



Bemidji Area Fishing Report

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The open water fishing season is coming to an end. Some of the small ponds and swamps are now frozen over and we've even had to break a little ice at some of the access areas the past few days. Lakes are still open but with continued cold weather predicted over the next couple of weeks it won't be long and we'll be out ice fishing soon! The walleye bite remains good on jigs and minnows in depths from 12-24' on area lakes. The smallmouth bass fishing has been outstanding this past week using jigs and minnows/plastics on the rocks in 14-16'. Crappies are still being caught suspending out in the deep basins. I'll continue my reports once we get safe ice which looks like will be sooner than later! Have a great day on the water (and soon the ice) and please remember to practice selective harvesting, by doing so we will continue to have great fishing for years to come!

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