GARLAND POND

Garland Twp., Penobscot County U.S.G.S. Garland, Maine

Fishes

White perch Yellow perch Chain pickerel Minnows

Creek chub

White sucker
Hornpout (bullhead)
Pumpkinseed sunfish
Redbreast sunfish
American eel

Physical Characteristics

Area - 102 acres

Temperatures
Surface - 73° F.
7 feet - 61° F.

Maximum depth - 14 feet

Principal Fishery: White perch; Chain pickerel

Garland Pond was created many years age when a mill dam was built on the Kenduskeag Stream. Access can be gained at this dam located on the east end of the pond.

A local sportsmen club requested that the pond be chemically reclaimed back in the early 1960's after which brook trout could be stocked. After surveying Garland Pond it was determined that reclamation was not practical. The extensive marshy area and large tributary system would prohibit a complete kill of undesirable species. The survey also revealed that the pond is choked with aquatic plants and the bottom is almost completely covered with a thick layer of muck caused by decaying vegetation. This decaying matter reduces the amount of dissolved oxygen thereby eliminating the possibility for brook trout management.

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