



LEVENSELLER POND

Lincolnville and Searsmont Twp., Waldo County U.S.G.S. Searsmont, Maine

Fishes

Largemouth bass White perch Chain pickerel

Pumpkinseed sunfish American eel

Physical Characteristics

Area - 34 acres Temperatures: Surface - 75°F 10 feet - 75°F

Maximum depth - 10 feet

Principal fisheries: Largemouth bass, white perch

Lenvenseller Pond is a small shallow body of water located immediately adjacent to State Route 173 and is a very popular swimming hole. Historically, the pond contained a large population of slow growing white perch that was under-utilized by anglers.

To provide more fishing opportunity to local anglers the Department of Fisheries and Wildlife stocked 203 adult largemouth bass in 1997 and 1998. To provide a forage base for these bass both pumpkinseed sunfish and crayfish were also introduced During the summer of 1998 Department personnel observed largemouth bass fry a result of natural reproduction in the pond. With proper regulations, Levenseller Pond should maintain a good bass fishery.

Levenseller Pond currently has a prohibition on the use of motorboats.

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