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NORTHEAST QUADRANT

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AMISK LAKE

Location: Approximately 408 km. (253.9 miles) north and east of Prince Albert or 17.5 km. (10.2 miles) south and west of Creighton, Sk..

Latitude & Longitude:

Latitude 54° 6' 29.36" N Longitude 102° 29' 29.36" W

Directions: From **Prince Albert** proceed north on Highway #2 N/#3W for 500 m and then turn right on Highway #55 (Nipawin) for 500 m. The highway then merges with Highway #3 W for 250 m. Turn onto Highway #55 E and follow that highway for 41.2 km before making a left turn onto Secondary #120 and following it for 89.9 km. Turn onto Secondary #106 for 258 km before making a right turn onto Creighton Avenue (Saskatchewan #167) for 17.5 km (watch for Denare Beach signs). Making a right turn onto Moody Road brings you to Denare Beach.

From **Creighton**, proceed south west on Secondary #167 for 17.5 km before turning onto Moody Road which will bring you to Denare Beach

Admission:

Season:

Facilities: Two Provincial Campgrounds (Sawmill Bay and Sand Beach), canoe routes, museum and hiking trails near the Northern Village of Denare Beach.

Special Notes: This is a large lake which makes a boat a useful accessory. Many of the rock formations do not reach the surface unless there is wave action, and there are a number of narrow passages in which a boater could easily get lost. The use of a navigational chart is recommended.

Altitude: 295 m. (968 ft.)

Access: Shore or boat

Depth: Averages 15 to 20 m. (50 to 60 feet) with a maximum of 45 m. (148 feet).

Bottom Conditions: sand and rock with large rock walls and reefs.

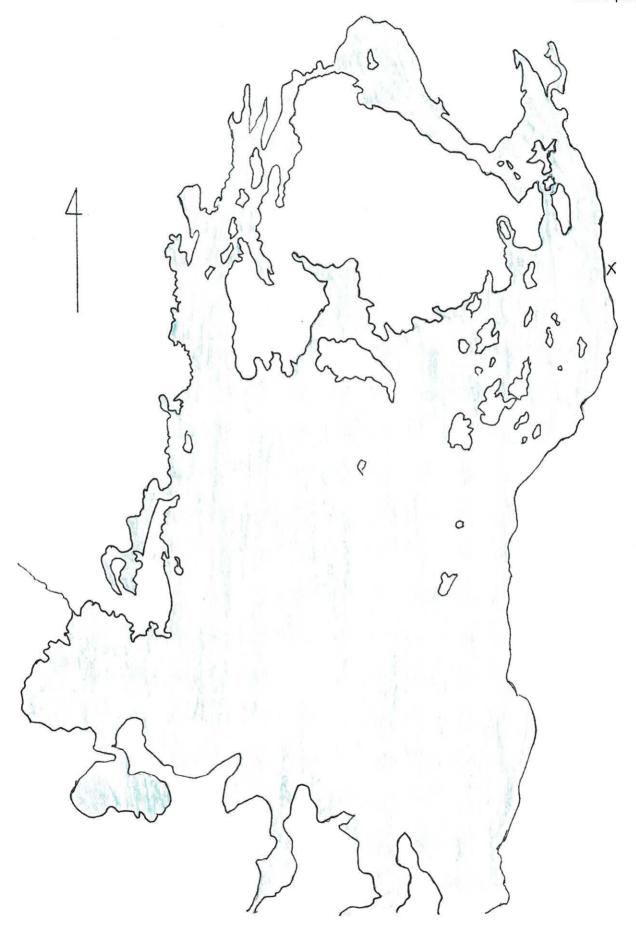
Visibility: Between 7.5 m. (25 ft.) and 12 m. (40 ft.)

Water Temperature:

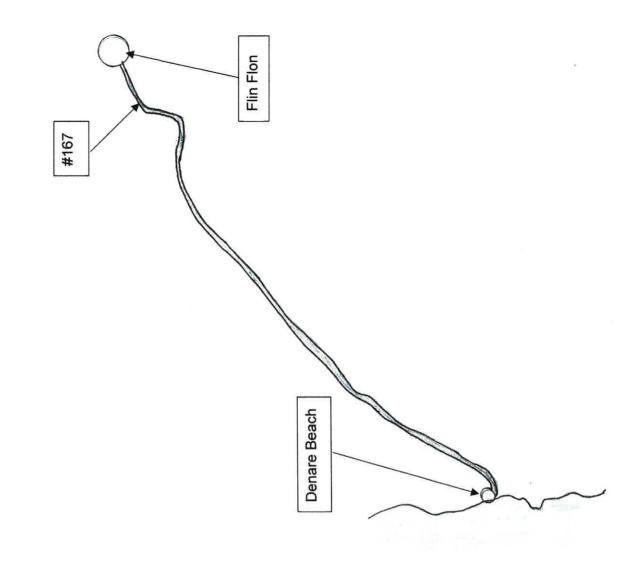
Features: Rock walls and reefs of granite, large trout and jack fish

Air Fill Availability: Fire Department in Flin Flon, Mb.

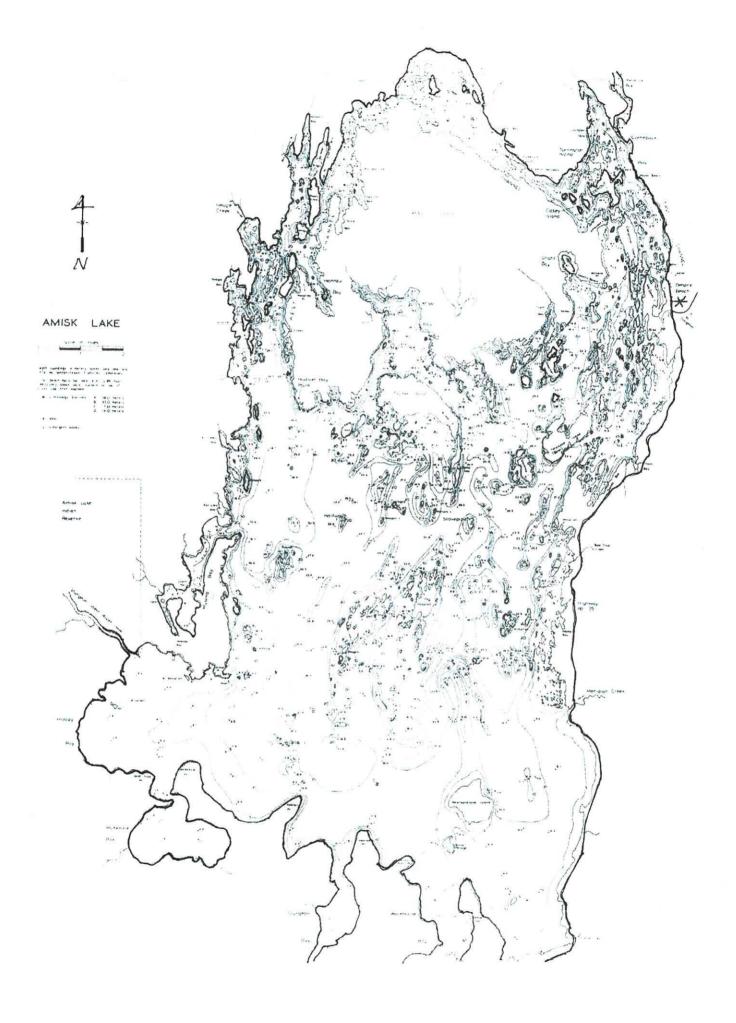
Medical Facilities: The closest hospital and ambulance services are at Flin Flon, Mb.

