Lake Narrative

East Stoner Lake

Survey Date: June 20, 2018

Lake Description

East Stoner Lake is 82.14 acres. It is located in the town of Arietta, Fulton County and lies in the Mohawk watershed. The team launched at a private residence on the southwest corner of the lake.

Aquatic Invasive Plant Presence

No invasive plants were detected.

Native Plant Biota

Comprehensive surveys of all native plants found within the pond were not prioritized in 2018, as this data had been previously collected in 2015 when the lake was first surveyed. East Stoner Lake is essentially shaped like a bowl and is deeper along the northern shoreline. The southern shoreline is shallow and the bottom substrate consists of hard sand and gravel. *Brasenia schreberi* (watershield) and *Nymphaea odorata* (white water lily) were abundant in the northeast corner of the lake, where the water was shallow. In the southwest corner of the lake, *Utricularia purpurea* (large purple bladderwort) dominated the lake bottom.

Aquatic Invasive Animal Presence

Sediment sieves were taken to determine the presence of *Corbicula fluminea* (Asian clams). None were found. Three plankton tows were also conducted with no invasive plankton detected.





