

Pine Ridge Estates Lake Rules

(Approved by membership at 7/14/09 Homeowners Meeting)

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Feeding of wild waterfowl is prohibited.

A catch and release policy will be in force for all fishing. Any resident or guest keeping fish will subject the homeowner to a PREHOA lake restocking fine of up to \$500 per incident.

Only fish hooks of the barbless type may be used for fishing.

If the fish swallows the hook, the barbs injure the fish. Fishermen can easily pinch the barbs closed with a pair of pliers. If a fish swallows your hook, it is better to cut the line than try to jerk the hook out.

There will be no release of fish or wild life into the pond from other water ways.

This can hurt our fish and the quality of our lake. We have found dead sucker fish in the pond.

Minnow are prohibited as bait.

May use worms, crickets, or artificial bait only.

Ice fishing is prohibited.

A resident must be present when they allow guests to use the lake.

This rule applies for fishing, swimming, boating. Your extended family members, friends, acquaintances should not be by the lake when you are not home.

A resident's guest must remain on their property when fishing from the shore.

Sounds carry over the water. Be respectful of your neighbors.

Always THINK and ACT SAFELY in or around the water.

ENJOY THE LAKE!

Each resident is responsible for informing their guests of the lake rules.

If you are interested, there is information on ponds, fishing and wildlife on the Department of Natural Resources website (<http://wildlife.ohiodnr.gov/fishing/fishing-basics>).