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AYLESFORD LAKE BEACH CLOSED TO SWIMMING

Aylesford Lake Beach closed to swimming until further notice

KINGS COUNTY, NS: The County of Kings wishes to advise residents that Aylesford Lake Beach is closed to swimming effective immediately until further notice. The closure is due to higher than allowable counts of bacteria present in the water.

The lake water will be monitored and tested regularly and the public will be advised when the lake is open for swimming. The lake will remain open for recreational use, including the beach area, pathways, boardwalk, picnic areas, canteen, and washroom facilities.

For the moment, the boat launch will stay open for boats but the public is advised not to swim there. This aspect will be monitored and if necessary will be closed as well.

Lifeguards will be present at the beach to explain the situation to swimmers and prevent people from swimming in the lake.

The public is asked not to feed the ducks and geese at the lake as this is the probable cause of the bacteria.

The County of Kings apologizes for any inconvenience the closure may cause.

BROADCAST:

The County of Kings wishes to advise residents that Aylesford Lake Beach is closed to swimming effective immediately until further notice.

Due to higher than allowable amounts of bacteria present in the water, beach visitors are being asked to stay out of the water.

The beach will remain open for visitors to enjoy the picnic area, canteen, boardwalk, and playground.

The municipally operated beach is open from mid-June to early September.

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