

## WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

You are entering a remote area. For your safety and enjoyment, please observe the following:

- Ensure your vessel carries all necessary safety equipment as required by the small vessel regulations.
- Mahood Lake is subject to sudden violent storms, stay alert and keep close to shore. Wait out bad weather by beaching at the first available opportunity. Always use extreme caution and be alert for deadhead logs.
- Camp on designated sites only. Consult the map for marine-accessible campgrounds.
- Build fires only in steel campfire rings. Firewood, for a fee, may be provided when supply is available. Please keep fires small. Do not cut trees, use power saws or make fires on the beach.

- Quiet hours are 10 pm to 8 am. Vacate your campsite by noon on the day of departure. Leave campsites as tidy as you would like to find them.
- Follow Leave No Trace principles by packing out all garbage.
- Bears are present in all areas of the park. Keep your food in the food caches provided or in your vehicle.
- Keep your dogs on leash to prevent incidents with wildlife and respect other park users.
- Power boaters should be considerate of their wake and keep their distances from smaller vessels and the shore.
- Fishing is permitted in compliance with the BC Fishing Regulations. Always carry your license with you.

## THINGS TO DO

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Mahood Lake is excellent for boating, including kayaking and canoeing.

- Mahood Lake is excellent for swimming, especially at the campground beaches. Watch out for strong currents near the outlet to the Mahood River, on the east side of the lake.
- Mahood Lake and the Mahood River offer excellent fishing opportunities.
- Sylvia and Goodwin Falls trail starts at the east end of the lake, south of the outflow. It is 2.5 km to Sylvia Falls and another 200 m to Goodwin Falls. The trail continues for another 3.5 km to the Clearwater River Road.
- There are 3 marine-accessible campgrounds on Mahood Lake. Check the map for their locations. They each have an outhouse, fire ring, and food cache.