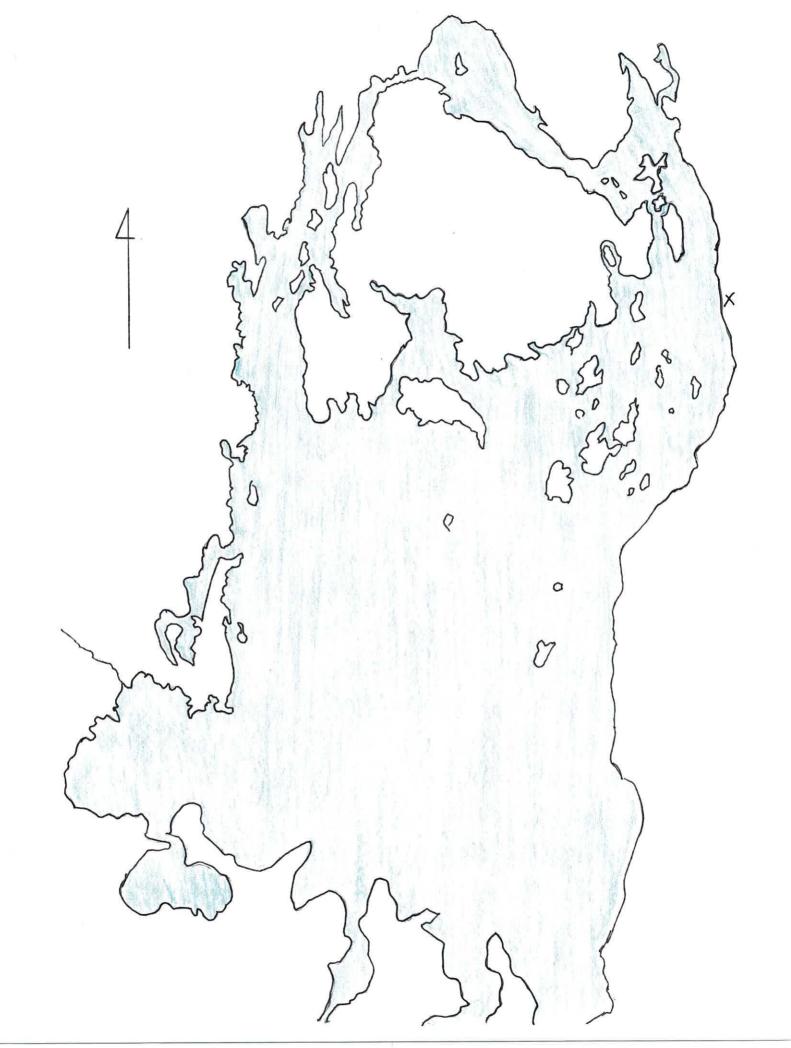


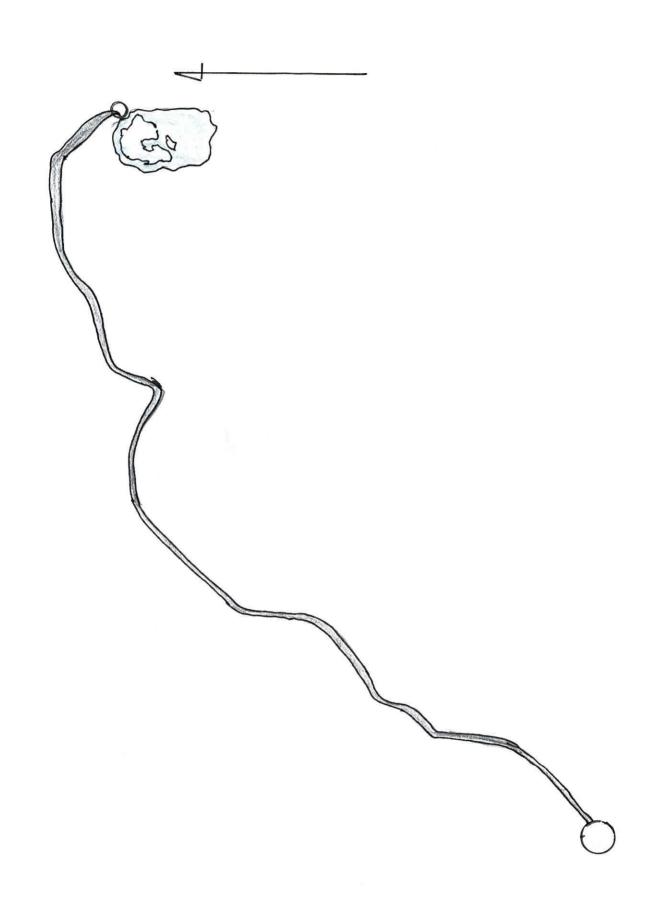
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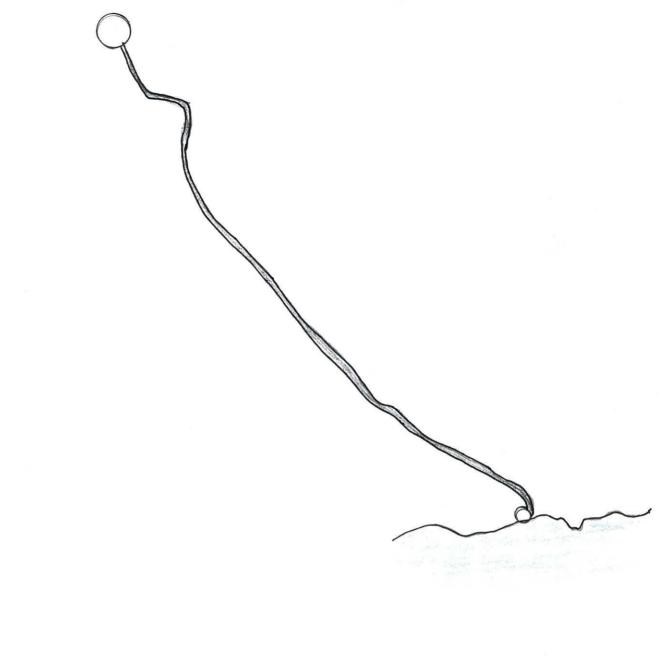


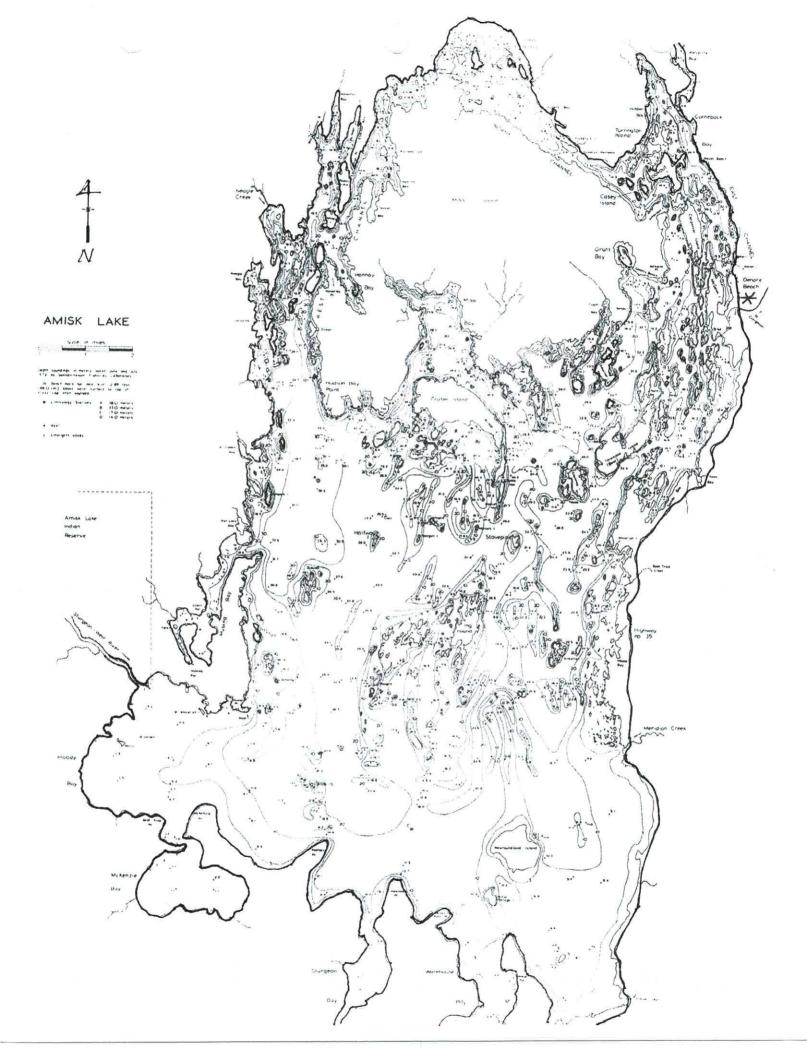
Amisk Lake

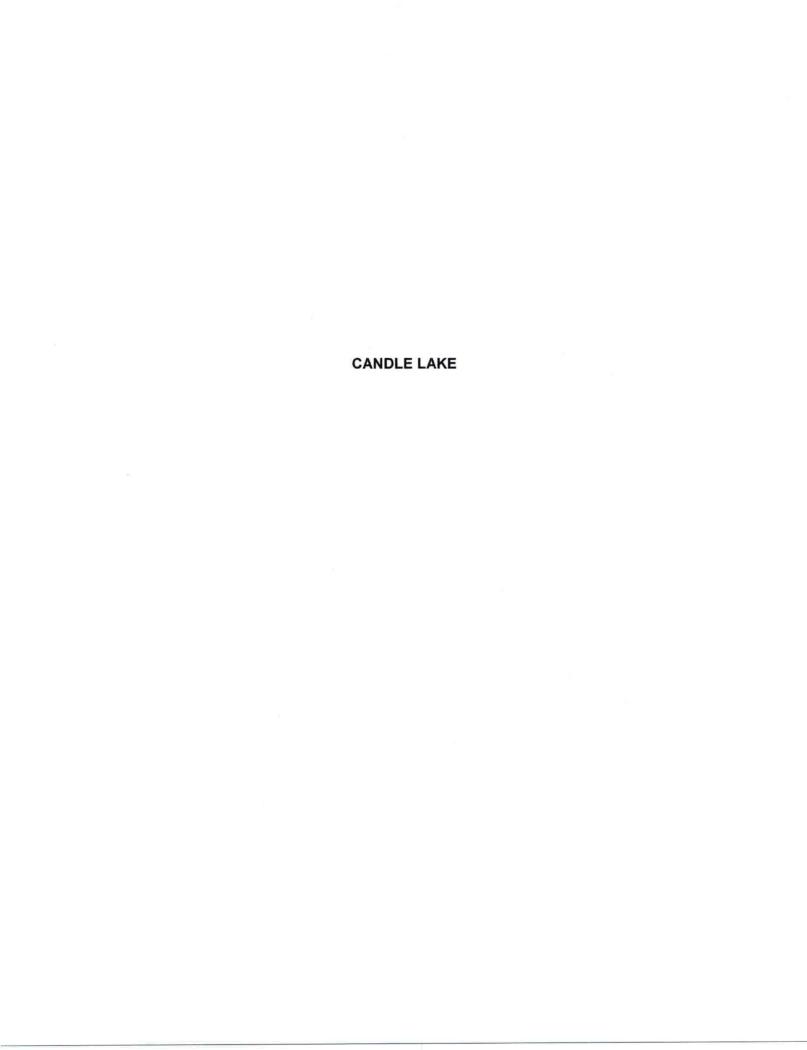












CANDLE LAKE - Minawaka Beach Rock Point site:

Location: Approximately 79 km. (49.09 miles) north east of Prince Albert.

