

Nansen Wayside Park

Coordinates: 44; 31'; 50.51" 71; 09'; 50.85"

Location: Milan, New Hampshire. Off Route 16, at the Berlin/Milan town line; take the gravel road off the east side of the highway and follow it down the hill and across the flats to the Wayside Area.

Owner: State of New Hampshire Manager: NH Division of Parks and Recreation

Launch facilities:

Gravel and mud launch; can be difficult and muddy in low water. May be difficult for trailers, especially during low water or in wet conditions.

Miles to downstream access: 4 Parking:

Good parking in gravel lots

Amenities:

Picnic tables Kiosk

Water Conditions:

Slight current; calm water. During low water levels or wet conditions, launch can be muddy and vehicles with trailers may be susceptible to getting stuck or having difficulty retrieving loaded trailers.

General Comments:

Large grass area suitable for picnics and small group gatherings On the opposite side of Route 16 is the old Nansen Ski Jump. At one time, there were a number of similar jumps in the North Country. Most have disappeared either due to deterioration of the wooden structures or development of the parcels on which they were located. Some residents of the region would like to preserve the Nansen jump.