

Inman Yurt Information

Please understand that it is the responsibility of the yurt user to locate the yurt. Yurt rental fees will not be refunded if the yurt is not located. The yurt is locked. You need to get the combination to the lock the week before your trip.

Trail Head: Inman Canyon Park and Ski Area. To reach Inman Road drive out of Inkom on Rapid Creek Road, after 2 miles turn right onto Inman Road. Park at the end of the plowed road in the parking area found downhill from the main road. Note: State of Idaho "Park and Ski" stickers are required to park in this plowed area.

Route Description: Ski following the snowbound road that parallels Inman Creek. Follow it for 3 miles until it takes a sharp switchback to the right and starts to climb steeply. At the switchback is the North Fork (Forest Service Trail # 207) of Inman drainage, turn into this drainage and ski up the North Fork on its right (east) side. After traveling approximately 1/2 mile from the snowbound Inman Road the drainage divides. The yurt is located in heavy timber off to the left (west) and uphill within 250 feet of the trail.

Route Caution: The first 3 miles of the route to Inman yurt is on a snowmobile groomed road. Move to the side of the trail when snow machines are approaching. They may be moving at a fast rate of speed. During times of poor visibility and new snow covering the road, it can be very difficult to locate the route to the yurt. You and other members of your party should take a couple of day trips prior to your planned use of the yurt to make sure it can be located. Be prepared and treat all tours with respect.

Difficulty: Advanced Beginner to Intermediate.

Elevation Gain and Distance: 1100 feet rise over 3 1/2 miles

Avalanche Hazard: Low as long as Inman Canyon Road is used. (Occasional avalanches have reached the Inman Road during particularly unstable periods.)

Map Needed: USGS Topographic, 7.5 minute series "Bonneville Peak." Trail maps of the Westside Ranger District of Caribou Targhee National Forest can be downloaded at www.fs.usda.gov/detail/ctnf/about-forest/districts/. Once you access the site, choose the Westside option. *(The attached photocopied map is for reference only. Skiers should use original U.S.G.S. quad maps while on Yurt tours.)*

GPS Location: All information is in WGS84 datum

	UTM Coordinates	Lat/Lon hddd°mm.mmm'
North Fork Turn Off	12 T 0406814 4744860	N 42°51.000' W112°08.414'
Inman Yurt	12 T 0406693 4745463	N 42°51.363' W112°08.525'

Special Notes:

- Because the snow around the yurt is melted for drinking water, dogs are not allowed and the use of the toilet by human beings is highly encouraged.
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- You will find propane stoves and lanterns in the yurts. Renters must provide their own propane cylinders. Please take used cylinders out with you.
- Pack it in – Pack it out. Bring your used propane cylinders to the Outdoor Adventure Center and we will recycle them.
- Please use the wood for burning inside the yurt only. Building fires outside the yurt is inconsiderate of the effort put into the yurt system as well as to the yurt users behind you. You will be assessed an extra nightly yurt fee for burning wood outside of the yurt.

Warning: *Winter travel and the use of yurts are dangerous. Do not undertake yurt trips without careful preparation and a serious discussion of the dangers with ALL members of your group.*

For more information or to report any problems contact the ISU Outdoor Adventure Center (208) 282-3912.