

Vermont State Parks Off-Season Access



NORTHWEST	
Alburg Dunes	West gate (Coon Point entrance) is open beginning in October; East and center gates open for VAST trail during mobile season; East gate (Poor Farm entrance) opens for ice-fishing access
Grand Isle	Open through town road but gate is closed at Rt. 2; Plowed to boat launch for ice fishing access
Kamp Kill Kare	Gate is open and road is plowed to parking lot. Port-o-let toilets available during ice fishing season
Knight Point	Gate is open and access is plowed to maintenance shop area; Partial plowed parking for ice fishing and trail access
Lake Carmi	Gate is open and one bathroom opens early to accommodate walleye fishing; Plowed to boat launch area for ice fishing access. Campground access road is part of a VAST trail.
Niquette Bay	Gate is open. Entrance and parking lot plowed; Port-a-lets are provided in parking lot
North Hero	Gate is open; Access road usually plowed to day beach and boat launch; Camp loops not plowed
Sand Bar	Gate is open; parking lot is plowed and port-a-lets are provided
Underhill	Gate remains open until first snow. Thereafter, road is plowed to within one mile of the gate; turn-around and some parking space provided.
NORTHEAST	
Brighton	Open for deer and moose hunting, then the gate is closed; a VAST trail connects with the park through the beach area
Crystal Lake	Gate is open and is plowed around the contact station
Elmore	Lower access is open and plowed for events by organizers; park is open for deer season
Green River Reservoir	Upper parking is plowed
Kettle Pond	Plowed parking
Little River	Gate is open from Novem 1 through muzzle loading season
Maidstone	Gate is open for VAST trail; day use parking is open and plowed for ice fishing access
New Discovery	Parking area is plowed. Park is open for deer season.
Seyon Lodge	Open
Smugglers Notch	Park gate is closed but Ski Dorm lot is open for Stone Hut visitors
Groton Nature Center	Plowed parking
Overlook in Groton	Plowed parking
Northern Parking Area in Groton	Plowed parking
SOUTHWEST	
Button Bay	Fishing access is plowed throughout winter
Emerald Lake	Plowed to maintenance shop
Woodford	Plowed parking is available on Route 9 across from park for ski and snowmobile access
SOUTHEAST	
Allis	Access either from the gate at the end of State Park Road or from the intersection of State Park Road and Rt 66 if State Park Rd is not plowed
Camp Plymouth	Plowed parking available just south of park entrance.
Coolidge	Plowed parking is VAST parking lot on Ranger's Road .4 miles from intersection of Coolidge State Park Road and Route 100A
Ft. Dummer	Access at the main gate. Please do not block the snow plow turnaround or the gate.
Gifford Woods	Access open through off season access at maintenance shop, 515 VT Rt. 100
Jamaica	Plowed parking
Mt. Ascutney	Brownsville, Windsor and Weathersfield trailheads are plowed; parking for campground access is provided from a plowed pull-off just outside the entrance
Quechee	Access and parking is available at the Quechee Gorge Visitor Center
Wilgus	Park gate is locked. Do not block the gate or entrance. Parking available .1 mile south on the opposite side of Route 5.