

State Forest State Park



Winter 2024

State Forest State Park is the ultimate in rugged Colorado, and offers visitors 71,000 acres of forest, jagged peaks, alpine lakes, wildlife and miles of trails.

There is a better chance of seeing wildlife, including moose, in the early mornings and evenings.

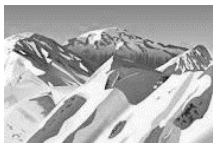
The park is open year round and winter offers winter recreation, including cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, snowmobiling, ice fishing, sledding and more!

Weather: the weather changes quickly and drastically in the mountains, so come prepared for anything. Winter brings snow and colder temps!

For updated weather give us a call during business hours at 970-723-8366.

Special notices:

- Come prepared for warm and cold weather - dress accordingly, if hiking bring plenty of water.
- All events require a State Parks pass (day or CO resident KCW pass), no other entry fee, unless specified.
- Please recreate responsibly.
- Pets are always welcome on a 6' leash.



Winter 2024 programs:

January 27 - Potluck & Ski/

Snowshoe by Moonlight: Potluck begins at 5:30-bring something to share! Then enjoy the Gould Loop trail lit up under the full moon!

Hike/snowshoe/cross-country ski to the Chocolate Cabin for to enjoy the campfire. Snowshoes rented at the Visitor Center - \$5/pair. Hot Chocolate served at the Visitor Center.

February 10 -Ice Fishing Clinic:

10 am-3 pm at North Michigan Reservoir. Bring your own gear, or we can provide poles and augers. Fishing license required for 16+. Dress for the weather!

February 24 - Potluck & Ski/

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March/April - bring binoculars or a camera. Enjoy the migratory birds behind the Moose Visitor Center. You are sure to see some of our early spring visitors.

