

## Saratoga Lake

(AWISP 7 days/week; OPRHP 2 days/week; This report includes AWISP data only)

**AIS intercepted:** 122

**Boats inspected:** 2,312

**Dates of Operation:** June 26 – October 9

**Number of visitors:** 5,183

**Boats failing inspection:** 4.8%

**Total Number of Days Covered:** 68

**Weekly Coverage:** 7 days (OPRHP steward data excluded)

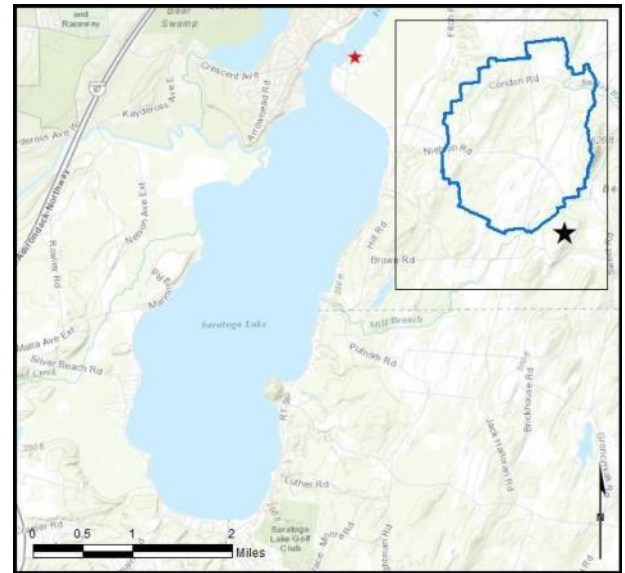
**Visitors taking spread prevention measures:** 60%

**Number of previously visited waterways:** 40

**AIS Present in Waterbody:** Eurasian watermilfoil,  
water chestnut, curly-leaf pondweed, zebra mussel

**Stewardship History:** 2010 - present

**Partnership:** Saratoga Lake Protection and Improvement District, Saratoga Lake Association; New York State Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation



Watercraft	Boat Type									total # boats observed	total # boats inspected
	Barge	Canoe	Dock	Kayak	Motor	PWC	Row	Sail	SUP		
# of boats observed	0	0	0	0	2264	47	0	4	0	2315	2312
percentage of total boats	0%	0%	0%	0%	98%	2%	0%	0%	0%	100%	99.9%

Boats observed at launch, including those not inspected. PWC=personal watercraft, SUP=stand-up paddleboard.

total # visitors	organisms found		total organisms	# boats dirty	# of inspections	% of inspected boats dirty
	entering	leaving				
5183	14	119	133	110	2312	4.8%

Boats dirty = watercraft with any organic material, invasive, non-invasive or unknown.

Visitor Actions	AIS spread prevention measures taken									# groups asked
	yes	I	WB	DB	BB	LW	Dis	Dry	didn't ask	
# of groups	1191	146	186	116	11	11	11	900	332	1983
percentage of total groups asked	60%	7%	9%	6%	1%	1%	1%	45%	NA	

Yes = took one or more AIS spread prevention measures; I = inspected boat; WB = washed boat; DB = drained bilge; BB = emptied bait bucket; LW = drained livewell; Dis = disposed of unused bait; Dry = dried boat.

Organisms Removed	Organism Type																total orgs	total AIS	% of inspected boats with AIS		
	BW	CLP*	ELO	GRS	EWM*	NM	UM	VLM*	MUD	NON	OTR	PND	SWF*	WC*	WL	ZM*				QM*	BN*
# of organisms	0	25	0	5	70	0	0	0	1	1	0	4	0	2	0	25	0	0	133	122	4.6%
percentage of total orgs	0%	19%	0%	4%	53%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	3%	0%	2%	0%	19%	0%	0%			

BW = bladderwort; CLP = curly-leaf pondweed; ELO = elodea; GRS = grass; EWM = Eurasian watermilfoil; NM = native milfoil; UM = unknown milfoil; VLM = variable-leaf milfoil; MUD = mud; NON = non-aquatic debris; OTR = other; PND = native pondweed; SWF = spiny waterflea; WC = water chestnut; WL = water lily; ZM = zebra mussel; QM = quagga mussel; BN = brittle naiad; \*/AIS = aquatic invasive species.

Aquatic Invasive Species Intercepted by Stewards	# found on boats launching	Previous Waterway	# found on boats retrieving	Previous Waterway
curly-leaf pondweed	2	Saratoga Lake (2)	23	Saratoga Lake
Eurasian watermilfoil	7	Saratoga Lake (6), Hudson River (1)	63	Saratoga Lake
water chestnut	2	Mohawk River (1), Saratoga Lake (1)	0	N/A
zebra mussel	2	Saratoga Lake (2)	23	Saratoga Lake
<b>Totals</b>	<b>13</b>		<b>109</b>	

Previous Waterways for Launching Boats	# visits
Saratoga Lake	1056
NONE	176
Lake George	52
Great Sacandaga Lake	50
UNKNOWN (boater doesn't know)	24
Hudson River	22
Mohawk River	15
Schroon Lake	12
Round Lake, Saratoga, NY	8
Ballston Lake	7
Lake Champlain	6
DID NOT ASK	4
Indian Lake	4
Cayuga Lake	3
Cazenovia Lake	3
Lake Lonely, Saratoga Springs, NY	3
Canada Lake	2
Grant Lake, Benson, NY	2
Lake Ontario	2
Otsego Lake	2
Paradox Lake	2
Atlantic Ocean	1

Previous Waterways for Launching Boats	# visits
Black Lake	1
Canandarago Lake	1
Chateaugay Lake	1
Cranberry Lake	1
First Lake	1
Fourth Lake	1
Lake Hortonia, Rutland County, VT	1
Lake Placid	1
Lake Pleasant	1
Long Lake	1
Loon Lake, Warren County, NY	1
Oneida Lake	1
Rainbow Lake	1
Raquette Lake	1
Saint Johns River, FL	1
somewhere in Massachusetts	1
somewhere in New Hampshire	1
somewhere in Pennsylvania	1
somewhere in Vermont	1
St. Lawrence River	1
Tupper Lake	1
<b>Total groups</b>	<b>1477</b>

State of Motorized Boat Registration  
(n=2270)

