

# Fishing Waters

## in Iron County, MI



	ACREAGE	Bass, Largemouth	Bass, Rock	Bass, Smallmouth	Bluegill	Crappie	Muskie	Northern Pike	Perch	Sunfish	Trout, Brook	Trout, Brown	Trout, Lake	Trout, Rainbow	Walleye	Whitefish	Peak Fishing Tips
Bass Lake	96	X		X				X	X								<b>Bluegill and Crappie--</b> Mid-Late June or First Ice (Early December) Crappies earlier, then bluegills follow. Key lakes: Iron, Ice, Chicaugon, Buck
Bela Lake	70	X		X													
Bone Lake	165	X		X	X		X	X	X					X			
Brule Lake	250	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X			
<b>Brule River</b>			<b>X</b>			<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>			<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>			<b>X</b>			
Buck Lake	162	X	X	X	X		X	X	X								
Bush Creek										X							
Cable Lake	333	X	X	X	X	X		X	X					X			
Camp Lake	101	X	X	X	X	X		X	X				X	X			
Caspian Pit	18	X	X					X	X	X			X				
Chamberlain Lake	37	X		X			X	X									
Chicaugon Lake	1100	X	X	X		X	X	X	X		X		X	X			<b>Perch--</b> February-Last Ice (the later in the ice fishing season the better) Perch can be caught all summer but the most productive fishing is through the ice. Key lakes: Iron, Chicaugon, Ottawa
Violet Lake	34	X		X			X	X	X								
<b>Cooks Run</b>										<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>						
Dawson Lake	14	X		X	X		X	X	X								
Deadman's Lake	8									X							
Deer Lake	78	X	X	X			X	X	X					X			
Deer River										X							
Ebony Lake	19						X	X									
Erickson Lake	36		X	X		X	X	X	X					X			
<b>Fence River</b>			<b>X</b>				<b>X</b>			<b>X</b>				<b>X</b>			
Fire Lake	128	X	X	X	X		X	X	X								<b>Northern Pike--</b> Early-Mid June (Early summer on the edge of weed beds after they spawn); Key Lakes: Bass, Buck, Bone, Iron, Perch
Forest Lake	23									X							
Fortune Lakes (1-4)	199	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X				X			
Fortune Pond	25									X	X						
Gibson Lake	79	X		X	X		X	X	X								
Glidden Lake	64	X		X				X	X					X			
Golden Creek										X							
Golden Lake	285		X	X				X	X	X		X					
Hagerman Lake	584	X	X	X	X		X	X	X					X			
Harding Lake	46				X			X									
Hannah Webb	64			X					X	X		X					<b>Walleye--</b> May-Early June and again at First Ice (Early December); Key Lakes: Ottawa, Hagerman, Chicaugon, Iron, Brule Lake, Perch, Swan
Hemlock River										X							
Holmes Lake	28	X		X			X	X									
Ice Lake	85			X	X		X	X	X								
Indian Lake	196	X	X	X	X		X	X	X					X			
Iron Lake	396	X		X	X	X	X		X					X			
<b>Iron River</b>										<b>X</b>							
James Lake	212	X		X				X						X			
Killdeer Lake	8									X							
Lake Ellen	144	X	X	X	X												

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 Trout, Lake  
 Walleye  
 Whitefish

Peak Fishing Tips

Lake Emily	320	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X							X	
Lake Mary	255	X		X	X			X	X	X								X
Little Smokey Lake	78		X	X		X		X	X	X								
Long Lake	85			X	X			X	X	X								X
Madelyn Lake	6										X							
Marten Lake	176							X	X	X								
McGovern's Creek											X							
McCrae Creek											X							
Michigamme Reservoir	7000	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X				X	
Michigamme River			X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X				X	
Mitchigan River											X							
Mitchell Lake	42	X			X			X	X	X								X
Morrison Creek											X							
Norway Lake	53	X			X	X			X	X								X
Ottawa Lake	551		X	X					X	X	X		X					X
Paint Lake	332	X				X	X	X	X	X								X
Paint Pond			X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X								X
<b>Paint River</b>				<b>X</b>							<b>X</b>	<b>X</b>						
Peavy Pond			X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			X					X
Pendleton Creek											X							
Perch Lake	994	X	X		X	X		X	X	X								X
Porter Lake	270	X	X	X	X	X		X	X									X
Railroad Lake	81	X	X		X	X		X	X	X								
Robinson Lake	76	X			X				X	X								
Rock Lake									X									
Runkle Lake	76	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X								X
Shank Lake	232							X	X									
Silk Lake	19								X									
Silver Creek											X							
Silver Lake		X			X													
Skyline Lake	12										X							
Smokey Lake	590		X	X			X		X				X					
Smith Creek											X							
Snipe Lake	63	X							X	X								X
Stager Lake	112	X			X			X	X	X								X
Stanley Creek											X							
Stanley Lake	310		X	X			X		X									X
Ste. Kathryn	151	X	X		X	X		X	X	X								X
Sunset Lake	545	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X								X
Swan Lake	165	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X								X
Tamarack Lake	335	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X								X
Tepee Lake	115	X	X	X	X			X	X	X								X
Thirty-Three Creek											X							
Timber Lake	59										X							
Wilson Creek											X							
Winslow Lake	255	X		X	X	X		X	X	X								X

**Smallmouth and Largemouth Bass--** Early-Mid July-September; Once the heat of the summer sets in, Iron County smallmouth fishing rivals any other smallmouth fishing in North America!; Key Lakes: Ottawa, Big Smokey, Little Smokey, Sunset, Chicaugon

**Musky--** Aug-Early November (Musky feeding increases later in the season); Key Lakes: Emily, Brule, Chicagoan, Main Branch of Paint River, Paint Pond, Stanley

**Lake Trout--** As soon as ice is off the lakes Late March-May; Key Lakes: Golden, Ottawa, Chicaugon

**Brook Trout--** May-June / Late August-September

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