Latitude & Longitude: Latitude 53°46'15.75" N Longitude 105°10'00.5" W

Directions: From Prince Albert take Highway 55 for approximately 41 km. (25.48 miles). Turn left onto Highway 120 and follow this road for 32.3 km. (20.071024 miles). Turn left into the Provincial Park and proceed to the westernmost campsite close to the lake. Park close to the road leading to the dam. It is about a 200 yard walk down the path to Rock Point where the diver enters the water.

Admission:

Season:

Facilities: Candle Lake offers the amenities of most small towns with gas stations, restaurants, shopping and entertainment, boat launch and camping.

Special Notes: Lots of boat traffic so it is important to use a dive flag.

Altitude: 495.0 m. (1624 ft).

Access: From Kelsey Camp a boat ride down Hannigan Creek to Candle Lake proper

Depth: 1.4 m (5 ft.) to 6 m. (20 ft,)

Bottom Conditions: Sandy bottom with few weeds, large rocks

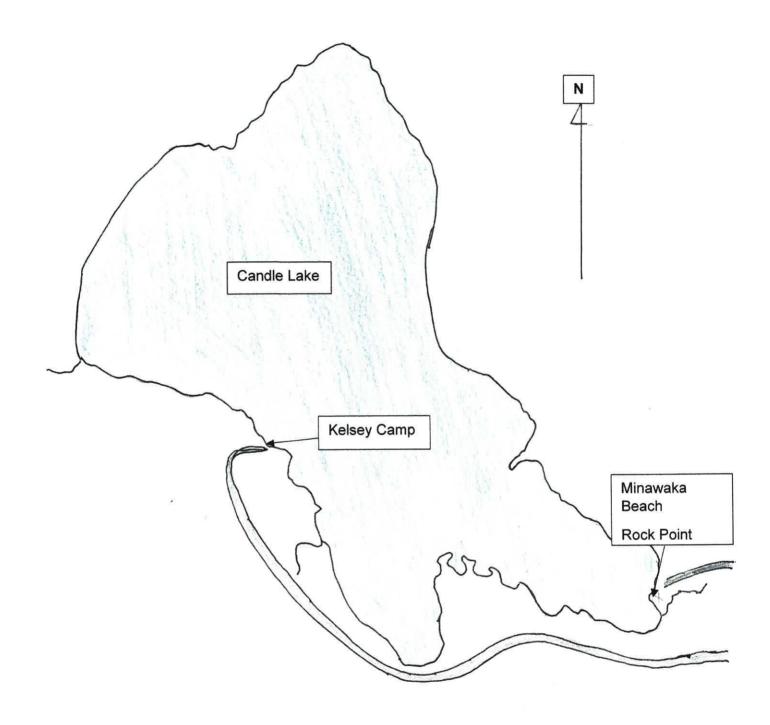
Visibility: 3 m. (10 ft.) to 6 m. (20 ft.)

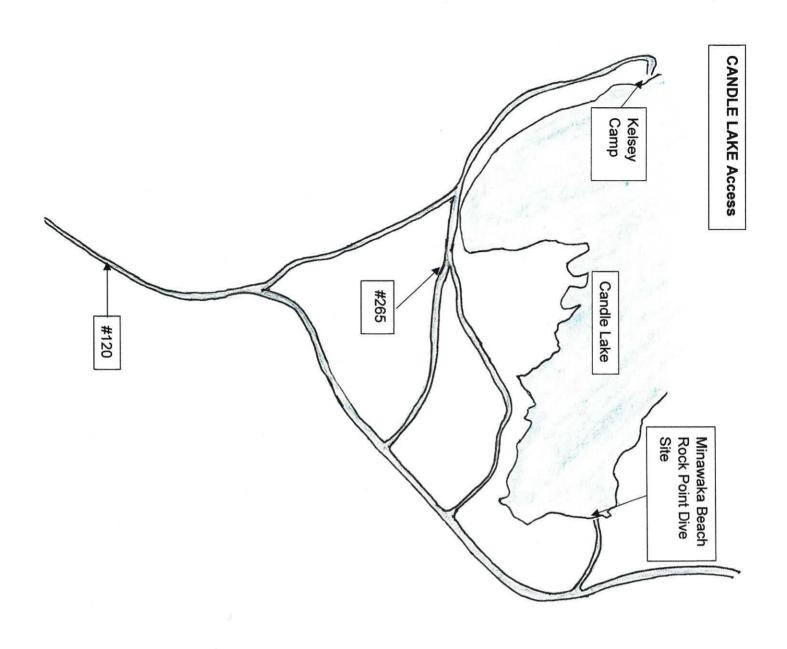
Water Temperature: Surface temperatures run at approximately 17.2° C. (63° F). and temperatures at depth are around 16.7° C. (62° F).

Features: Very active marine and fish reef in the spring, large rocks and obscure marine life.

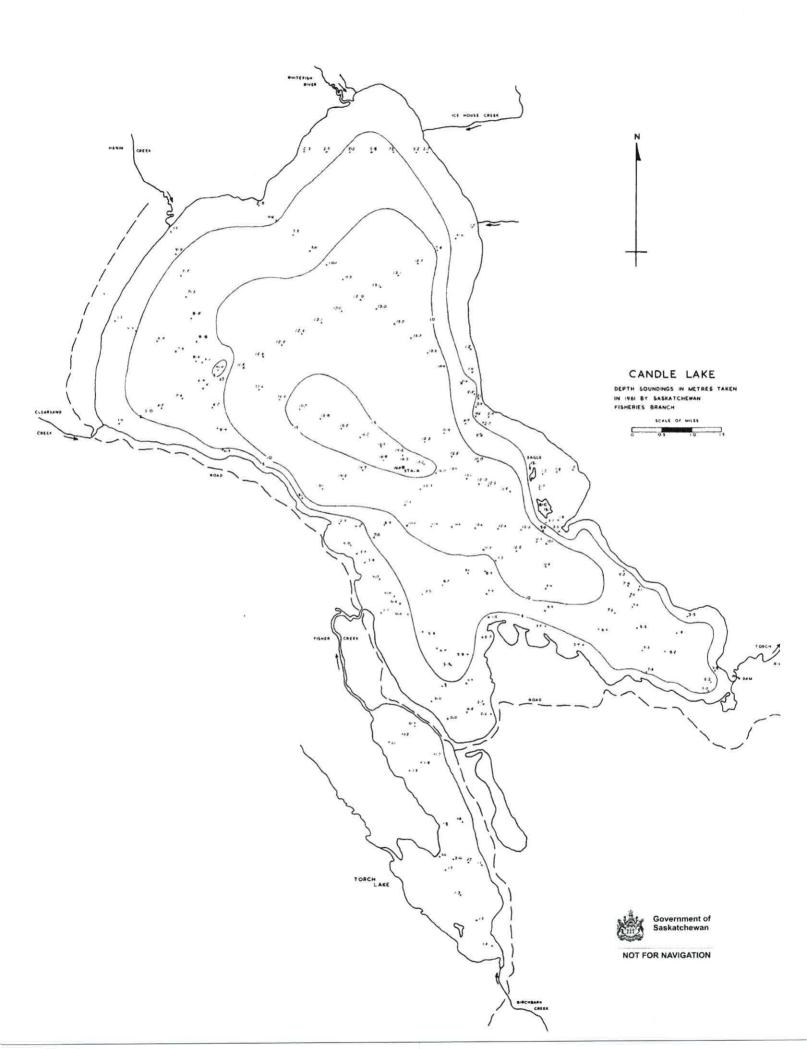
Air Fill Availability: Honeys Watersports in Candle Lake, Sk.

Medical Facilities: Nearest hospital and ambulance service is in Prince Albert. People transporting injured parties usually meet the ambulance at Meath Park.





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CANDLE LAKE - Kelsey Camp site:

Location: Approximately 79 km. (49.09 miles) north east of Prince Albert.

Latitude & Longitude: Latitude 53°46'15.75" N Longitude 105°10'00.5" W

Directions: From Prince Albert take Highway 55 for approximately 41 km. (25.48 miles). Turn left onto Highway 120 and follow this road for 32.3 km. (20.071024 miles). Turn left onto Highway #265 for Candle Lake and follow this for 4.5 km. (2.79 mi.)

Admission:

Season:

Facilities: Candle Lake offers the amenities of most small towns with gas stations, restaurants, shopping and entertainment.

Special Notes:

Altitude: 495.0 m. (1624 ft).

Access: From Kelsey Camp a boat ride down Hannigan Creek to Candle Lake proper

Depth: Sounded to a depth of 16 m. (53 ft.)

Bottom Conditions: Sandy bottom with few weeds.

