

**Ginger Cove 2016 Boat Ramp Lake Access Rules**  
**Protect Our Lake!**  
**Protect Our Investment!**

Your GCCAC Board has placed a high priority on the following:

- Maintaining water quality
- Improving boating safety and education
- Protecting our lake from the threat of invasive species
- Prevent non- resident and non- approved vendor watercraft **off** our lake

**New Revisions for 2016:**

- All lake resident motorized and non- motorized watercraft will require the new Ginger Cove Lake Sticker in addition to your lot numbers. **You will need to fill out a simple registration form identifying your watercraft and you will need to sign off that you clearly understand and agree to the following:**
  - 1 To follow Nebraska State boating regulations, Ginger Cove Boating Rules found in your directory, and the boat directional navigation map for our lake.
  - 2 Understand and comply with revised Ginger Cove Boat Ramp Access rules as relates to our Invasive Species Protocol and Key holder forms.
  - 3 Agree not to put non- resident and non-vendor approved watercraft on our lake.
  - 4 Proof that your watercraft is properly insured.
  - 5 Homeowners signing this form accept responsibility for your residence and family members and vendors you contract with.

**How will Ginger Cove Boat Stickers be issued:**  
**They will be issued between April 1<sup>st</sup> and May 15<sup>th</sup>.**

Registration Forms may be filled out in advance or in person. List all your watercrafts and have Lot #s on each watercraft.

Please contact one of the following with your completed form and receive your

GC Boat Sticker.

Mary Lou Butler at #151 402-672-7574

John Lawlor at #115 402-510-2209

Susie Young at #51 402-319-7647

Suzi Nielsen at #6 402-619-8689

Linda/Rich Styles #2 (R) 402-943-7762 (L) 402-250-1622

We will provide this form by email or you may stop by and pick one up. Upon completion of the form, each lot resident will receive one Ginger Cove Lake Sticker for each motorized and non-motorized watercraft. **The Sticker should be**

placed next to your lot numbers on BOTH SIDES on the REAR of the watercraft .

**Boats without these new stickers** you will not be allowed access to the boat ramp keys. Boats operating on the lake without these new stickers and lot numbers on their watercraft will be asked to remove their vessel from the lake. The Ginger Cove Lake Stickers will be enforced by our Ginger Cove Boat Security. The stickers will be of good quality and not damage your watercraft.

**Changes in Boat Ramp Access and in-Season Boat Removal:**

Current key holders in our Directory will remain unchanged for 2016. Key holders will grant boat ramp access to all watercraft with Ginger Cove Lake Sticker and lot numbers attached.

After Memorial Day and until October 30th, a stricter boat ramp access will be followed that includes compliance with our In- Season Invasive Species Protocol.

**Invasive Species Protocol.**

Watercraft that **leave and re-enter** the lake from **Memorial Day weekend thru October 30th** must adhere to:

**One of The following options to gain boat ramp access:**

- **After Memorial Day:** Show proof by receipt that boat has been serviced by or in storage with a recognized local boat service dealer.
- **Lake Re-entry During Boating Season:** Show proof by receipt that boat has been properly decontaminated by a recognized local boat service dealer.

**The above protocol will be strictly enforced for all boats that leave and re-enter the lake during the season.**

At the end of boating season, we will return to normal keyholder procedures to ensure residents can remove watercraft from the lake as the season winds down.

**Boat Service/Dock and Lift Vendors:**

All vendors will be pre- approved before being granted boat ramp and lake access. They will follow the same Invasive Species protocol as residents. Only approved vendors by GCCAC are to be allowed on the lake. This list will be publicized.

*Homeowners will be required to obtain boat ramp keys for the approved vendors they hire. Vendors will no longer be issued boat ramp keys.*

**Used Docks and Boat Lifts:**

**All used docks and lifts purchased to put on our lake must be put in dry storage quarantine for a minimum of 14 days.**