

Public Launching Spots

FRESHWATER RAMPS

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Burrillville	Clear River access to Harrisville Pond. Rt. 100 from Chepachet to Rt. 98 to Harrisville, site is 1/4 mile north of Harrisville Village on left. Cement slab ramp. (S)	None	Yes
	Union Pond 8 acres. Rt. 44 to Rt. 100, left on Reservoir Rd. (S)	No outboard motors	Yes
	Spring Lake 96 acres. Rt. 102 to Joslin Rd., to Spring Lake Rd., to Blackhut Rd., access site on the right. Cement slab (S)	Electric trolling motors only	Yes
	Wakefield Pond 72 acres. Rt. 100 N., to left on Wakefield Pond Rd., to left on Lee Circle, to top of hill, a right to bottom of hill, take left. Ramp is on right. (S)	No outboard motors 6/20 - 9/20	Yes
	Wilson Reservoir 127 acres. Rt. 100 from Chepachet to Wallum Lake Rd., left 1/2 mile on East Wallum Lake Rd. (S)	10 HP limit	Yes
Charlestown	Watchaug Pond Rt., Burlingame State Park (S)	None	Yes
Coventry	Carbuncle Pond 48 acres. Rt. 102 to Rt. 14, 4.5 miles on Rt. 14, sign and road on left. (S)	Elec. trolling motor only for all ramps to this pond	Yes
	Tiogou Lake 215 acres. off Rt. 3 (T)	None	limited
	Zeke's Bridge access to Big River and portions of Johnson's Pond. Rt. 3 to Harkney Hill Rd., 2 miles on right. Cement slab (S)	None	Yes
Cranston	John L. Curran Public Fishing Area 38 acres. Fiskville Reservoir. Rt. 295 N to Scituate Ave., west to Seven Mile Rd. Pond on left (S)	10 HP limit	Yes
Exeter	Breakheart Pond 33 acres. In Arcadia Mgmt. Area. Rt. 3, to Rt. 165, to Frosty Holow Rd., to Austin Farm Rd., 1/4 mile. Gravel ramp	10 HP limit	Yes
	Beach Pond 340 acres. Launching on Connecticut side (S)	None	Yes
Foster	Shippee Saw Mill Pond. Rt. 6 to Rt. 94 North, left to Willoughby Young Rd.	Electric trolling motors only	Yes
Glocester	Bowdish Reservoir 126 acres. Rt. 44, Glocester, to George Washington Camp Ground entrance, 3rd left to boat ramp. Concrete slab	10 HP limit	Yes
	Clarkville Pond. Rt. 44 Glocester to Richardson clearing trail, to Cold Spring Trail, first left off cold spring trail. (S)	Electric trolling motors only	Yes
	Keech Pond 129 acres. Rt. 44 Glocester to Chestnut Hill Rd., to Indian Trail, to end, ramp on left.	10 HP limit	Yes
	Lake Washington 42 acres. Rt. 44 to Lake Washington Dr.	Electric trolling motors only	Yes
	Smith & Sayles Reservoir 186 acres. Rt. 44 Glocester to Chestnut Hill Rd., to Sand Dam Rd. (S)	10 HP limit	Yes

