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Winter Operations Update

December 30, 2025, Jackson, Wyo. – A slow start to winter has created challenges for Teton County/Jackson Parks and Recreation staff to prep and groom Town and County ice rinks and trails.

Staff have taken advantage of recent cold temperatures and snowfall to begin building ice rinks. Crews packed snow and began adding water today at both the Teton County Fairgrounds and Owen Bircher rinks. Additional staff will work this evening to continue building the Fairgrounds rink. Owen Bircher received slightly more snow, and crews are currently establishing a base at that site.

With temperatures expected to return to the 40s later this week, staff is unable to establish an estimated opening date for either rink. Residents are encouraged to check the Parks and Recreation website and social media pages for updates.

Grooming crews were able to groom Cache Creek on Tuesday morning and are assessing conditions at Game Creek. Snow coverage remains thin in several areas, and downed trees are present along portions of the trail. Users are advised to proceed with caution. Tree removal is scheduled for Wednesday, December 31.

Real-time grooming updates are available on the Parks and Recreation website under the “Real-Time Updates” link, as well as on the JH Nordic Alliance website.

Parks and Recreation staff appreciate the community’s patience as they continue to work within the constraints of early-season weather.

Website: <https://www.tetoncountywy.gov/1353/Winter-Operations>

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