Highland Lake Fishing Regulations and Guidelines

Game Fish

Largemouth Bass Limit 3 per day. Minimum length limit, 12 inches. "Catch and Release Only" from May 15th thru June 25th.

Smallmouth Bass Catch and release only.

Walleye Minimum length limit 16 inches. Limit 2 per day. Northern Pike Minimum length limit 30 inches. Limit 1 per day.

Tiger Muskie Catch and release only. Muskellunge Catch and release only.

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Rough/Nuisance Fish

White Bass/Yellow Bass (AKA Stripped Bass) and Carp All are keepers. When caught they should be removed from the lake.

Fishing License Information

All anglers 16 and over must have a valid Illinois Fishing License.

Practice Catch & Release

Please use barbless, non-stainless steel hooks whenever possible.

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