



Fast Facts

- The following fact sheet is intended to keep you informed.
- If visitors require additional information, an information sheet is available from the Information Centre.
- Direct all media inquiries to Carla Flaman at 306 663 4565.

Kingsmere River Monitoring and Water Levels

1. PANP is monitoring fish passage in Kingsmere River as part of the commitment made when the Kingsmere River dam was removed in 1999.
2. The main purpose of the monitoring is to determine presence or absence of spawning walleye.
3. Monitoring proves that walleye are present in the river and that there is potential to restore the spawning run.
4. From 2002 to 2004, spring water flows in the Kingsmere River were so low that fish passage was not possible and consequently, monitoring was not conducted during these low flow years.
5. PANP will continue to monitor spring spawning runs in the Kingsmere River and will keep the public informed.
6. Since the dam was removed, the level of Kingsmere Lake increased by a foot, decreased by two feet, then increased by a foot again leaving the water level in early September 2004 right where it was when the dam was removed in September 1999.
7. Kingsmere River water levels are higher than when the Kingsmere River dam was in place.



Kingsmere River Ramp near Waskesiu Lake

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