



# Site Information Sheet Wimbleball Lake



## RESERVOIR INFORMATION

<b>Capacity of the reservoir when full?</b> 21,320 mega litres	<b>What is the distance around the lake?</b> Approximately 9 miles	<b>When was Wimbleball Lake built?</b> 1978
<b>How long is the reservoir?</b> 4 Kilometres		<b>How deep is the reservoir?</b> 50m

## OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES AND CAMPING

- What sports can I do?** Sailing, windsurfing, kayaking, stand up paddle boarding, high ropes, archery etc.
- Do we need to book to take part in activities?** Call and check for availability in your desired activity
- Do you allow open water swimming?** No, for health and safety reasons
- Where does the water supply?** Barnstaple, Axminster and Exeter
- Do we need to book for camping?** It is always best, to secure your place
- How do I book camping?** On our website or by phoning the watersports office
- Do you have electric hook ups?** Yes
- Do you have a camping pod?** Yes, we have two bookable camping pods

## WILDLIFE AND ANIMALS

- Are dogs allowed?** Yes though they must be kept on a lead and out of the water
- Where is the best area for bird watching?** Ruggs Bay, located within the nature reserve
- Common Birds:** Mallard and Canada Geese
- Common Wildlife:** Weasels and Hedgehogs
- Common Plants:** Bugle, red campion and bluebells
- What species of fish are there?** Rainbow Trout
- Do you allow fishing?** We are a game fishery, for more information please log on to [www.swlakesfishing.co.uk](http://www.swlakesfishing.co.uk)

## WALKING INFORMATION

- Can I walk right around the lake?** Yes
- Can I ride my bike here?** Yes, using public bridle ways
- Can I ride my horse here?** Yes
- How much is car parking?** £2 for up to 2 hrs, £3 2-4hrs and £4 all day

## THE DUCK CAFE & PLAY AREA

- Do they have takeaway facilities?** Yes
- Is there a children's play area?** Yes, located near the lake for panoramic views

## USEFUL CONTACT INFORMATION

The Duck Cafe 01398 371 257 Wimbleball Watersports Centre 01398 371 460

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Website: [www.southwestlakes.co.uk](http://www.southwestlakes.co.uk)