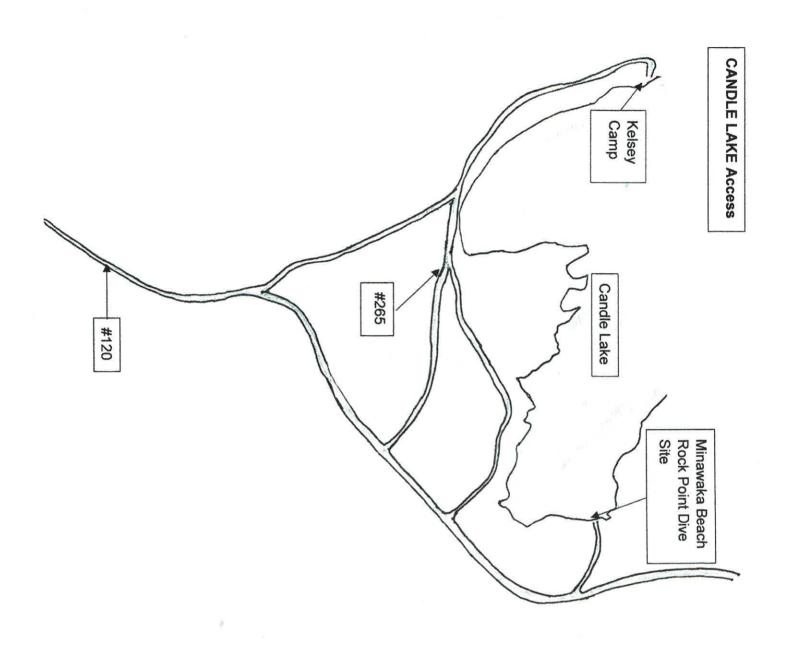
Visibility: 3 m. (10 ft.) to 6 m. (20 ft.)

Water Temperature: Surface temperatures run at approximately 17.2° C. (63° F). and temperatures at depth are around 16.7° C. (62° F).

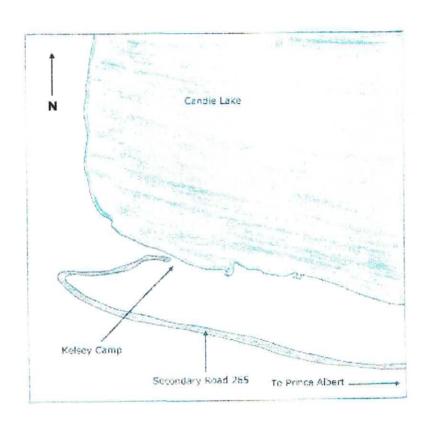
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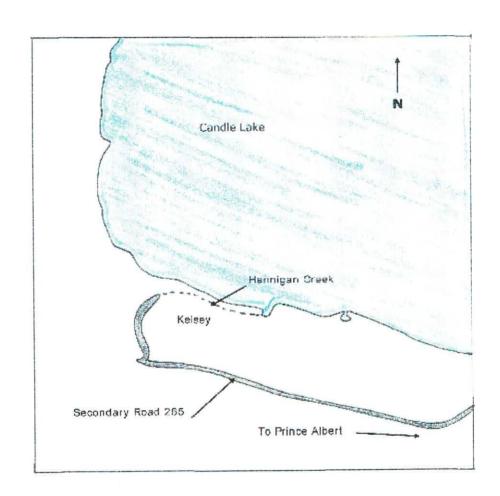
Air Fill Availability: Honeys Watersports in Candle Lake

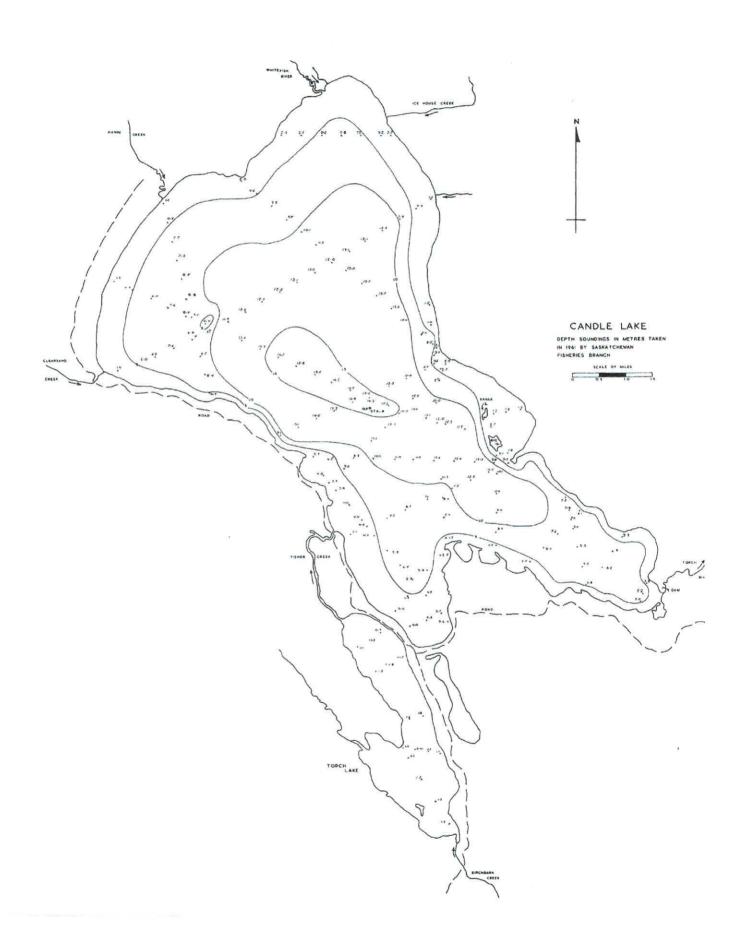
Medical Facilities: Nearest hospital and ambulance service is in Prince Albert. People transporting injured parties usually meet the ambulance at Meath Park.

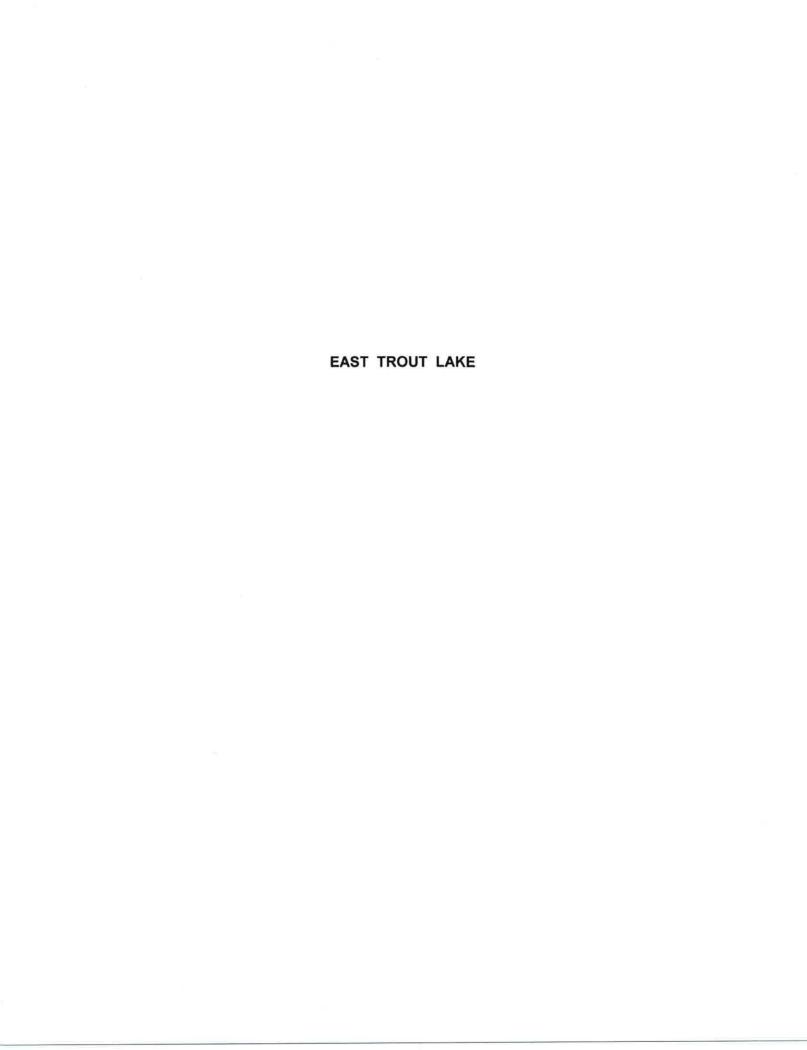


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EAST TROUT LAKE

Location: 166 km. (103 mi.) north and east of Prince Albert

Latitude & Longitude: 54°21'37.17" N 105°00'15.75" W

Directions: From Prince Albert take Highway 55 for approximately 41 km. (25.48 miles). Turn left onto Highway 120 and follow this road for 52.8 km. (32.75 miles). Turn left onto Secondary #913 and follow that road for 40.8 km. (25.25 miles) before turning left onto Secondary #912 for another 5.4 km. (3.3 miles). Then turn left on Secondary #927 and follow that road for 23.6 km. (14.75 miles). At the sign for East Trout Lake turn left and continue for 250 m. (225 yards).

Admission: FREE

Season:

Facilities: Boat launch, cabins, camping, marina store, gas and oil

Special Notes: The lake can sometimes be desolate and precautions should e taken to ensure the oat is in good running condition.. One should take clothes and provisions for an extended stay if necessary.

Altitude: 494 m. (1621 ft.)

