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Hard Surfaced Trails

- 1 West Side Trail (2.3 km)
- 2 Waskateena Beach Trail (1.3 km)
- 11 Simon Lehne Trail (2.0 km)
- 14 Main Street Trail (1.3 km)

Natural Terrain Trails

- 3 Old Horse Trail (3.4 km)
- 4 Bay Lake Trail North (2.0 to 4.3 km)
- 5 Bay Lake Trail South (4.0 km)
- 6 Homestead Heritage Trails (4.5 km)
- 7 Northview Trail (2.2 km)
- 8 Nobles Point Shoreline Trail (1.5 km)
- 9 West End Trails (9.2 km)
- 10 Old Baldy Trail (5.3 km)
- 12 Tapawingo Trail (2.5 km)
- 13 Lakeview Trail (3.5 to 4.0 km)
- 15 Deep Bay Nature Trail (4.0 km loop)
- 16 Musker Pond Trail (1.0 km)

Groomed X-Country Ski Trails

- 4 Bay Lake Trail North (2.0 to 4.3 km)
- 5 Bay Lake Trail South (4.0 km)
- 9 West End Trails (9.2 km)
- 10 Old Baldy Trail (5.3 km)
- 17 Candle Lake Golf Resort Trails (6.4 km)



CANDLE LAKE TRAILS DESCRIPTIONS

Camp fires are only allowed where official fire pits are provided. You may encounter wildlife.

Please Pack In/Pack Out to protect our trails, parks, and the environment.

HARD SURFACED TRAILS

1 West Side Trail - - (2.3 km one-way) - easy walking, cycling, stroller friendly. Heading northwest on Hwy 265, starting at Main street. A slight turn north on Bereskin Dr loops around to Tillie Ray Road, then the trail extends parallel to the highway to Lakeview Drive. Connection to the Lakeview Trail on the north end leads to Sandy Bay campground and on the south end (Main St) to the Waskateena trail. This trail passes by Candle Lake Provincial Parks Visitor Reception office and leads to/from the business district.

2 Waskateena Beach Trail - (1.3 km one-way) easy walking/cycling. This is probably the busiest trail in Candle Lake, running along Waskateena Beach and Lakeshore Drive from Simon Lehne Drive to the Parking lot on Depeel Avenue. The trail starts to the east with Jack Revenge bridge, and also runs through the beach recreation area which has numerous day BBQ and picnic areas, as well as covered areas and the new community playground. The trail is hard surfaced and a connector across the beach. To continue west to link to the business area of Candle Lake, continue west on Lakeshore Avenue to Main street, or at Depeel. Walk/cycle south to Main street and stay on the north side of the road designated for pedestrians.

11 Simon Lehne Trail - - (2.0 km one-way) - easy walking, cycling, stroller friendly. This trail, on Simon Lehne Drive from Main St to Ford Rd, connects Holiday Acres & Hayes subdivision, sharing the pavement with vehicular traffic. The trail continues from Ford Rd to Nobles Point subdivision on a hard packed path in the wide ditch with a boardwalk crossing a wet area. The Trail runs beside an old growth forest between Hayes and Nobles Point. This trail allows pedestrian access from Nobles Point, Holiday Acres and Hayes subdivisions to Waskateena Beach, the business district and the Mini Golf. Connection to Main Street Walking/cycling trail, as well as the Northview Trail and then the Nobles Point Shoreline Trail.

14 Main Street Walking/Cycling Trail - (1.3 km one-way) easy for walkers/hikers, roller bladers, longboarders and skate boarding enthusiasts. The only hard/asphalt surface trail, widened specifically to handle pedestrian traffic. Area is marked and designated for walking/cycling traffic to the north portion of Main Street from Simon Lehne to Highway 265 and the business district. Allows pedestrians access to the West Side Trail north and south of Main Street to the west and Simon Lehne Trail to the east. Bring your longboard, skateboard, roller blades, bike or simply walk/run but make sure you enjoy this Candle Lake trail.

HIKING TRAILS

3 Old Horse Trail - - (3.4 km one-way) - this historical trail has moderate terrain for walkers/hikers, snowshoeing, and mountain biking. This trail starts/ends at the corner of Industrial Road & Main St. The trail is narrow, rutted and rough, with the possibility of downed trees and exposed roots. The trail ends at a snowmobile trail (north side of Bay Lake), do not enter.

4 Bay Lake North Trail - (2 km-4.3 km summer walking loop) (4.3 km winter ski loop). Access this trail from the Recreation grounds at the south end of the ball diamond. Easy to moderate terrain with some inclines and ruts. Wet areas dictate summer walking distances. Washrooms are on the Recreation grounds, as well as parking. The full length of this trail is groomed for winter cross country skiing. Geocache sites are found along this trail. Bay Lake North trail leads to Bay Lake South trail which goes to the Jct Hwy 120 & 265.

5 Bay Lake South Trail - (4.0 km loop) - easy to moderate walking. The trail starts at the Bay Lake parking lot on the northeast side of Hwy 265. It has relatively level forest floor with possible wet areas and boardwalks. Trail signs indicate detours. To loop back to the start, use Hwy 265. This trail is groomed in winter for cross country skiing. Geocache sites are found along the trail. Points of interest include a Beaver Pond and the east end provides access to Candle Junction.

