SOUTH DAKOTA
GAME, FISH and PARKS
Winter Activities in SD State Parks
Cross Country Skiing

- Adams Homestead and Nature Preserve
- Custer
- Farm Island
- George S. Mickelson Trail
- LaFramboise Island
- Lake Herman
- Newton Hills
- Oakwood Lakes
- Pelican Lake
- Richmond Lake
- Union Grove
Cross County Skiing at Adams

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nlCEAURf7Hk
Snowshoes

- Snowshoes are available to check out at the following parks.
  - Big Sioux
  - Custer
  - Farm Island
  - Fort Sisseton
  - Good Earth
  - Indian Creek
  - Newton Hills
  - Oakwood Lakes
  - Richmond Lake
  - West Whitlock
Snowshoeing at Good Earth State Park

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1cgbZ6NnjrA&t=2s
First Day Hikes
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• National Event with all 50 states participating
• South Dakota has participated for the past 9 years.
• Hikes range from less than a mile to more intense workouts.
• Types of hikes offered in South Dakota include history hikes, birding hikes and snowshoe hikes.
Warming Stations in State Parks

- Big Sioux
- Farm Island
- Fisher Grove
- George S. Mickelson Trail
- Hartford Beach
- Newton Hills
- Oakwood Lakes
- Richmond Lake
Other Winter Activities
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• Special Events ~
  • Christmas at the Homestead, Adams Homestead and Nature Preserve
  • Frontier Christmas, Fort Sisseton
  • Festival of Trees, Custer State Park
  • Cool Kids’ Classic Fishing Derby, Oakwood Lakes State Park
  • Eagles and Bagels Walk in the park, Oahe Downstream

Snowmobiling

Bird and Animal Watching

School Group Visits