Access: From the abovementioned boat launch, the diver travels by boat approximately 4 km to a sandy each on the south side of the lake. The dive site can then be accessed from shore. The diver wades out about 75 m. (250 ft.) through shallow water on a sandy bottom. There is a narrow weed bed at the drop off and those weeds extend for about 6 m. (20 ft.). There is a gradual slope to a depth of 10 m. (30 ft.) and then the slope increases.

Depth: 21 m. (70 ft.) maximum

Bottom Conditions: Firm

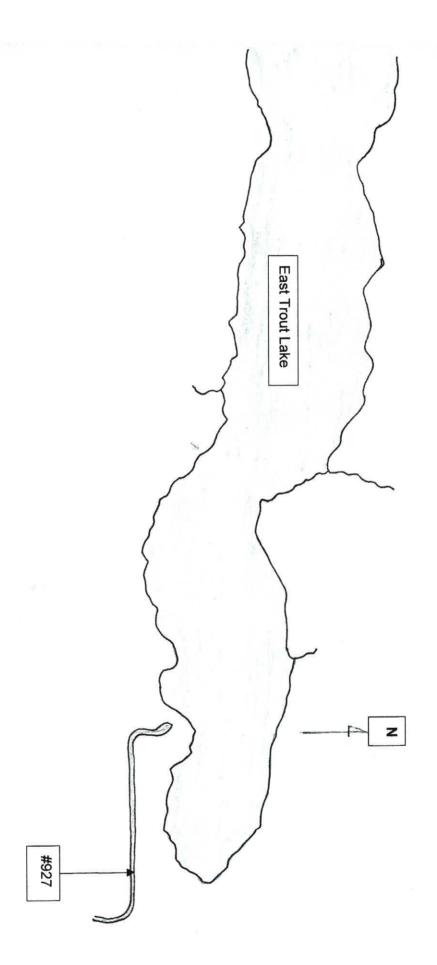
Visibility: More than 6 m. (20 ft.)

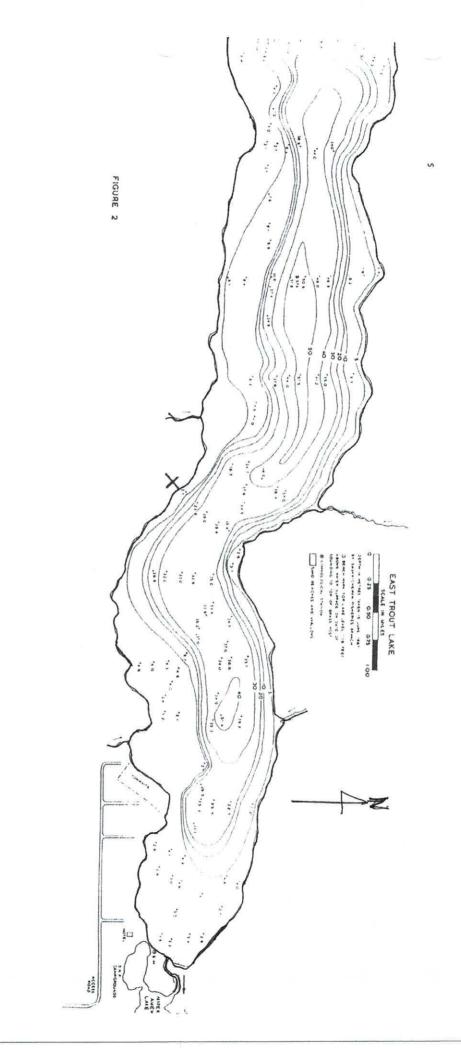
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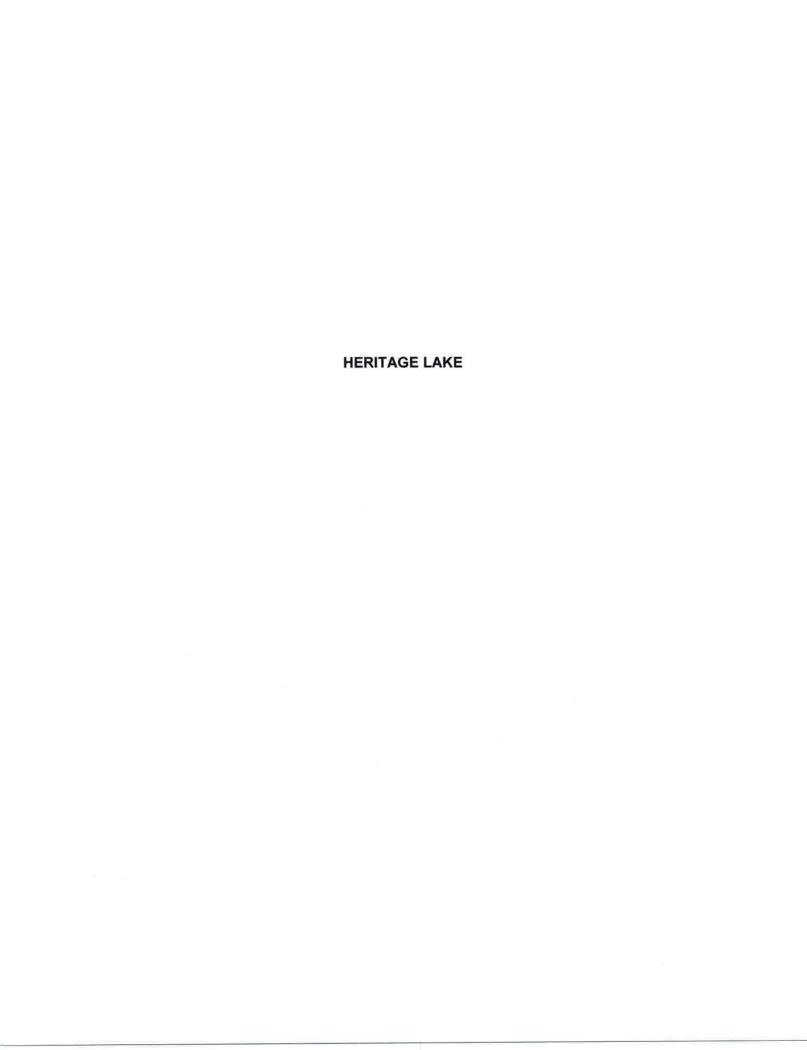
Features: There is marine life in the shallow weed bed and in the fall the trout spawn in the deeper water.

Air Fill Availability: The Diving Center in Saskatoon, Sk. or Ed's Scuba in Prince Albert, Sk.

Medical Facilities: The closest hospital and ambulance service is at Prince Albert.







HERITAGE LAKE:

Location: Approximately 103.5 km. (64.31 miles) north and east of Prince Albert.

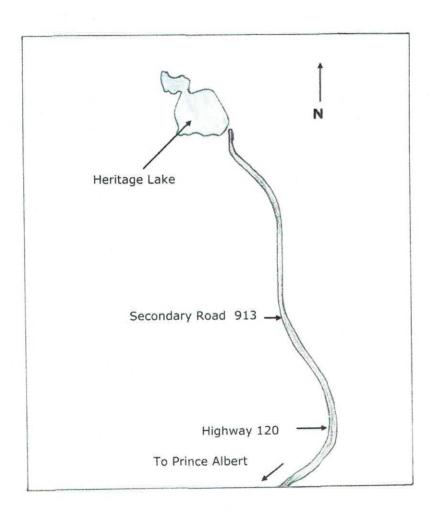
Latitude & Longitude: Latitude 53°55'24" N Longitude 105°08'07" W

Directions: From Prince Albert take Highway #55 east for 41.1 km. (25.54 miles) before turning left onto Highway #120 north (Candle Lake/Creighton) for 52.7 km. (32.75 miles). Turn left at Secondary Road #913 for 9.7 km. (6.03 miles). Turn left into the lake to the Trintersection

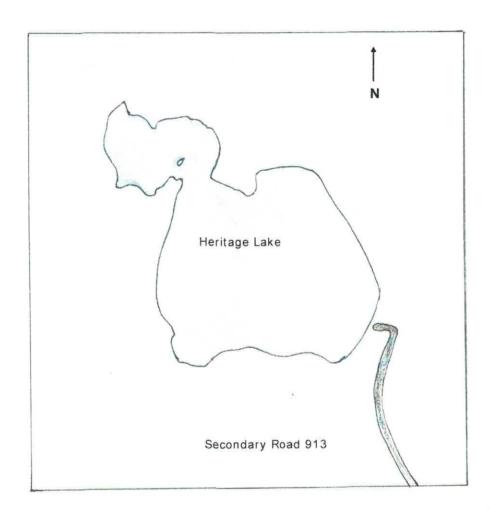
and turn left for the campsite.
Admission:
Season:
Facilities:
Special Notes:
Altitude: 557.17 m. (1828 ft.)
Access:
Depth: Sounded to 15.5 m. (51 ft)
Bottom Conditions:
Visibility:
Water Temperature:
Features:
Medical Facilities: The closest hospital and ambulance services are in Prince Albert. People transporting injured parties often meet the ambulance in Meath Park

