Maximum Depth:</b> .....	
<b>Mean Depth:</b> .....	
<b>Perimeter:</b> .....	
<b>Island shoreline:</b> .....	
<b>Littoral Zone:</b> .....	
<b>Shoreline Development:</b> .....	
<b>Access Points:</b> .....	Road Access
<b>Water Level:</b> .....	Not Regulated
<b>Crown Land:</b> .....	

Water Quality:	
<b>Secchi reading:</b>	
<b>Colour:</b>	
<b>Dissolved Oxygen:</b>	
<b>Alkalinity:</b>	
<b>pH:</b>	6.5 (1987)
<b>Total Phosphorus:</b>	
<b>M.E.I.:</b>	
<p><b>“Guide to eating fish”:</b> Fish in watersheds draining into Georgian Bay generally have high levels of mercury. This is due to natural, high background levels of mercury present in the watershed – not man-made contamination. A precautionary approach to fish consumption is recommended. We recommend you search the guide for an alternate large lake in your watershed and apply those consumption guidelines to your lake of interest. Extra caution should be exercised by women of child-bearing age and for children.</p>	
<p>The Guide to Eating Ontario Sport Fish is available electronically at: <a href="http://www.ene.gov.on.ca">www.ene.gov.on.ca</a>.</p>	

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## Fisheries:

**Game Fish Species:** Walleye (1992), Rainbow Trout (1965), Brook Trout (1943)

**Other species present:** Blacknose Dace (1991), Brown Bullhead (1991), Pumpkinseed (1991)

**Exotic Species:** Sea Lamprey

**Stocking Record:** The river is not currently being stocked.

1992 Walleye 3,419 fingerling  
1965 Rainbow Trout 2,000 yearling  
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1962 Rainbow (Kamloops) Trout 1,000 yearling  
1961 Rainbow (Kamloops) Trout 2,000 yearling  
1943 Speckled Trout 800 yearling

## Summary of Fisheries Studies / Reports:

Fisheries and Oceans Canada, 1991 **Treatment Report**

- 1.7 km stretch treated for Sea Lamprey

## Management Prescription:

This river is being managed as a natural, self-sustaining walleye and trout fishery. Generic sport fishing regulations for FMZ-15 apply; there are no exception regulations.

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Refer to Lake Fact Sheet Interpretation document for explanation of content.

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