

**MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF FISHERIES**

Angler ("creel") Survey Summary for Lake Calhoun, December 2004-October 2005

DOW ID Number: 27-0031	County: Hennepin	Lake Class: 24	Lake Area: 401 Acres	Survey Period: 12/20/04 - 10/15/05
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Fishing pressure (Angler-hours)	25,161	Number of angling trips	10,010
Angler Hours per Acre	63	% Use: Winter / Open-Water	12% / 88%
% Fish Catch: Winter/Open-Water	18% / 72%	% Harvest: Winter/Open-Water	1% / 99%

What People Fished for:	Percent of Angling Parties
No preference / "Anything"	29
(Hybrid) Muskie	17
Northern pike	14
(Largemouth) Bass	13
Walleye	12
Crappie	6

Species/Type Caught	Fish Harvested				Fish Released		
	Number	Pounds	Average		Number	Average	
			Length (in)	weight (lb)		Length (in)	weight (lb)
Sunfish	2,195	590	5.5	0.2	19,283	5.5	0.2
Black crappie	689	124	7.0	0.2	6,081	6.6	0.2
Northern pike	195	971	28.8	5.0	285	28.3	5.0
Largemouth bass	183	301	14.0	1.7	3,607	12.3	1.2
Walleye	29	135	22.7	4.5	336	7.3	0.2
Yellow perch	17	2	6.5	0.1	925	5.9	0.1
Hybrid Muskellunge	-0-	-0-	--	--	715	30.4	6.3
Carp	-0-	-0-	--	--	28	25.6	8.3
All species	3,309	2,123			31,269		

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Angler ("creel") Survey Summary for Lake Calhoun, winter 2004-05

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Fishing pressure (Angler-hours)	2,906	Weekdays surveyed	33
Angler Hours per Acre	7	Weekend/Holidays surveyed	24
Average Party Size (all anglers)	1.5	Number of interviews	115
Average Trip Length (hours)	3.2	Estimated number angler trips	922

What People Fished for:	Percent of Angling Parties
Walleye	39
No preference / "Anything"	29
Northern pike	17
Crappie	9
(Hybrid) Muskie	7
Bluegill / Sunfish	4

Type/Species Caught	Fish Harvested				Fish Released		
	Number	Pounds	Average		Number	Average	
			Length (in)	weight (lb)		Length (in)	weight (lb)
Walleye	29	135	22.7	4.5	241	9.6	0.3
Yellow perch	17	2	6.5	0.1	806	5.6	0.1
Black crappie	-0-	-0-	--	--	86	6.2	0.1
Northern pike	-0-	-0-	--	--	66	27.0	4.2
Hybrid Muskellunge	-0-	-0-	--	--	42	28.3	4.2
All species	46	137			1,241		

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Angler ("creel") Survey Summary for Lake Calhoun, open-water season 2005

DOW ID Number: 27-0031	County: Hennepin	Lake Class: 24	Lake Area: 401 Acres	Survey Period: 4/15 - 10/15/05
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Fishing pressure (Angler-hours / hr per acre)	22,255 / 56	Weekdays surveyed	29
Non-fishing boat pressure (hours/hr per acre)	10,560 / 26	Weekend/Holidays surveyed	23
Average Party Size (all anglers)	1.7	Number of interviews	190
Average Trip Length (hours)	2.4	Estimated number angler trips	9,088

What People Fished for:	Percent of Angling Parties
No preference / "Anything"	30
(Hybrid) Muskie	21
(Largemouth) Bass	17
Northern pike	14
Bluegill / Sunfish	6
Crappie	5
Walleye	5

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Largemouth bass	183	301	14.0	1.7	3,607	12.3	1.2
Hybrid muskellunge	-0-	-0-	--	--	672	32.4	8.4
Yellow perch	-0-	-0-	--	--	119	6.3	0.1
Walleye	-0-	-0-	--	--	95	5.0	0.03
Carp	-0-	-0-	--	--	28	25.6	8.3
All species	3,262	1,986			30,028		