

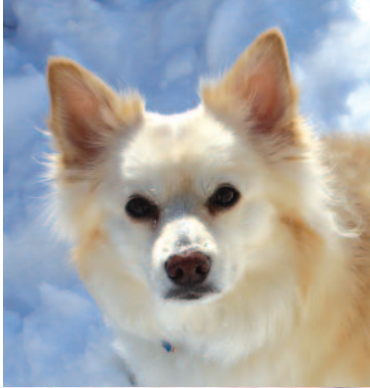
PICNICING

We welcome group events such as family reunions and corporate picnics. We offer one picnic pavilion and three picnic areas. Picnic tables are available throughout the day-use area and do not require reservations.



PETS

Pets must be kept on a leash at all times and cannot be left unattended. No pets are permitted on the main beach; please contact staff for directions to the pet friendly water areas.



Welcome to VALENS LAKE

Valens Lake Conservation Area offers the look and feel of the “North”, right in your backyard. Easily accessible from Hamilton, Cambridge, Burlington and Guelph. Home to a man-made reservoir, Valens Lake is a great place to visit for the day or for a week. Spend some time in the great outdoors and discover why Valens Lake has been an oasis for outdoor lovers since it first opened in 1968.



BOATING

Inquire at the gatehouse or beach store for rentals. There is a part day and full day rate and a deposit is required. Gas powered motors are not permitted.



LOCATION AND CONTACTS

Valens Lake Conservation Area,
1691 Regional Road 97, R.R. #6,
Cambridge, Ontario N1R 5S7
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valens@conservationhamilton.ca



On your way out today use your receipt towards the purchase of a Hamilton Conservation Authority Membership Pass.

The pass is good for 12 consecutive months and entitles entry into all of the HCA parks. Purchase your pass at the gatehouse.



Entrance fees are collected at the gate. A fee schedule and reservation policy are posted at the entrance or visit: www.conservationhamilton.ca

For the latest event listings, outdoor guides and more, visit our website at: www.conservationhamilton.ca



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FISHING

Valens Lake has Northern Pike, Largemouth Bass, and panfish. Bait is available for purchase in season. In the spirit of conservation, Valens Lake promotes catch and release. The fishery is regulated by the Ministry of Natural Resources.



CAMPING

Valens Lake offers 225 campsites, including 125 sites with electrical and water hookups, and group areas. Campsites offer lake views and forest covered areas, radio free zones and is alcohol free year round. Up to six people are permitted per campsite. Check-in is at 2 p.m. and check out is before 1 p.m. Reservations are recommended.

Our campground store is open during the summer and weekends Labour Day to Thanksgiving. Firewood, ice and camping supplies are available.

Quiet Hours: 10:30 p.m. to 8:00 a.m.
No excessive noise is permitted at any time.
Alcohol is not permitted at any time.



SWIMMING

The beach area offers the perfect spot for swimming. Water is tested weekly during the summer. Our beach store offers beach toys and picnic supplies. There are no lifeguards on duty.
Adults, children are your responsibility.



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Site Map



- LEGEND**
- Gatehouse
 - Office
 - Group Picnic Area
 - Group Camping Area
 - Picnic Pavilion
 - 140 Non-Electrical Campsite
 - 75 Electrical & Water Campsite
 - Radio-free Zone
 - Water Tap
 - Parking
 - Campground Store
 - Beach Store
 - Boat Rental
 - Boat Launch
 - Trailer Dump Station
 - Road
 - Hiking Trails
 - Swimming Area
 - Washrooms
 - Showers
 - Lookout Tower



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