

SIBLEY LAKE SKIER'S COMMON SENSE GUIDE

- * Always maintain control, and be able to stop or avoid other people or objects.
- * People ahead of you have the right of way. It is your responsibility to avoid them.
- * Dogs are not allowed on Sibley Trails.
- * Stop in areas where you are visible to others, do not obstruct a trail.
- * Fill in your sitzmarks (snow divots you create when stopping!)
- * Take time to read and understand signs and posted warnings.
- * Snowshoers stay on the packed portion of the trail and avoid the ski tracks.



As a user of National Forest System lands, you have significant responsibility for your personal safety while skiing these trails. The nature of this sport creates constantly changing situations involving risks and hazards to participants.

Snow trails in mountainous terrain, whether groomed or not, present the potential for innumerable hazards. Be alert and prepared for rapidly changing weather conditions, visibility, and snow surface conditions. These may affect and alter the level of risk or hazard to the skier.

More information on ski trails and other winter activities available in the Bighorn National Forest may be obtained at any of the following District Offices:

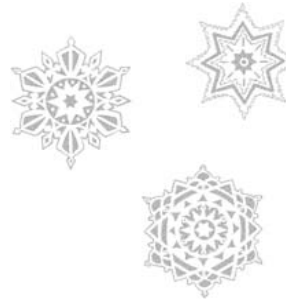
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DID YOU KNOW.....

The Sibley Lake Ski Trails has approximately 15 miles of groomed trails that average from 7700' to 8400' in elevation. The system offers an interesting variety of loops and tours for all skiers. A warming hut nestled in the lodge pole and spruce forest provides skiers a sheltered opportunity to relax, eat lunch, and enjoy the peaceful surroundings. Bring the family!

A TIDBIT OF HISTORY



Turn of the century woodsmen called "tie hackers" cut timber in this area to supply rail ties for the westerly expanding railroad companies. Today you can observe present-day logging activity in the same area. Several Sibley Lake Ski Trails follow timber roads, both old and new.

Sibley Lake Ski Trails are well marked with blue diamonds on the trees and directional maps are posted at the trail intersections.

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SIBLEY LAKE CROSS-COUNTRY SKI TRAILS

25 miles SW of Dayton on
US Highway 14 in the
Bighorn National Forest



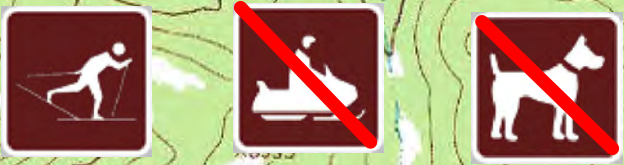
Donations are appreciated
and will help assure trail
grooming continues.

Thank You!

Grooming compliments of the
Black Mountain Nordic Club



Sibley Lake Ski Trails



Listed distances are estimated



0 0.1 0.2 Miles

Legend

- Ski Level Difficulty**
- Easiest
 - More Difficult
 - ◆ Most Difficult
 - Ski Trails
- Other Symbols:**
- Skate Ski Route
 - Restroom