

ZONE 2 Parkland-Prairie

■ The Parkland-Prairie consists approximately of the southeastern quarter of the province, east of Highway 2 from the Montana border to the North Saskatchewan River. Four major rivers that start in the mountains flow through the Parkland-Prairie. Shallow lakes and reservoirs are also found in the Parkland-Prairie.

The Parkland-Prairie two Watershed Units are the Milk and South Saskatchewan rivers, including portions of the Oldman and Bow rivers (PP1), and the Red Deer, Battle and North Saskatchewan rivers (PP2).

PP1 WATERSHED UNIT REGULATIONS

■ The Milk River watershed, and the South Saskatchewan River watershed upstream to Secondary Road 509 on the Oldman River near Coalhurst, including the St. Mary River watershed, and upstream to Highway 24 on the Bow River near Carseland.

BAIT FISHING

- Fishing with Bait, including Bait Fish in PP1 lakes and streams is allowed except at locations listed with Bait Bans under site specific regulations.

Mainstem of a river: includes the mainstem channel and any side channel, oxbows, riparian flow channels, and plunge pools below spillways.

PP1 Default Sportfishing Regulations

- The names of most PP1 lakes and streams are listed alphabetically in the site specific regulation tables on the following pages.
- Smaller streams may not be listed, but may be included as tributaries to a listed larger stream.
- If a listed waterbody does not have a season listed, it is CLOSED to fishing during that period.
- If a PP1 lake, reservoir, river, stream or species is not listed, follow the default regulations below.
- General regulation stocked trout lakes are listed on page 16.

LAKES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OPEN all year • Walleye limit 3 over 50 cm • Northern Pike limit 3 over 63 cm • Yellow Perch limit 15 • Lake Whitefish limit 10 • Burbot limit 10 • Trout limit 5 • Mountain Whitefish limit 5 over 30 cm • Bait allowed 	
STREAMS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OPEN May 8 to Mar. 15 • Lake Sturgeon limit 0 • Trout limit 2 • Mountain Whitefish limit 5 over 30 cm • Walleye and Sauger limit 3 • Walleye over 50 cm • Northern Pike limit 3 over 63 cm • Yellow Perch limit 15 • Lake Whitefish limit 10 • Burbot limit 10 • Goldeye limit 10 • Bait allowed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CLOSED Mar. 16 to May 7

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PP1 - Lakes, Reservoirs and Ponds										
Waterbody	Waterbody Detail	Season	Bait ● = Bait allowed	WALL	NRPK	YLPR	LKWH	BURB	MNWH	Trout Total
Badger Lake		OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	0 fish	0 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
Bassano Reservoir	See Bow River from Hwy. 24 downstream to Bassano Dam									
Bullhead Reservoir	28-8-4-W4; Includes Bullhead Creek (outlet) downstream to Eagle Butte Rd. Bridge	OPEN APR. 1 TO OCT. 31	Bait ban							1 trout over 50 cm
Chestermere Lake		OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●		3 over 63 cm	15 fish				
Chin Lakes		OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	1 fish 50-55 cm	0 fish		10 fish	10 fish		
Clear Lake	14-25-W4	OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●		1 over 100 cm					
Corner Lake		OPEN ALL YEAR	●		3 fish					
Cowoki Lake		OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●		0 fish	15 fish	10 fish			
Cpr Reservoir		OPEN ALL YEAR	●		3 fish	15 fish				
Crawling Valley Reservoir	3-21-18-W4; Includes inlet canal downstream of canal headworks	OPEN MAY 8 TO NOV. 30 between sunrise and sunset	●	0 fish	0 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
	3-21-18-W4; Includes inlet canal downstream of canal headworks	OPEN ALL DAY DEC. 1 TO MAR. 15	●	0 fish	0 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
Cross Coulee Reservoir	5-20-W4	OPEN ALL YEAR	●	0 fish	0 fish		10 fish	10 fish		
Eagle Lake		OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	0 fish	0 fish	15 fish		10 fish		
Elkwater Lake		OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●		3 fish	15 fish				
Fincastle Lake		OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	1 over 55 cm	3 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
Forty Mile Coulee Reservoir		OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	1 fish 50-55 cm	3 over 63 cm	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
Gun Club (Cann) Reservoir	17-19-14-W4	OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●		3 over 63 cm	15 fish				
Hays (Grantham Reservoir) Lake		OPEN ALL YEAR	●	2 fish	2 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
Henderson Lake		OPEN ALL YEAR	●		3 fish	15 fish				
Horsefly Lake Reservoir		OPEN ALL YEAR	●	2 fish	2 fish	15 fish				
Jamieson Lake	16-19-14-W4	OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●		3 over 63 cm					
Jensen Reservoir	4-22-W4	OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	0 fish	0 fish		10 fish	10 fish		
Johnson Lake	Interlakes Reservoir; 9-19-14-W4	OPEN ALL YEAR	●		1 fish	15 fish				
Keho Lake	Includes inlet canal to the first drop structure	OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	1 fish 50-55 cm	1 fish 63-70 cm		10 fish	10 fish		
Kitsim Reservoir	17-16-W4	OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●		3 over 63 cm	15 fish				
Lake Newell	NE-32-16-15-W4; inlet canal downstream of the Bow Slope turnout structure	OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	0 or SHL tags	0 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
Lethbridge University Pond		OPEN ALL YEAR	●		3 fish					
Little Bow Lake Reservoir	Includes inlet canal	OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	0 fish	0 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		

