Relax & Play at our Lakeside Beaches

Our region features many fine lakes and clean sandy public beaches for your relaxing and swimming pleasure.

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Sebago Lake State Park is located off Route 302 between Naples and South Casco. The park offers a beautiful half-mile long beach. While the beach is sunny, you can enjoy plenty of shade along the shoreline. There are also nature trails, a playground, picnic tables and a concession stand here.

If you have young children, **Dundee Park** on the Presumpscot River in Windham is a fun family outing. Here you can enjoy a calm, sheltered swimming place. You can also rent sporting and fishing equipment. Take Rt. 302 to River Road, just south of downtown Windham. Turn right onto Presumpscot Road after 2 miles (at yellow blinking light).

Tassel Top Beach on Sebago Lake in Raymond (Rt. 302) is open to the public and offers plenty of parking, a nice stretch of beach, nature trail and views. Grills & picnic tables are available, as well as a concession stand. Operated by the Town of Raymond.

In Casco there is a small beach on **Pleasant Lake**. There is a boat ramp available here. From Naples, take Rt. 11 North to Rt. 121 to Mayberry Hill Road, just after the community center. From the south, take Rt. 121 from Rt. 85 off Rt. 302 in Raymond.

About 5 miles from junction of Routes 11 and 121 is beautiful **Crescent Lake**. The beach is open to residents only, but the views of the lake and surrounding area are worth the drive. From the south, follow Route 302 to Raymond, turn right onto Rt 85 (across from rest area), and follow 5-6 miles.

Range Ponds State Park, in Poland, (pronounced Rang Pond) is great for picnicking, fishing and swimming. There is also a field for ballgames. The swimming area features modern bathhouses just steps away from the long sandy beach. Lifeguards are present. There are several unmarked but well-groomed hiking trails and a large picnic area here. This is a carry-in / carry-out park; please leave no trash behind. To reach the park, go north on Rt.11 from Naples to the intersection of Rt. 26. Turn right (south) on Rt. 26 and in about a mile, turn left onto Poland Corners Road. Cross over Range Brook and make an immediate right onto Plains Road. This road ends on Empire Road. Turn right and go about a half mile to the park entrance.

Watchic Lake, Standish, is a beautiful beach run by the local Kiwanis. Picnic tables, sun & shade, concessions and a big recreation field make this a popular place for visitors and locals alike. From Windham, take Rt. 237 to Rt. 35 into Standish Village. Turn right on Rt. 25, go about 4 miles. Turn right onto beach road after variety store.