

Cheney Pond

Survey Date: August 5, 2021

Last Surveyed: 2015

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Lake Description

Cheney Pond is 59-acres with 1.8-miles of shoreline. It is located in the town of Minerva, Essex County, and lies in the Lake Champlain watershed. The team launched a canoe from Cheney Pond access and campsite. The weather was sunny with a breeze.

Aquatic Invasive Plant Presence

No invasive plant species were identified.

Native Plant Biota

Though comprehensive surveys of native aquatic vegetation were not completed the following native plants were identified: *Nymphaea alba* (white waterlily), *Brasenia schrederi* (water shield), *Utricularia purpurea* (purple bladderwort), *Potamogeton natans* (floating-leaf pondweed), *Utricularia vulagris* (bladderwort), *Zostera* spp. (eelgrass), and *Sparganium angustifolium* (narrowleaf bur-reed)

Aquatic Invasive Animal Presence

Sediment sieves were taken to determine the presence of *Corbicula fluminea* (Asian clams). None were found.



Cheney Pond Aquatic Plant Survey 2021

County: Essex
Town: Minerva
Lake Area (acres): 59.4

Date Surveyed: 08/05/2021
AIS Bed Area (acres): 0
AIS Observed: None

Phytoplankton
TOW

Steve Sample
SS

Boat Path

