
2017 FEE SCHEDULE

DAY PASSES

Trout Fishing	\$ 10.00
Vehicles (Weekends)	\$ 9.00
Vehicles (Monday-Thursday)	\$ 7.00
SPW Forest Trail Hiking (per person)	\$ 3.00

FACILITIES

Pavilions	\$ 70.00
Portable Pavilions (Large)	\$ 110.00
Portable Pavilions (Small)	\$ 45.00
Schoolhouse (in-season)	\$ 90.00
Schoolhouse (off-season day use)	\$ 125.00
Schoolhouse (off-season overnight)	\$ 180.00
Stage	\$ 275.00

FIREWOOD

Bundle	\$ 8.50
Cord	\$ 65.00

CANOE & PEDAL BOAT RENTAL

Hourly	\$ 12.00
Half Day (up to 4 hours)	\$ 35.00
Full Day (after 4 hours)	\$ 65.00

SPECIAL EVENTS CALENDAR

June 9-11	Van Fest
July 8	Kids, Cops & Canadian Tire Fishing Derby
August 18-20	Eaglesmith Charity Music Festival
August 27	Home Building Centre Horseshoe Tourney
September 2	Fireworks
December 2	Christmas Spirit Walk

SPRINGWATER FOREST

The Springwater Forest is a national rarity, a 150 hectare Carolinian Forest containing more endangered species than any other zone in Canada. The forest contains a diverse variety of interdependent animals and plants.

The Catfish Creek Conservation Authority asks for a modest \$3.00/person to use the trail system in the Springwater Forest.

Provincial cuts have eliminated all funding to maintain and manage the forest as a safe and enjoyable environment for the public to use.

All funds collected will be invested directly back into the forest to help offset expenses associated with following costs: Routine Trail Maintenance, Hazardous Tree Removal, Insurance, Capital Improvements and Investments, Signage, and Garbage Collection.

Catfish Creek Conservation Authority is a registered charitable organization that can issue official tax receipts for minimum donations of \$20.00.

Thank you for your understanding and continued support towards the preservation of the Springwater Forest!

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT

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INFORMATION

FOR DAY USE VISITORS

2017

WELCOME TO SPRINGWATER CONSERVATION AREA

We hope you have an enjoyable day of swimming, fishing, hiking, or just relaxing and enjoying nature at its best.

Should you have any suggestions, questions, problems, or difficulties during your visit with us, please do not hesitate to speak to the staff.

OPEN SEASON DATES

Friday, May 19 to Monday, October 9, 2017

DAY USE GATEHOUSE HOURS

May to September:

Friday Evenings **3:00 pm - 9:00 pm**
Saturdays & Sundays **9:00 am - 5:00 pm**

** plus certain days preceding Special Event weekends*

Weekdays the Day Use Gatehouse is not in operation, please use the Yellow Fee Box at \$7.00 per vehicle.

**** Please note:***

in bad weather the Day Use Gatehouse may not be open.

MAIN GATEHOUSE / STORE HOURS

May, June, September & October:

Fridays **9:00 am - 9:00 pm**
Saturday, Sunday & Holiday Mondays **9:00 am - 5:00 pm**

July & August:

Sunday to Saturday **9:00am - 9:00pm**

Supplying: firewood, novelty ice cream, snack foods, drinks, ice, dry goods, canoe & pedal boat rentals, fishing rod / tackle rentals.

**** Please note:***

in bad weather the Gatehouse/Store may close early

RULES AND REGULATIONS

The following is a list of Rules and Regulations specific to the Day Use Area and can be found in the full Rules and Regulations document which can be obtained at the Main Gatehouse / Store

These rules, regulations, and standards were developed to maintain a level of safety and consistency at the Springwater Conservation Area campground and are based on CCCA's Ontario Regulation 201/88. All Conservation Area users are responsible for knowing all the rules and regulations. Violation(s) may result in eviction without refund, a permanent ban and/or fine, and the possibility of court action. CCCA enforces a Zero Tolerance Policy. At the discretion of CCCA, permits may be revoked at any time without refund. Conservation Area staff are responsible for interpretation and enforcement of these rules, regulations, and standards. This is not an exhaustive list.

1. Maximum speed limit within the property is 15 km/hr.
2. Day Use permits must be displayed on the dashboard of your vehicle.
6. Alcoholic beverages are permitted on campsites only. Note: there is a **total alcohol ban during the Victoria Day weekend.**
8. Visitors are permitted from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. No visitors will be allowed in after 9:00 p.m. Registered campsite permit holders are responsible for the actions and safety of all individuals on their site.
9. No abusive or insulting language, nor threatening behaviour by campers or their pets will be tolerated.
10. Pets must be kept on a 2-metre leash and controlled at all times, plus you must "Stoop and Scoop". Pets are not allowed in the swimming area and/or in any building.
11. Help us keep the campground clean. Please dispose of garbage and litter in bags provided and place in garbage bin in service area.
14. No dirt bikes, ATVs, mini-bikes, or scooters allowed.
15. No riding bicycles after dark unless equipped with a light.
16. No motorized boats or floatables are allowed on Springwater Pond.
17. The beach area closes at 8:30 p.m. In addition to all regulations noted above, Conservation Areas Regulations, Section 29, Regulation 100 under the Conservation Authorities Act also apply. All visitor parking areas are for vehicles only. Miniature electric vehicles are not allowed on the roads without the supervision of an adult.

EVICTON POLICY

The Authority may warn or evict any camper or visitor failing to comply with the rules of this campground.

**** NO REFUNDS WILL BE ISSUED ****

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Firewood** Visitors are prohibited from transporting firewood into the Conservation Area. Firewood is available for purchase at the Gatehouse / Store.
- Garbage** A depot is located west of the King Fisher camping area. Garbage bags are provided to campers upon arrival. Please deposit all refuse in the provided bins at the depot, there is no collection directly from the campsites.
- Recycling** A depot is located west of the King Fisher camping area. Recycling bags are provided to campers upon arrival. Glass, plastic containers (1&2), pop cans and newspaper are acceptable recycling materials. There is a spent propane cylinder-recycling depot.

BEACH and PICNIC AREA RULES AND REGULATIONS

- No floatables allowed in the water.
- No swimming across the pond or diving from fishing platforms. Any person caught doing so will be subject to eviction from the park, or a \$50.00 fine.
- Alcohol is not permitted on the beach.
- Dogs are not allowed on the beach or in the swimming areas. Dogs must be on a leash, and it is the owner's responsibility to clean up after the animal.