

ANDREWS COMMUNITY FOREST

The Andrews Community Forest consists of 428 acres within the 70,000 acre Mt. Mansfield Forest Block, one of the largest unfragmented forest blocks remaining in Vermont. Thanks to the generosity of the Andrews family and many other donors, The Town of Richmond acquired and conserved the land with outstanding help from the Vermont Land Trust and the Vermont Housing and Conservation Board.

Please treat the forest, its wildlife, other resources and your fellow visitors respectfully and responsibly by keeping this information in mind:

1. The Forest is open from dawn until dusk for walking, running, skiing, and other non-mechanized recreation, Hunting is permitted after dusk and before dawn in accordance with VT State regulations. The ACF Committee may grant special permission for visits at other times.
2. ATVs, motorcycles and other types of motorized transport are not permitted. Be aware that the neighboring farm operation may use farm vehicles to access its pastures.
3. Bikes only on authorized trails (see the map) and yield to others.
4. During hunting seasons (generally October through May) please use safety colors.
5. Please park only in the Rt. 2 lot and not on the adjacent private property or across the road. Respect the privacy of the neighboring homes and businesses.
6. Keep pets on a leash. Avoid disturbing wildlife or livestock. Remove all pet waste.
7. Be careful of the pasture fencing - it may be electrified.
8. Camping and fires are not allowed.
9. Do not cut, remove or damage any trees or other vegetation.
10. Watch out for ticks!

THANK YOU, AND ENJOY THE FOREST!