

CROSS-COUNTRY SKIING

Janesville in the wintertime provides marked cross-country ski trails at Rockport Park for your exploration and enjoyment. Rockport Park offers the city's most extensive cross-country skiing opportunities with over 6 miles of diverse trails. Trails are color coded for your easy enjoyment. Whether you are up for a competitive challenge or a family outing, you are sure to find it at Rockport. The Friends of Rockport Park provide grooming of the trails as volunteers are available. Riverside Golf Course personnel groom the trails at Riverside Golf Course as they are able. Parking is available in the main parking lot at the golf course.

If you observe one of our "Trail Closed" signs please abide by its notice. Such postings are made only when necessary and are made for the protection of you and your valued equipment.

Although Rockport Park and Riverside Golf Course offer the only groomed trails, cross-country skiing is allowed in any city park and greenbelt.

A limited number of cross country skis and snow shoes are available for rent on a first come, first served basis through the Parks and Recreation Divisions Office. Call 755-3030 for more information.

ICE FISHING

The everyday watchword for ice fishermen should be "caution". Beware of thin or "black ice". When safe conditions prevail, area fishermen come in numbers to fish Kiwanis Pond, and Lions Pond. Both waters offer a variety of winter fishing opportunities. Ice fishing isn't for everyone, but it is enjoyable and even productive. Give it a try!

CITY SLEDDING HILLS

Sledding opportunities in Janesville include Ardon Park, Palmer Park, Riverside Park and Golf Course, Lustig Park, NE Regional Park and Rockport Park. None of the hills are supervised or lighted. Ardon Park is located on Liberty Lane, behind the Janesville Mall. Parking is available at the base of the hill. The other city parks have hills that may be used for sledding and have limited parking. **Caution is advised.** Sledding can be hazardous. Always ensure that you have a wide and unobstructed path to travel.

SNOWMOBILING

Snowmobiling is prohibited within the city of Janesville, including in all city parks as well as the greenbelts. Rock County, however, has over 3,500 registered snowmobiles and many local snowmobile clubs to serve them. Their clubs have unified under the Rock County Alliance of Snowmobile Clubs and can provide new members the opportunity to join 350 fellow families in riding over 58 miles of marked and groomed trails they offer. Call the Rock County Parks Department at 757-5450 for more information, or for current trail conditions visit the following web site: http://www.travelwisconsin.com/Snow_report.aspx/Snowmobile#/Report

ROCK COUNTY WINTER PARKS. Questions? Call 757-5450

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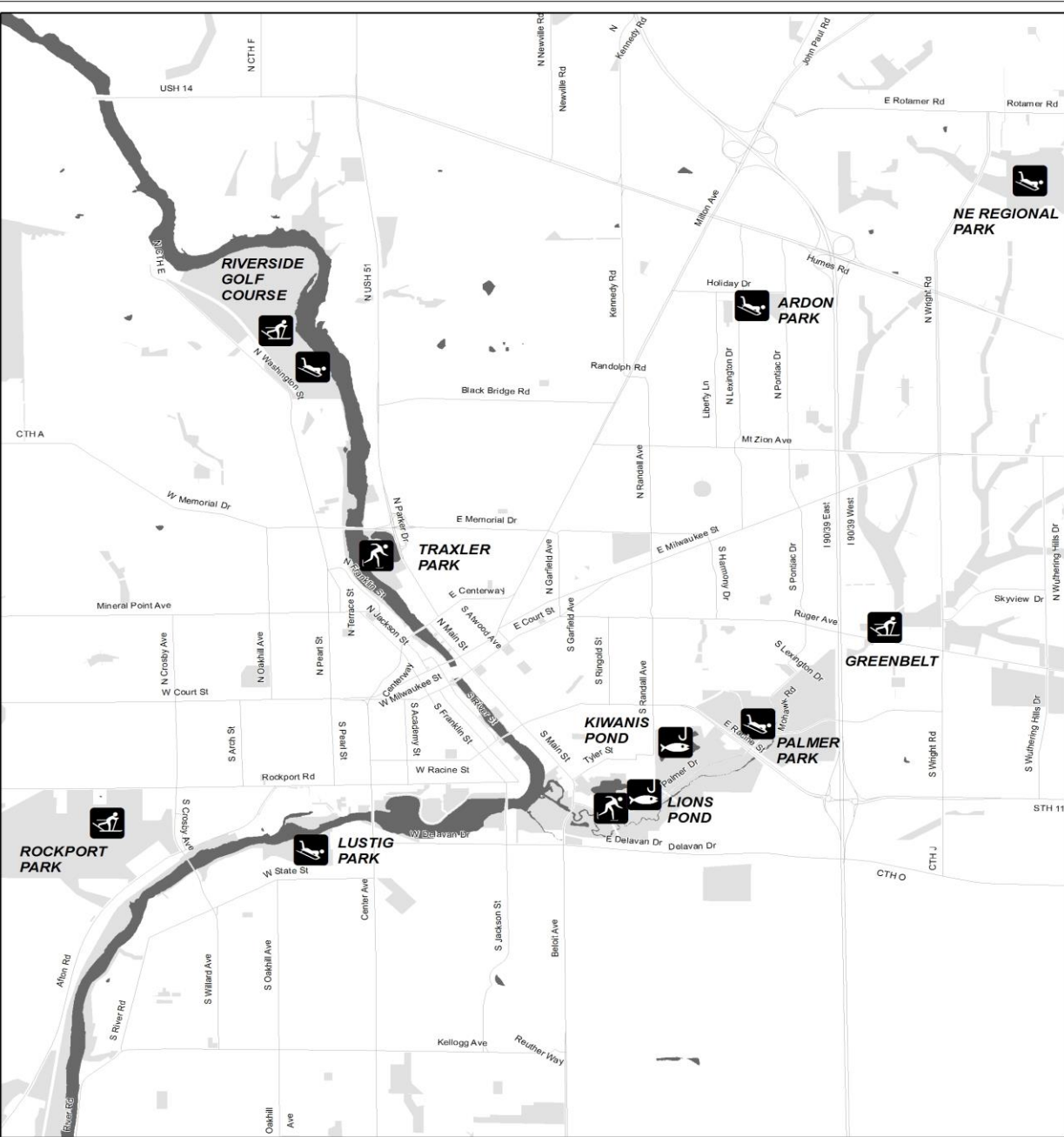
Gibbs Lake: Beginner and Intermediate

Magnolia Bluff: Expert

Carver-Roehl: Short Scenic Beginner and Intermediate

ICE FISHING

Gibbs Lake, Koshkonong Lake/Royce Dallman Park



	Sledding: Ardon Park, Riverside Golf Course, Lustig Park, Palmer Park, NE Regional Park		Cross Country Skiing: Rockport Park, Riverside Golf Course, Greenbelt
	Ice Fishing: Kiwanis Pond, Lions Pond		Ice Skating: Traxler Park, Lions Pond

JANESVILLE WINTER OUTDOOR FUN



Janesville Winter Guide To Outdoor Recreation

“We encourage your use of these outdoor winter facilities. They are for your enjoyment. They are truly an excellent way for the entire family to recreate together. Enjoy yourself. These park areas are unsupervised. Please recreate safely and report any hazards or concerns you may have.”

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