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Lost Lake		OPEN ALL YEAR	●		3 fish					
Marsh Lake		OPEN ALL YEAR	●		3 fish					
Mcgregor Reservoir		OPEN MAY 8 TO NOV. 30 between sunrise and sunset	●	0 fish	0 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
		OPEN ALL DAY DEC. 1 TO MAR.15	●	0 fish	0 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
Mcvinnie Reservoir		OPEN ALL YEAR	●	3 fish	3 fish					5 trout
Michele Creek Reservoir	5-7-3-W4	OPEN ALL YEAR	●							Trout limit 5; BNTR over 35 cm; RNTR no size limit; only one trout may be BNTR
Milk River Ridge Reservoir	Includes upstream to the inlet canal to the first drop structure	OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	1 fish 50- 55 cm	0 fish		10 fish	10 fish		
Murray Lake	10-7-8-W4	OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	3 over 50 cm	3 over 63 cm	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
Outpost (Police) Lake	8-1-26-W4	OPEN APR. 1 TO OCT. 31	Bait ban		3 fish					1 trout over 50 cm
Park Lake		OPEN ALL YEAR	●	1 fish	1 fish	15 fish				
Picture Butte Reservoir		OPEN ALL YEAR	●		3 fish					
Rattlesnake (Sauder) Reservoir		OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	1 fish 50- 55 cm	0 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
Raymond Reservoir		OPEN ALL YEAR	●		3 fish					
Raymond Sugar Factory Reservoir		OPEN ALL YEAR	●		3 fish					
Reesor Lake	20-8-1-W4	OPEN ALL YEAR	●							Trout limit 5; TGTR over 50 cm; RNTR no size limit; only one trout may be TGTR
Rock Lake	20-15-W4	OPEN ALL YEAR	●		1 fish	15 fish				
Rolling Hills Lake		OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	0 fish	0 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
Shays Reservoir		OPEN ALL YEAR	●		3 fish					
Sherburne Lake	Sherburne Reservoir	OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	3 over 50 cm	0 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
Snake Lake	19-17-W4	OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●		3 over 63 cm	15 fish				
Spruce Coulee Reservoir	26-8-2-W4	OPEN ALL YEAR	●	3 fish						5 trout
St. Mary Reservoir		OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	3 over 50 cm	3 over 63 cm		10 fish	10 fish		
Stafford Reservoir		OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	1 fish 50- 55 cm	0 fish		10 fish	10 fish		
Stonehill Lake		OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●		3 over 63 cm					
Taber Lake		OPEN ALL YEAR	●		3 fish					
Tilley B Reservoir		OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●		0 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		

