

1855-2017 Lake Minnetonka Ice-Out Dates



1855 - April 18	1896 - April 5	1919 - April 6	1942 - April 4	1965 - May 1	1988 - April 7	2011 - April 14
1856	1897 - April 18	1920 - April 17	1943 - April 12	1966 - April 4	1989 - April 17	2012 - March 21
1857 - May 5	1898 - April 18	1921 - April 3	1944 - April 23	1967 - April 9	1990 - April 4	2013 - May 2
1858 - March 30	1899 - April 24	1922 - April 17	1945 - March 30	1968 - April 1	1991 - April 8	2014 - April 24
1859 - May 4	1900 - April 16	1923 - April 23	1946 - April 2	1969 - April 17	1992 - April 10	2015 - April 5
1860 - April 4	1901 - April 23	1924 - April 24	1947 - April 19	1970 - April 19	1993 - April 19	2016 - March 17
1861-1862 Unknown	1902 - April 1	1925 - April 7	1948 - April 11	1971 - April 17	1994 - April 11	2017 - March 27
1863 - April 15	1903 - April 13	1926 - April 18	1949 - April 13	1972 - April 26	1995 - April 3	
1864 - 1872 Unknown	1904 - April 25	1927 - April 12	1950 - May 2	1973 - April 4	1996 - April 24	
1873 - April 27	1905 - April 2	1928 - April 18	1951 - April 28	1974 - April 19	1997 - April 18	
1874 - 1876 Unknown	1906 - April 16	1929 - April 7	1952 - April 22	1975 - April 28	1998 - April 3	
1877 - April 14	1907 - April 8	1930 - April 5	1953 - April 8	1976 - April 3	1999 - April 2	
1878 - March 11	1908 - April 12	1931 - April 6	1954 - April 12	1977 - April 10	2000 - March 18	
1879-1886 Unknown	1909 - April 26	1932 - April 14	1955 - April 12	1978 - April 17	2001 - April 19	
1887 - April 14	1910 - March 27	1933 - April 18	1956 - April 21	1979 - April 23	2002 - April 16	
1888 - April 25	1911 - April 1	1934 - April 10	1957 - April 20	1980 - April 19	2003 - April 12	
1889 - April 1	1912 - April 13	1935 - April 7	1958 - April 11	1981 - March 27	2004 - April 6	
1890 - April 16	1913 - April 18	1936 - April 20	1959 - April 10	1982 - April 19	2005 - April 9	
1891 - April 21	1914 - April 17	1937 - April 19	1960 - April 16	1983 - April 22	2006 - April 9	
1892 - April 11	1915 - April 17	1938 - April 9	1961 - April 14	1984 - April 13	2007 - April 3	
1893 - April 28	1916 - April 19	1939 - April 17	1962 - April 25	1985 - April 13	2008 - April 23	
1894 - April 9	1917 - April 18	1940 - April 25	1963 - April 10	1986 - April 8	2009 - April 13	
1895 - April 5	1918 - April 14	1941 - April 14	1964 - April 13	1987 - March 21	2010 - April 2	

Beginning in 2014, ice-out on Lake Minnetonka will be jointly determined and announced by the Freshwater Society and the Hennepin County Sheriff's Water Patrol. Under the new procedure, a representative of Freshwater and a deputy sheriff will travel in a sheriff's patrol boat to check lake conditions. The boat will take a broad route around the Upper Lake and Lower Lake. The decision to declare ice-out will be made when the patrol boat can navigate through the lake's bays and channels without impediment from ice floes.