Public Fishing Rights Maps

Limestone Creek

Description of Fishery

Limestone Creek is located in Onondaga County near the town of Delphi Falls. There are 1.6 miles of Public Fishing Rights (PFR’s) along the creek. Upstream of Route 20 the creek is small and brush lined, below Route 20 it becomes larger and deeper. Both wild brown and brook trout can be found in the creek which is also stocked annually by Onondaga County’s Carpenter’s Brook Fish Hatchery with around 7,000 one year-old brown trout (8-9”), 4,200 two year-old brown trout (12-14”) and 700 one year-old brook trout (9-11”).

Fishing Regulations

Statewide Angling Regulations apply EXCEPT as noted below:

Trout - Any Size, Limit 5 with no more than 2 longer than 12”, April 1 - Oct 15

EXCEPT Limestone Creek Mouth to Route 20 where season is ALL YEAR

About Public Fishing Rights

Public Fishing Rights (PFR’s) are permanent easements purchased by the NYSDEC from willing landowners, giving anglers the right to fish and walk along the bank (usually a 33’ strip on one or both banks of the stream). This right is for the purpose of fishing only and no other purpose. Treat the land with respect to insure the continuation of this right and privilege. Fishing privileges may be available on some other private lands with permission of the land owner. Courtesy toward the land-owner and respect for their property will insure their continued use.

These generalized location maps are intended to aid anglers in finding PFR segments and are not survey quality. Width of displayed PFR may be wider than reality to make it more visible on the maps. Please look for this PFR sign to ensure that you are in the right location and have legal access to the stream bank.

For more information on this creek or if you believe PFR marked areas on these maps are incorrect or missing PFR signs, please call the Region 7 Fisheries office: (607) 753-3095 ext. 213.
Limestone Creek Public Fishing Rights Areas

Legend
- Major Road
- Town, Village, City
- County Boundary
- Waterbody

Special Regulation:
Limestone Creek- mouth to Route 20
Trout - All year, Any size, 5 - with no more than 2 longer than 12".
Start of Special Regulation:
Limstone Creek-Route 20 DOWNSTREAM to the mouth at Butternut Creek.
Trout - All year, Any size, 5 - with no more than 2 longer than 12".

Legend
- Angler Parking
- Left Bank PFR
- Right Bank PFR
- Footpath
- Major Road
- Local Streets
- Railroad Lines
- Streams and Ponds
- DEC Lands
- Town, Village, City
- Stream Flow

*Right and Left Bank as you are looking downstream