

2016 BOAT LAUNCH RATES

Residents of Grey Highlands*

Boat/motor size	Per day	Season Pass
All HP	\$20	\$40

*Proof of residency required.

Non-residents of Grey Highlands

Boat/motor size	Per day	Season Pass
All HP	\$20	\$60

BOATING AT LAKE EUGENIA

Boat Launch Hours of Operation

Boat launch ramp opens at 6 am and closes by no later than 9:30 pm or dusk, whichever is earlier and as determined by Park Operator. Boats launching before 6 am will be required to register and pay launching fee upon return to the launch. All boats must be out of the water by ramp closing time. No overnight docking, camping or parking is allowed.

Launching Fee

All boats arriving on a trailer must be launched from the boat ramp. No launching fee for non-motorized boats. Car-top boats may be walked down to the water at any location but must yield to and be ever-mindful of swimmers.

Boat Launch Registration

All boaters with trailers must register with the boat launch attendant at the booth near the entrance to the parking area. All boaters must present a valid Ontario Pleasure Craft Operator Card and must be aware of and abide by Ontario Boating Regulations. All boaters must follow proper boat launch etiquette on a first come, first served basis. Please no line-jumping. Please be as quick and efficient getting your boat in and out of the water.

Trailer Parking

No parking of vehicles or trailers at the boat launch. Boaters must park vehicle and boat trailer in the designated boat trailer parking area at the south-eastern corner of the Park. Extra parking for trailers on the south side of the beach parking area. Overflow parking also available at the Eugenia Community Park along Evans Ave.

On the Water: Leaving and Approaching Boat Ramp

Depart from boat ramp straight out into Lake; approach boat ramp straight on. Motorized boats are not allowed in or near the swimming area. Please always be mindful of swimmers.

Environmental Stewardship

While visiting our lake, please keep the dock and picnic area clean. Put garbage in the trash cans provided. No littering on the lake is allowed. Please no bait-dumping. To help contain the spread zebra mussels, please clean your boat between outings.

Boating Safety Equipment Requirements

Along with your Ontario Pleasure Craft Operator Card, you are required by law to carry marine safety equipment. At a bare minimum, you should always have with you:

- Canadian-approved flotation device or life jacket of appropriate size for each passenger on board
- Buoyant heaving line at least 15 m in length
- Watertight flashlight OR Canadian approved flares – Type A, B or C
- Sound-signaling device
- Manual propelling device (i.e. paddle) OR an anchor with at least 15 meters of rope, chain or cable
- Bailer OR manual water pump
- Class 5 BC fire extinguisher

In addition to the safety equipment listed above, we highly recommend that you carry the following items – enough for everyone on board:

- Marine First Aid Kit
- Drinking water
- Sun-screen
- Hat
- Sunglasses
- Dry clothing (i.e. long-sleeved shirt)
- Snacks
- Waterproof matches
- Knife

Alcohol

Wait until you are off the water before consuming alcohol. Remember, if you drink after a day of boating, be sure you have a designated driver for your vehicle. Don't allow a person who has consumed alcohol to operate a boat.

Provide non-alcoholic beverages for boat operators and passengers. Be responsible!

Weather Conditions

Plan ahead! The operator and all passengers should be well prepared. Visit The Weather Network for information on weather in your area.

Note: Do not start your boat motor until your boat is completely free of your trailer. Pull boat to the end of the dock before starting the motor. Similarly, shut motor off before putting boat back onto your trailer.