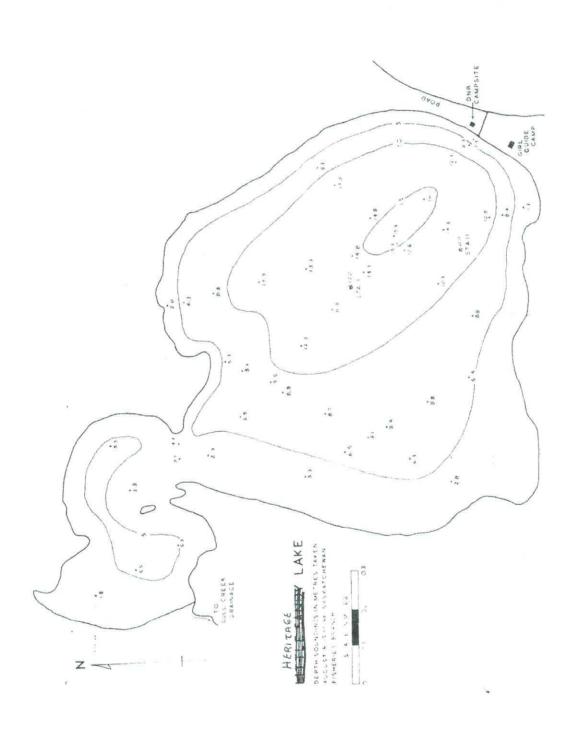
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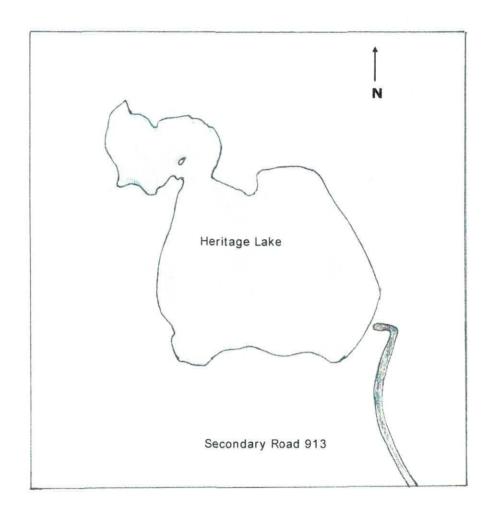


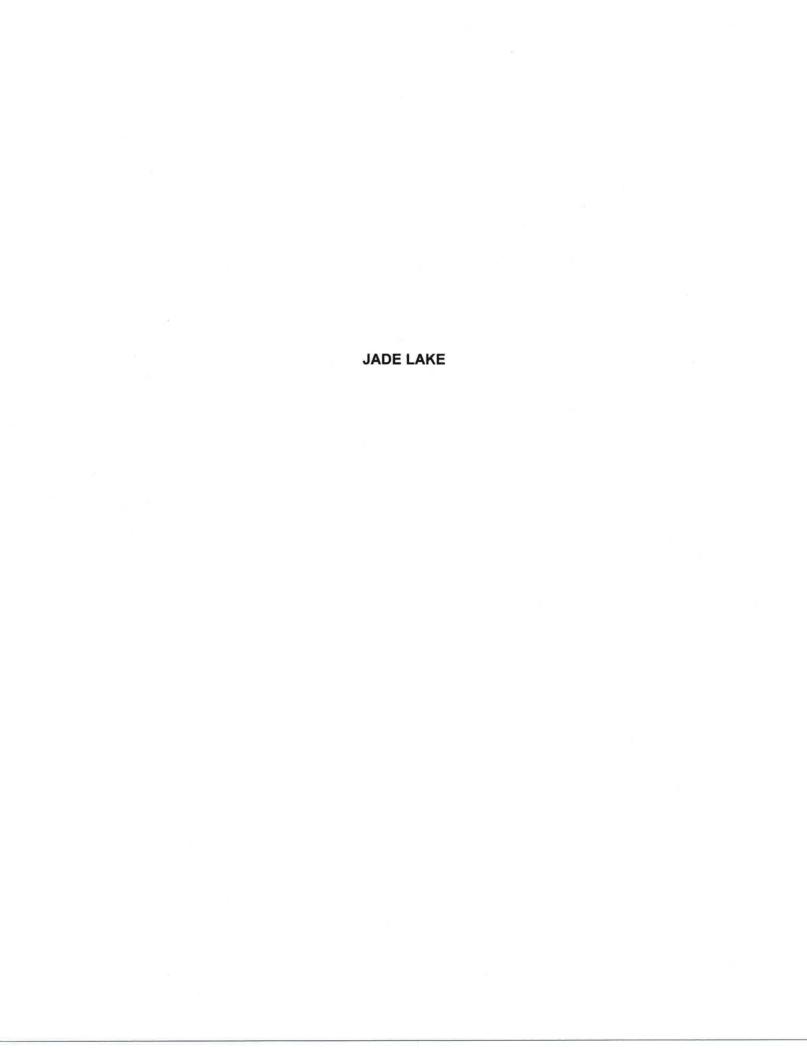
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HERITAGE LAKE DIVE SITES





JADE LAKE:

Location: Approximately 148 km. (91.9 miles) north and east of Prince Albert.

Latitude & Longitude: Latitude 54°11'36.36" N Longitude 104°48'41.76" W

Directions: From Prince Albert take Highway #55 east for 42.5 km. (26.5 miles) before turning left onto Highway #120 north (Candle Lake/Creighton) for 52.8 km. (32.75 miles). Turn left at Secondary Road #913 for 50.1 km. (31.1 miles). Turn left and follow the road for 2.2 km (1.4 miles).

Admission: FREE

Season:

Facilities:

Special Notes:

Altitude: 553m. (1814 ft.)

Access:

Depth: Sounded to 15.5 m. (78 ft)

Bottom Conditions:

Visibility:

Water Temperature:

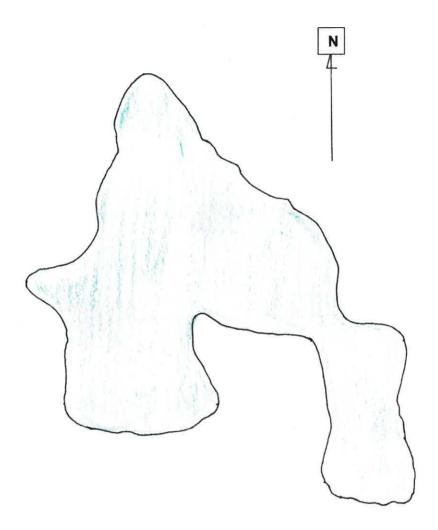
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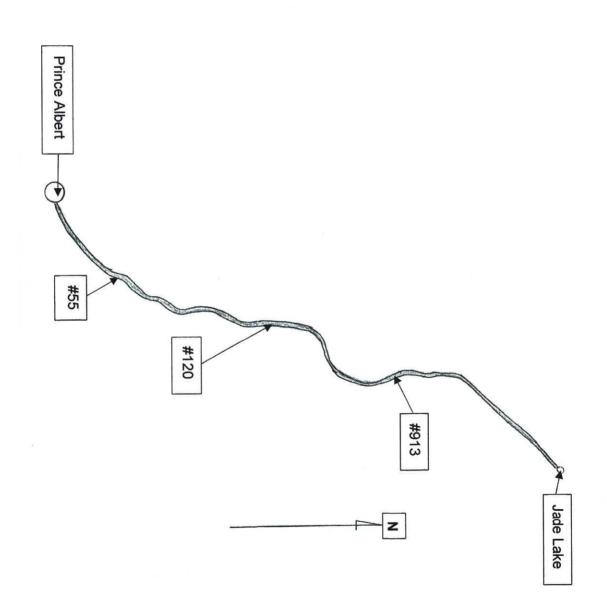
Air Fill Availability: Honeys Watersports in Candle Lake, Sk.

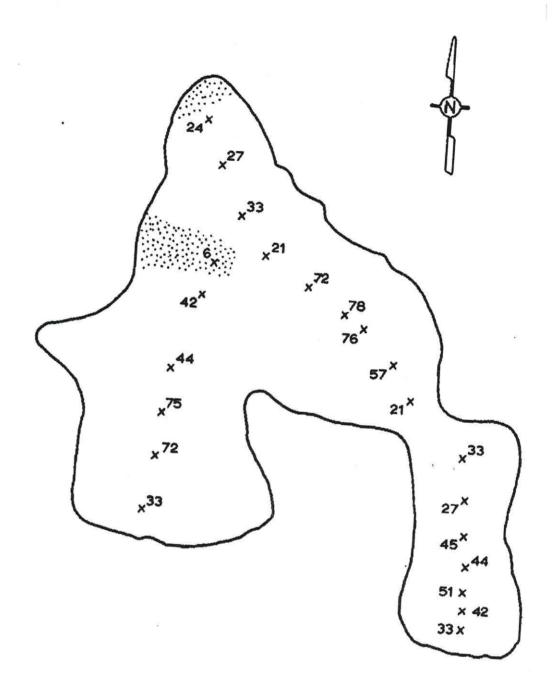
Medical Facilities: The closest hospital and ambulance services are in Prince Albert. People transporting injured parties often meet the ambulance in Meath Park.

