

**New York State  
Department of Environmental Conservation  
Region 5 Fisheries**



**Reclaimed Trout Ponds  
2011**

Reclaimed ponds can provide excellent angling for trout in a beautiful mountain setting. The following tips are useful:

- Trout fishing in ponds is best when water temperatures are cool. Mid-April to mid-June and mid-September to the close of trout season are productive times.
- The ponds listed here have public access, but private land is present on some. Please respect the landowners' rights.
- Due to introductions of fishes, including bait fish, trout fishing has declined in many earlier reclamations on this list. Introduced species compete with trout for food and prey on young trout. Therefore, **the use of fish as bait is illegal in most reclaimed ponds.** Consult the section: "Special Regulations by County" in the regulations guide for waters and areas where the use and possession of fish as bait is illegal.

**Essex County**

<u>Name of Water</u>	<u>Town</u>	<u>15° Quad.</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Year Last Reclaimed</u>	<u>Species Present*</u>
Barnes Pond	Minerva	Schroon Lake	9	2003	ST
Bass Lake	North Hudson	Paradox Lake	39	1994	ST, RT
Bear Pond	Ticonderoga	Paradox Lake	12	1979	ST
Big Cherrypatch Pond	North Elba	Lake Placid	13	1962	ST
Bloody Pond	Crown Point	Paradox Lake	5	1992	ST
Burge Pond	Schroon	Paradox Lake	8	1995	ST
Challis Pond	North Hudson	Paradox Lake	16	1992	ST
Chapel Pond	Keene	Elizabethtown	19	1975	ST
Coldspring Pond	North Elba	Lake Placid	5	1955	ST
Connery Pond	North Elba	Lake Placid	76	1955	BT, SPL
Courtney Pond	North Hudson	Elizabethtown	6	1982	ST
Crab Pond	Schroon	Paradox Lake	32	1995	ST
Giant Washbowl	Keene	Elizabethtown	2	2004	ST
Goose Pond	Schroon	Paradox Lake	64	1961	ST, RT, SPL
Grizzle Ocean	Ticonderoga	Paradox Lake	23	1953	ST
Gull Pond	Schroon	Paradox Lake	14	1994	ST
Hatch Pond	North Hudson	Paradox Lake	12	1952	ST
Horseshoe Pond	Schroon	Paradox Lake	4	1995	ST
Howard Pond	North Hudson	Elizabethtown	12	1992	ST
Huntley Pond	Minerva	Newcomb	38	1951	ST
Little Rock Pond	Ticonderoga	Paradox Lake	7	2001	ST
Long Pond	North Elba	Lake Placid	15	1955	ST

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Lost Pond	Ticonderoga	Paradox Lake	28	1954	ST, BT, RT
Moose Mountain Pond	North Hudson	Paradox Lake	38	1995	ST
Oliver Pond	Schroon	Schroon Lake	42	1968	BT
Owen Pond	North Elba	Lake Placid	19	1952	BT
Oxshoe Pond	Schroon	Paradox Lake	19	1996	ST
Rock Pond	Ticonderoga	Paradox Lake	56	2001	ST
Round Pond	Keene	Elizabethtown	17	2005	ST
Shingletree Pond	North Hudson	Elizabethtown	3	1979	ST
Springhill Pond	Ticonderoga	Paradox Lake	7	1959	ST, RT
Triangle Pond	North Hudson	Elizabethtown	5	1995	ST
Twin Pond	Keene	Elizabethtown	4	2005	ST
(Upper) Twin Pond	North Hudson	Elizabethtown	7	1997	ST
(Lower) Twin Pond	North Hudson	Elizabethtown	8	1997	ST

**Franklin County**

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Barnum Pond	Brighton	Saint Regis	94	1973	ST
Bear Pond	Harrietstown	Saint Regis	54	1958	ST
Bessie Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	17	1990	ST
Black Pond	Brighton	Saint Regis	72	1997	ST
Black Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	22	1952	ST, RT
Bone Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	11	1966	ST
Clamshell Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	35	1954	ST
Drain Pond	Bellmont	Loon Lake	8	1955	ST
East Pine Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	64	1980	ST
Echo Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	16	1998	ST
Embody Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	3	1958	ST
Fish Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	116	1954	ST, LT
Grass Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	20	1966	ST
Grass Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	22	1958	ST
Green Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	60	1956	BT, SPL
Green Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	20	1968	ST
Hope Pond	Franklin	Loon Lake	23	2000	ST
Horseshoe Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	85	1990	ST, RT
Lake Colby	Harrietstown	Saranac Lake	285	1967	BT, LLS, RT
Ledge Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	42	2009	ST
Little Ampersand Pond	Harrietstown	Saranac Lake	13	1954	ST
Little Fish Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	26	1954	ST, LT
Little Hope Pond	Franklin	Loon Lake	7	2000	ST
Little Long Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	82	1961	ST, RT, SPL
Little Polliwog Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	16	1990	ST

