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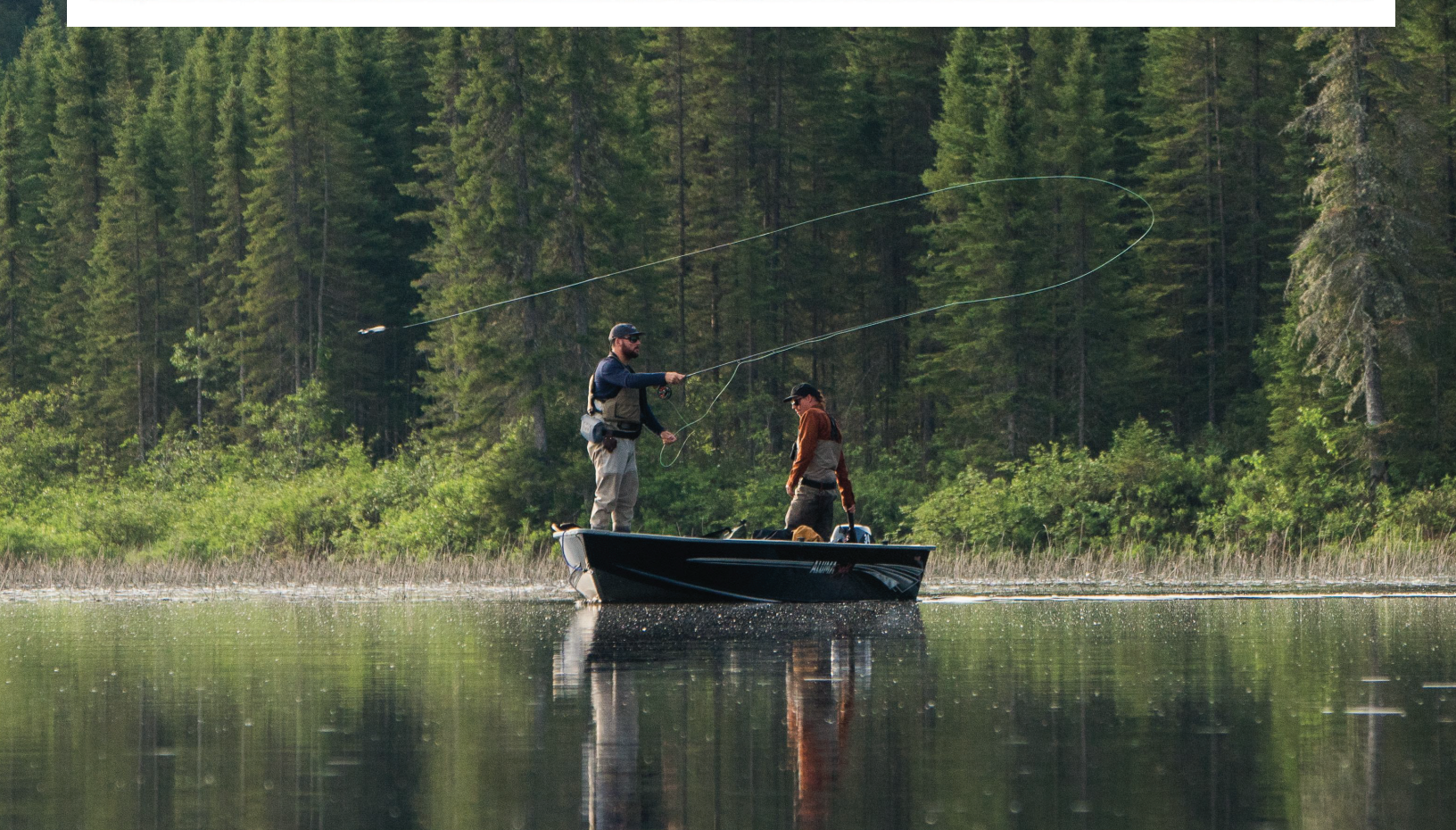
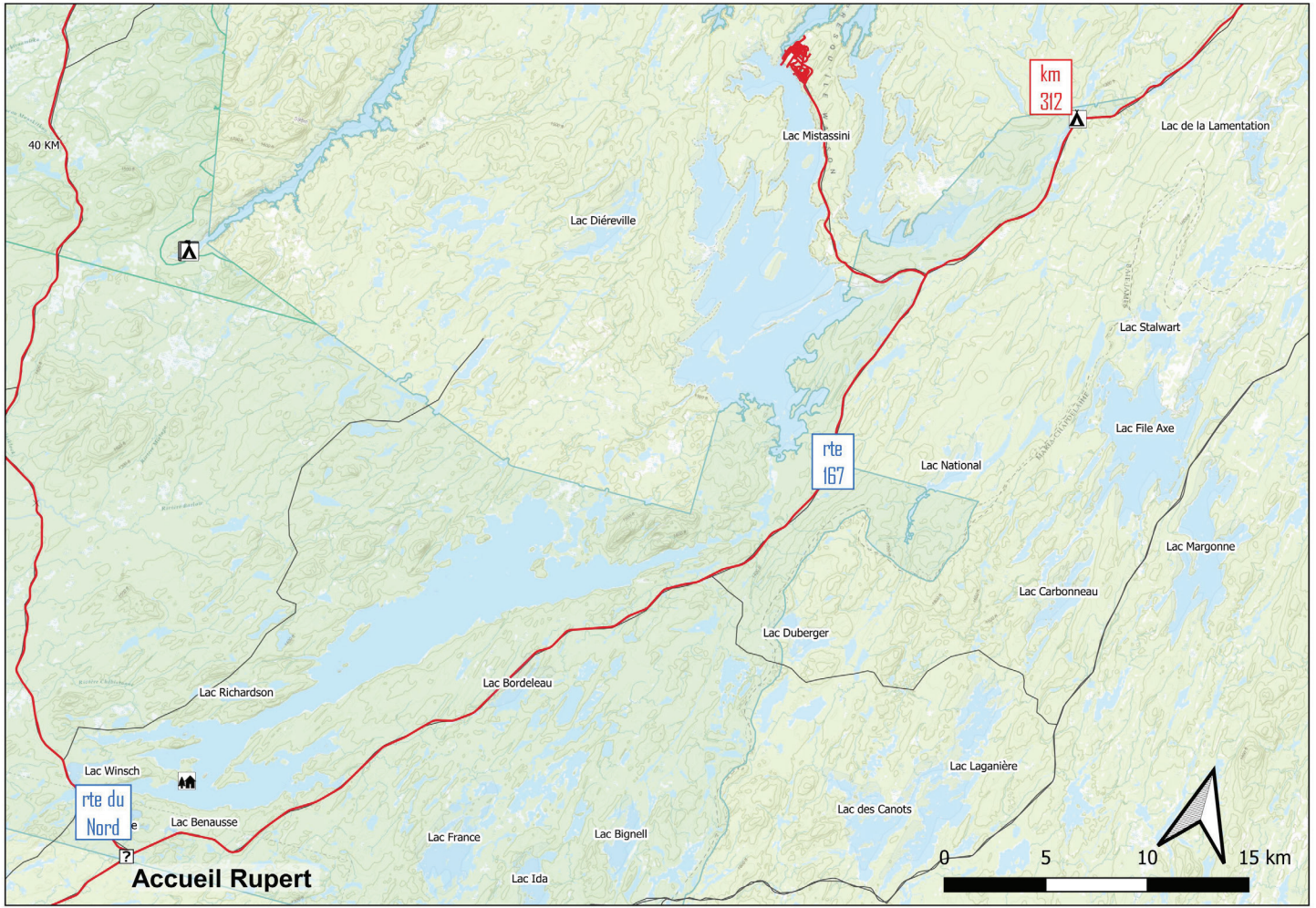


