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CAUTION

- Unpredictable weather may occur at any time of the year. Be self-sufficient and prepared for storms, poor visibility and an unexpected overnight stay.
- Expect difficult travel through snow/ice on high elevation trails and over wind fall on low elevation trails during the early season.
- Natural hazards exist on the trails all year. Be aware of dead standing trees near backcountry campsites and other facilities. Use at your own risk.
- Trail assessments / clearing have not yet been completed on some trails, see comments column below.

General Information

- The backcountry of our Provincial Parks is **user maintained**.
- Garbage removal service is not available. Please help by packing out all of your garbage as well as any garbage left behind by others.
- Bear proof containers are for overnight users to store of food and scented items only, they are not for use as garbage receptacles.
- Please use the pit toilets provided.
- Please stay on trails to prevent trail braiding and impacts to the environment.
- **Fires in the backcountry are prohibited.**
- Unless noted otherwise, the use of ATVs are prohibited in Provincial Parks.
- Expect annual campfire restrictions from July 15 to September 15.

Always remember to have pets on a leash for their safety and the safety of others.

Trail Difficulty Definitions

The ratings are determined based on the length of the trail section, change in elevation and trail type for the average Park Visitor, distances and time are only estimates.

Trail Difficulty Rating:

E - Easy; **M** - Moderate; **S** - Strenuous

Trail Type Rating

Type I: 1.5 to 2.5 m wide, paved, crushed gravel or board walk, less than 10% grade.

Type II: 1.5 m wide, gravel surfacing in wet areas, up to 15% grade.

Type III: 0.5 m wide, grade greater than 15%.

Type IV: up to 0.3 m wide, lightly used wilderness trail, tread as worn not grubbed out, infrequent maintenance.

Cultus Lake Provincial Park Trails

TRAILS	Estimated Distance One-way(Km)	Estimated Time One-way(Hours)	Estimated Elevation Gained(meters)	Trail Type	Rate	Trail Condition	Comments/Trail Safety Information
<u>Teapot Hill</u>	2.42km	60 min	250m	III	M	Open/Good	Watch for Landslide area signs. Avoid stopping on trail within "No Stopping" area. Landslide Area Hazardous during periods of heavy rain or during the winter months.
<u>Seven Sisters</u>	1.66km	60 min	120m	III	E	Open/Good	
<u>Horse Trail</u>	10km	2 hrs	280m	I	E	Open/Good	Watch for Landslide area signs. Avoid stopping on trail within "No Stopping" area. Landslide Area Hazardous during periods of heavy rain or during the winter months.
<u>Giant Douglas Fir</u>	0.60km	20 min	76m	III	M	Open/Good	Trail connects with Clear Creek campground. Stay to the right to see the Giant Douglas fir.
<u>Maple Bay</u>	1.20km	30 min	35m	II	E	Open/Good	Trail begins near day use area parking lot. Trail crosses the road and takes you to Columbia Valley Highway. Cross the bridge and the trail resumes taking you to the Maple Bay boat launch.
International Ridge	2.10km	1-2hrs		IV	S	Unknown	Not maintained by BC Parks. Have received reports of numerous wind-felled trees along this trail.

Chilliwack Lake Provincial Park Trails

TRAILS	Estimated Distance One-way (Km)	Estimated Time One-way (Hours)	Estimated Elevation Gained (meters)	Trail Type	Rate	Trail Condition	Comments/Trail Safety Information
<u>Lindeman Lake</u>	1.68km	1.0 hr	300m	III	M	Open/Good	<p>Post Creek Parking lot is closed for the season. Users should use caution and park along Chilliwack Lake road. Expect snow travel at high elevations. There are tent pads, a bear proof food cache and pit toilet at the South end of the lake. Online payment required for backcountry camping. 'Pack it in, Pack it out' principles apply. Fires are NOT permitted</p>
<u>Greendrop Lake</u>	6.00km	3-4 hr	910m	III	M	Open/Good	<p>This trail has recently been rerouted for better access and a new bridge added across the creek crossing. Please follow trail markers. Expect snow travel at high elevations. There are 3 tent pads, a bear proof food cache and a pit toilet, located at the lake. Be aware of early season run off diverting trail between Lindeman and Greendrop lakes; follow markers. Online payment required for backcountry camping. 'Pack it in, Pack it out' principles apply. Fires are NOT permitted</p>
<u>Flora Lake</u>	7km	5-6 hr	1136m	III	S	Open/Not yet assessed	<p>There are 2 cedar tent pads located at the lake. Trail markings limited on scree slopes. Fires are NOT permitted. Expect snow travel at high elevations.</p>
<u>Radium Lake</u>	8.0km	4-6hrs	910m	IV	S	Open/Not yet assessed	<p>2 tent pads, a bear proof food cache and a pit toilet have been installed in the wooded area on the East side of the lake. Fires are NOT permitted. Expect muddy sections and slippery deck surfaces throughout trail and snow travel at high elevations.</p>

Skagit Valley Provincial Park Trails

Check road conditions before leaving. As of November 28, 2017 Silver Skagit Road is closed until further notice due to washout at km 12. Ministry of Transportation and contractors are currently working on repairs.

