

# Seasonal Trail Closures

## Winter Trail Restrictions

### Seasonal Closures for bikes and horses

(11/1-4/14)

Calloway Creek Trail

Extendo Trail

Intensive Management Trail

### \*Closed When Wet

Vineyard Mountain Trail

Dave's Trail

Firehouse Trail

Beautiful Trail

Hansel & Gretle Trail

No Secret Trail

Secret's Out Trail

\*Use of trails in the "Closed When Wet" category is not allowed when travel will result in leaving a track in the mud, or when there is significant standing water on the trail.

Wet and muddy trails are more at risk to damage than dry trails. **Trails are built and maintained by volunteers. Protect their efforts by traveling carefully during the wet season.**

## Dos and Don'ts for Winter Trail Use

DO travel through puddles , rather than around them, to avoid widening the trail—that's what your waterproof shoes are for!

DON'T cut switchbacks—stay on the main trail route

DO travel single file unless the trail is wide enough so that neither person is walking on the trail edge

DON'T ride (bikes or horses) or walk/run on a muddy trail\*

DON'T skid your tires! Loose powdery dirt from skidding tires, even in the drier months, is easily washed away during rain events

When encountering a horse, DO announce your presence to the rider, then step off the trail to the downhill side

When safe to do so, DO climb over obstacles like fallen trees, rather than traveling around them (and [report fallen trees to Forest Staff](#))

DO share friendly greetings with fellow trail users!

