

North Dakota Parks & Recreation Department

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **Turtle River State Park reschedules Winter Fest**

The fourth annual Ski and Bike Shop Winter Play Day, scheduled for Saturday, Jan. 21, at Turtle River State Park is being postponed due to the lack of adequate snow cover, according to manager Steven Crandall. The event is rescheduled for Saturday, Feb. 18.

The event is designed for any winter enthusiast wishing to learn cross country skiing including advanced cross country ski skills. The event is also open to those who just want to do some sledding. Grand Forks Ski and Bike Show is providing equipment that can be used by all ages.

The event is free and open to the public, however, a North Dakota State Parks Annual Pass or daily sticker is required for vehicles to enter the park. Families are invited to join the park's staff for hot chocolate, cookies and a day of winter fun.

For a complete list of winter activities at Turtle River State Park, visit the North Dakota Parks and Recreation Department website at [www.parkrec.nd.gov](http://www.parkrec.nd.gov) or call 701-594-4445.