



FAT BIKE TRAILS

Bootcamp .5 mi

BOOTCAMP: Bootcamp is a great place to start your fatbiking adventure. This familyfriendly green trail can be ridden in both directions with only 13 feet of elevation change along the way.

Kitty Cat 1.0 mi

KITTY CAT: This green trail can be used as both an uphill and a downhill trail. This trail meanders down the north side of the mountain with gentle rollers and long, straight sections that allow its' riders to cruise and enjoy beautiful forest views. For those with the aerobic determination, Kitty Cat serves as the uphill fat biking route to the mountaintop trail head. This trail is also the snowshoers route to reach the Northface trail. Exercise caution on this mixed-use trail.

Kitty Connector .08 mi

KITTY CONNECTOR: After riding the Sarajevo Express to the summit, this trail leads you to all the downhill fatbiking options. Follow the signs to find the perfect place to drop in.

Leapfrog 2.0 mi

LEAPFROG: LeapFrog is a flowy intermediate trail designed to help riders hone their skills. Riders will encounter rollers, berms, and jump opportunities. All features are rollable so that riders can work up to jumping. Much like the name of the trail suggests, LeapFrog provides a great opportunity for riders to practice their leaping skills.

Lower Norway 1.0 mi

NORWAY: This trail can be accessed from the Oslo nordic trail on the south end or near the end of Ribbit Three and ridden in either direction. It offers beautiful views of northern Minnesota's finest forests, with glimpses of Wynne Lake in the distance. Ride the upper and lower sections to create a two-plus-mile loop.

Upper Norway .69 mi

UPPER NORWAY: Diverging near the start of Ribbit Three, this cross-country trail leads riders through the forests to the south and eventually ends near the Oslo nordic trail. Here riders can continue onto lower Norway to return back to the heart of the recreation area. This trail can be ridden in either direction, but is most often ridden from north to south.

Ribbit One .28 mi

RIBBIT ONE: The first of three sections of trail that pop in and out of Tadpole. These sections are designed to give beginners a place to start their downhill fat bike experience, with an introduction to small berms and tabletop jumps with ride-arounds on a gentle wide-open trail.

Ribbit Two .29 mi

RIBBIT TWO: The second of three sections of trail that pop in and out of Tadpole. These sections are designed to give beginners a place to start their downhill fat bike experience, with an introduction to small berms and tabletop jumps with ride-arounds on a gentle wide-open trail.

Ribbit Three .29 mi

RIBBIT THREE: The trail diverges from Tadpole, and serves as a gateway to the cross country riding on the south side of Giants Ridge. Before getting onto the cross country system, riders will encounter more fun berms and rollers.

Tadpole 1.0 mi

TADPOLE: This trail starts out mellow and gradually progresses in difficulty throughout the ride. This trail has man-made rollers, berms, and forgiving jump opportunities. This trail provides beginner riders a place to practice and progress before heading to Leapfrog. It is worth noting that while Tadpole is a green trail that is suited for beginners, it can be challenging for riders who are new to downhill fat biking.

SNOWSHOE TRAILS

Narrows 1.3 mi

NARROWS: The Narrows trail traverses the narrowest portion of the river between Wynne and Sabin Lakes. Accessible from the Mesabi Trail (snowmobile trail in the winter), the Narrows Trail begins to the south of the main entrance to the Giants Ridge alpine area. Considered a beginner-level snowshoe, the Narrows trail takes hikers on a true 'woods and waters' hike. Adventure seekers will experience landscapes reminiscent of the Boundary Waters Canoe Wilderness Area, even though snowshoers are just steps from the base of Giants Ridge.

Northface 1.2 mi

NORTHFACE: This northern route up the mountain departs from the hillside of the main chalet. The trail enters the woods on a fatbike trail called Kitty Cat. The trail follows Kitty Cat until past the alpine area and then diverges into a winding path up and around the backside of the mountain and leads to the mountaintop trailhead.

Sleeping Giant 1.1 mi

SLEEPING GIANT: Accessible from the Bronze nordic trail, on the south side of the alpine area, the trail departs the nordic trail on the west side and ascends through the forest to the top of the mountain. After passing many of the nordic and fat bike trails, the Sleeping Giant arrives at the mountaintop trailhead where snowshoers can then go back down the same direction, or go down the North Face Trail.



WINTER TRAILS