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Glocester (cont.)	Pascoag Reservoir (Echo Lake) 352 acres. Rt. 44 West to Jackson School House Rd., North, site is 1/2 mile on the right. (S)	10 HP limit from Saturday before Memorial Day until day after Labor Day	Yes
Hopkinton	Alton Landing access to Wood River and Alton Pond. Rt. 95, to Rt. 138, to Hope Valley Rd., to Rt. 91, 3/4 miles on right. (S)	No outboard motors	Yes
	Ashville Pond 32 acres. Rt. 95 to Rt. 3, to Canochet Rd., 1 3/4 miles on left. (S)	10 HP limit	Yes
	Locustville Pond 83 acres. Rt. 95 S to Rt. 138, right onto Bank St., to Fairview Ave., entrance to lot and ramp on left, bear to the right of fork. Gravel ramp. (S)	10 HP limit	Yes
	Mechanic's Street Access Site. Rt. 95 S to Rt. 3, to Mechanic St., site at bottom of hill on left, canoes and small car-top boats. Access to Wood River provided. (S)	None	limited
	Moscow Pond 18 acres. Rt. 95 S to Rt. 138 W, to Woody Hill Rd., car-top boats, unimproved ramp. (S)	None	limited
	Wood Rv. Access Grantvill, Hope Valley Rd. (S)	None	limited
	Blue Pond. Rt. 95S to Rt. 3, to Canochet Rd., and walk in. Canoe launching (S)	None	limited
Lincoln	Olney Pond 126 acres. Lincoln Woods State Park. Rt 95N, to Rt 146. 3 1/2 miles to State Park. (S)	All power boats prohibited on Sat., Sun., & Holidays 6/5 thru 9/15	Yes
North Kingstown	Silver Spring Lake 10 acres. Directly off Tower Hill Rd. at junction Rt. 1 and Rt. 4 (S)	Electric trolling motors OK	Yes
North Smithfield	Upper Slatersville Reservoir 147 acres. Rt. 295 N, to Rt. 102 N., approx. 1 1/4 mile on right. Slab ramp. (S)	None	Yes
Portsmouth	Melville Public Fishing Area 6 acres. Mostly shore fishing Off Rt. 114, car-top launching (T)(S)	None	Yes
Richmond	Access to Pawcatuck River Biscuit City Landing at Biscuit City Rd., Rt. 2 S., approx. 5 miles past the Rt. 138 intersection turn left onto Biscuit City Rd. Gravel ramp. (S)	None	Yes
	Richmond Landing to Pawcatuck River, Rt. 95 to Rt. 138 E. to Rt. 112, to Rt. 91, 2 miles on left side near bridge. (S)	None	Yes
	Wyoming Pond 26 acres. Rt.95 to Rt. 138W., site just past intersection of Rts 3 and 138 on the right. Gravel ramp. (S)	None	Yes
Scituate	Upper Pawtuxet River, Hope Landing access Rt.116 to Hope Furnace Rd.(S)	Electric trolling	Yes
Smithfield	Woonaquattucket Reservoir (Stump Pond) 304 acres. Rt.5 to Log Road. Slab ramp. (S)	10 HP limit	Yes
South Kingstown	Indian Lake 199 acres. Off Tower Hill Rd. (Rt.1). Cement ramp. (S)	10 HP limit	Yes
	Barber's Pond 28 acres. Rt.102 to Rt. 2 S., about 7 miles on right. Gravel ramp. (S)	Electric trolling motors only	Yes
	Taylor's Landing to Chepuxet River, Rt. 4 to Rt. 138 E., 6 miles to Liberty Lane, West Kingston. Mainly canoes and small boats (S).	None	Yes

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South Kingstown (cont.)	Tucker's Pond 101 acres. Rt.138 to Rt. 110, to Tuckertown Rd., left 1/2 mile. Cement slab (S)	10 HP limit	Yes
	Worden's Pond 1043 acres. Rt. 138 to Rt. 110 to Worden's Pond Rd., take right 1/2 mile on north side. Cement slab ramp. (S)	None	Yes
Tiverton (Closed Until Further Notice)	Stafford Pond 476 acres. Rt. 24 E. to Fish Road S., to Bulgarmarsh Rd., left on Rt. 81 (Stafford Pond Rd.), access on left. Slab ramp. (S)	10 HP limit	Yes
Warwick	Potowomut Pond 17 acres. Rt.1 to Essex Ave., to Potowomut Rd., site on left (S)	None	Yes
Westerly	Bradford Landing on Pawcatuck River, Rt.95 Rockville Alton Rd., to Rt. 91, 3 miles on left. (S)	None	Yes
	Chapman's Pond (Burden's) 164 acres. Rt. 95 to Rockville Alton Rd., to Rt. 91, to Westerly Bradford Rd., approx. 2 1/2 miles on left. Cement slab ramp. (S)	10 HP limit	Yes
West Greenwich	Big River Landing off Weaver Hill Rd. Rt. 95 to Weaver Hill Rd., turn right, 1/4 mile on the right, stay to the right, 1/2 mile on dirt road. (S)	None	Yes
	Tarbox Pond 15 acres. Rt. 95 to Rt. 3, to Division Rd., to Hopkins Hill Rd., south of New London Turnpike. (S)	None	Yes

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Barrington	Haines Memorial Park on Bullock's Cove, off Metropolitan Park Dr. Concrete slab (S)(H)	4 ft.	Yes
Bristol	Bristol Harbor State St., Concrete ramp. Use is restricted to permitted Bristol residents (T)	N/A	No
	Independence Park at the foot of Church St., off Rt. 114. (T)	N/A	Yes
	Colt State Park off Hope St (Rt. 114). Concrete ramp. (S)(H)	4 ft.	Yes
	Annawanscutt to Mt. Hope Bay Annawanscutt Dr., off Metacom Ave. (Re. 136), past Veteran's Home. Linked concrete planks (S)	>2 ft.	Yes
Charlestown	Charlestown Breachway West end of Charles town Beach Rd. Linked concrete slabs. (S)	3 ft.	Yes/fee if park open
	Quonochontaug Breachway Off West Beach Rd. Concrete plank ramp. (S)	3 ft.	Yes/N. lot for trailered vehicles
	Town Dock Rd. (T)	N/A	Yes
Cranston	Pawtuxet Aborn St. (T)	N/A	No
East Greenwich	Greenwich Cove Pole #6, Crompton Ave. (T)	N/A	Yes
East Providence	Bold Point off Veteran's Memorial Pkwy., via Mauran Ave. at the end of Pier Rd. Concrete slab (S)(H)	4 ft.	Yes
	Sabin Point Park off Bullock's Pt. Ave. Hard packed sand (T)	N/A	Yes
	Haines Memorial Park on Bullock's Cove, off Metropolitan Park Dr. Concrete slab (S)(H)	4 ft.	Yes
Jamestown	Fort Getty Recreation Area off Beavertail Rd. Parking fee when park is open. Concrete (T)	N/A	Yes/fee

