

# Winter Activities

## Winter Camping

Camping is available on request. Please contact the Alberta Parks office.

## Cross-country Skiing

There are 3.8 km of cross-country ski trails. The trails are not patrolled and skiers should be prepared for emergencies. A warm-up shelter with woodstove is available in the day use area.

## Walking

There are 3 km of trail ploughed for walkers and hikers.

## Snowshoeing

There is a 1.2 km designated snowshoe trail. Snowshoers are also welcome to explore the park in open or forested areas. Please do not snowshoe on cross-country ski trails.

## Snowmobiling

Snowmobiling is not permitted anywhere in the park.

## Ski Trails

### Moose Trail

● Easy – 1.3 km

This loop provides a scenic tour through the northeast part of the park, leading you through saskatoon shrubs which support populations of moose, deer, snowshoe hare and other small mammals.

### Hare Trail

● Easy – 2.5 km

Enjoy an excellent view of Little Lake while travelling on this loop through the southeast part of the park.

## Snowshoe Trails

### Shoreline Trail

■ Intermediate – 1.2 km

This linear trail follows the scenic lakeshore.

## Walking Trails

### Little Lake Trail

● Easy – 1.3 km

This loop trail winds down to Little Lake bird-viewing platform through a combination of aspen stands, saskatoon shrubs, and an open meadow. Even during the cold winter months, numerous bird species can be sighted.

### Lakeshore Trail

● Easy – 1.3 km

This linear trail connects the boat hand launch to the trailhead parking lot and grants access to the Campground Trail. It passes through the open day-use and beach areas, then winds through shoreline vegetation including many aspen, alder, and willow trees.

### Campground Trail

● Easy – 600 m

This linear trail meanders through Loops A and B in the campground, joining up with the Beach Trail at the Group Use Area.

# Contact

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10320 99 Street  
Grande Prairie, AB  
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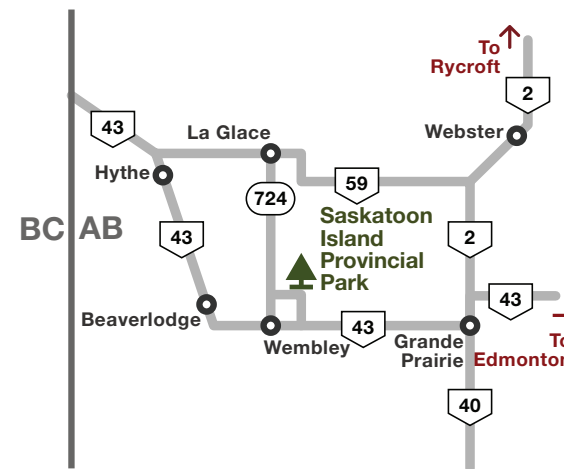
Monday to Friday, 8:15 am – 4:30 pm  
Phone: 780-538-5350

**Provincial Park Visitor Information**  
Web: [albertaparks.ca](http://albertaparks.ca)  
Toll-Free: 1-877-537-2757

**Fire Bans in Alberta**  
Web: [albertaparks.ca/firebans](http://albertaparks.ca/firebans)

**Illegal Activity/Public Safety (24/7)**  
Phone: 310-LAND (5263)

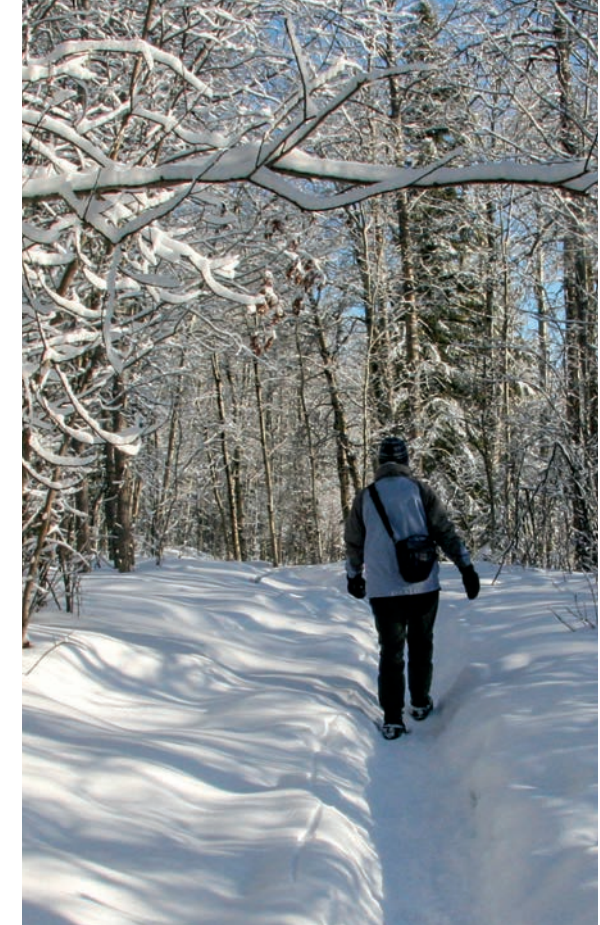
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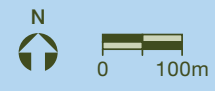
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## Winter Trails



	Amphitheatre		Parking
	Drinking Water		Playground
	Electrical Hook-up		Picnic Area
	Firewood		Picnic Shelter
	Group Camping		Registration Booth
	Hand Boat Launch		Sewage Dumping
	Hiking Trail		Shower
	Interpretive Trail		Washrooms
	Information		Wheelchair Accessible



# Visitor Guidelines

Frostbite and hypothermia are real dangers in winter. Be sure you are prepared before you head outside. Dress in layers and wear a hat. Carry extra socks and a sweater.

Please respect wildlife and other visitors by following these guidelines:

- Keep your dog on a leash and off the ski track.
- Obey all signs.
- Use the fire pits and stoves provided at shelters and picnic areas.
- Pack out all your garbage and leave no trace of your passing.
- Alcohol is not permitted.

When cross-country skiing:

- Ski on the right, pass on the left.
- Step off the trail to the right when stopping.
- Downhill traffic has the right of way.
- Use caution when approaching steep slopes and bridges.

For information on winter conditions, especially after heavy snow or severe weather, please contact the Alberta Parks office.

Saskatoon Island winter trails map