Maps:

JADE LAKE

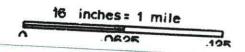




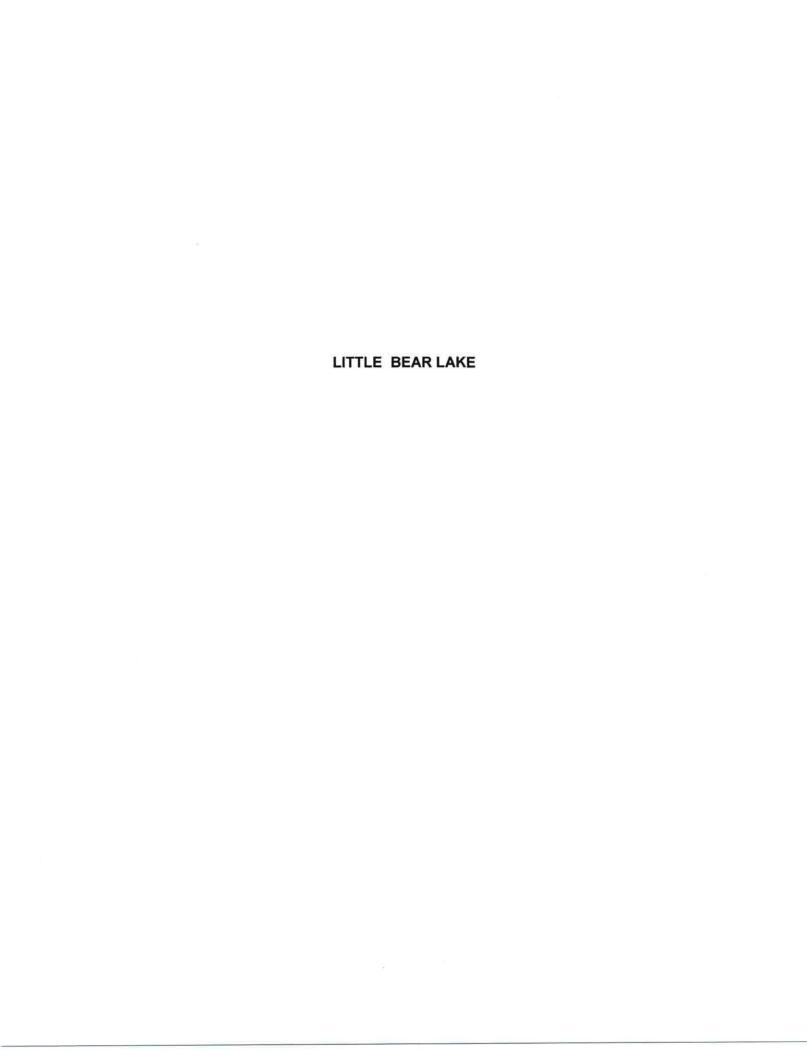


Jade Lake 17-60-19-W₂ Soundings in feet (hand line) Taken by Fish Management 24 Aug. 1966

No Sand beach







LITTLE BEAR LAKE:

Location: 100 km. (60 miles) north of Smeaton on Highway #106. The dive site is midway down the long narrow lake and across from Elk Point Lodge access road on the north shore.

Latitude & Longitude: 54°20'09.64" N 104°35'00.48 W

Directions: From Prince Albert proceed north on SK Highway #2 N/SK Highway #3 W for 500 m. (300 yards) before taking the ramp for SK Highway #55 (Nipawin) and continue on SK Highway #55 for 41.6 km. (miles). Turn left onto SK Secondary #120 and follow that road for 89.9 km (miles). Turn left onto SK Secondary #106 (Flin Flon/Creighton) for 37.9 km (miles). Turn left and follow the road to Little Bear Lake.

Admission:

Season:

Facilities: Boat launch, campsites and cabins, washrooms and change rooms at Elk Point

Special Notes:

Altitude: 621 m. (2037 ft.)

Access: Boat or shore dive

Depth: Maximum depth 44 m. (145 ft.)

Bottom Conditions: Hard shale-like clay

Visibility: 5 m. (15 ft.) to 8 m. (25 ft.)

Water Temperature:

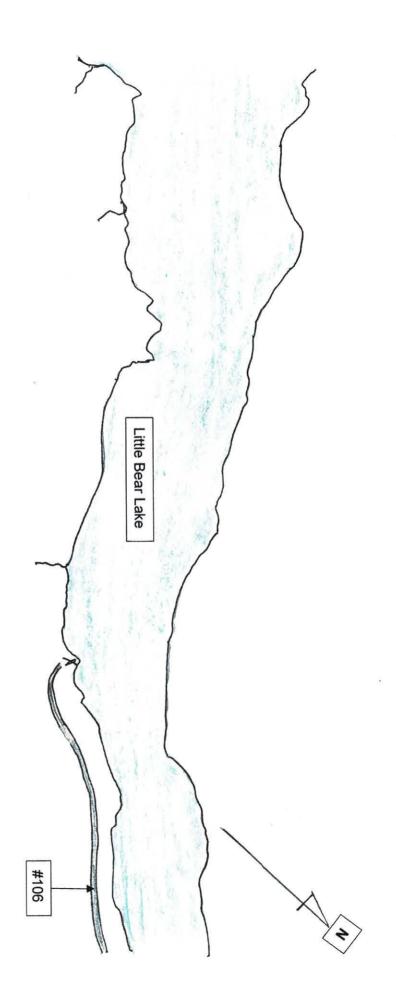
Features: Narrow deep hard bottom lake with drop-offs in the range of 30° to 45°

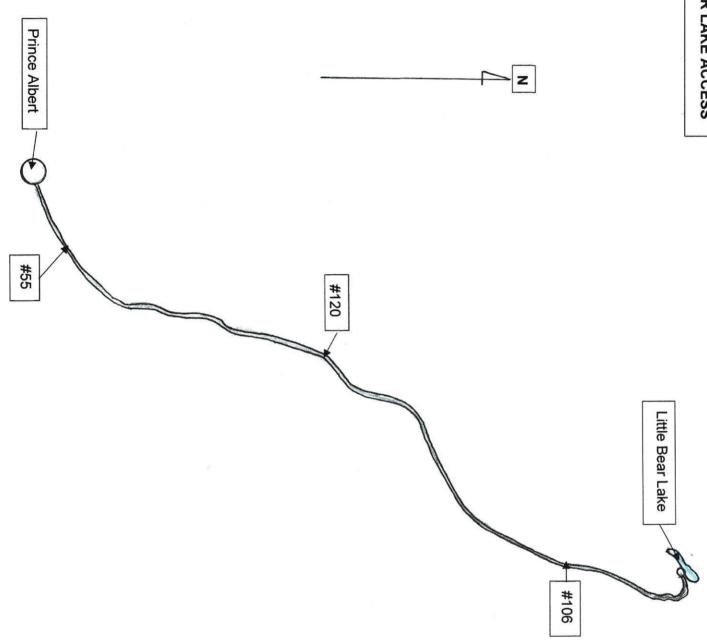
Air Fill Availability: Honeys Watersports in Candle Lake, Sk. or Ed's Scuba in Prince Albert,

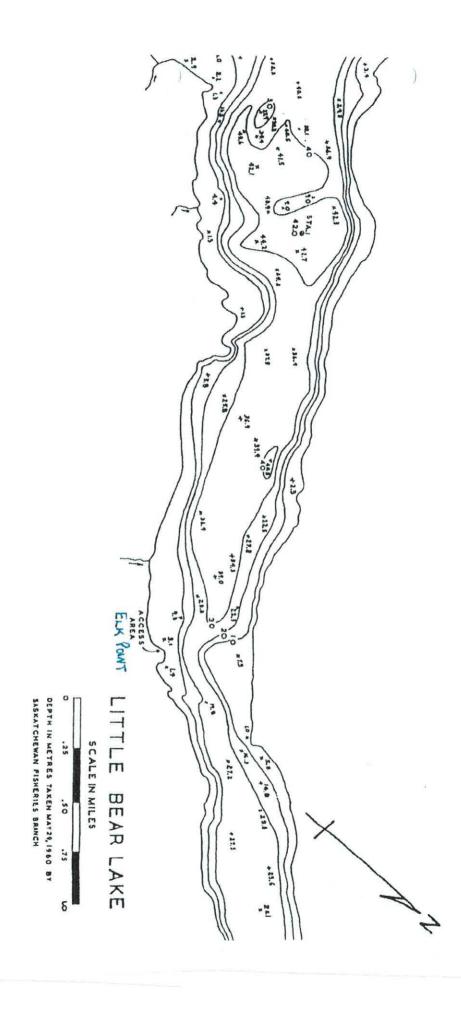
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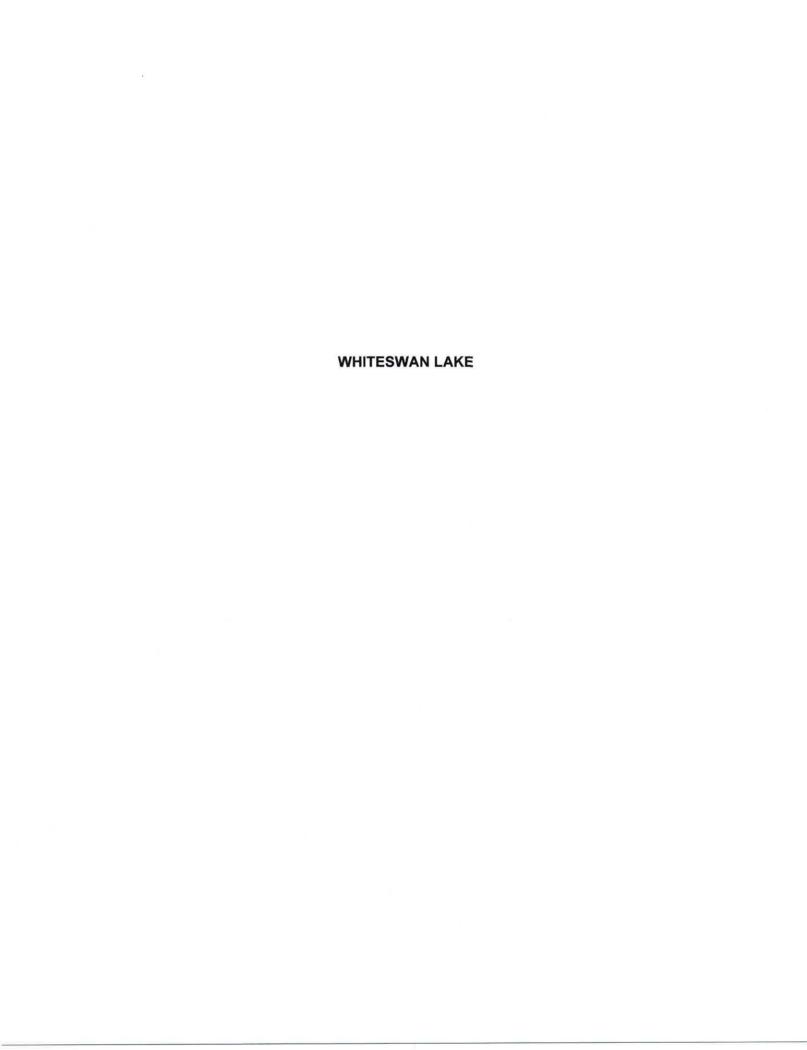
Medical Facilities: The closest hospital and ambulance service is at Prince Alert.

