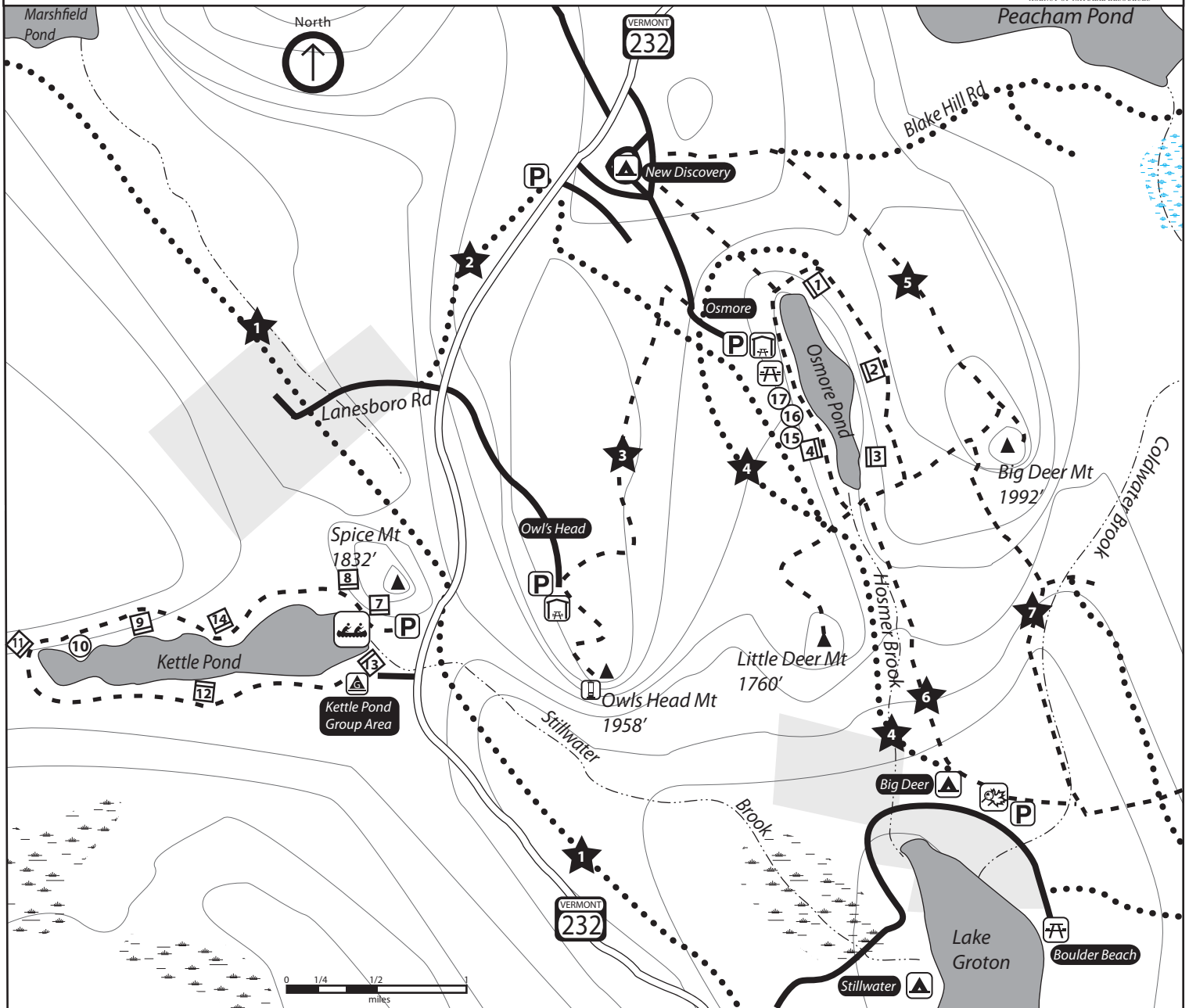


# Groton State Forest Remote Campsites

Peacham and Groton, Vermont



### Remote Campsites accessible by foot or boat only

- Remote lean-to campsite
- Remote tent campsite
- Foot Trail
- Multi-Use Trail (state forest highways labeled as such)
- Federal or State Highway
- Local Road
- Wetland

Shaded areas are private lands  
Contour interval 100 feet

### LEGEND

- State park campground
- Picnic area
- Picnic shelter
- State park group campground
- Parking
- Observation point
- Cartop boat Launch
- Groton Nature Center

### Trail Index

- 1 Montpelier & Wells River Rail Trail/  
Cross Vermont Trail
- 2 Rail Trail Connector
- 3 Owl's Head Trail
- 4 Telephone Line Multi Use Trail
- 5 Big Deer Mt. Trail
- 6 Hosmer Brook Trail
- 7 Coldwater Brook Trail

*this map is intended for informational purposes only not survey accurate*

## Osmore Pond Recreation Area

*Operating Season:*

*Memorial Day Weekend to Columbus Day*

Osmore Pond is a 48-acre undeveloped pond with a recreation area accessible through New Discovery State Park. No internal combustion engines are allowed on the pond. There is a log-framed picnic shelter and a picnic area at the end of the road on the west side of the pond. Hiking trails to a number of destinations in Groton State Forest originate from here.

There are four remote lean-to sites and three campsites along the shores of Osmore Pond. The sites are accessible only by hiking or boating, and are equipped with a fireplace and picnic table. There is a "boat to remote" package for those without a boat, which includes overnight camping and boat rental.

## Kettle Pond State Park

*Operating Season:*

*Memorial Day Weekend to Columbus Day*

Kettle Pond is a 109-acre undeveloped pond accessible off of VT Route 232. There are seven remote lean-to sites with fireplaces and one tent site with a fire ring. All sites are accessible by boat or hiking trail. A group camping area is located on the southeastern shore.

Both Osmore and Kettle Ponds offer an opportunity to view a variety of wildlife, such as loons and moose. Osmore Pond is stocked with brook trout, while Kettle Pond is stocked with rainbow trout. There are miles of hiking and multi-use trails in Groton State Forest.

## Recreation in Groton State Forest

- Groton Nature Center- exhibits, programs and self-guided trails
- Camping at Big Deer, Stillwater and Ricker Pond State Parks
- Swimming, picnics and boat rentals at Boulder Beach State Park
- Camping, horse camping, horse trails at New Discovery State Park
- Fly fishing, functions, lodging and dining at Seyon Lodge State Park
- Picnicking and group functions at Owl's Head Recreation Area or Osmore Pond Recreation Area

**For More Information, contact  
New Discovery State Park  
4239 VT Rt. 232  
Marshfield, VT 05658  
(802) 426-3042 (Operating Season)**

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# Remote Camping In Groton State Forest



*Operating Season  
Memorial Day Weekend - Columbus Day*

*Lean-to Shelters  
Campsites*

Groton State Forest Recreation Area

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