

MUST BE PULLED!!

Help PLWA Eradicate This Weed



Himalayan Balsam

A Prohibited Noxious Weed

An escaped ornamental, this fast growing aggressive weed has invaded the shores of Pigeon Lake. It grows between .6 to 2 metres tall rapidly out-competing other plants. Once developed, the seed capsules are very brittle and explode upon contact.

Disposal: Pull, bag, seal and dispose in a landfill bound garbage. NEVER put invasive plants in the compost. This plant has a shallow root system and can be controlled by hand-pulling. Cut stems do re-grow from the roots.

Join the PLWA Team: The PLWA is taking a leadership role in eradicating this weed from around Pigeon Lake. Volunteers are required for Beach Captains and shore patrols. **Contact:** donald_d@telus.net