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Timko Lake (J Or Bantry Reservoir)	33-17-13-W4	OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●		3 over 63 cm	15 fish				
Travers Reservoir	Portion west of SW 2-15-22-W4 (North of a line from the farm building to Little Bow Provincial Park pumphouse on the east); no fishing within 100 m of the Canal inlet structure	OPEN JUNE 1 TO MAR. 15	●	0 fish	0 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
	The remainder of the Reservoir including the canal between Travers and McGregor reservoirs; no fishing within 100m of the canal inlet structure	OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	0 fish	0 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
Twelve Mile Coulee Reservoir		OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	3 over 50 cm	3 over 63 cm	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
Twin Valley Reservoir		OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●		1 over 63 cm					
Unnamed	Scope Reservoir	OPEN MAY 8 TO MAR. 15	●	3 over 50 cm	3 over 63 cm	15 fish	10 fish			
Unnamed (Burdett) Lake		OPEN ALL YEAR	●	3 over 50 cm	3 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		
Yellow Lake		OPEN ALL YEAR	●	3 over 50 cm	3 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish		

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PP1 - Rivers, Creeks and Streams													
Waterbody	Waterbody Detail	Season	Bait ● = Bait allowed	WALL + SAUG	NRPK	YLPR	LKWH	BURB	GOLD	MNWH	RNTR	CTTR	Trout Total
Battle Creek	8-1-W4; Includes tributaries	OPEN JUNE 1 to MAR. 31	Bait ban										0 trout
Bow River	Banff National Park downstream to Bassano Dam including Reservoir	OPEN ALL YEAR	Bait ban	0 fish	0 fish				0 fish	0 fish			0 trout
	Bassano Dam downstream to South Saskatchewan River	OPEN MAY 8 to MAR. 15	●	3 in combination, WALL over 50 cm	3 over 63 cm			10 fish	10 fish	5 over 30 cm			2 trout
Carseland-Bow River Headwater Canal	Between McGregor Lk and the drop structure 1 km upstream of Sec. Rd. 542	OPEN MAY 8 to SEPT. 30 and DEC. 1 to MAR. 15	●	0 fish	0 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish					
Cowoki Irrigation Canal	Between Cowoki Lake and Tilley B Reservoir	OPEN MAY 8 to SEPT. 30 and DEC. 1 to MAR. 15	Bait ban		0 fish	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish					
Graburn Creek	8-1-W4; Includes tributaries	OPEN JUNE 1 to MAR. 31	Bait ban										0 trout
Lee Creek	Mainstem including tributaries	OPEN JUNE 16 to AUG. 31	Bait ban		3 fish				10 fish	5 over 30 cm	over 30 cm	over 30 cm	2 trout
		OPEN SEPT. 1 to OCT. 31	Bait ban							0 fish			0 trout
Little Bow River	Travers Reservoir upstream to Township Rd. 144A	CLOSED ALL YEAR											
	Township Rd. 144A upstream to Carmangay	OPEN JUNE 1 to MAR. 15	●	3 in combination, WALL over 50 cm	3 over 63 cm	15 fish	10 fish	10 fish					
	Twin Valley Reservoir Dam downstream to Rge. Rd. 252	OPEN MAY 8 to MAR. 15	Bait ban		0 fish								
Oldman River	Mainstem from Sec. Rd. 509 downstream to South Saskatchewan River and tributaries	OPEN MAY 8 to MAR. 15	●	3 in combination, WALL over 50 cm	3 over 63 cm			10 fish	10 fish	5 over 30 cm			
South Saskatchewan River		OPEN MAY 8 to MAR. 15	●	3 in combination, WALL over 50 cm	3 over 63 cm			10 fish	10 fish				
St. Mary River	Mainstem upstream of St Mary Reservoir; Includes tributaries except Lee Creek	OPEN JUNE 16 to AUG. 31	Bait ban		3 fish					5 over 30 cm	over 35 cm	over 35 cm	2 trout
		OPEN SEPT. 1 to OCT. 31	Bait ban		3 fish								0 trout
	Mainstem downstream of St Mary Reservoir; Includes tributaries	OPEN JUNE 16 to OCT. 31	Bait ban		3 in combination, WALL over 50 cm	3 over 63 cm					5 over 30 cm	0 fish	0 fish