TRAILS	Estimated Distance One-way (Km)	Estimated Time One way (Hours)	Estimated Elevation Gained (meters)	Trail Type	Rate	Trail Condition	Comments/Trail Safety Information
Chittenden Meadows Trail	1.50km	1 hr	48m	I	E	Open/Good	Beautiful trail in early/late season. Known for abundance of mosquitoes between August and mid-September. Expect snow travel at high elevations.
Chittenden Meadows Connector Trail	1.7km	0.25 hr	40m	I	E	Open/Not yet assessed.	Trail starts at Ross Lake campground site #1. Trail exits onto Silver Skagit road, 750m from suspension bridge. Expect snow travel at high elevations.
Skagit River Trail	14.5km	4-6 hrs	50 m	II	E	Open/Not yet assessed	Trail access via Sumallo Grove in Manning Park or Skagit River trail head in Skagit Valley Park. Expect snow travel at high elevations.
Skyline II Trail	13km	4 hrs	610m	III	S	Open/Partially Snow Covered (Manning)	Expect high elevation snow travel. Trail leaves Skagit Valley Park, continuing on into Manning Park via Skyline I Trail.
Centennial Trail	14km	4 hrs	50m	IV	E	Open/Good	Some brushy sections. Expect snow travel at high elevations.
Nepopekum Creek Trail	2km	0.5 hr	20m	II	E	Open/Good	New parking area at trailhead thanks to Emil Anderson Maintenance. Expect snow travel at high elevations.
Galene Lakes Trail	15 km	8-12 hrs	1250m	IV	S	Open/Poor	Unmaintained. Trail in poor condition, is difficult to follow and is not recommended for travel. Extremely limited water access. A personal navigation device is strongly recommended. Expect snow travel at high elevations.

Coquihalla Summit Recreation Area Trails

TRAILS	Estimated Distance One-way (Km)	Estimated Time One-way (Hours)	Estimated Elevation Gained (meters)	Trail Type	Rate	Trail Condition	Comments/Trail Safety Information
Fall's Lake Trail	0.90km	0.30 hr	40m	II	M	Open/Snow covered	<p>There are 2 tent pads located at the lake. A bear proof food cache and a pit toilet is located up the trail to the East.</p> <p>Expect Snow travel and do not travel on unstable ice surfaces.</p> <p>'Pack it in, Pack it out' principles apply.</p> <p style="background-color: yellow;">NO fires and no ATV'S permitted at this site.</p>
Zoa Peak Trail	5.50km	3-4 hr	635m	III	M	Open/Snow Covered	<p>Trail begins at Fall's Lake parking lot. Travel up the pipeline road to access. Beginning of trail marked with sign on pipeline access road. Always be prepared for extreme high elevation weather. Expect Snow Travel.</p>
Needle Peak Trail	6.50km	4-5 hr	882 m	III	S	Open/Good	<p>Expect snow travel. Runoff at trailhead creek crossing may be high. Limited water access on trail during summer months. Always be prepared for extreme high elevation weather. Expect Snow Travel. NO fires permitted at this site.</p>

Coquihalla Canyon Provincial Park

TRAILS	Estimated Distance One-way(Km)	Estimated Time One-way (Hours)	Estimated Elevation Gained (meters)	Trail Type	Rate	Trail Condition	Comments/Trail Safety Information
<u>Othello Tunnels</u>	1.75km	0.30 hr	10m	III	E	Closed for season	Flashlights are recommended. Angling prohibited year round. Swimming not advised upstream of tunnels.
Hope Nicola Loop Trail	5.45km	2-3 hr	473m	II	M	Open/Poor	Trail begins on the West side of the Othello Tunnels parking lot Loop cannot be completed as Othello Tunnels are currently closed. Please use trail as out and back only. Trail has a number of large trees down making travel difficult. Trail is not passable on horseback at this time. .