# INFORMATION GUIDE

CHALIFOUR RIVER  
CAMPING



# ACCESS MAP



# SITE LAYOUT



## RUSTIC CAMPING

**6 sunny unserviced campsites** in a young mixed forest are available.

Limit of 36 persons/day

\*All sites have access to water (non-drinkable) nearby, a picnic table and a fire pit. Dry toilets are available on site.

**Requires a 4x4 vehicle to launch your boat.**

**The launch is natural.**

## EQUIPMENT TO BRING



- Food for the duration of the stay (no food on site)
- Bedding (sheets, blanket or sleeping bag)
- Bath towel, dish towels
- Biodegradable soap and shampoo
- Drinking water
- Flashlight
- Fishing licence
- Personal flotation jacket
- Satellite communication device
- Sonar, GPS, marine radio
- Fishing equipment, mooring buoys
- Sunscreen, mosquito repellent, lip balm
- Spare tires for car and trailer
- First aid kit (medication)
- Boating safety kit
- Warm and waterproof clothing, polarized sunglasses
- Bring a survival kit for the boat (food, dry clothes, fire starter and camping gear)

**ATTENTION: This list is not exhaustive and must be adapted according to your own needs.**

## SPECIAL FEATURES OF THIS SECTOR

Take note that an issued access right allows fishing in **the section contained by the boundary of the Mistissini Cree land located upstream of the camping area and the eastern boundary of the Category II land of Cabistachouane Bay.**

In addition, the access right allows fishing in **the section contained by the northwest boundary of the Category II land of Cabistachouane Bay and Pointe des Fétiches**, located north of Abatagouche Bay (the Mistassini Lake bay).

