

Park Advisories

The flight on Wednesday, May 8th revealed that the vast majority of our lakes are still ice covered. For safety reasons, all backcountry/interior canoe routes are closed until Tuesday, May 14th (subject to change). Eastern Pines and Highland Backpacking trails will open on Friday May 10th for overnight backpacking trips. Day use is permitted in all areas of the Park that are open and accessible. Conditions are being monitored daily and we will update this information accordingly.

Campsite reservation holders with arrival dates up to and including Tuesday, May 14th will be contacted and offered a full refund or the possibility to change their reservation with no penalty, depending on availability. If your reservation has an arrival date up to and including Tuesday, May 14th, please contact the Ontario Parks Reservations Call Centre at 1-888-668-7275 from 7:00 am to 9:00 pm Eastern Time to cancel or change your reservation.

Opening May 10th:

- Rock Lake, Tea Lake, Whitefish, Achray, Brent, and Kiosk Campgrounds
 - Achray and Kiosk Campgrounds will not have potable water.
 - Some sites at Rock Lake, Tea Lake and Whitefish Campgrounds will be closed due to localized flooding or poor condition.
- Eastern Pines and Highland Backpacking trails
 - Expect spring conditions of snow patches, flooded areas and possible windfalls.
- Rock Lake Road and Booth's Rock hiking trail

Opening dates to be determined:

- Arowhon Roads and Centennial Ridges Road are closed at Hwy 60 due to poor road conditions and snow covered sections.
- Western Uplands Backpacking trail is closed due to flooding.
- Whiskey Rapids hiking trail and Tea Lake Dam Picnic Area are closed due to flooding.
- Kingscote Lake Road is closed due to washouts.
- Basin Depot Road is closed at km 33.5, just before the hydro-line, due to a washout.
- Lake Travers Road remains closed past the Achray Campground Road due to washouts.