

## Eagle Lake ice out 4/6/2020

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Greetings Eagle Lake Property Owners and Friends,

On behalf of your Board Members I'm reaching out to you to extend our well wishes during this difficult time. We hope that all of you are healthy. The coronavirus has had a dramatic impact on our nation, but as history has proven time and again we Americans will adapt to meet and overcome the challenge.

Since most of us must remain home, getting to Eagle Lake is out of the question. A spectacular event took place this past weekend, ice out! If you have never been at the lake for this event it is magical to watch and listen to. As the ice shield slides back and forth driven by the wind it makes all manners of visual sites and crunching sounds as the sheets run into and over each other, only to be done in a few hours with open water being the result. You can still visit the lake virtually by accessing the Eagle Lake website. This year's ice out event was captured on our 4 cameras. You can view these in several ways at <http://eaglelake1.org/html/banner/elpoi.shtml>

1) Select the *Photo Album* tab, and then *ELPOI Web Cameras Page*, select a camera you want to view. Above the time laps player you can put in the date range of April 3 to April 6 and select apply changes- this will allow viewing the dates of the event.

2) Select the *Photo Album* tab, and then *Videos from Eagle Lake Page*. Part way down the page are *Ice Out Videos*, select the camera you want to view.

To see how this years ice out date compares to years past select the *Archives* tab, scroll down the page to the section *Ice Information*.

A night view showing the near full moon setting over Ore Bed Bay (north west side of the large basin) was captured a few days before ice out. Use option 1 above, select camera 3 and set the date to April 1, 2020.



If, you are a die hard snow fan, and, missed nature's last hurrah of it, set any camera's time lapse date to March 23 to 25.

Officer Chris H. just shared these 2 links from the DEC about boat launches and DEC press releases.

<https://www.dec.ny.gov/press/120045.html>

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Thank you to all of the generous, dedicated, hard working folks behind the scenes that make the website and image capture possible.

Our annual ELPOI news and membership renewal letter will be out in the next month or so. Until then...

we will keep you fondly in our thoughts and prayers, and hoping that we can all be at the lake this summer.

Jack Mulcahy  
President ELPOI