# Greensboro City Lakes

## Lake Higgins  Lake Brandt  Lake Townsend

GREENSBORO PARKS AND RECREATION

### The following are PERMITTED:

- Pleasure boating and motor testing is allowed at Lake Townsend only
- Dogs are allowed on leash, owners please clean up after your dog
- Jug fishing is allowed if jugs are maintained during operating hours and removed prior to lakes closing, maximum 6 jugs person
- Casting nets are allowed for bait fishing only

### The following are NOT PERMITTED:

- Alcoholic beverages or open fires
- Bank fishing
- Dead lines used for fishing
- Swimming and/or wading
- Skiing, jet skiing, or wind surfing
- No boats within 150 feet of pier and boathouse
- Fishing, boating, or sailing in restricted areas
- Unsafe watercraft as determined by the Lake Specialist
- Remote or radio-controlled watercraft or other objects
- Rubber, canvas, or inflatable watercrafts with single air chamber

### Rental Boat Rules:

- Children under 13 must wear a PFD and be supervised at all times when on the water.
- A child must be of walking age to be allowed in any rental boat
- The minimum age for boat rental or private boat launch is 16
  (*Exception: Ages 13-15 may kayak or sail with a parent or legal guardian and a signed waiver*)
- Boats must enter and exit from the marina only
- Private motors smaller than 10hp are allowed on rental rowboats
- Rental boats and equipment must be returned to original location
- All boats must be off the water 15 minutes prior to posted closing time
- No permits will be issued one hour and 15 minutes prior to closing time
- Observe the following rental boat maximum capacities:
  - Sailboats: Aquafins: 2 people, Lazer Pico: 2 people, Capri: 3 people
  - Rowboats: 3 people (*Exception: One 4-person boat is available at each lake*)
  - Kayaks: Solo 1 person, Tandem 2 people
  - Paddleboard: Solo 1 person
  - Canoes: 2 people

***Please DO NOT feed the geese!***

### Contact Us:

**Lake Higgins 336-373-3739**
Closed Mondays (& Tuesdays Nov-Feb)
**Lake Brandt 336-373-3741**
Closed Tuesdays (& Wednesdays Nov-Feb)
**Lake Townsend 336-373-3694**
Closed Wednesdays (& Thursdays Nov-Feb)

**www.greensboro-nc.gov/lakes**

### Hours of Operation:

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| Nov-Feb | 8 am - 5 pm |
| March | 7 am - 7 pm |
| April | 7 am - 8 pm |
| May-July | 7 am - 8:30 pm |
| August | 7 am - 8 pm |
| September | 7 am - 7:30 pm |
| October | 7 am - 7 pm |

All 3 Lakes open at 8am on Sundays

### Greensboro City Lakes Annual Permits

**3-Lake Annual Permit** ***$100.00*** ***Seniors and Veterans $80.00***
Includes pier fishing, private boat launch, rental rowboat at all 3 Lakes.
**1-Lake Annual Permit** ***$50.00*** ***Seniors and Veterans $40.00***
Includes pier fishing, private boat launch, rental rowboat at 1 of the Lakes.
**Solo Paddle Permit** ***$60.00***
Includes the launch of 1 canoe, kayak, paddleboard, or sailboat.
**Group Paddle Permit** ***$80.00***
Includes the launch of up to 3 canoes, kayaks, paddleboards, or sailboats.
**Pier Fishing Permit** ***$30.00***
Includes pier fishing at all 3 City Lakes.

### Greensboro City Lakes Boat Storage

**Dry Dock Storage at Lake Townsend**

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| 6 Months | $300 |
| 12 Months | $600 |

**Kayak/Canoe Storage at Lake Brandt & Higgins**

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| 6 Months | $75 |
| 12 Months | $125 |
| 12 Months Indoor (Higgins only) | $150 |

| Activity | Fee |
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| **Pier Fishing** | |
| Adults | $2.00 |
| Children (6-12), Seniors (60+), Disabled or Veteran | $1.00 |
| **Private Boat Launches** | |
| Power Boat or Sail Boat Launch | $8.00 |
| Canoe or Kayak | $6.00 |
| **Boat Rentals** | |
| Rowboat (3 people max) | $10.00 |
| Kayak / SUP - Solo | $12.00 |
| Kayak - Tandem | $20.00 |
| Canoe (Lake Brandt & Higgins Only) | $20.00 |
| **Sailboat Rentals – Lake Townsend** | |
| Aquafins and Laser Pico (3 hrs.) | $15.00 |
| Capri (3.5 hrs.) | $25.00 |
| **Pontoon Boat Rentals – Lake Townsend (8 people max)** | |
| 4 Hours (Half Day) / 8 Hours (Full Day) | $125.00 / $175.00 |
| **Miscellaneous Items** | |
| Equipment Rentals (PFD, dry bag, anchor) | $2.00 |
| Picnic Shelter (To reserve and pay call 336-373-5888) | $45.00 |
| **Bait Sales** | |
| Worms | $3.00 |
| Minnows by the dozen – crappie / bass | $2.00 / $4.00. |