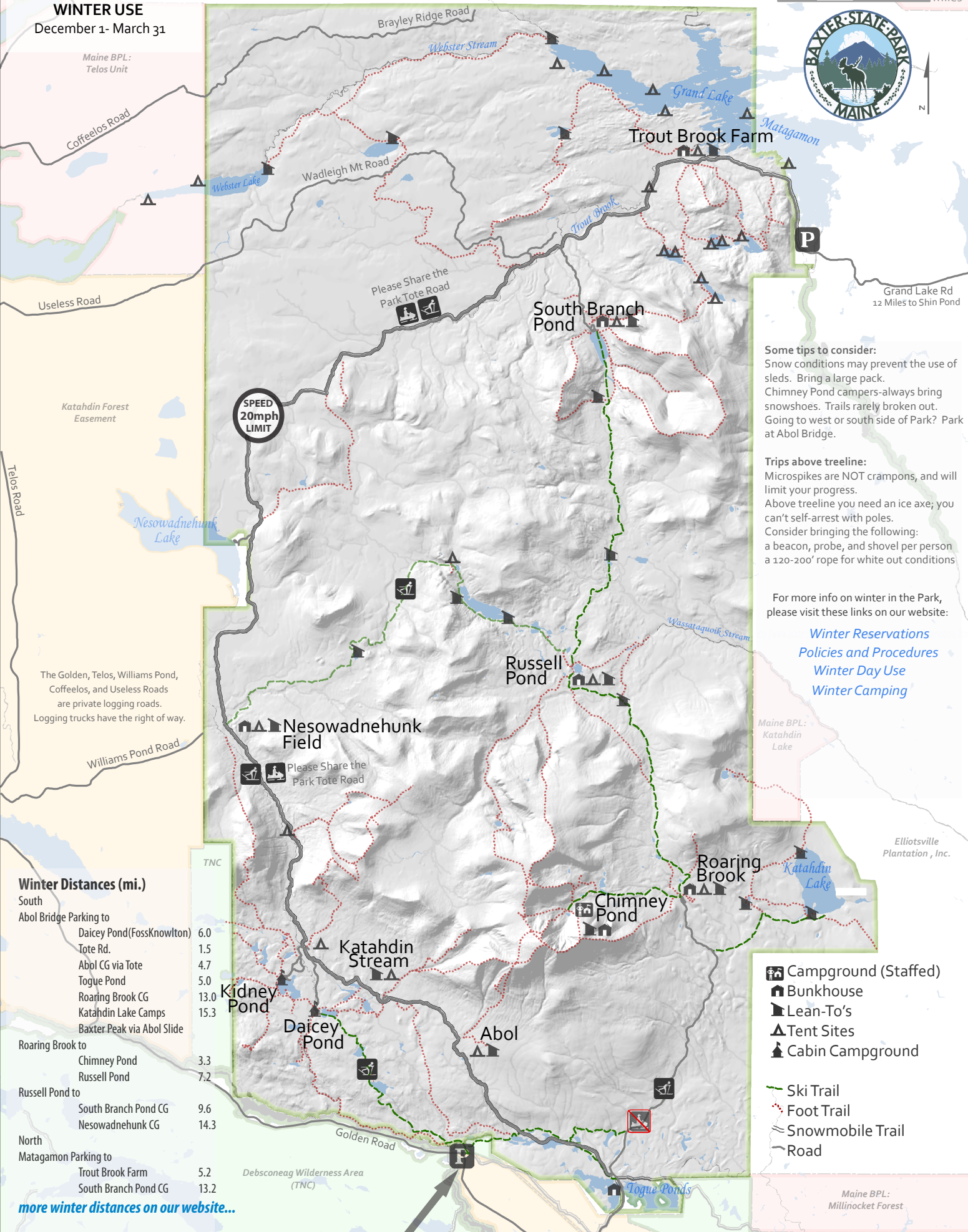


BAXTER STATE PARK

WINTER USE

December 1- March 31



Some tips to consider:
 Snow conditions may prevent the use of sleds. Bring a large pack.
 Chimney Pond campers-always bring snowshoes. Trails rarely broken out.
 Going to west or south side of Park? Park at Abol Bridge.

Trips above treeline:
 Microspikes are NOT crampons, and will limit your progress.
 Above treeline you need an ice axe; you can't self-arrest with poles.
 Consider bringing the following:
 a beacon, probe, and shovel per person
 a 120-200' rope for white out conditions

For more info on winter in the Park, please visit these links on our website:

- [Winter Reservations](#)
- [Policies and Procedures](#)
- [Winter Day Use](#)
- [Winter Camping](#)

Winter Distances (mi.)

Direction	From	To	Distance (mi.)
South	Abol Bridge Parking to	Dacey Pond (Foss/Knowlton)	6.0
		Tote Rd.	1.5
		Abol CG via Tote	4.7
		Togue Pond	5.0
		Roaring Brook CG	13.0
		Katahdin Lake Camps	15.3
		Baxter Peak via Abol Slide	
Roaring Brook to	Chimney Pond	3.3	
	Russell Pond	7.2	
	South Branch Pond CG	9.6	
Russell Pond to	South Branch Pond CG	9.6	
	Nesowadnehunk CG	14.3	
North	Matagamon Parking to	Trout Brook Farm	5.2
		South Branch Pond CG	13.2

[more winter distances on our website...](#)

- Campground (Staffed)
- Bunkhouse
- Lean-To's
- Tent Sites
- Cabin Campground

- Ski Trail
- Foot Trail
- Snowmobile Trail
- Road



The Dike
 State Road plowed no further north, take Golden Road to Abol Bridge
 (8 miles to Millinocket)