

Higgins Lake Winter Weather Information 1963-2005

This weather information is from the personal observation of Mrs. Gladys Chinn, who was a fulltime resident at the lake from 1963 until her passing in January 2005 at the age 96. Mrs. Chinn owned property on the lake since 1929 and was an unofficial historian of Higgins Lake. She charted weather and water conditions with such accuracy, that the National Weather Service consulted with her many times to verify their records.

Year	Freeze	Thaw	Snow Total
1963-1964	12/30/63	04/15/64	41"
1964-1965	01/11/65	05/02/65	88.5"
1965-1966	01/15/66	04/18/66	61.8"
1966-1967	01/05/67	04/13/67	81.3"
1967-1968	12/29/67	04/12/68	56.5"
1968-1969	12/30/68	04/21/69	95"
1969-1970	12/27/69	04/26/70	103.4"
1970-1971	12/29/70	04/24/71	124.1"
1971-1972	01/07/72	05/05/72	96.8"
1972-1973	01/03/73	03/31/73	71.4"
1973-1974	01/02/74	04/24/74	62.9"
1974-1975	01/14/75	05/01/75	66.7"
1975-1976	01/08/76	04/16/76	95.1"
1976-1977	12/09/76	04/16/77	67.2"
1977-1978	12/30/77	05/01/78	89.2"
1978-1979	12/31/78	04/23/79	89.4"
1979-1980	01/07/80	04/23/80	59.3"
1980-1981	12/19/80	04/05/81	74.4"
1981-1982	01/09/82	04/30/82	98.7"
1982-1983	01/18/83	04/14/83	51.5"
1983-1984	12/26/83	04/15/84	60.1"
1984-1985	01/04/85	04/20/85	80.4"
1985-1986	12/21/85	04/07/86	71.6"
1986-1987	01/19/87	04/11/87	38.5"
1987-1988	01/06/88	04/14/88	67.7"
1988-1989	01/03/89	05/25/89	64.7"
1989-1990	12/13/89	04/14/90	65.9"
1990-1991	01/03/91	04/08/91	61.8"
1991-1992	12/30/91	04/28/92	66.3"
1992-1993	01/03/93	04/26/93	68.1"
1993-1994	12/27/93	04/19/94	63.3"
1994-1995	01/11/95	04/12/95	47.9"
1995-1996	12/12/95	04/29/96	86.1"
1996-1997	12/28/96	04/27/97	78.7"
1997-1998	01/16/98	04/01/98	49"
1998-1999	01/04/99	04/05/99	52.3"

1999-2000	01/14/00	03/23/00	42"
2000-2001	12/25/00	04/14/01	66"
2001-2002	02/13/02*	04/17/02	53.9"
2002-2003	01/06/03	04/20/03	43.7"
2003-2004	01/07/04	04/11/04	85.9"
2004-2005	12/20/04	04/16/05	

*Winter 01-02, North Bay remained open in the middle until 02/13/2002

Higgins Lake Ice In/Out 2005-Present

Herb Weatherly, Higgins Lake Property Owners' Association Board Member, "unofficial" data collection of Freeze/Thaw of Higgins Lake from 2005-2025.

Year	Freeze	Thaw	Snow Total
2005-2006	01/19/06	04/02/06	42.25"
2006-2007	01/14/07	04/01/07	44.75"
2007-2008	01/03/08	04/19/08	52.875"
2008-2009	12/17/08	04/19/09	79.25"
2009-2010	01/07/10	04/01/10	22"
2010-2011	12/21/10	04/19/11	60.625"
2011-2012	01/14/12	03/21/12	46.125"
2012-2013	01/21/13	04/30/13	44.875"
2013-2014	12/16/13	04/26/14	54.75"
2014-2015	01/10/15	04/21/15	29.75"
2015-2016	01/19/16	03/30/16	49.50"
2016-2017	01/07/17	04/09/17	46.25"
2017-2018	12/27/17	05/03/18	45.75"
2018-2019	01/13/19	04/23/19	52.875"
2019-2020	01/12/20	04/08/20	52.75"
2020-2021	01/25/21	03/31/21	35.5"
2021-2022	01/08/22	04/24/22	43.375"
2022-2023	01/30/23	04/15/23	33.125"
2023-2024	01/19/24	03/13/24	18.75"
2024-2025	01/10/25	04/07/25	37.375"