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Jamestown (cont.)	Fort Wetherill Southeast end of Ocean St., off Walcott Ave. (Rt. 138). Linked concrete plank. Car-top only. (S)	2.5 ft./steep	Yes
Little Compton	Sakonnet Point. Sakonnet Point Rd. (Rt. 77). N side of town landing rd. Linked concrete planks	2 ft.	Yes
Middletown	Third Beach Road concrete ramp. Parking fee when beach is open. (T)	N/A	Yes
Narragansett	Snug Harbor Jerusalem (T)	N/A	Yes
	Galilee. corner of Galilee Rd. and Great Island Rd., Southeast side of Great Island Bridge. Linked concrete planks - double ramp. (S)	4 ft.	Yes
	Monahan's Dock East side of Ocean Rd., at S. Pier Rd. concrete - steep drop (S)	3 - 4 ft.	Yes
Newport	Off Washington St. Two locations, Elm St. and Poplar St. (T)	N/A	limited
	Kings Beach directly off Ocean Dr., natural rock and cement. Car-top only. (T)	N/A	Yes
	Ft. Adams State Park off Harriston Ave. Concrete slabs (S)	3 ft.	Yes
North Kingstown	Wickford East end Intrepid Dr., off Post Rd., Rt. 1, near fire station. Linked concrete plank - moderately steep (T)(S)	3 ft.	Yes
	Wickford Pleasant St. (T)	N/A	limited
	Allen's Harbor Rt. 1 (Post Road), to Quonset Pt. Davisville (T)	3 ft.	Yes/Fee
Pawtucket	Taft Street Ramp-concrete planks, fast current, moderately steep. School Street Ramp-sandy, some shoaling at low tide.		
Portsmouth	Sandy Point Rd. off Rt. 138. Concrete ramp (T)	N/A	limited
	Weaver Cove at Weaver Cove on Burma Road. South of Melville complex. Concrete ramp (T)(H)	4 ft.	Yes
	Stone Bridge off Rt. 138 at junction of Park Ave. & Point Rd. at Teddy's beach. Concrete planks (S)	3 ft.	limited
	Gull Cove Rt. 138. Linked concrete planks (S)	2 ft.	Yes
Providence	Collier Park Ramp. concrete plank, moderately steep		
South Kingstown	Snug Harbor foot of Gooseberry Rd. (T)	N/A	limited
	Narrow River off Pettaquamscutt Rd., between Middle Bridge Rd. & Bridgetown Rd. Concrete planks. Several bridges on Narrow River. (S)	3 ft.	Yes
	Pond Street at end of Pond St. Gravel ramp (T)	N/A	Yes
	Marine Park Exit Rt. 1. Concrete slabs. Several bridges on Narrow River. (T)	N/A	Yes
Tiverton	Sapowet Point off Rt. 77, SW side of Sapowet Ave., off Layfayette Ave. Ramp hard beach cobble with natural slope ramp. High Tide Only.	2 ft.	Yes
Warwick	Goddard State Park via Rt. 1, & East Greenwich. Linked concrete planks ramp. (S)	<2 ft.	Yes
	Conimicut Point Northeast end of Shawomut Ave., off Symonds Ave. Linked concrete ramp. Problematic ramp. Frequently sand covered (S)	<2 ft.	limited
	Passeonkquis Cove Southwest end of Gaspee Pt. Dr., off Narragansett Pkwy., Concrete and asphalt ramp. Closed 8 PM to 6 AM. (S)	2 ft.	limited
	Oakland Beach at Warwick Cove. Oakland Beach Ave. take last left. East side of Oakland Beach. Concrete ramp (T)(H)	<4 ft.	Yes
	Longmeadow East end of Samuel Gorton Ave. off Warwick Neck Ave. Linked concrete ramp. High Tide Only (S)	<2 ft.	Yes
Westerly	Westerly Boat Ramp Main St. Concrete ramp. (S)(H)	4 ft.	Yes