

(Dunblane)
(Lake Diefenbaker)

(Elevation)

(GPS Coordinates)

Latitude 51.2021° or 51° 12' 7.7" north Longitude -106.8802° or 106° 52' 48.9" west

Elevation 576 metres (1890 feet)

Dunblane is a ghost town in the Canadian province of Saskatchewan. The town was on the Canadian National Railway Conquest Subdivision.

General: Dunblane Saskatchewan is located near Gardiner Dam neat the west side of Lake Diefenbaker. This end of Lake Diefenbaker offers a slightly different view with large crater-like holes in the bottom. These holes are used as homes by many burbot. It is not unusual to find 15 fish in some of the larger pockets in about 60 feet of water.

Phones: Pay phone located at the parking lot by the tourist booth at the dam site, approximately 5 kms. A pay phone in Dunblane was not found on our trip to the site

Services and Amenities: Camping in Danielson Provincial Park. Full service marina located in Elbow at the Elbow Harbor approximately 40 kms from Dunblane. Fuel is available in Birsay, approximately 19 kms south of Dunblane on Highway 45. Boat launch just north of the beach. There are better facilities in Danielson Provincial Park just north of Dunblane. Washrooms and change-rooms located at the beach.

Air Fills:

Emergency:

DAN Emergency:

Nearest Recompression Chamber:

Directions to Dive Site: From Gardiner Dam follow highway 45 south until you see the Dunblane turn-off. This road will take you to the Coteau Creek subdivision which is a resort community. The Dive-site is from a beach in the Coteau Creek subdivision, diving into Lake Diefenbaker. Site is accessible by car or boat. A boat launch is located in the area.

Diver Experience Level:

Entry and Exit Points:

Underwater Information:

- **Depths** About 2 kms from shore the depth is approximately 55 meters. Average depth is 15 meters
- **Hazards** No significant hazards in this area.
- **Visibility** Spring 15 feet. Summer 10 feet. Fall and Winter 20-25 feet.
- **Water Temperature**
- **Bottom Contour**
- **Bottom Composition** Silty mud and sand.
- **Currents**
- **Vegetation**
- **Marine Life**

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- **Underwater Attractions**
- **Comments** If using a boat, this is a good dive for newer divers to gain experience in deeper diving. The levels of this lake can change as much as 20 feet in any given year due to the run off from the mountains.

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