

**Spot the stripes.  
Stop the spread.**



## Singush Lake is Closed to all Day-use Boaters

The Manitoba government is in the process of confirming whether there are zebra mussels in Singush Lake. A containment plan has been implemented to protect other water bodies from potentially being invaded by zebra mussels transported from Singush Lake.

### Visitors

Until results are conclusive, all visitors to Singush Lake are prohibited from launching any watercraft, including;

- motor boats
- sailboats
- personal watercraft (ex: Jet Ski®)
- canoes
- any equipment designed to transport a person on water

Visitors and campers may fish from shore or off the dock.

### Cottage Owners

Singush Lake cottage owners may continue to use their watercraft in the lake provided they have authorization in the form of a control order. However, a condition of this authorization is that cottage owners may not move their watercraft, to use it in any other Manitoba water body.

These restrictions have been issued to prevent potential spread of zebra mussels to other lakes and rivers. They will be in effect for the entire 2017 open water season. The lake will continue to be monitored and the restrictions will remain in place or be revised depending on future testing results.

### You Can Help

Please remember to clean, drain, dry and dispose every time you leave the lake. These simple steps can prevent the spread of zebra mussels. All water-related equipment such as fishing gear, bait buckets, and beach toys must be free of aquatic invasive species and plants, and drained of all water before leaving the shore. All water-related equipment must also be dried completely before used in another water body. Dispose of unused bait in the trash when leaving any water body and before entering another one.

**For more information on aquatic invasive species, visit**

**[Manitoba.ca/stopthespread](http://Manitoba.ca/stopthespread) or call 1-87-STOP AIS-0.**

Thank you for your co-operation.