

Ice Thickness Policies

Lake Windermere Whiteway





1) Ice thickness must be at least 125 millimeters (5 inches) of clear hard ice before employees may enter onto the ice surface.

- 2) Ice must be at least 152 millimeters (6 inches) of clear hard ice before employees may enter onto the ice surface with a handheld machine not weighing more than 50kg.
- 3) Ice must be at least 203 millimeters (8 inches) of clear hard ice before employees may enter onto the ice surface with an ATV & Sweeper (500kg + operator).
- 4) Ice must be at least 203 millimeters (8 inches) of clear hard ice before employees may enter onto the ice surface with the snowmobile and groomer (500kg including operator).
- 5) Ice must be at least 305 millimeters (12 inches) of clear hard ice before employees may enter onto the ice surface with a tractor and plow (2041kg).
- 6) Ice must be at least 343 millimeters (13.5 inches) of clear hard ice before employees may enter on the ice surface with a tractor, plow & sweeper (2840kg + operator).