**All stays and all fishing are prohibited in Cabistachouane Bay** unless an access right is obtained for this bay, for an additional amount equivalent to the fee for a day's fishing.

Note that the Québec Walleye Management Plan 2016-2026 applies on Category I and II land (see note on your access right).

# WHEN YOU GET HERE

## ARRIVAL



› **STARTING AT 1 P.M.**

### Reception:



**Check-in** at the Rupert Welcome Center

**Hours** from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.

### Localisation:



60 km north of the Rupert Welcome Center and 25 km from Mistissini.



**Water is not drinkable** at this location. It is recommended that visitors **boil the water** available onsite for about 10 minutes.



**Pets** are allowed.



Due to the geographical remoteness of the AAMW wildlife reserves, **the territory is not covered by the cellular network**. These communication constraints and the distance from hospitals and emergency services can cause significant delays when an emergency response is required.



You are encouraged to bring your **own device** for emergency communications.



**It is strictly forbidden to ride an ATV** (all-terrain vehicle) in the wildlife reserves.



The use of a **jet ski is strictly prohibited** on all bodies of water.

## REMINDER FOR A SAFE AND RESPONSIBLE STAY

“Outdoor activities may entail certain risks. **You must therefore always make sure that you have the skills and abilities required by the chosen activity.** It is very important to be aware of the risks inherent in that activity, to know and respect your abilities and to have the appropriate equipment with you in all cases.”

*Refer to the risk management plan section on the website for more information at [nibiischii.com](http://nibiischii.com)*

## QUIET AND RESPECT

There are no employees on site. However, any group causing a disturbance on the site will receive a warning.

If this first warning is not heeded, the Nibiischii Corporation may refuse that group in the wildlife reserves for future bookings.

Thank you also for not using the generators between 10 p.m. and 7 a.m.

# FISHING

# BEFORE LEAVING

## CATCH AND POSSESSION LIMITS



- > **8 Walleye**
- > **8 Pike**

Brook trout and lake trout populations are marginal in this sector

### On the water:

- Don't forget that **navigating on large unmarked stretches of water requires constant attention**, as there are many rocky outcrops and weather conditions can change rapidly and become dangerous.
- In the Abatagouche Bay sector (Mistassini Lake), a watercraft at least 16 feet long equipped with a 30 HP or larger motor is highly recommended, along with a 10 HP auxiliary motor.
- To avoid breakage, **short foot** motors are strongly recommended.

### ATTENTION, ANGLERS!

**Access rights are issued on the day.** They are therefore valid as of the time of issue on the day you arrive **until 11:59 p.m.**  
A daily access right must be obtained for each day of fishing.

### AVOID FINES

- > Return your **catch to the water**
- > Have a copy of the **access right** to the body of water on you and visible in your vehicle
- > Have your **fishing license** on you at all times
- > Wear a **personal flotation device (PFD)**
- > Have a **boating safety kit** in your craft



**As stipulated in the regulation on wildlife reserves, all those who engage in fishing activity must, when leaving the wildlife reserve, make a report of that activity at the place determined for the purpose, indicating daily catches.** Failure to comply with that regulation is an offense and is subject to a minimum fine of \$250.

No motor or boat rental onsite. **(Rental is no longer available in Chibougamau or in Lac-St-Jean.)**



## DEPARTURE



- > **BEFORE 1 P.M.**

### Visitors can come across Cree fishermen practicing their traditional activities (JBNQA) at the water points.

**(James Bay and Northern Quebec Agreement (JBNQA)).**

We ask you to be courteous and vigilant, nets may still be in use in the spring.

### The camping is next to familial native camps.

It is prohibited to use native camps throughout the territory.

Thanks for keeping the site and water access unobstructed at all times.



## TERRITORY

Since it has more than 5,000 lakes, it is very difficult to ensure quality access and up-to-date information for all water bodies.

Several users circulate and occupy the territory, which can accelerate the deterioration of the roads. Thus, it is not possible to guarantee the condition of the paths and the water launches. Access is at the customer's own risk.

Access fees are non-refundable.



## RUPERT WELCOME CENTER

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### JUNE TO SEPTEMBER

Open from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday to Saturday

### OFF SEASON

Phone calls and emails are answered on Wednesdays from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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