Maps:









WHITESWAN LAKE (WHELAN BAY):

Location: Approximately 126.6 km. (78.67 miles) north-north-east of Prince Albert

Latitude & Longitude: Townsite Latitude 54°01'08" N Longitude 105°06'17" W

Whelan Bay Latitude 54°01'68" N Longitude 104°09'67" W North Side Latitude 54°02'99" N Longitude 105°10'93" W

Directions: From Prince Albert, proceed east on Highway #55 for 41.1 km. (25.54 miles) before making a left turn onto Highway #120 (Candle Lake/Creighton). Proceed north for 52.7 km. (32.75 miles). Turn left onto Secondary Road #913 for 12.8 km (7.95 miles) before making another left turn at a sign indicating Whelan Bay and proceed for 17.2 km. (10.69 miles). Turn right proceed 2.8 km. (1.74 miles).

Admission:

Season:

Facilities: There is a lodge with a number of cabins for rent, a restaurant and gas station, boat launch, camping and confectionery.

Special Notes:

Altitude: Townsite -- 1969 ft. or 600.15 m.

Whelan Bay -- 1954 ft. or 595.58 m. North Side -- 1962 ft. or 598.02 m.

Access:

Depth: North end sounded to 6 m. (20 ft.) No sounds available for the south but the lake is at least 19.5 m. (64 ft). in depth.

Bottom Conditions:

Visibility:

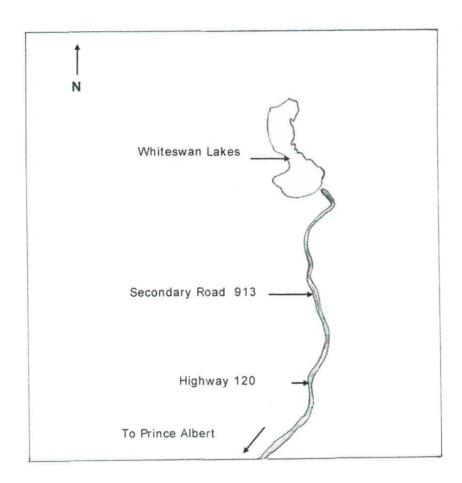
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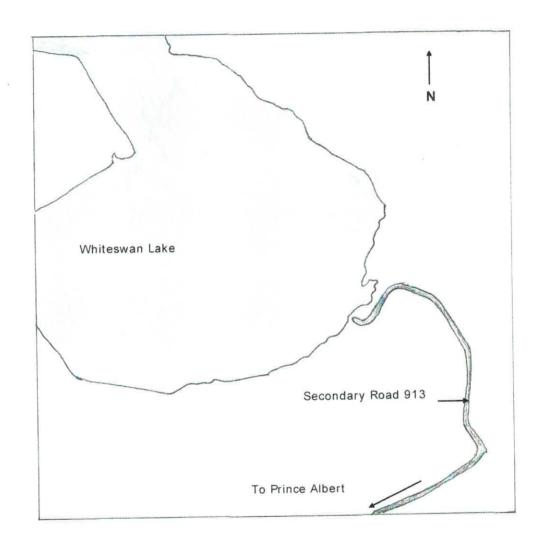
Medical Facilities: The closest hospital and ambulance service is in Prince Albert. People transporting injured parties usually meet the ambulance in Meath Park.

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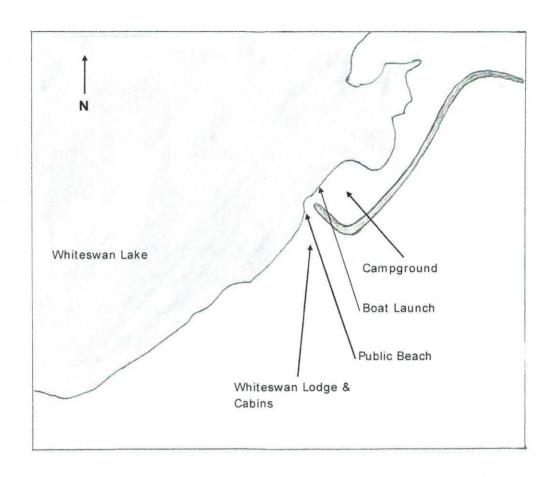
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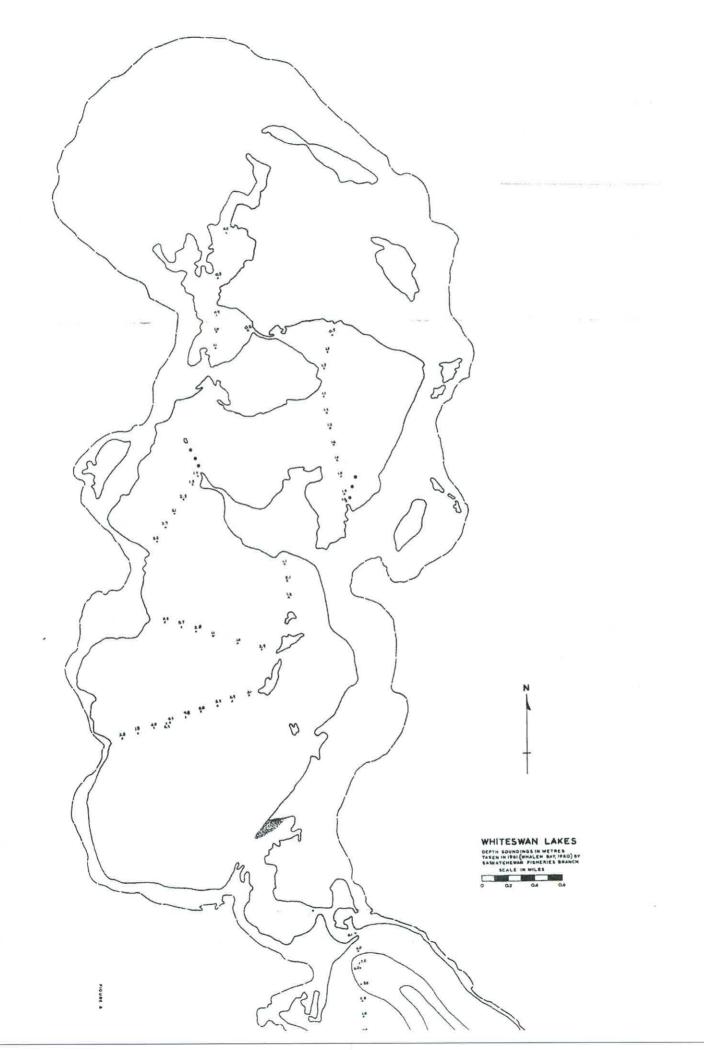


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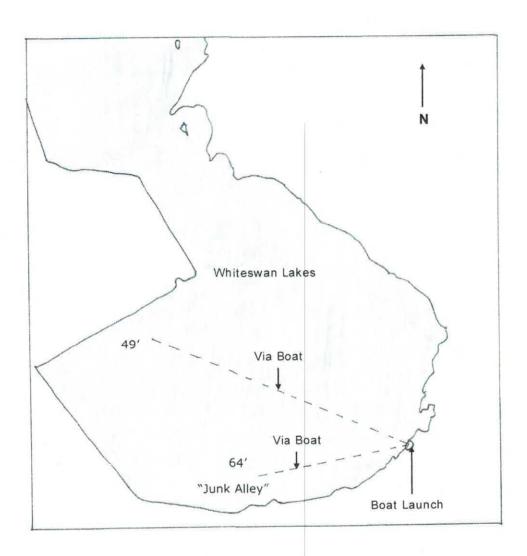


WHITESWAN LAKES ACCESS 3





WHITESWAN LAKES DIVE SITES



"Junk Alley" is home to several sunken items: diving bell, sail boat, motor boat, and small aircraft.