6 Homestead Heritage Trail (Aschim Homestead) - - (4.5 km loop) - maintained by the RVCL through the Communities in Bloom. This well maintained system of trails, boardwalks, benches, signage and info stations, allows visitors to experience a variety of swamp lands, forest trails, beaver ponds and a 1937 Norwegian style house with mowed yard, artwork, a mini museum and geocache. Access is 3 km southwest from the Junction of Hwy 265 and 120. A separate map is available at the trail head, as well as on the Candle Lake website.

7 Northview Trail - (2.2 km one-way) - easy walking, mountain biking, snowshoeing - nature trail with uneven surfaces, and some wet areas during spring. Begin at Simon Lehne Dr & Earl St or Northview Dr & 5th Ave. Northview Trail travels through an old

growth forest in a west-east direction connecting Nobles Point subdivision to Northview and Golf Course Subdivisions. This trail boasts diverse vegetation from ferns to some of the oldest and largest trees in the area. Recent improvements include bypassing some wet sections, utilizing boardwalks and a log boardwalk across one wet area. A loop is possible via Northview Trail, Northview Rd, Ford Rd, and Simon Lehne Dr, approximately 7 km. Connection to Simon Lehne Trail is at Nobles Drive.

8 Nobles Point Shoreline Trail - (1.5 km one-way) - moderate hiking, snowshoeing - nature trail with some wet areas in spring, one boardwalk, narrow and rough areas. Access the trail from the Nobles Point Provincial boat launch parking lot. This is the only signed trail within Candle Lake with info on flora/fauna and trail history. Highlights include an old hunting shelter and a wonderful view of Candle Lake at the trail end. The first part of the trail is shared with boat dock renters - leading to a signage barrier indicating the remainder of the trail is a narrow nature trail. From the parking lot there are connections to the Northview and Simon Lehne Trails.

9 West End Trails - (9.2 km loop) - groomed cross-country ski trails in the winter. Summer walking - easy, flat terrain connecting Telwin, Sanderman, Clearsand and Van Impe subdivisions (5.0 km one-way). Access is marked by 7 Trailhead signs - 4 located along Candle Lake Drive from Telwin to Clearsand subdivisions, 2 (1 to the east and 1 to the west) located on the Clearsand turn-off between Highway 265 and Candle Lake Drive, and 1 located on Bruin Blvd south of Van Impe subdivision. Route maps are located near each trailhead and throughout the trails.

10 Old Baldy Trail - - (3.6-5.3 km loop) - a Provincial Park Trail with beautiful views. Access this trail at Minowukaw on Beach Avenue, turn right at Helbig and follow the road for 1 km to the parking lot. In wet years access may be limited. Terrain is steep in a few high spots. Moderate to hard hiking. The high point has a lake view, shelter, picnic table and fire pit (pack in/pack out). In winter the loop is groomed for cross country skiing and there is also a snowshoe trail accessible by walking next to the ski trail. Access is available from the parking lot at the trail head. For the most current condition of this trail check with the Candle Lake Provincial Park Office.

12 Tapawingo Trail

West - - (1.5 km one-way) - easy hiking or snowshoeing on flat surfaces of an old roadway. Access this west trail either on Main Street at the Golf Course or at the entrance to Camp Tapawingo & Thunderbird (Lidster Lane.) There is a bench about halfway, beside an old road bridge over a creek flowing into Candle Lake.

East - (1.0 km one-way) - moderate hiking or snowshoeing on rough surfaces of an old roadway. Access this east trail on the entrance to Camp Tapawingo & Thunderbird (Lidster Lane.) The trail follows the old roadway to the snowmobile trail crossing.

Please follow signage and refrain from accessing private land of the Camps or entering the Snowmobile trail.

13 Lakeview Trail - (3.5-4.0 km one-way) - easy hiking, level terrain with some tree roots. The trail begins at the boat launch on Lakeview Dr and goes to Fisher Creek, crosses a walking bridge and a grassy area to Lakeview Dr. Follow the roadway to a yellow gate and on to Sandy Bay Campground. The trail ends at the Sandy Bay Campground beach where there are washrooms and benches available. Garbage cans are along the trail.

15 Deep Bay Nature Trail - (4 km loop) - there are two routes or segments to travel on this trail, suitable for hiking or snowshoeing, that can be accessed from the Musker Pond entrance (adjacent to Highway 265). The "West" segment (2.25 km loop, 1.6 km to the Telwin Subdivision access), and the "Southeast" segment (1.0 km) to the Deep Bay access (winter entrance). This is a rugged trail with low lying wet areas (with wood slabs in place) in spring and summer. The west and southeast shoreline segments of this trail provide great views of Candle Lake. Remnants of an old cabin can be observed and there is a unique "entwined" birch/spruce tree to see.

16 Musker Pond Trail (Trout Pond) - - (1.0 km loop) - a wheelchair accessible Provincial Park Trail. Easy, uneven hard surface and grass. Access at Musker Pond parking lot on Hwy 265. Enjoy Trout fishing, canoeing, benches, picnic tables, camp kitchen, fire pits, washrooms, fishing pier, and doggy bags. Remember all pets must be leashed on Park land. Connect to Deep Bay/Telwin trail across Hwy 265, at the pump house.

GROOMED WINTER SKI TRAILS *see above for descriptions*

4 Bay Lake North Trail - (4.3 km loop)

5 Bay Lake South Trail - (4.0 km loop)

9 West End Trails - (9.2 km loop)

10 Old Baldy Trail - (3.6-5.3 km loop)

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Additional ski and snowshoe trails are available at the Candle Lake Golf Resort, extending available groomed trails by more than 6 km. Holes 1-9 have route options for 1.5 or 3.2 km, and Holes 10-18 routes are 2.7 or 3.3 km.