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Long Pond	Brighton	Saint Regis	14	1997	ST
Lost Pond	Brighton	Saint Regis	6	1969	ST
Lydia Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	19	1990	ST
Meadow Pond	Harrietstown	Saint Regis	15	1995	ST
Monday Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	6	1954	ST
Mountain Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	12	1991	ST
Mountain Pond	Brighton	Saint Regis	56	1997	ST
Mud Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	10	1954	ST
Nellie Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	13	1990	ST
North Otter Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	2	1952	ST
Ochre Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	23	1954	ST
Owl Pond	Harrietstown	Saranac Lake	15	1967	ST
Palmer Pond	Harrietstown	Long Lake	16	2000	ST
Panther Pond	Harrietstown	Long Lake	12	1999	ST
Pitchfork Pond	Tupper Lake	Saint Regis	35	1954	BT
Polliwog Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	209	1973	ST, KOK
Rat Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	28	1966	BT
Rock Pond	Harrietstown	Long Lake	27	1951	ST
Saint Germain Pond	Harrietstown	Saint Regis	11	1955	ST
Saint Regis Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	390	1953	ST, LT, SPL
Slush Pond	Brighton	Saint Regis	17	1974	ST
South Otter Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	8	1952	ST
Sunday Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	10	1964	ST
Track Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	5	1990	ST
Tuesday Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	5	1953	ST
12 <sup>th</sup> Tee Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	5	1956	ST
West Pine Pond	Tupper Lake	Saint Regis	63	1975	ST, KOK, LT
Whey Pond	Santa Clara	Saint Regis	107	1989	ST, RT

**Fulton County**

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Indian Lake	Caroga	Gloversville	12	1969	ST
Otter Lake	Caroga	Gloversville	45	1959	ST
Third Lake	Stratford	Lassellsville	55	1957	ST

**Hamilton County**

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Ackerman Pond	Wells	Indian Lake	4	1967	BT
Beaver Lake	Morehouse	W. Canada Lake	135	1966	BT
Bennett Lake	Hope	Harrisburg	37	1954	ST

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Bug Lake	Inlet	Raquette Lake	79	1974	ST, KOK, LT
Bullhead Pond	Indian Lake	Newcomb	20	1991	ST, RT
Christian Lake	Arietta	Piseco Lake	13	1967	ST
Clear Pond	Indian Lake	13 <sup>th</sup> Lake	18	2007	ST
Crotched Pond	Indian Lake	Indian Lake	63	1958	ST
Eagles Nest Lake	Inlet	Raquette Lake	12	1974	ST
Icehouse Pond	Inlet	W. Canada Lake	7	1999	ST
Jockeybush Lake	Arietta	Piseco Lake	42	1951	ST
John Mack Pond	Indian Lake	Indian Lake	26	1968	ST
John Pond	Indian Lake	13 <sup>th</sup> Lake	20	1968	ST
Limekiln Lake	Inlet, Ohio	Old Forge	461	1961	BT, SPL
Long Pond	Wells, Indian Lake	Indian Lake	35	1967	ST
Lost Ponds	Inlet	W. Canada Lake	16	1965	ST
Lower Sargents Pond	Arietta	Raquette Lake	129	1971	ST
Middle Lake	Hope	Harrisburg	31	1954	BT
Mitchell Ponds	Inlet	W. Canada Lake	38	1966	BT, KOK, SPL
Murphy Lake	Hope	Harrisburg	31	1954	ST
Owl Pond	Wells	Indian Lake	64	1967	ST
Owls Head Pond	Long Lake	Raquette Lake	15	1998	ST
Park Lake	Long Lake	Blue Mountain	33	1974	ST
Ross Pond	Indian Lake	Newcomb	22	1968	ST
Slim Pond	Arietta	Raquette Lake	8	1969	ST
South Pond	Wells	13 <sup>th</sup> Lake	8	1967	ST
Sprague Pond	Indian Lake	Blue Mountain	59	1971	BT

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Crab Pond	Horicon	Paradox Lake	11	1994	ST
Crane Mountain Pond	Johnsburg	North Creek	14	1998	ST
Gay Pond	Warrensburg	Lake Luzerne	5	1983	ST
Hour Pond	Johnsburg	13 <sup>th</sup> Lake	34	1970	ST
Jabe Pond	Hague	Bolton Landing	150	1976	ST
Kibby Pond	Johnsburg	13 <sup>th</sup> Lake	41	1987	ST
Little Jabe Pond	Hague	Bolton Landing	8	1976	ST
Little Joe Pond	Thurman	13 <sup>th</sup> Lake	7	1996	ST
Lixard Pond	Thurman	13 <sup>th</sup> Lake	25	1973	ST
Long Pond	Horicon	Bolton Landing	32	1969	ST
Palmer Pond	Chester	North Creek	29	1989	ST, RT
Peaked Mountain Pond	Johnsburg	13 <sup>th</sup> Lake	20	1970	ST
Puffer Pond	Johnsburg	13 <sup>th</sup> Lake	41	1998	ST
13 <sup>th</sup> Lake	Johnsburg	13 <sup>th</sup> Lake	327	1972	ST, BT, LLS, RT
Viele Pond	Warrensburg	Lake Luzerne	26	1984	ST

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Bumps Pond	Dresden	Bolton Landing	6	1994	ST
Dead Lake	Jackson	Cambridge	10	1973	ST, RT
Fishbrook Pond	Dresden	Bolton Landing	34	1995	ST, RT

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