

Pre-register before you come!

Get onto the snow sooner when you arrive at the park! Come with your waiver filled out:

<http://www.mass.gov/eea/docs/dcr/universal-access/waiver-dcr.pdf>

In the event of poor weather:

Contact the organization listed for activity updates.

Need to cancel? Running late?

Please call the registration number and leave a message!

Notes from the Director

Access Recreation Boston has recently launched an online recreation calendar that will connect accessible recreation providers and participants. Be sure to check out this new resource for fun things to do. You can find the calendar at Access Recreation Boston's website: <http://accessrec.org/>. This is a resource the Universal Access Program will be taking advantage of and I hope you do too!

Tom McCarthy

Make a reservation to go camping in an accessible yurt in 2015!

DCR's Otter River State Forest: 2 Yurts
DCR's Shawme Crowell State Forest: 3 Yurts

July 9-12 and September 10-13

Call the *Universal Access Program* at
413-545-5353

Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation
Universal Access Program
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To:



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Universal Access Program

Winter Schedule

January – March 2015



www.mass.gov/dcr/accessibility

Outdoor Programs



❄️ Weston Ski Track ❄️

Try cross-country skiing, kicksledding and snowshoeing on a groomed course. Call *Stavros Outdoor Access* at 413-259-0009 to sign up. 12–4PM

Sundays: Jan 25, Feb 1,
Feb 8, Feb 22

Monday: Feb 16

❄️ DCR's Wendell State Forest ❄️

Enjoy the winter woods with outdoor skating, cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, and snowmobile rides.

Call *All Out Adventures* at 413-584-2052 to register. 11AM–3PM

Saturdays: Jan 17, Jan 24, Jan 31,
Feb 7, Feb 14, Feb 21

❄️ DCR's Pittsfield State Forest ❄️

Join *Stavros Outdoor Access* for a fun-filled day in Western Mass.

Call 413-259-0009 to sign up.
12–4PM Thursday, Jan 15

❄️ Join us for an April hike! ❄️

Welcome spring with our first hike of the year in Fall River at DCR's Freetown State Forest.

Call *Universal Access* at 413-545-5758 for more information.

Indoor Opportunities on Ice

❄️ Asiaf Rink in Brockton ❄️

Assisted skating using ice sleds and skate walkers during public skating.

Call *All Out Adventures* at 413-584-2052 to register.
1:30PM–3:30PM

Sundays: Jan 11, Jan 25,
Feb 8, Feb 22



Adaptive Skating and Games

Play and socialize on the whole rink! Come in your chair, take a spin on an ice sled or lace up some skates during our program at three locations.

❄️ Cronin Rink in Revere ❄️

Call *Universal Access* at 617-626-1294 to sign up.
11:30AM–1:30PM

Tuesdays: Dec 16, Jan 13,
Feb 17, Mar 10

❄️ Fitzpatrick Rink in Holyoke ❄️

Call *Universal Access* at 413-545-5758 to register.

Saturday, 2:30PM–4:30PM:
Mar 14

Sundays, 11AM–1:30PM:
Jan 18, Feb 15

Friday, 10:30AM–12:30PM:
Feb 20

❄️ Driscoll Rink in Fall River ❄️

Call *All Out Adventures* at 413-584-2052 to sign up. 11AM–1PM
Thursday, Feb 5



Sled Skate on Your Own: Ice sleds are available during public skating hours at DCR rinks in the following cities and towns:
Auburn, Boston, Brighton, Brockton, Cambridge,

Charlestown, Fall River, Franklin, Greenfield, Holyoke, Hyde Park, Jamaica Plain, Medford, Newburyport, North Adams, Plymouth, Revere, Roxbury, Somerville, Springfield, Taunton, Weymouth, and Worcester.

Call *Universal Access* at 413-545-5758 for information about rink locations or visit www.mass.gov/eea/agencies/dcr/